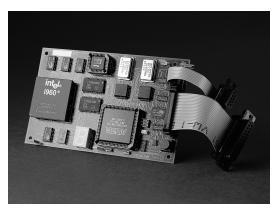
ApLink Debug Tool

PRODUCT OVERVIEW



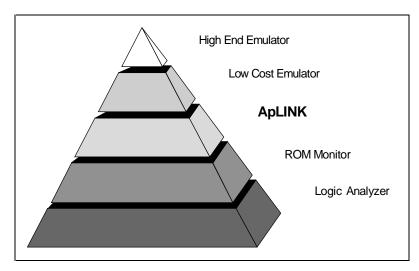
ApLink is a software and hardware debug probe for Intel's family of i960[®] embedded processors. ApLink uses a small PC board that plugs into an application board's CPU socket. The goal behind ApLink is to make i960 processor software development as simple as self-hosted development on a PC or workstation. ApLink accomplishes this by providing the MON960 debug monitor and all associated hardware. Consequently, the user is not required to port software or design specialized hardware into the target system to use the monitor. ApLink allows debugging of even deeply embedded targets, including those that have no communications resources at all. Even for targets that aren't deeply enbedded, ApLink enhances time to market, since no target-specific debugger porting is required.

KEY FEATURES

- Low cost, especially when compared to an in-circuit emulator
- No monitor porting required, MON960 optimizes time to market
- Parallel download port (Centronics compatible) for fast code download
- RS-232 serial port for communications
- Performance measurement capabilities provided by ApLink timers; no target timers required
- ROM emulation memory (128 Kbyte) to support start-up code debugging. No need to burn multiple EPROMS.
- Enables final product debugging without incurring the typical code size costs of

- including a ROM monitor in the production version of the firmware. Field and manufacturing personnel can use ApLink for debugging without increased cost
- Can be used for hardware debugging when target address and data bus, clock, reset, and power supply are functional
- Two timer/counters, one 16 bit and one 32 bit
- Monitor SRAM for data and stack: 128 Kbyte
- Software control of ApLink via control/status registers





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Processor Family

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Processor Family

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Processor Family

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