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Considerations for FLASH PROMS with Timing Requirements

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Question:

I need to know the minimum time between the rising edge of /RESET and the falling edge of /BMS when EBOOT is high and LBOOT is low. This parameter is important since flash PROMS also have a /RESET input and a minimum timing requirement between the rising edge of /RESET and falling edge of /CS and /OE. I may need to implement an early /RESET for the flash PROM, but until I know how soon the SHARC asserts /BMS, I don't know how much earlier the PROM needs to be reset.

Answer:

The following applies only to the 21060/60L, 21062/62L and 21061/61L:

If the first cycle that RESET is deasserted (goes high) is cycle #1, then BMS will be asserted (go LOW) in cycle #6.

The following applies only to the 21065L:

If the first cycle that RESET is deasserted (goes high) is cycle #1, then BMS will be asserted (go LOW) in cycle #4.

Note: A cycle is defined as a CLKIN cycle. ie: if CLKIN is 30MHz, a cycle is 33.3ns in length.

Attached is a waveform for the 21065L from a digital scope that should help make this clear.



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