LPDDR4/LPDDR5 PI Simulation Guide

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PWL Model/CPM Model/Current Profile

 Micron will not provide PWL model, CPM model and current profile to customers.

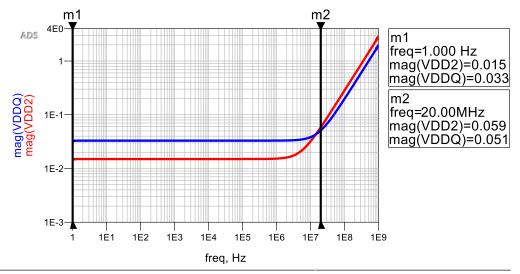


PCB Target Impedance

- Micron will provide PCB target impedance, which is based on loop resistance/inductance between VDD2/VDDQ and VSS from PMIC/regulator output to DRAM package BGA balls.
 - It does not include the DRAM package and silicon die.
 - Not considered PMIC too.
 - Recommend that PDN impedance be as low as possible.
 - The target is per DRAM part number and customer usage. Contact Micron for the target Value.

Parameter	VDD2 (1.1V)	VDDQ (0.6V)
DCR	≤15mΩ	≤33mΩ
Inductance	≤450pH	≤310pH





Target Impedance Example



PI Only Simulation Flow

- 1. The customers can run PI simulation for the PCB only. DRAM package and on-die de-coupling capacitance are not needed.
- 2. Compare the PCB PDN impedance with the target.
- 3. Optimize the PCB PI design until the PCB PDN impedance is lower than the target.



SI/PI Co-simulation

- Micron will provide on-die de-coupling model and package PDN model for I/O voltage(VDDQ).
- The customers should include the on-die de-coupling model and package PDN model for SI/PI co-simulation of read DQ signals.



