

ADVANCED INFORMATION MX29L1610T/B

16M-BIT [2M x 8/1M x 16] CMOS SINGLE VOLTAGE 3V ONLY FLASH EEPROM

FEATURES

- Extended single-supply voltage range 2.7V to 3.6V for read and write
- JEDEC-standard EEPROM commands
- Endurance 100,000 cycles
- Fast access time: 90/120ns
- · Optimized block architecture
 - One 16 Kbyte protected block(16K-block)
 - Two 8 Kbyte parameter blocks
 - One 32 Kbyte main block
 - Thirty-one 64 Kbyte main blocks
- · Hardware and software data protection
 - Hardware Write Protection pin (WP)
 - Hardware Lockout bit for 16K-block
 - Software command data protection
- Software EEPROM emulation with parameter blocks
- Status register and RY/BY pin
 - For detection of program or erase cycle completion
- Auto Erase operation
 - Automatically erases any one of the sectors or the whole chip
 - Erase suspend capability
 - Fast erase time: 50ms typical for chip erase

- Auto Page Program operation
- Automatically programs and verifies data at specified addresses
- Internal address and data latches for 128 bytes per page
- Low power dissipation
 - 20mA active current
 - 20uA standby current
 - 1uA deep power-down current
- Hardware Reset pin (RP)
- Reset internal state machine, and put the device into deep power-down mode
- Built-in 128 Bytes/64 words Page Buffer
 - Work as SRAM for temporary data storage
 - Fast access to temporary data
- Low Vcc write inhibit is equal to or less than 1.8V
- · Industry standard surface mount packaging
 - 48-Lead TSOP Type I
 - 44-Lead SOP
 - 48-Ball CSP (0.8mm Ball Ptich)

1.0 GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The MX29L1610T/B is a 16 Mbit, 3 V-only Flash memory organized as a either 1 Mbytesx16 or 512K word x32. For flexible erase and program capability, the 16 Mbits of data is divided into 35 sectors of one 16 Kbyte block, two 8 Kbyte parameter blocks, one 32 Kbyte main block, and thirty-one 64 Kbyte main blocks. To allow for simple in-system operation, the device can be operated with a single 2.7 V to 3.6 V supply voltage. Since many designs read from the flash memory a large percentage of the time, significant power saving is achieved with the 2.7 V VCC operation. Manufactured with MXIC's advanced nonvolatile memory technology, the device offers access times of 90 ns.

The MX29L1610T/B command set is compatible with the JEDEC single-power-supply flash standard. Commands are written to the command register using standard microprocessor write timings. MXIC's flash memory augments EPROM functionality with an internal state machine which controls the erase and pro-

gram circuitry. The device Status Register provides a convenient way to monitor when a program or erase cycle is complete, and the success or failure of that cycle.

Programming the MX29L1610T/B is performed on a page basis; 128 bytes of data are loaded into the device and then programmed simultaneously. The typical Page Program time is 5ms. The device can also be reprogrammed in standard EPROM programmers. Reading data out of the device is similar to reading from an EPROM or other flash.

Erase is accomplished by executing the Erase command sequence. This will invoke the Auto Erase algorithm which is an internal algorithm that automatically times the erase pulse widths and verifies proper cell margin. This device features both chip erase and block erase. Each block can be erased and programmed without affecting other blocks. Using MXIC's advanced design technology, no preprogram is required (internally or ex-



ternally). As a result, the whole chip can be typically erased and verified in as fast as 200 ms.

A combined feature of Write Protection pin (\overline{WP}), Reset pin (\overline{RP}), 16K-block lockout bit, and software command sequences provides complete data protection. First, software data protection protects the device from inadvertent program or erase. Two "unlock" write cycles must be presented to the device before the program or erase command can be accepted by the device. For hardware data protection, the \overline{WP} pin and \overline{RP} pin provide protection against unwanted command writes due to invalid system bus condition that may occur during system reset and power-up/down sequence. Finally, with 16K-block lockout bit feature, the device provides complete core security for the kernel code required for system initialization.

The device has 128 Bytes built-in page buffer, which can serve as SRAM. This feature provides a convenient way to store temporary data for fast read and write.

MXIC's Flash technology reliably stores memory contents after 100,000 cycles. The MXIC's cell is designed to optimize the erase and program mechanism. In addition, the combination of advanced tunnel oxide processing and low internal electric fields for erase and program operations produce reliable cycling.

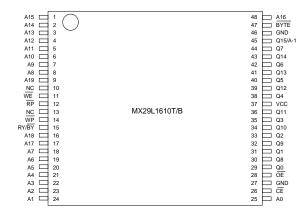
The highest degree of latch-up protection is achieved with MXIC's proprietary non-epi process. Latch-up protection is proved for stresses up to 100 milliamps on

PIN CONFIGURATIONS

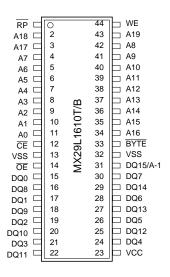
SYMBOL	PIN NAME
A0 - A19	Address Input
Q0 - Q14	Data Input/Output
Q15/A-1	Q15(word mode)/LSB addr(Byte mode)
CE	Chip Enable Input
ŌĒ	Output Enable Input
WE	Write Enable
RP	Reset/Deep Power-down
WP	Write Protect
BYTE	Word/Byte Selection Input
VCC	Power Supply Pin (2.7V - 3.6V)
GND	Ground Pin
RY/BY	Ready/Busy pin
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1.1 PINOUTS

48-TSOP (TPYE 1) 12 x 20mm



44-SOP



48-Ball CSP 8mm x 14mm (Ball Pitch=0.8mm)

A	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н
1 A3	A4	A2	A1	Α0	CE	ŌĒ	GND
2 A7	A17	A6	A5	Q0	Q8	Q9	Q1
3 RY/BY	NC	A18	NC	Q2	Q10	Q11	Q3
4 WE	RP	NC	A19	Q5	Q12	VCC	Q4
5 A9	A8	A10	A11	Q7	Q14	Q13	Q6
6 A13	A12	A14	A15	A16	BYTE	Q15/A-1	GND



1. 2-1 MX29L1610T/B SECTOR ARCHITECTURE (Byte Mode Addr. A-1 ~ A19)

000000-003FFF	16K bytes
004000-005FFF	8K bytes
006000-007FFF	8K bytes
008000-00FFFF	64K bytes
010000-01FFFF	64K bytes
020000-02FFFF	64K bytes
030000-03FFFF	64K bytes
040000-04FFFF	64K bytes
050000-05FFFF	64K bytes
060000-06FFFF	64K bytes
070000-07FFFF	64K bytes
080000-08FFFF	64K bytes
090000-09FFFF	64K bytes
0A0000-0AFFFF	64K bytes
0B0000-0BFFFF	64K bytes
0C0000-0CFFFF	64K bytes
0D0000-0DFFFF	64K bytes
0E0000-0EFFFF	64K bytes
0F0000-0FFFFF	64K bytes
100000-10FFFF	64K bytes
110000-11FFFF	64K bytes
120000-12FFFF	64K bytes
130000-13FFFF	64K bytes
140000-14FFFF	64K bytes
150000-15FFFF	64K bytes
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1B0000-1BFFFF	64K bytes
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0A0000-0AFFFF	64K bytes
0B0000-0BFFFF	64K bytes
0C0000-0CFFFF	64K bytes
0D0000-0DFFFF	64K bytes
0E0000-0EFFFF	64K bytes
0F0000-0FFFFF	64K bytes
100000-10FFFF	64K bytes
110000-11FFFF	64K bytes
120000-12FFFF	64K bytes
130000-13FFFF	64K bytes
140000-14FFFF	64K bytes
150000-15FFFF	64K bytes
160000-16FFFF	64K bytes
170000-17FFFF	64K bytes
180000-18FFFF	64K bytes
190000-19FFFF	64K bytes
1A0000-1AFFFF	64K bytes
1B0000-1BFFFF	64K bytes
1C0000-1CFFFF	64K bytes
1D0000-1DFFFF	64K bytes
1E0000-1EFFFF	64K bytes
1F0000-1F7FFF	32K bytes
1F8000-1F9FFF	8K bytes
1FA000-1FBFFF	8K bytes
1FC000-1FFFFF	16K bytes

MX29L1610B Memory Map

MX29L1610T Memory Map



1. 2-2 MX29L1610T/B SECTOR ARCHITECTURE (Word Mode Addr. A0 ~ A19)

00000-01FFF	8 K words
02000-02FFF	4 K words
03000-03FFF	4 K words
04000-07FFF	16 K words
08000-0FFFF	32 K words
10000-17FFF	32 K words
18000-1FFFF	32 K words
20000-27FFF	32 K words
28000-2FFFF	32 K words
30000-37FFF	32 K words
38000-3FFFF	32 K words
40000-47FFF	32 K words
48000-4FFFF	32 K words
50000-57FFF	32 K words
58000-5FFFF	32 K words
60000-67FFF	32 K words
68000-6FFFF	32 K words
70000-77FFF	32 K words
78000-7FFFF	32 K words
80000-87FFF	32 K words
88000-8FFFF	32 K words
90000-97FFF	32 K words
98000-9FFFF	32 K words
A0000-A7FFF	32 K words
A8000-AFFFF	32 K words
B0000-B7FFF	32 K words
B8000-BFFFF	32 K words
C0000-C7FFF	32 K words
C8000-CFFFF	32 K words
D0000-D7FFF	32 K words
D8000-DFFFF	32 K words
E0000-E7FFF	32 K words
E8000-EFFFF	32 K words
F0000-FFFFF	32 K words
F8000-FFFFF	32 K words

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08000-0FFFF	32 K words
10000-17FFF	32 K words
18000-1FFFF	32 K words
20000-27FFF	32 K words
28000-2FFFF	32 K words
30000-37FFF	32 K words
38000-3FFFF	32 K words
40000-47FFF	32 K words
48000-4FFFF	32 K words
50000-57FFF	32 K words
58000-5FFFF	32 K words
60000-67FFF	32 K words
68000-6FFFF	32 K words
70000-77FFF	32 K words
78000-7FFFF	32 K words
80000-87FFF	32 K words
88000-8FFFF	32 K words
90000-97FFF	32 K words
98000-9FFFF	32 K words
A0000-A7FFF	32 K words
A8000-AFFFF	32 K words
B0000-B7FFF	32 K words
B8000-BFFFF	32 K words
C0000-C7FFF	32 K words
C8000-CFFFF	32 K words
D0000-D7FFF	32 K words
D8000-DFFFF	32 K words
E0000-E7FFF	32 K words
E8000-EFFFF	32 K words
F0000-F7FFF	32 K words
F8000-FBFFF	16 K words
FC000-ECFFF	4 K words
FD000-FDFFF	4 K words
FE000-FFFFF	8 K words

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MX29L1610T Memory Map



BLOCK DIAGRAM

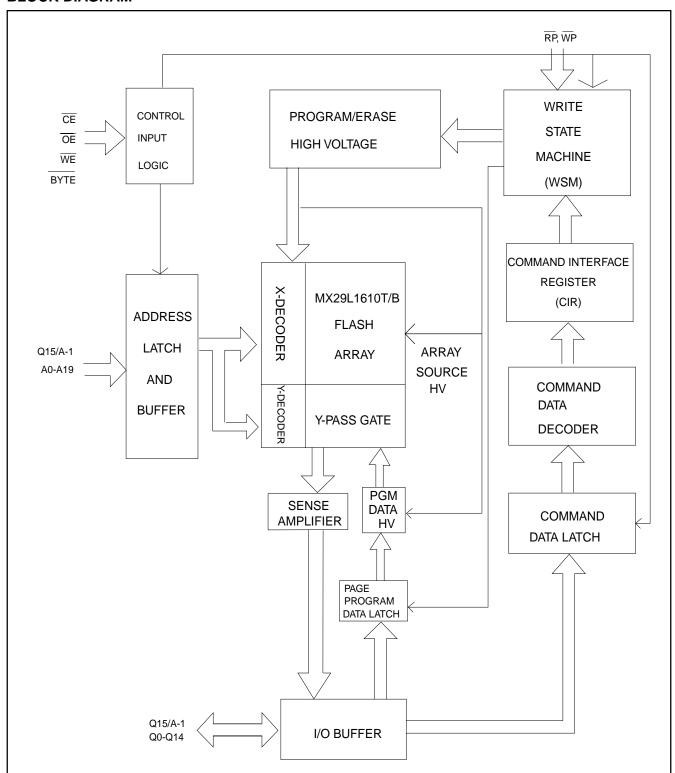




Table 1 .PIN DESCRIPTIONS

SYMBOL	TYPE	NAME AND FUNCTION
A0 - A19	INPUT	ADDRESS INPUTS: for memory addresses. Addresses are internally latched
		during a write cycle.
Q0 - Q7	INPUT/OUTPUT	LOW-BYTE DATA BUS: Input data and commands during Command Interface
		Register(CIR) write cycles. Outputs array, status, identifier data, and page buffer
		in the appropriate read mode. Float to tri-state when the chip is deselected or
		the outputs are disabled.
Q8-Q14	INPUT/OUTPUT	HIGH-BYTE DATA BUS:Input data during x16 Data-Write operations. Outputs
		array, identifier data in the appropriate read mode; not used for status register
		reads. Floated when the chip is de-selected or the outputs are disabled.
Q15/A-1	INPUT/OUTPUT	Selectes between high-byte data INPUT/OUTPUT (BYTE=HIGH) and LSB
		ADDRESS (BYTE=LOW)
BYTE	INPUT	BYTE ENABLE: BYTE Low places device in x8 mode. All data is then input or
		output on Q0~7 and Q8~14 float. Address Q15/A-1 selectes between the high
		and low byte. BYTE high places the device in x16 mode, and turns off the Q15/
		A-1 input buffer. Address A0, then becomes the lowest order address.
CE	INPUT	CHIP ENABLE INPUTS: Activate the device's control logic, input buffers, de-
		coders and sense amplifiers. With $\overline{\text{CE}}$ high, the device is deselected and power
		consumption reduces to Standby level upon completion of any current program
		or erase operations. CE must be low to select the device.
OE	INPUT	OUTPUT ENABLES: Gates the device's data through the output buffers during
		a read cycle. OE is active low.
WE	INPUT	WRITE ENABLE: Controls writes to the Command Interface Register(CIR).
		WE is active low.
RP	INPUT	RESET/DEEP POWER-DOWN: When RP is low, the device is in reset/deep
		power-down mode. When \overline{RP} is high, the device is in standard operation.
WP	INPUT	WRITE PROTECTION: Provides a method for locking the 16K-block, using three
		voltage levels (VIL, VIH, and VHH). When WP is low, the 16K-block is locked.
		When WP is high the 16K-block is unlocked, if the 16K-block lockout bit is dis-
		abled. When $\overline{\mathrm{WP}}$ is at VHH, the 16K-block is unlocked. This overrides the
		status of the lockout bit. See Section3 for details of data-protection
VCC		DEVICE POWER SUPPLY(2.7V - 3.6V)
GND		GROUND



1.3 BUS OPERATION

Flash memory reads, erases and writes in-system via the local CPU . All bus cycles to or from the flash memory conform to standard microprocessor bus cycles. These bus operations are summarized below.

Table2-1 MX29L1610T/B Bus Operations for Byte-Wide Mode (BYTE=VIL)

Mode	Notes	CE	ΟE	WE	RP	Α0	A 1	A9	Q0-Q7	Q8-Q14	Q15/A-1
Read		VIL	VIL	VIH	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	DOUT	HighZ	VIL/VIH
Output Disable		VIL	VIH	VIH	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	High Z	HighZ	Χ
Standby		VIH	Χ	Χ	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	High Z	HighZ	
Deep power down		Χ	Χ	Χ	VIL	Χ	Χ	Χ	HighZ	HighZ	Χ
Manufacturer ID		VIL	VIL	VIH	VIH	VIL	VIL	VHH	C2H	HighZ	VIL
Device ID		VIL	VIL	VIH	VIH	VIH	VIL	VHH	61H(Top Boot)	HighZ	VIL
									62H(Bottom Boot)		
Write		VIL	VIH	VIL	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	DIN	HighZ	VIL/VIH

NOTES: 1. X can be VIH or VIL for address or control pins.

2. VHH = 11.5V- 12.5V.

3. Q15/A-1=VIL, Q0~Q7=D0~D7 out, Q15/A-1=VIH, Q0~Q7=D8~D15 out

Table2-2 MX29L1610T/B Bus Operations for Word-Wide Mode (BYTE=VIH)

Mode	Notes	CE	OE	WE	RP	A0	A 1	Α9	Q0-Q7	Q8-Q14	Q15/A-1
Read		VIL	VIL	VIH	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	DOUT	DOUT	DOUT
Output Disable		VIL	VIH	VIH	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	High Z	HighZ	HighZ
Standby		VIH	Χ	Χ	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	High Z	HighZ	HighZ
Deep power down		Χ	Χ	Χ	VIL	Χ	Χ	Χ	HighZ	HighZ	HighZ
Manufacturer ID		VIL	VIL	VIH	VIH	VIL	VIL	VHH	C2H	00H	0H
Device ID		VIL	VIL	VIH	VIH	VIH	VIL	VHH	61H(Top Boot)	00H	0H
									62H(Bottom Boot)		
Write		VIL	VIH	VIL	VIH	Χ	Χ	Χ	DIN	DIN	DIN

NOTES: 1.X can be VIH or VIL for address or control pins.

2. VHH = 11.5V- 12.5V.



1.4 WRITE OPERATIONS

The Command Interface Register (CIR) is the interface between the microprocessor and the internal chip controller. Device operations are selected by writing specific address and data sequence into the CIR, using standard microprocessor write timings. Writing incorrect data value or writing them in improper sequence will reset the device to the read mode.(read array or read buffer) Table 3 defines the valid command sequences. Note that the Erase Suspend (BOH) and Erase Resume (30H) are valid only while an erase operation is in progress and will be

ignored in other circumstance. There are four read modes: Read Array, Read Silicon ID, Read Status Register, and Read Page Buffer. For Program and Erase inform the internal state machine that a program or erase sequence has been requested. During the execution of program or erase operation, the state machine will control the program /erase sequence. After the state machine has completed its task, it will set bit 7 of the Status Register (SR. 7) to a "1", which indicates that the CIR can respond to the full command set.

TABLE 3. COMMAND DEFINITIONS

Command		Read/	Silicon	Page/Byte	Chip	Block	Erase	Erase	Sleep
Sequence		Reset	ID Read	Program	Erase	Erase	Suspend	Resume	Mode
Bus Write		1	4	4	6	6	3	3	3
Cycles Required									
First Bus	Addr	XXXXH	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H
Write Cycle	Data	F0H	AAH	AAH	AAH	AAH	AAH	AAH	AAH
Second Bus	Addr	RA	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH
Write Cycle	Data	RD	55H	55H	55H	55H	55H	55H	55H
Third Bus	Addr		5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H
Write Cycle	Data		90H	A0H	80H	80H	ВОН	D0H	C0H
Fourth Bus	Addr		00H/01H	PA	5555H	5555H			
Read/Write Cycle	Data		C2H/61H	PD	AAH	AAH			
			C2H/62H						
Fifth Bus	Addr				2AAAH	2AAAH			
Write Cycle	Data				55H	55H			
Sixth Bus	Addr				5555H	SA	_		
Write Cycle	Data				10H	30H			



COMMAND DEFINITIONS(continue Table 3.)

Command		Block	Block	Lock Status	Read	Clear
Sequence		Lock	Unlock	Read	Status Register	Status Register
Bus Write		6	6	4	3	3
Cycles Required						
First Bus	Addr	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H
Write Cycle	Data	AAH	AAH	AAH	AAH	AAH
Second Bus	Addr	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH	2AAAH
Write Cycle	Data	55H	55H	55H	55H	55H
Third Bus	Addr	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H	5555H
Write Cycle	Data	60H	60H	90H	70H	50H
Fourth Bus	Addr	5555H	5555H			
Read/Write Cycle	Data	AAH	AAH	C2H/00H		
Fifth Bus	Addr	2AAAH	2AAAH			
Write Cycle	Data	55H	55H			
Sixth Bus	Addr	SA	SA			
Write Cycle	Data	20H	40H			

Notes:

- 1.Address bit A15 -- A19 = X = Don't care for all address commands except for Program Address(PA) and Sector Address(SA). 5555H and 2AAAH address command codes stand for Hex number starting from A0 to A14.
- 2. Bus operations are defined in Table 2.
- 3. RA = Address of the memory location to be read.
 - PA = Address of the memory location to be programmed. Addresses are latched on the falling edge of the $\overline{\text{WE}}$ pulse.
 - SA = Address of the block to be erased. The combination of A12 -- A19 will uniquely select any block.
- 4. RD = Data read from location RA during a read operation.
 - PD = Data to be programmed at location PA. Data is latched on the rising edge of \overline{WE} .
- 5. Erase can be suspended during sector erase with Addr = don't care, Data = B0H
- 6. Erase can be resumed after suspend with Addr = don't care, Data = 30H.
- 7. Clear Buffer set all buffer data to 1.
- 8. Only Q0~Q7 command data is taken, Q8~Q15=Don't care



2.0 DEVICE OPERATION

2.1 SILICON ID READ

The Silicon ID Read mode allows the reading out of a binary code from the device and will identify its manufacturer and type. This mode is intended for use by programming equipment for the purpose of automatically matching the device to be programmed with its corresponding programming algorithm. This mode is functional over the entire temperature range of the device.

To activate this mode, the programming equipment must force VHH (11.5V~12.5V) on address pin A9. Two identifier bytes may then be sequenced from the device outputs by toggling address A0 from VIL to VIH. All addresses are don't cares except A0 and A1.

The manufacturer and device codes may also be read via the command register, for instances when the MX29L1610T/B is erased or programmed in a system without access to high voltage on the A9 pin. The command sequence is illustrated in Table 3.

Following the command write, a read cycle with A0 = VIL retrieves the manufacturer code of C2H. A read cycle with A0 = VIH returns the device code . MX29L1610T Device Code = 61H, MX29L1610B Device Code = 62H

To terminate the operation, it is necessary to write the Read/Reset command sequence into the CIR.

Table 4. MX29L1610T/B Silion ID Codes and Verify Sector Protect Code

Туре	A ₁₈ ~A ₂	A ₁	A ₀	Code(HEX)	DQ ₇	DQ_6	DQ_{5}	DQ_4	$\overline{DQ_3}$	$\overline{DQ_2}$	DQ ₁	$\overline{DQ_{\scriptscriptstyle{0}}}$
Manufacturer Code	Χ	VIL	VIL	C2H	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
MX29L1610T Device Code	Χ	VIL	VIH	61H	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
MX29L1610B Device Code	Χ	VIL	VIH	62H	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Verify 16K-Block Protect**	SA	VIH	VIL	C2H*	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

^{*} Outputs C2H if 16K byte-block is protected (lockout bit is enabled), 00H otherwise.

MX29L1610T Manufacter Code=C2H, Device Code=61H when BYTE=VIL.

MX29L1610B Manufacter Code=C2H, Device Code=62H when BYTE=VIL.

MX29L1610T Manufacter Code=00C2H, Device Code=0061H when BYTE=VIH.

MX29L1610B Manufacter Code=00C2H, Device Code=0062H when BYTE=VIH.

2.2 READ/RESET COMMAND

The read or reset operation is initiated by writing the Read/Reset command sequence into the command register. Microprocessor read cycles retrieve array data from the memory. The device remains ready for reads until the CIR contents are altered by a valid command sequence.

The device will automatically power-up in the read/reset state. In this case, a command sequence is not required to read data. Standard microprocessor read cycles will retrieve array data. This default value ensures that no spurious alteration of the memory content occurs during the power transition. Refer to the AC Read Characteristics and Waveforms for the specific timing parameters.

The MX29L1610T/B is accessed like an EPROM. When $\overline{\text{CE}}$ and $\overline{\text{OE}}$ are low and $\overline{\text{WE}}$ is high the data stored at the memory location determined by the address pins is asserted on the outputs. The outputs are put in the high impedance state whenever $\overline{\text{CE}}$ or $\overline{\text{OE}}$ is high. This dual line control gives designers flexibility in preventing bus contention.

Note that the Read/Reset command is not valid when program or erase is in progress.

^{**} Only the 16K byte-Block has protect-bit verify feature.



2.3 PAGE PROGRAM

To initiate Page program mode, a three-cycle command sequence is required. There are two "unlock" write cycles. These are followed by writing the page program command A0H. Any attempt to write to the device without the three-cycle command sequence will not start the internal Write State Machine(WSM), no data will be written to the device.

After three-cycle command sequence is given, <u>a</u> byte load is performed by applying a low pulse on the \overline{WE} or \overline{CE} input with \overline{CE} or \overline{WE} low (respectively) and \overline{OE} high. The address is latched on the falling edge of \overline{CE} or \overline{WE} , whichever occurs last. The data is latched by the first rising edge of \overline{CE} or \overline{WE} . Maximum of 128 bytes of data may be loaded into each page.

2.3.1 BYTE-WIDE LOAD/WORD-WIDE LOAD

Byte(word) loads are used to enter the 128 bytes (64 words) of a page to be programmed or the software codes for data protection. A byte load (word load) is performed by applying a low pulse on the WE or CE input with CE or WE low respectively) and OE high. The address is latched on the falling edge of CE or WE, whichever occurs last. The data is latched by the first rising edge of CE or WE.

Either byte-wide load or word-wide load is determinded (BYTE=VIL or VIH is latched) on the falling edge of the WE (or CE) during the 3rd command write cycle.

2.3.2 PROGRAM

Any page to be programmed should have the page in the erased state first, i.e. performing sector erase is suggested before page programming can be performed.

The device is programmed on a page basis. If a byte of data within a page is to be changed, data for the entire page can be loaded into the device. Any byte that is not loaded during the programming of its page will be still in the erased state (i.e. FFH). Once the bytes of a page are loaded into the device, they are simultaneously programmed during the internal programming period. After the first data byte has been loaded into the device, successive bytes are entered in the same manner. Each

new byte to be programmed must have its high to low transition on WE (or CE) within 30us of the low to high transition of WE (or CE) of the preceding byte. A6 to A18 specify the page address, i.e., the device is pagealigned on 128 bytes boundary. The page address must be valid during each high to low transition of \overline{WE} or \overline{CE} . A-1 to A5 specify the byte address within the page The byte may be loaded in any order; sequential loading is not required. If a high to low transition of $\overline{\text{CE}}$ or WE is not detected whithin 100us of the last low to high transition, the load period will end and the internal programming period will start. The load period will also end if the same address is consecutively loaded twice. The first data and address will be treated as normal data to be progammed. The second data needs to be "00" to terminate the load cycle. Other numbers besides "00" are reserved for future use.

The status of program can be determined by checking the Status Register. While the program operation is in progress, bit 7 of the Status Register (SR. 7) is "0". When the Status Register indicates that program is complete (when SR. 7 = 1), the Program Status bit should bechecked to verify that the program operation was successful. If the program operation was unsuccessful, SR. 4 of the Status Register will be set to "1" to indicate a program failure. The Status Register should be cleared before attempting the next operation.

2.4 CHIP ERASE

Chip erase is a six-bus cycle operation. There are two "unlock" write cycles. These are followed by writing the "set-up" command-80H. Two more "unlock" write cycles are then followed by the Chip Erase command 10H. Chip erase does not require the user to program the device prior to erase. The 16K-Block will not be erased if it is protected (16K-Block Lockout bit enabled).

The Auto Chip Erase begins on the rising edge of the last $\overline{\text{WE}}$ pulse in the command sequence and terminates when the status on SR.7 is "1". While the erase sequence is in progress, SR.7 of the Status Register is "0". When erase is complete, the Erase Status bit should be checked. If the erase operation was unsuccessful, SR.5 of the Status Register is set to a "1" to indicate an erase failure. Clear the Status Register before attempting the next operation.



2.5 BLOCK ERASE

Sector erase is a six-bus cycle operation. There are two "unlock" write cycles. These are followed by writing the set-up command 80H. Two more "unlock" write cycles are then followed by the sector erase command-30H. The sector address is latched on the falling edge of \overline{WE} , while the command (data) is latched on the rising edge of \overline{WE} . Only one sector can be erased at a time.

Sector erase does not require the user to program the device prior to erase. The system is not required to provide any controls or timings during these operations.

The AutomaticBlock Erase begins on the rising edge of the last WE pulse in the command sequence and terminates when the data on SR.7 is "1". When erasing a block, the remaining unselected blocks are unaffected. During the execution of the Block Erase command, only the Erase Suspend and Erase Resume commands are allowed. The Erase Suspend/Resume command may be issued as many time as required. Similar to the Chip Erase mode, the Status Register should be checked when erase is complete.

2.6 ERASE SUSPEND AND RESUME

The Erase Suspend command is provided to allow the user to interrupt an erase sequence and then read data from a block other than that which is being erased. This command is applicable only during the erase operation. During the erase operation, writing the Erase Suspend command to the CIR will cause the internal state machine to pause the erase sequence at a predetermined point. The Status Register will indicate when the erase operation has been suspended.

Once in erase suspend, a Read Array command can be written to the CIR in order to read data from blocks not being erase suspended. The only other valid commands during erase suspend are Erase Resume and Read Status Register commands. Read Page Buffer command, however, is not applicable during erase suspend.

To resume the erase operation, the Erase Resume command 30H should be written to the CIR. Another Erase Suspend command can be written after the chip has resumed erasing.

Table5. Status Register Bit Definition

WSMS	ESS	ES	PS	SLP	SLK
7	6	5	4	2	1

SR.7 = WRITE STATE MACHINE STATUS(WSMS)

1 = Ready 0 = Busy

SR.6 = ERASE-SUSPEND STATUS (ESS)

1 = Erase Suspended

0 = Erase in Progress/Completed

SR.5 = ERASE STATUS

1 = Error in Erase

0 = Successful Erasure

SR.4 = PROGRAM STATUS

1 = Error in Page/Byte Program

0 = Successful Page/Byte Program

SR.2 = SLEEP STATUS

1 = Device in sleep mode

0 = Device not in sleep mode

SR.3 = 0

SR.1 = Boot sector lock status 1: lock, 0: unlock

Others = Reserved for future enhancements

NOTE

State machine bit must first be checked to determine Program or Erase completion, before the Program or Erase Status bits are checked for success.

When Erase Suspend is issued, state machine halts execution and sets both WSMS and ESS bits to "1," ESS bit remains set to "1" until an Erase Resume command is issued.

When this bit set to "1," state machine has applied the maximum number of erase pulses to the device and is still unable to successfully verify erasure.

When this bit is set to "1," state machine has attempted but failed to program page data.

When this bit is set to "1", the device is in sleep mode(deep power-down). Writing the Read Array command will wake





2.7 STATUS REGISTER

The device contains a Status Register which may be read to determine when a Program or Erase operation is complete, and whether that operation completed successfully. The Status Register may be read at any time by writing the Read Status command to the command interface. After writing this command, all subsequent Read operations output data from the Status Register until another command is written to the command interface. A Read Array command must be written to the command interface to return to the read array mode. The Status Register bits are output on DQ[0:7].

In the word-wide(x16) mode the upper byte, DQ(8:15) is set to 00H during a Read status command, in the byte-wide mode, DQ(8:14) are tri-stated and DQ15/A-1 retains the low order address function.

The contents of the Status Register are latched on the falling edge of OE or CE, whichever occurs last in the read cycle. This prevents possible bus errors which might occur if the contents of the Status Register change while reading the Status Register. CE or OE must be toggled with each subsequent status read, or the completion of a Program or Erase operation will not be evident from the Status Register.

When the state machine is active, this register will indicate the status of the state machine, and will also hold the bits indicating whether or not the state machine was successful in performing the desired operation.

2.7.1 CLEARING THE STATUS REGISTER

The state machine sets status bits 4 through 7 to "1", and clears bits 6 and 7 to "0", but cannot clear status bits 4 and 5 to "0". Bits 4 and 5 can only be cleared by the controlling CPU through the use of the Clear Status Register command. These bits can indicate various error conditions. By allowing the system software to control the resetting of these bits, several operations may be performed (such as cumulatively programming several bytes or erasing multiple blocks in sequence). The Status Register may then be read to determine if an error occurred during that programming or erasure series. This adds flexibility to the way the device may be programmed or erased. Once an error occurred, the command Interface only responds to clear Status Register, Read Status Register and Read Array. To clear the Status Register, the Clear Status Register command is written to the command interface. Then, any other command may be issued to the command interface. Note, again, that before read cycle can be initiated, a Read Array command must be written to the command interface to specify whether the read data is to come from the Memory Array, Status Register, Page Buffer, or silicon ID.

2.8 SLEEP MODE

The MX29L1610T/B features a sofware controlled low power modes: Sleep modes. Sleep mode is allowed during any current operations except that once Suspend command is issued, Sleep command is ignored. To activate Sleep mode, a three-bus cycle operation is required. The C0H command (Refer to Table 3) puts the device in the Sleep mode. Once in the Sleep mode and with CMOS input level applied, the power of the device is reduced to deep power-down current levels. The only power consumed is diffusion leakage, transistor subthreshold conduction, input leakage, and output leakage.

The Sleep command allows the device to complete its current operations before going into Sleep mode. During Sleep mode, Silicon ID codes remain valid and can still be read. The Device Sleep Status bit SR.2 will indicate that the device in the sleep mode. The device is in read SR. mode during sleep mode.

Writing the Read Array command wakes up the device out of sleep mode. SR.2 is reset to "0" and device returns to standby current level.



3.0 DATA PROTECTION

The MX29L1610T/B is designed to offer protection against accidental erasure or programming caused by spurious system level signals that may exist during power transitions. During power up the device automatically resets the internal state machine in the Read Array mode. Also, with its control register architecture, alteration of the memory contents only occurs after successful completion of specific multi-bus cycle command sequences.

The device also incorporates several features to prevent inadvertent write cycles resulting from VCC power-up and power-down transitions or system noise.

3.1 16K-BLOCK LOCKING

The MX29L1610T/B features hardware 16K-Block protection. This feature will disable both program and erase operations in the 16K-Block. The block protection feature is enabled using system software by the user (Refer to Table 3). The device is shipped with 16K-Block unprotected. Alternatively, MXIC may protect 16K-Block in the factory prior to shipping the device.

3.1.1 LOCK BLOCK

To active this mode, a six-bus cycle operation is required. There are two "unlock" write cycles. These are followed by writting the "set-up" command. Two more "unlock" write cycles are then followed the Lock Sector command 20H. The automatic Lock operation begins on the rising edge of the last WE pulse in the command sequence and terminates when the status on SR.7 is "1" at which time the device stays at the read mode.

3.1.2 LOCK STATUS READ

To verify the Protect status of the 16K-Block, operation is initiated by writing Silicon ID read command into the command register. Following the command write, a read cycle from addressSA02H(See Table3) retrieves the Manufacturer code of (C2H in byte mode, 00C2H in word mode) if the 16K-Block is protected. If the 16K-Block is unprotected, (00H in byte mode, 0000H in word mode) will be read instead. To terminate the operation, it is necessary to write the Read/Reset command sequence into the CIR.

The lock status information can also be retrieved by reading SR.. The SR.1 ="1" if 16K-Block is locked. The SR.1 ="0" if 16K-Block is unlocked.

A few retries are required if Protect status can not be verified successfully after each operation.

Execute lock bit protection operation three additional times after protect bit is verified successfully to guarantee lock bit status under all conditions.

3.2 HARDWARE PROTECTION

Protection for parameter blocks and main blocks can be achieved using combinations of RP and WP pins.

3.2.1 \overline{RP} = VIL FOR COMPLETE PROTECTION

For complete data protection of all blocks, the $\overline{\text{RP}}$ can be held low.

3.2.2 WP = VIL FOR 16K-BLOCK LOCKING

When WP = VIL, the 16K-block is locked, while all other blocks remain unlocked in this condition and can be programmed or erased normally.

3.2.3 WP = VHH FOR 16K-BLOCK UNLOCKING

If $\overline{\text{WP}} = \text{VHH}$, the 16K-Block is unlocked and can be programmed or erased. Note that this feature will override the 16K-Block Lock bit protection.

3.2.4 WP = VIH FOR REGULAR BLOCK UNLOCKING

If WP = VIH and RP = VIH, all the regular blocks (parameter blocks and main blocks) are unlocked and can be programmed or erased. In this condition, whether the 16K-Block is locked is dependent on the 16K-Block Lock bit. If the 16K-Block Lock bit is enabled, then the 16K-Block is still protected; otherwise, it is unlocked. The following truth table clearly defines the write protection methods.



Table 5. WRITE PROTECTION TRUTH TABLE FOR MX29L1610T/B

RP	WP	16K-Block	Write Protection Provided		
		Lockout bit	16K-Block	Regular Block	
VIH	VHH	Х	unlocked	unlocked	
VIL	Χ	Х	locked	locked	
VIH	VIL	Х	locked	unlocked	
VIH	VIH	1	locked	unlocked	
VIH	VIH	0	unlocked	unlocked	

3.3 LOW VCC WRITE INHIBIT

To avoid initiation of a write cycle during VCC power-up and power-down, a write cycle is locked out for VCC less than VLKO(typically 1.8V). If VCC < VLKO, the command register is disabled and all internal program/ erase circuits are disabled. Under this condition the device will reset to the read mode. Subsequent writes will be ignored until the VCC level is greater than VLKO. It is the user's responsibility to ensure that the control pins are logically correct to prevent unintentional write when VCC is above VLKO.

3.4 WRITE PULSE "GLITCH" PROTECTION

Noise pulses of less than 5ns (typical) on $\overline{\text{CE}}$ or $\overline{\text{WE}}$ will not initiate a write cycle.

3.5 LOGICAL INHIBIT

Writing is inhibited by holding any one of $\overline{OE} = VIL$, $\overline{CE} = VIH$ or $\overline{WE} = VIH$. To initiate a write cycle \overline{CE} and \overline{WE} must be a logical zero while \overline{OE} is a logical one.

Figure 1. AUTO PAGE PROGRAM FLOW CHART

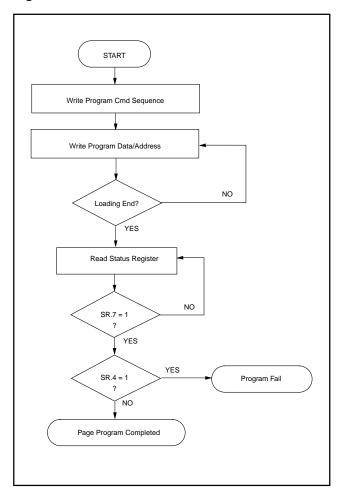




Figure 2. AUTO ERASE FLOW CHART

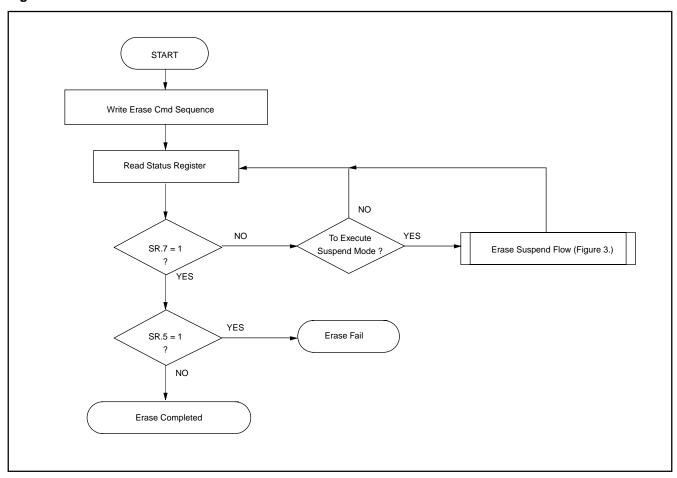




Figure 3. ERASE SUSPEND/ERASE RESUME FLOW Figure 4. 16K-BLOCK PROTECTION FLOW CHART **CHART**

START Write B0H Read Status Register NO SR.7 = 1 YES NO SR.6 = 1 Erase Completed Erase Suspended Write F0H Read Array NO Done Reading YES Write 30H Erase Resumed

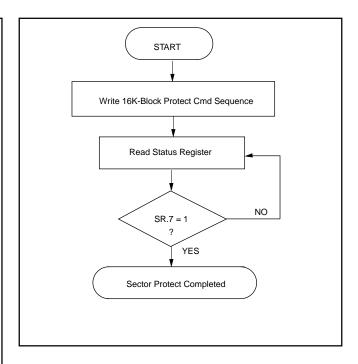
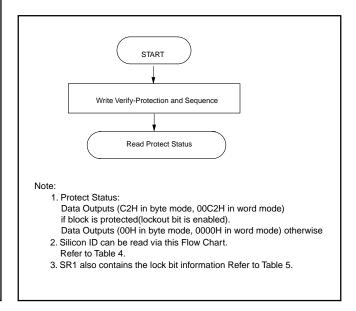


Figure 5. VERIFY 16K-BLOCK PROTECT FLOW **CHART**



5.0 ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

RATING	VALUE
Ambient Temperature	-40℃ to 85℃
Storage Temperature	-65℃ to 125℃
Applied Input Voltage	-0.5V to VCC + 0.5
Applied Output Voltage	-0.5V to VCC + 0.6
VCC to Ground Potential	-0.5V to 4V
A9, WP	-0.5V to 12.5V

OPERATING RANGES

RATING	VALUE
Ambient Temperature	-40℃ to 85℃
Vcc Supply Voltage	2.7V to 3.6V

NOTICE

1.This document contains information on product in the dsign phase of development. Revised information will be published when the product is available.

2. Specifications contained within the following tables are subject to change.

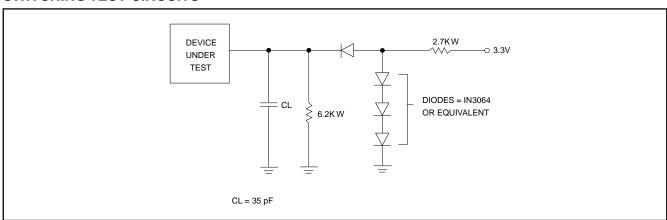
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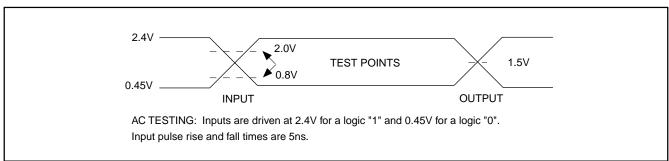
CAPACITANCE TA = 25 ℃, f = 1.0 MHz

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT	CONDITIONS
CIN	Input Capacitance			14	pF	VIN = 0V
COUT	Output Capacitance			16	pF	VOUT = 0V

SWITCHING TEST CIRCUITS



SWITCHING TEST WAVEFORMS





5.1 DC CHARACTERISTICS Vcc = 2.7V to 3.6V

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	NOTES	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	TEST CONDITIONS
			WIIIN.	IIF.			
IIL	Input Load	1			±1	uA	VCC = VCC Max
	Current						VIN = VCC or GND
ILO	Output Leakage	1			±10	uA	VCC = VCC Max
	Current						VIN = VCC or GND
ISB1	VCC Standby	1		20	50	uA	VCC = VCC Max
	Current(CMOS)						CE = VCC±0.2V
ISB2	VCC Standby			1	2	mA	VCC = VCC Max
	Current(TTL)						CE = VIH
ICC1	VCC Read	1		20	35	mA	VCC = VCC Max
	Current						f = 10MHz, $IOUT = 0 mA$
ICC2	VCC Erase	1,2			5	mA	CE = VIH
	Suspend Current						Block Erase Suspended
ICC3	VCC Program	1		15	30	mA	Program in Progress
	Current						
ICC4	VCC Erase Current	1		15	30	mA	Erase in Progress
IPPD	VCC Deep Power-down			1	8	uA	VCC = VCC Max
	Current						$\overline{RP} = VIL$
VIL	Input Low Voltage	3	-0.3		0.6	V	
VIH	Input High Voltage	4	0.7xV0	CC	VCC+0.3	V	
VOL	Output Low Voltage				0.45	V	IOL = 2.1mA, Vcc = Vcc Min
VOH	Output High Voltage		2.4			V	IOH = -100uA, Vcc = Vcc Min

NOTES:

- 1. All currents are in RMS unless otherwise noted. Typical values at VCC = 3.0V, T = 25 ℃. These currents are valid for all product versions (package and speeds).
- 2. ICC2 is specified with the device de-selected. If the device is read while in erase suspend mode, current draw is the sum of ICC2 and ICC1.
- 3. VIL min. = -1.0V for pulse width is equal to or less than 50ns. VIL min. = -2.0V for pulse width is equal to or less than 20ns.
- 4. VIH max. = VCC + 1.5V for pulse width is equal to or less than 20ns. If VIH is over the specified maximum value, read operation cannot be guaranteed.



5.2 AC CHARACTERISTICS --- READ OPERATIONS

		29L1610T/B-90		90 29L1610T/B-12			
SYMBOL	DESCRIPTIONS	MIN.	MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT	CONDITIONS
tACC	Address to Output Delay		90		120	ns	CE=OE=VIL
tCE	CE to Output Delay		90		120	ns	ŌĒ=VIL
tOE	OE to Output Delay		60		60	ns	CE=VIL
tDF(1)	OE High to Output Delay	0	55	0	55	ns	CE=VIL
tOH	Address to Output hold	0	90	0		ns	CE=OE=VIL
tBACC	BYTE to Output Delay		50		120	ns	CE=OE=VIL
tBHZ	BYTE Low to Output in High	hΖ			55	ns	CE=VIL

TEST CONDITIONS:

• Input pulse levels: 0.45V/2.4V

• Input rise and fall times: 5ns

• Output load: 1TTL gate+35pF Including scope and jig)

• Reference levels for measuring timing: 1.5V

NOTE:

1. tDF is defined as the time at which the output achieves the open circuit condition and data is no longer driven.

Figure 6.1 READTIMING WAVEFORMS

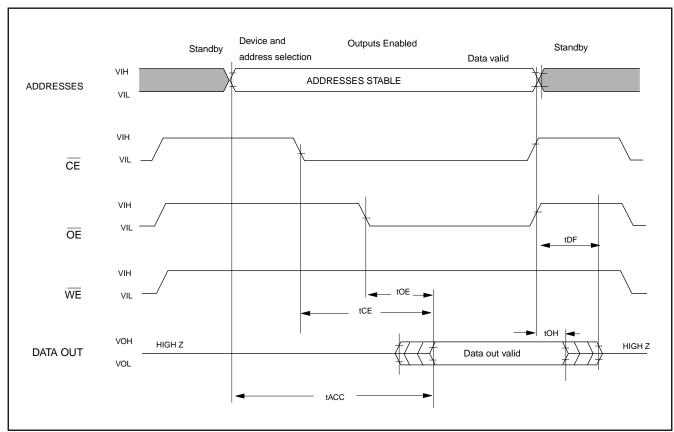
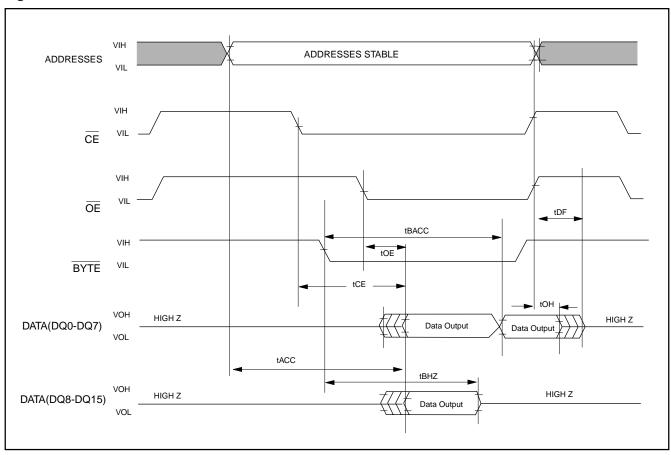




Figure 6.2 BYTE TIMING WAVEFORMS

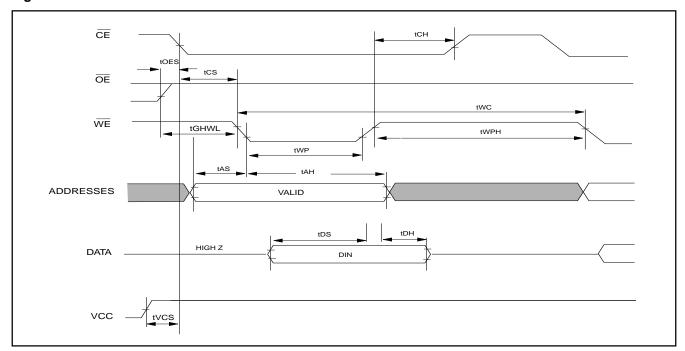




5.3 AC CHARACTERISTICS --- WRITE/ERASE/PROGRAM OPERATIONS

		29L161	0T/B-90	29L1610T/B-12		
SYMBOL	DESCRIPTIONS	MIN.	MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
tWC	Write Cycle Time	90		120		ns
tAS	Address Setup Time	0		0		ns
tAH	Address Hold Time	60		60		ns
tDS	Data Setup Time	50		50		ns
tDH	Data Hold Time	10		10		ns
tOES	Output Enable Setup Time	0		0		ns
tCES	CE Setup Time	0		0		ns
tGHWL	Read Recover Time Before Write	0		0		ns
tCS	CE Setup Time	0		0		ns
tCH	CE Hold Time	0		0		ns
tWP	Write Pulse Width	60		60		ns
tWPH	Write Pulse Width High	40		40		ns
tBALC	Byte Address Load Cycle	0.2	30	0.2	30	us
tBAL	Byte Address Load Time	100		100		us
tSRA	Status Register Access Time	120		150		ns
tCESR	CE Setup before S.R. Read	100		100		ns
tPHWL	RP High Recovery to WE Going Low	1		1		us
tVCS	VCC Setup Time	2		2		us

Figure 7. COMMAND WRITE TIMING WAVEFORMS



NOTE: BYTE pin is treated as Address pin. All timing specifications for BYTE pin are the same as those for address pin.



Figure 8. AUTOMATIC PAGE PROGRAM/WRITE PAGE BUFFER TIMING WAVEFORMS

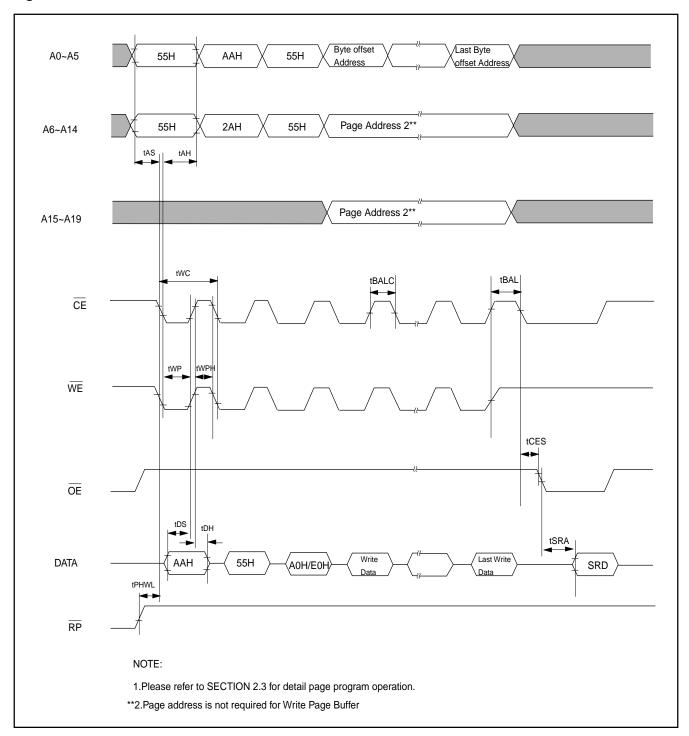
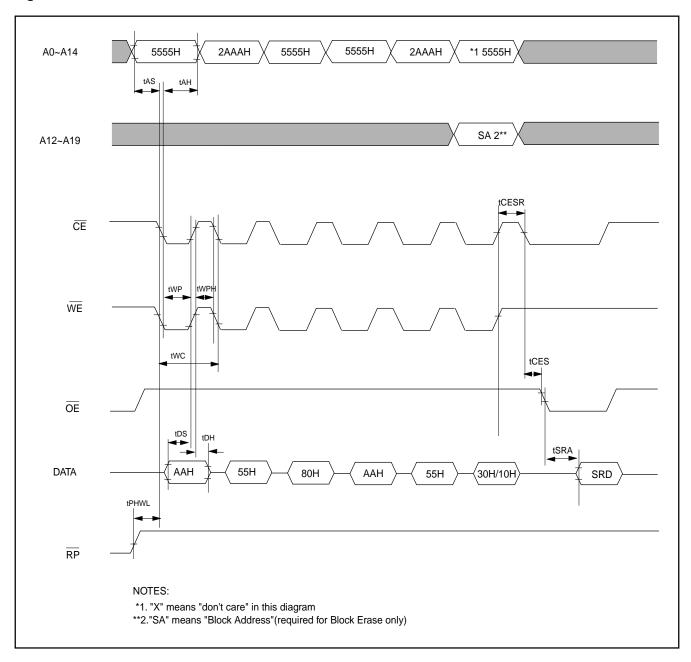




Figure 9. AUTOMATIC BLOCK/CHIP ERASE TIMING WAVEFORMS



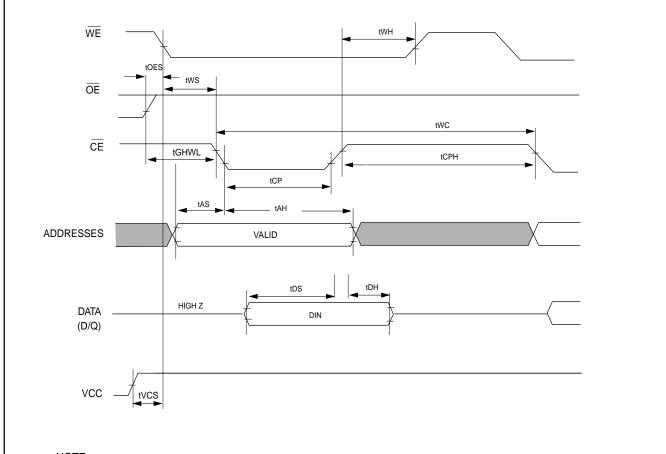


5.4 AC CHARACTERISTICS --- WRITE/ERASE/PROGRAM OPERATIONS (Alternate CE Controlled)

		29L1610T/B-90		29L161	0T/B-12	
SYMBOL	DESCRIPTIONS	MIN.	MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
tWC	Write Cycle Time	120		150		ns
tAS	Address Setup Time	0		0		ns
tAH	Address Hold Time	60		60		ns
tDS	Data Setup Time	50		50		ns
tDH	Data Hold Time	10		10		ns
tOES	Output Enable Setup Time	0		0		ns
tCES	CE Setup Time	0		0		ns
tGHWL	Read Recover TimeBefore Write	0		0		ns
tWS	WE Setup Time	0		0		ns
tWH	WE Hold Time	0		0		ns
tCP	CE Pulse Width	60		60		ns
tCPH	CE Pulse Width High	40		40		ns
tVCS	VCC Setup Time	2		2		uA



Figure 10. COMMAND WRITE TIMING WAVEFORMS(Alternate $\overline{\text{CE}}$ Controlled)

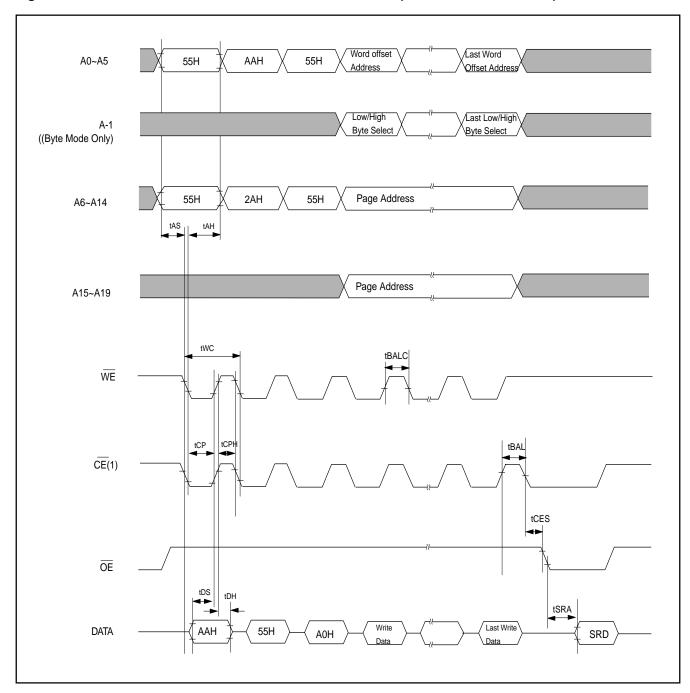


NOTE:

- 1. BYTE pin is treated as Address pin. All timing specifications for BYTE pin are the same as those for address pin.
- 2. <u>BYTE</u> pin is sampled on the falling edge of WE or CE during the 3rd command write bus cycle; for real world applicaton, BYTE oin should be either static high(word mode) or static low(byte mode).



Figure 11. AUTOMATIC PAGE PROGRAM TIMING WAVEFORM(Alternate CE Controlled)





5.5 ERASE AND PROGRAMMING PERFORMANCE

		LIMITS			
PARAMETER	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	
Chip/Sector Erase Time		200		ms	
Page Programming Time		5		ms	
Chip Programming Time		80		sec	
Byte Program Time(average)		40		us	
Erase/Program Cycles	100,000			Cycles	

5.6 LATCHUP CHARACTERISTICS

	MIN.	MAX.
Input Voltage with respect to GND on all pins except I/O pins	-1.0V	6.6V
Input Voltage with respect to GND on all I/O pins	-1.0V	Vcc + 1.0V
Current	-100mA	+100mA
Includes all pins except Vcc. Test conditions: Vcc = 3.3V, one pin at a time.		



REVISION HISTORY

REVISION	DESCRIPTION	PAGE	DATE
0.2	Pin Configuration table is added to RY/BY item Pin out Diagram: CE#> CE. OE#> OE. BYTE#> BYTE	P2	NOV/06/1998



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