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In addition, this amendment also specifies a few changes and enhancements to remove some ambiguities and inconsistencies related to the semantics of power states, power supplies, precedence rules, and location of power management cells. Also the examples in Annex E have been reformatted for clarity.

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# 4. UPF concepts

# 4.4.2.5.1 Explicit and automatic connections

Change the second paragraph to use body text throughout as follows:

An automatic connection connects each supply set function to ports of selected instances, based on the pg\_type of each port, as indicated by the UPF\_pg\_type attribute (see 6.46) or the Liberty pg\_type attribute.

# 5. Language basics

## 5.2 Conventions used

Change the square brackets example in row 8 of Table 1 as follows:

[-ack\_port {port name net name [{boolean expressionlogic value}]]} \*

Change the curly braces explanation in row 10 of Table 1 as follows:

Curly braces ({ }) indicate a parameter list that is required. In some (or even many) cases, they have (or are followed by) an asterisk (\*), which indicates that they can be repeated. If the curly braces are followed by an asterisk ({}\*), it indicates that the option can be repeated. For example, the following shows one or more control ports can be specified for this command:

## 5.4 Boolean expressions

Insert the following paragraph immediately after the third paragraph, which begins "A Boolean expression may also contain...":

In certain commands, logic values X, 0, 1, Z can be specified. These represent values of a predefined logic type in the relevant hardware description language. For VHDL, the predefined logic type is type ieee.std\_logic\_logic\_logic, or any subtype thereof. For SystemVerilog, the predefined logic type is type Logic.

## 5.6 Attributes of objects

Delete the first paragraph and insert new paragraphs as follows:

HDLs include a mechanism for specifying properties of objects. These properties are called *attributes*. Certain UPF properties can be annotated directly in HDL source descriptions using attributes. The semantic for properties specified using HDL attributes is the same as the corresponding behavior defined by the UPF command alternative (see Clause 6). Table 4 enumerates the HDL attributes defined for UPF compliant implementations.

<u>UPF</u> supports the specification of *attributes*, or properties, of objects in a design. These attributes provide information that supports or affects the meaning of related <u>UPF</u> commands. Such attributes can also be defined with <u>HDL</u> attribute specifications in design code or with <u>Liberty</u> attribute specifications in a <u>Liberty</u> model.

<u>Table 4 enumerates the attributes that have a predefined meaning in UPF and for each attribute, the UPF command that can be used to define that attribute.</u>

Change Table 4 column 1 title (including the continuation title on the next page) as follows:

**HDL** attribute name

UPF predefined attribute name

## Change the second paragraph as follows:

The HDL attributes in Table 4 all take values that are string literals. Where a list of names is required, the names in the list should be separated by spaces and without enclosing braces ({}).

These attributes can also be specified using the attribute mechanism in SystemVerilog code or using attribute specifications in VHDL code. To attach a UPF attribute to an object in a VHDL context, the UPF attribute shall be declared first, with a data type of STD.Standard.String (or the equivalent), before any attribute specification for that attribute.

For determination of precedence (see 5.8), attributes specified in HDL code are treated as if they were implicitly specified using the UPF command set <u>port</u> <u>attributes -model -ports</u> (for port attributes) or the UPF command set <u>design attributes -models</u> (for design attributes).

# Insert the following paragraphs immediately after the second paragraph:

Some of these attributes may also be implied by attributes in a Liberty model. Specifically, the following Liberty attributes imply definition of the corresponding UPF predefined attribute:

Liberty attribute name in	nplies	UPF predefined attribute name
pg_type		UPF_pg_type
related_power_pin		UPF_related_power_port
related_ground_pin		UPF_related_ground_port
related_bias_pins		UPF_related_bias_ports
short		UPF_feedthrough
is macro cell		UPF is macro cell

For determination of precedence (see <u>5.8</u>), attributes specified in Liberty models are treated as if the corresponding UPF attribute name were implicitly specified using the UPF command **set\_port\_attributes -model -ports** (for port attributes) or the UPF command **set\_design\_attributes -models** (for design attributes).

Certain attributes represent characteristics of a module or cell that apply universally to all instances of that module or cell. Such attributes are called characteristic attributes. The following predefined attributes are always characteristic attributes:

```
UPF_feedthrough
UPF_unconnected
UPF_is_macro_cell
UPF_retention
```

In addition, any attribute specified either explicitly or implicitly with set\_port\_attributes -model or set\_design\_attributes -models is a characteristic attribute, except for the following:

```
UPF_pg_type
UPF_related_power_port
UPF_related_ground_port
UPF_related_bias_ports
```

Non-characteristic attributes are overridable as specified by the precedence rules for attribute specifications (see <u>5.8</u>). Characteristic attributes are non-overridable.

NOTE—The above definitions imply that, other than the four specific exceptions listed above, any attribute derived from a Liberty attribute or specified in an HDL model cannot be overridden by a higher precedence attribute specification in UPF (see <u>5.8</u>).

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Change the "Equivalent UPF command arguments" for "UPF\_retention" in row 12 of Table 4 as follows:

```
set_retention_elements - retention_purpose
set design attributes - attribute {UPF retention required}
set design attributes - attribute {UPF retention optional}
```

Change the "Equivalent UPF command arguments" for "UPF\_simstate\_behavior" in row 13 of Table 4 as follows:

```
set_simstate_behavior
set design attributes -attribute {UPF simstate behavior ENABLE}
set design attributes -attribute {UPF simstate behavior DISABLE}
```

Change the attribute name in the example below the third paragraph as follows:

```
Attribute name: UPF_related_bias_pinports
```

Change the last paragraph in the example showing the attribution of elements requiring retention as follows:

The same attribute can be specified in UPF, using the <u>set\_retention\_elements</u> <u>set\_design\_attributes</u> command <u>and its specific option\_retention\_purpose</u> (see 6.51). (see 6.37).

## 5.8 Precedence

Change the precedence criteria in the third paragraph to insert item d) and item e) as follows and reletter accordingly:

- a) Command that applies to part of a multi-bit port specified explicitly by name
- b) Command that applies to a whole port specified explicitly by name
- c) Command that applies to all ports of an instance specified explicitly by name
- d) Command that applies to a port of a specified power domain with a given sink and source
- e) Command that applies to a port of a specified power domain with a given sink or source
- f) Command that applies to all ports of a specified power domain with a given direction
- g) Command that applies to all ports of a specified power domain

## Change the sixth paragraph as follows:

- h) Command that automatically connects to ports of an instance (e.g., connect supply set -connect -elements)
- i) Command that automatically connects to ports of any instance in a given region (e.g., connect\_supply\_set -connect or connect\_supply\_net -pg type -domain/-cells/-elements)

## Change the eighth paragraph as follows and reletter the ordered list accordingly:

For attribute specifications, there is no definition of precedence to select which of several potentially applicable specifications apply. It is an error if any two UPF, HDL, or Liberty attribute specifications provide different values for the same attribute of the same object.

If multiple set port attributes commands potentially specify the same overridable attribute of a given port, whether specified explicitly in UPF or implied by HDL or Liberty attribute specifications, only the command(s) with the highest precedence will actually apply. The following criteria (listed in order from highest precedence to lowest precedence) determine the relative precedence of the commands.

## The command references

- a) A part of the given port, specified explicitly by name in the -ports list (without -model)
- b) The whole given port, specified explicitly by name in the -ports list (without -model)
- c) The given port, implied by specifying an instance name in the **-elements** list with a given direction
- d) The given port, implied by specifying an instance name in the **-elements** list
- e) A part of the given port of the named module or library cell, specified explicitly by name in the -ports list (with -model)
- f) The whole given port of the named module or library cell, specified explicitly by name in the **-ports** list (with **-model**)
- g) The given port of the instance corresponding to the current scope if none of the options **-ports**, **-elements**, **-model** are present

It is an error if the precedence rules fail to uniquely identify the value of the UPF attribute that applies to a port. In other words, it is an error if two UPF attribute specifications with the same highest precedence specify different values for the same attribute of the same port.

It is an error if a non-overridable attribute is specified with two different values for the same object, regardless of the precedence rules for attribute specifications.

## 5.11 Command refinement

## Change the example as follows:

b) Logical configuration

```
set_isolation demo_strategy -domain pda
    -elements {a b c d}
    -clamp value {0}
    -isolation_signal {iso_en}
    -isolation sense {LOW}
```

## 6. Power intent commands

## 6.3 add\_port\_state [legacy]

Change the second paragraph as follows:

The add port state command adds state information to a supply port. If the voltage values are specified,

the supply net state is **FULL\_ON** and the voltage value is the single nominal value or within the range of min to max; otherwise, if **off** is specified, the <del>voltage value</del> supply net state is **OFF**.

# 6.4 add\_power\_state

## Change restriction l) as follows:

If a logic expression is used to define a power state of a given power domain, it shall only refer to logic ports, logic nets, interval functions, power states of supply sets or supply set handles, and/or power states of other power domains. It is an error if such a logic expression refers to supply ports, supply nets, or functions of a supply set or supply set handle.

# Insert the following additional restriction:

w) It is an error if a logic expression used to define a given power state contains a direct or indirect reference to that same state.

Change the logic expression on line 3 of the syntax example to add the curly braces as follows:

```
-logic_expr \{SW_ON\} -simstate NORMAL
```

# 6.7 associate\_supply\_set

## Change item d) as follows:

d) The predefined supply set handles for a level-shifter strategy *level\_shifter\_name* (see <u>6.43</u>) are *domain\_name.level\_shifter\_name.*input\_supply\_set and *domain\_name.level\_shifter\_name.*output\_supply\_set.

## Change item e) as follows:

e) The predefined supply set handle for a retention strategy *retention\_name* (see <u>6.49</u>) is *domain name.retention name.retention supply set*.

## 6.11 connect\_supply\_net

Change the pg type argument in both the syntax table summary and argument list as follows:

```
[-pg type {pg type list element list}]*
```

## Insert the following option:

[-elements element list] The list of instance names.

## Insert the following to the "Use the following:" list

**-elements** to connect all pins of the appropriate type (power or ground) on the specified instances.

# Insert the following to the "The following also apply:" list as follows:

— If -ports is not specified, -pg\_type and one or more of -cells, -domains, and -elements must be specified.

## Change the fourth bullet in the "The following also apply:" list as follows:

— The **-ports** option is mutually exclusive with the **-cells**, **-domain**, **-elements**, and **-pg\_type** options.

# 6.12 connect\_supply\_set

## Change item c) as follows:

c) When *supply\_set\_ref* refers to a handle associated with a domain and <u>-elements is not specified in the base command or any update then the aggregate\_element\_list is empty</u>, all elements in the extent of the domain are added to the *aggregate\_element\_list*.

# 6.17 create\_power\_domain

## Change the last sentence of the eleventh paragraph as follows:

However, the primary supply set shall not be implicitly connected when any either of the following apply:

## Delete the following list item from the eleventh paragraph:

e) An instance is created as a result of a UPF command, e.g., isolation cells, level shifters, power switches, and retention registers.

## 6.18 create power switch

## Change the definition of the output supply port argument in the syntax table as follows:

The output supply port of the switch and, optionally, the <u>supply</u> net where this port connects. <u>supply\_net\_name</u> is a rooted name of a supply net or supply port. It shall be an error if the <u>supply\_net\_name</u> is not defined in the current scope.

Replace the syntax definition of -instance in the summary section of the syntax table with the following:

[-instance instance list]

Replace the syntax definition of -instance in the argument definition section of the syntax table with the following:

-instance instance list

## Change the third sentence of the fifth paragraph as follows:

If not specified explicitly, the *off\_state* expression defaults to the complement of the <del>conjunction</del> disjunction of all the *on state*, *on partial state*, and *error state* expressions defined for the power switch.

## Change the sixth and seventh paragraphs as follows:

A contributing input supply port is one that has an *on\_state* expression or *on\_partial\_state* expression that evaluates to *True* at a given time. The contributed value of a contributing input supply port is the value of the supply source connected to that input supply port. The degraded value of a contributing input supply port is the contributed value, except that if the contributed value's net state is **FULL\_ON**, the degraded value's net state is **PARTIAL\_ON**.

An on\_state or on\_partial\_state specification for a power switch contributes a value to the computation of the power switch output port's value at any given time. If an on\_state or on\_partial\_state Boolean expression for a given input supply port refers to an object with an unknown (X or Z) value, and that input supply port has a net state other than OFF, then the contributed value is {UNDETERMINED, unspecified}. If an on\_state Boolean expression for a given input supply port evaluates to True, then the contributed value is the value of that input supply port. If an on\_partial\_state Boolean expression for a given input supply port evaluates to True, then the contributed value is the degraded value of that input supply port. The degraded value of an input supply port is the value of that port, except that if the port value's net state is FULL ON, the degraded value's net state is PARTIAL ON.

The value of the output supply port of a power switch is determined as follows. At any given time:

- a) The output supply takes on the value {UNDETERMINED, unspecified} if
  - 1) any error state condition is True, or
  - 2) an explicit off state condition and any on state or on partial state condition are both True, or
  - 3) any input supply port's contributed value has a net state of UNDETERMINED, or
  - 4) any two input supply ports' contributed values have different voltage values.
- b) Otherwise, the switch output takes on <u>any contributed value</u> the <u>contributed value of any contributing</u> input supply port whose net state is **FULL\_ON**, if there is one.
- c) Otherwise, the switch output takes on <u>any contributed value</u> the degraded value of any contributing input supply port whose net state is **PARTIAL ON**, if there is one.
- d) Otherwise, the switch takes on the value {**OFF**, unspecified}.

# Change the eleventh paragraph as follows:

If -supply\_set is specified for a switch, it powers logic or timing control circuitry within the switch. and powers any specified -ack\_ports. When the supply set simstate is anything other than NORMAL, the state of the output supply port of a switch is UNDETERMINED and the acknowledge ports are corrupted. If a supply set is not associated with a switch, it shall be an error if any acknowledge ports are specified. then the following shall apply:

- It shall be an error if any acknowledge ports are specified.
- The receiving supply of the control ports will be undefined.

Change the -ack\_port parameters in second example in "Example 2—Two-stage switch" as follows:

-ack port {ts ack "" 1}

# 6.20 create\_supply\_net

Change the second paragraph as follows:

If **-domain** is specified, the supply net is created in the scope of that <u>domain for use in the extent of the domain</u>, subject to the <u>supply availability defined by the **-available supplies** option of the relevant <u>create power domain command</u> (see 6.17). , and the supply net is available for use by tools to power cells only in the extent of the domain.</u>

Delete the following note:

NOTE—Use set\_scope (see <u>6.52</u>) to change the scope prior to calling this command to set the current scope to the correct scope for the net.

# 6.21 create\_supply\_port

Change the first sentence of the third paragraph as follows:

Supply ports with direction **inout** shall be used to connect resolved supply nets (see 9.1).connected to a net shall be **inout** for supply nets that have both loads and sources within that module.

# 6.24 describe\_state\_transition

Change the fifth paragraph as follows:

It shall be an error if the state name in a *list* does not refer to a power state of the specified supply <u>set</u> state or power domain (see 6.4).

# 6.26 find\_objects

Change the second paragraph as follows:

By default, or if **-transitive FALSE** is specified explicitly, **find\_objects** searches only the <u>current specified</u> scope of the logic hierarchy. If **-transitive TRUE** is specified, **find\_objects** searches the <u>current specified</u> scope and <u>the its</u> entire <u>dependant descendant</u> subtree. If **-transitive** is specified without an argument, it is equivalent to specifying **-transitive TRUE**.

# 6.26.1 Pattern matching and wildcarding

# Insert the following notes at the end of this subclause:

NOTE 1—Some characters used as operators in either glob-style or regular expression style *search\_patterns*, such as [], \, and {}, also have meaning for Tcl in general. To ensure that such characters are not interpreted by the Tcl processor, the whole pattern can be enclosed in curly braces. This inhibits variable, command, and backslash substitution within the pattern by the Tcl processor (see 5.3.4).

NOTE 2—Square brackets used within a *search pattern* will be interpreted as indicating a set of characters, any of which will match a single character in a name. To use square brackets to refer to one or more bits of a bus, the square brackets must be escaped. For example, B[3] refers to B[3]. The two interpretations of square brackets can also be used in combination. For example, B[1-3] refers to B[1], B[2], B[3].

# 6.26.2 Wildcarding examples

Delete both NOTE 1 and NOTE 2.

# Insert the following after Table 5:

In particular, to return individual bus bits, instead of a bus name, the *search\_pattern* pattern shall explicitly contain escaped brackets \[ and \]. For example, for a design with the following objects:

```
xyz1 ..... a single bit net
xyz2[3:0] .... a four-bit bus
xyz[1:0] ..... a two-bit bus
```

<u>Table 5a</u> shows the return value for each of the following examples of **find\_objects**.

```
find_objects top -pattern xyz*
find_objects top -pattern xyz
find_objects top -pattern {xyz*\[*\]}
find_objects top -pattern {xyz\[*\]}
find_objects top -pattern {xyz*\[0\]}
```

## Table 5a—Bus patterns and return values

xyz*	Returns bus/single-bit net names only: xyz1 xyz2 xyz	
xyz	Returns the bus xyz only (no wild card)	
xyz*\[*\]	Returns individual bus bits: xyz2[3] xyz2[2] xyz2[1] xyz2[0] xyz[1] xyz[0]	
xyz\[*\]	Returns individual bus bits: xyz[1] xyz[0]	
xyz*\[0\]	Returns individual bus bits: xyz2[0] xyz[0]	

# 6.28 load\_upf

# Change the syntax table as follows:

Purpose	Set the scope to the specified instance and execute the specified UPF commands	
Syntax	load_upf upf_file_name [-scope instance_name_list]	
	<pre>upf_file_name</pre>	
Arguments	-scope instance_name_list  The list of scopes where the UPF commands contained in upf_f are executed.	île_name
	<u>-version upf_version</u> The UPF version for which commands in this file are written. S	ee also <u>6.54</u> .
Deprecated arguments	[-version upf_version] This argument is ignored and provided for syntactic backward compatibility only. This is a deprecated option; see also 6.1 and	d Annex D.
Return value	Return an empty string if successful or raise a TCL_ERROR if not.	

# Delete the fifth paragraph as follows:

If -version upf\_version is specified, the command

is implicitly executed before executing the commands in the loaded file.

# Change the syntax example as follows:

# 6.29 load\_upf\_protected

Change the syntax table as follows:

Purpose	Load a UPF file in a protected environment that prevents corruption of existing variables		
Syntax	load_upf_protected upf_file_name   [-hide_globals] [-scope instance_name_list]   <del>[version upf_version]</del> [-params param_list]		
	upf_file_name	The UPF file be sourced.	
	-hide_globals	Save all globals before sourcing <i>upf_file_name</i> and restore them afterwards. Globals named in the <i>param_list</i> retain any modified values resulting from sourcing the file. Any globals not in the <i>param_list</i> shall be unset before <i>upf_file_name</i> is loaded. Any globals created in the sourced file, other than the ones named in <i>param_list</i> , are unset at the end of loading.	
	-scope instance_name_list	The list of scopes where the UPF commands contained in <i>upf_file_name</i> are executed.	
Arguments	-version upf_version	The UPF version for which commands in this file are written. See also <u>6.54</u> .	
	-params param_list	A list of variables to be made available while sourcing the file. In param_list, each element has one of the following formats:  a) param_name — declared as "global \$paramName". Any changes made to this variable are visible at the calling level once this command completes.  b) {param_name param_value} — a local variable param_name is created and its initial value is set to param_value.  The Tcl variable errorInfo shall behave as if it has been specified in this list.	
Deprecated arguments	[-version upf_version]	This argument is ignored and provided for syntactic backward compatibility only. This is a deprecated option; see also 6.1 and Annex D.	
Return value	Return an empty string	if successful or raise a TCL_ERROR if not.	

# Delete the fourth paragraph as follows:

If version upf\_version is specified, the command

is implicitly executed before executing the commands in the loaded file.

# Change the syntax example as follows:

load\_upf\_protected my.upf -hide\_globals -version 2.0

## 6.40 set equivalent

Change the path names in the syntax example to remove the leading "/" as follows:

```
set_equivalent -function_only -sets { \( \neg \) sys/aon_ss \( \neg \) mem/PD1.core_ssh \( \neg \)
```

# 6.41 set isolation

Change the definition of clamp value in the syntax table to remove the default as follows:

The value(s) that the isolation cell can drive. The default is 0.

Change paragraph 21 as follows:

If two or more isolation strategies apply to the same port on the interface of a power domain, such that multiple isolation cells need to be isolation cell insertion is inferred for different paths from that a port to a receiving domain, the **-location** specified explicitly or implicitly for each of those strategies by the strategy shall be such that the various isolation cell(s) can be inserted without splitting the port into multiple ports. It shall be an error if multiple isolation strategies for the same an isolation strategy for a port cannot be implemented without duplicating the port.

Change paragraph 24 as follows:

If **-clamp\_value** is not specified, it defaults to 0. It is an error if **-clamp\_value** is not specified.

Change the first sentence of paragraph 28 as follows:

**-isolation\_supply\_set** specifies the supply set(s) that shall be used to power the inferred isolation cell, including the logic receiving the isolation signal(s).

# 6.43 set\_level\_shifter

Change the first sentence of paragraph 23 as follows:

**-input\_supply\_set** specifies the supply set connected to input supply ports of the level-shifter (see <u>7.4</u>).

Change the first sentence of paragraph 24 as follows:

**-output\_supply\_set** specifies the supply set connected to the output supply ports of the level-shifter (see 7.4).

# 6.44 set\_partial\_on\_translation

Change the first paragraph as follows:

This command defines the translation of PARTIAL\_ON to FULL\_ON or OFF for purposes of evaluating the power state of supply sets and power domains. The state of a supply set is evaluated after PARTIAL\_ON is translated to FULL\_ON or OFF for each supply net in the set.

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This command causes translation of PARTIAL ON to FULL ON or OFF, as specified by the command argument, for purposes of evaluating the power state of supply sets and power domains. If this command is executed in a given run, the state of a supply set is evaluated after PARTIAL ON is translated to FULL ON or OFF for each supply net in the set. If this command is not executed in a given run, no translation of PARTIAL ON is performed.

# 6.46 set\_port\_attributes

Change the definition of "-ports" in the syntax table as follows:

A list of simple names (if used with -model) or rooted names (otherwise) of ports to be attributed.

# Change the third paragraph as follows:

The set of ports attributed is determined as follows:

- a) A set of candidate ports is first identified. This set includes the following:
  - 1) If **-elements** is specified, all ports of each instance named in the elements list are included in the candidate set, including any logic ports inferred from **create\_logic\_port** (see <u>6.16</u>), but excluding any supply ports.
  - 2) If **-ports** is specified, each port named in the ports list is included in the candidate set.
  - 3) If **-model** is specified and **-ports** is also specified, each port of the named module or library cell named in the ports list is included in the candidate set.
  - 4) If none of the options **-ports**, **-elements**, **-model** are present, every port of the instance corresponding to the current scope is included in the candidate set, including any logic ports inferred from create logic port (see 6.16), but excluding any supply ports.
- b) The candidate set is then restricted to those ports that satisfy any filters specified. A port is removed from the candidate set if:
  - 1) The port name appears in the **-exclude\_ports** list.
  - 2) The port is a port on an instance named in the **-exclude elements** list.
  - 3) The port direction is not consistent with the direction identified by the **-applies to** option.
- c) The resulting restricted set is the <u>final candidate</u> set of ports to be attributed.

If a given port is included in the final candidate set of ports of more than one set <u>port</u> attribute command, the precedence rules (see 5.8) determine which of those set <u>port</u> attribute commands actually apply to that port.

## Change the fourth paragraph as follows:

If **-model** is specified, the port attributes are applied to the selected ports of each instance of the model. In this case, only <u>simple</u> names that are declared in the model may be referenced in arguments to this command and all names are interpreted relative to the topmost scope of the model. <u>If **-model** is not specified</u>, the port attributes are applied to the selected instance ports. In this case, only rooted names of

instance ports may be referenced in this command, and all such names are interpreted relative to the current scope.

Change the first sentence of the fifth paragraph as follows:

-model and -ports -attribute can be used together to specify attributes for ports of a hard IP.

Insert the following additional errors to "The following also apply" list:

- It shall be an error if **-ports** is specified and **-elements** is also specified.
- It shall be an error if attribute <u>UPF driver supply</u> or <u>UPF receiver supply</u> is specifed for a hard macro port that also has the attribute <u>UPF unconnected</u> associated with it.

## 6.48 set\_repeater

Change the syntax table as follows:

[-exclude elements exclude list]

# 6.49 set\_retention

Change the color of the -transitive option in the syntax table as follows:

```
[<u>transitive</u> [<TRUE | FALSE>]]
[-transitive [<TRUE | FALSE>]]
```

Remove the -transitive option from the Arguments section of the syntax table.

Insert the following to the Legacy Arguments section of the syntax table:

```
-transitive <TRUE|FALSE> When -transitive is TRUE (the default), the command applies to the descendants of the elements.

This is a deprecated option; see also 6.1 and Annex D.
```

Change the color of the hyphen in the -update option in the syntax table as follows:

```
[_update]
```

Change the fourth paragraph as follows:

-retention\_supply\_set powers the register holding the retained value.

**retention supply set** specifies the supply set that shall be used to power the state element holding the retained value, as well as the control logic, if any, that evaluates the **-save condition**, **-restore condition**, and **-retention condition**. The supply set specified by **-retention supply set** is implicitly connected to the retention logic inferred by this command. If **-retention supply set** is not specified, the **-default retention** supply of the power domain for which the retention strategy is defined is used as the retention supply. For example, if **set retention** is specified for a domain PD and **-retention supply set** is not specified, then **PD.default retention** is used.

## Change the ninth paragraph as follows:

**-retention\_condition** defines the retention behavior of the retention element—while the primary supply is not NORMAL. If the retention condition evaluates to FALSE and the primary supply is not NORMAL the retained value of the register is corrupted. The receiving supply of any pin listed in the **-retention\_condition** shall be assumed to be at least as on as the retention supply of the retention strategy.

## Delete the eleventh paragraph and insert a new paragraph as follows:

-use\_retention\_as\_primary powers the storage element and the output drivers of the register using the retention supply. The result of this is the simstate for the retention supply set is applied to the register's output. Inferred state elements shall be consistent with the use retention as primary constraint.

The normal mode storage element of the retention register is powered by the primary supply of the domain, therefore the receiver supply of the retention register's data input is the primary supply. By default, the output driver of the retention register is also powered by the primary supply of the domain, in which case the driver supply of the retention register output is the primary supply. However, if -use retention as primary is specified, the retention supply powers the output driver of the register instead, and the driver supply of the data output of the retention register is therefore the retention supply. In the latter case, the simstate for the retention supply set is applied to the register's output. Inferred state elements shall be consistent with the -use retention as primary constraint.

# 6.51 set\_retention\_elements

## Change the first paragraph as follows:

The **set\_retention\_elements** command defines a<del>n "atomic"</del> list of objects whose state shall be retained or not retained together by the **set\_retention** and **map\_retention cell** commands (see <u>6.49</u> and <u>6.33</u>).

## Change the third paragraph as follows:

-applies\_to filters the *effective\_element\_list*, removing any elements that do not have a <u>UPF\_retention</u> attribute value are not consistent with the selected filter choice: required, <u>optional</u>, not\_required, or not optional, not\_required, or optional, as follows:

<u>Filter choice</u> required <u>matches</u> removes all elements that <u>do not</u> have the **UPF\_retention** attribute value required.

<u>Filter choice</u> optional matches <u>removes</u> all elements that <u>do not</u> have the <u>UPF\_retention</u> attribute value optional.

<u>Filter choice</u> **not\_required** <u>matches</u> <u>removes</u> all elements that do <del>not</del> have the **UPF\_retention** attribute value required.

<u>Filter choice</u> **not\_optional** <u>matches</u> <u>removes</u> all elements that do <del>not</del> have the **UPF\_retention** attribute value optional.

# 6.54 upf version

Change the first paragraph as follows:

The **upf\_version** command returns a string value representing the UPF version currently being used by the tool reading the UPF file. When the UPF version defined by this standard is being used, the returned value shall be the string "2.\(\pm\)2". **upf\_version** may also include an argument that documents the UPF version for which the UPF commands that follow were written. For UPF commands intended to be interpreted according to the UPF version defined by this standard, the argument shall be the string "2.\(\pm\)2".

Change syntax example as follows:

```
upf version 2.12
```

# 6.55 use\_interface\_cell

Change the syntax example to insert the -lib cells argument as follows:

# 7. Power management cell commands

# 7.2 define\_always\_on\_cell

Change the definition of -power and -ground in the syntax table summary as follows:

```
-power power_pin
-ground ground pin
```

Change the definition of -power and -ground in the syntax table arguments as follows:

```
-power power_pin
-ground ground_pin
```

# 7.4 define\_isolation\_cell

Change the definition of -power and -ground in the syntax table summary as follows:

```
-ground powerground pin
```

Change the definition of -power and -ground in the syntax table arguments as follows:

```
-ground powerground pin
```

# 7.5 define level shifter cell

Change the first sentence of the -pin groups definition in the syntax table as follows:

Specifies a list of input-output paths for multi-bit isolation level-shifter cells

## 9. Simulation semantics

# 9.1 Supply network creation

Change the first sentence in the fifth paragraph as follows:

If a supply net is connected to a HDL port of a single bit type, a default VCT that maps the **FULL\_ON** state to logic 1 and the **FULL\_OFF** state to logic 0 shall be inserted automatically.

# 9.2 Supply network simulation

#### 9.2.2 Power-switch evaluation

Delete the first paragraph and insert a new paragraph as follows:

During simulation, a power switch created with create\_power\_switch corresponds to a process that is sensitive to changes in its input port (net state and voltage value), as well as its control ports. [A general introduction to power switch behavior is described here (see 6.18 for the complete power switch semantics).] Whenever the signals on the control ports change, the corresponding on state Boolean functions are evaluated. If an on state function evaluates *True*, the switch is closed, which causes the state of its input port to propagate to the output port (or for a multiplexed switch, the corresponding input is switched to the output), otherwise the switch is opened—the output supply port is assigned the state OFF and the voltage value is unspecified. If any of the control signals is X or Z, the input supply port is UNDETERMINED, the control signals match one of the error state Boolean functions, or more than one on state function evaluates *True*, then the behavior of the output supply port is assigned the state UNDETERMINED, the voltage level shall be unspecified, and the acknowledge ports shall be driven X; in this case, implementations may issue a warning or an error.

During simulation, a power switch created with **create power switch** corresponds to a process that is sensitive to changes in its input port (net state and voltage value), as well as the signals referenced in the Boolean expressions that define its control inputs. Whenever the input supply ports or control signals change, the corresponding on-state, on-partial-state, off-state, and error-state Boolean functions are evaluated and the value of the power switch output port is recomputed. See 6.18 **create\_power\_switch** for the algorithm used to determine the output value of the switch.

Delete the Example starting on page 156, up to but not including 9.2.3.

# 9.3 Power state simulation

## 9.3.2 Power state determination

Change the pseudo code for determining the power state of a supply set as follows:

```
else (PS has both a logic expression and a supply expression)
   if the logic expression is True, then
        CPS = CPS + {PS}
    if the supply expression is False, then
        Error: Supply status insufficient to support power state
   end
   if both the logic expression and the supply expression are True, then
        CPS = CPS + {PS}
   end
end
```

## 9.6 Simulation of retention

# 9.6.2 Retention modeling for different retention styles

Change the font in the state definition in the second row of Table 9 as follows (from Times New Roman to Courier New):

```
RETAIN-ON/RETAIN-OFF RETAIN-ON/RETAIN-OFF
```

## 9.7 Simulation of isolation

# Replace the entirety of this subclause with the following:

The simulation semantics for isolation are defined by the following algorithm, unless a specific simulation model is specified for a given instance by a **use interface cell** command (see 6.55):

For a single-stage isolation cell with **isolation\_sense** high and a **clamp\_value** of **0**, **1**, **Z** from a predefined logic type (see 5.4), or any value of a user-defined datatype:

```
on any input change,
  if the current simstate of the isolation supply set is NORMAL, then
   if isolation_signal == 0 then
        data_output = data_input;
   else if isolation_signal == 1 then
        data_output = clamp_value;
   else /* isolation_signal has an unknown value */
        data_output = corrupted value;
   end
  else /* the isolation supply set is in a non-NORMAL state */
        data_output = corrupted value;
   end;
```

where the corrupted value is X from the predefined logic type for a 1-bit port of that type, an array of X values for a port that is an array with elements of that type, and the leftmost value of the relevant data type for any port that is of a user-defined datatype. For an isolation cell with **isolation\_sense** low, the isolation signal values 0 and 1 would be interchanged.

For a single-stage isolation cell with isolation\_sense high and a clamp\_value of latch:

```
on any input change,
  if the current simstate of the isolation supply set is NORMAL, then
   if isolation_signal == 0 then
        data_output = data_input;
        latched_value = data_input;
        else if isolation_signal == 1 then
            data_output = latched_value;
        else /* isolation_signal has an unknown value */
            data_output = corrupted value;
        latched_value = corrupted value;
        end
   else /* the isolation supply set is in a non-NORMAL state */
        data_output = corrupted value;
        latched_value = corrupted value;
        latched_value = corrupted value;
   end;
```

For a multi-stage isolation cell with N stages, each stage is simulated as given above, and the multiple stages are composed as follows:

```
isolation_stage[1].input = data_input;
isolation_stage[1].isolation_supply_set = isolation_supply_set[1];
isolation_stage[1].isolation_signal = isolation_signal[1];
for each stage K in 2 to N,
   isolation_stage[K].input = isolation_stage[K-1].output;
   isolation_stage[K].isolation_supply_set = isolation_supply_set[K];
   isolation_stage[K].isolation_signal = isolation_signal[K];
end;
data_output = isolation_stage[N].output;
```

# 9.8 Simulation of level-shifting

## Replace the entirety of this subclause with the following:

The simulation semantics for level shifting are defined by the following algorithm, unless a specific simulation model is specified for a given instance by a **use interface cell** command (see 6.55):

```
on any input change,
  if the current simstate of any level shifter supply set \
     is not NORMAL, then
    data_output = corrupted value;
else
    data_output = data_input;
end;
```

where the corrupted value is as defined in 9.7.

Change the title of 9.9 to be plural as follows:

# 9.9 Simulation of repeaters

# Replace the entirety of this subclause with the following:

The simulation semantics for repeaters are defined by the following algorithm:

```
on any input change,
  if the current simstate of the repeater_supply_set \
      is not NORMAL, then
      data_output = corrupted value;
  else
      data_output = data_input;
  end;
```

where the corrupted value is as defined in 9.7.

## Annex C

(normative)

# Queries

# C.26 query\_power\_state

Change the second paragraph to remove the back tick and comma from the power state definitions as follows:

-detailed returns all the parameters of the specified power state  $state\_name$  as a Tcl list consisting of  $\{key\ value\}$  pairs. For example, if a legal state called LPS on the supply set PDA\_SUPPLY has the -supply\_expr condition  $\{power == \frac{\Delta}{FULL\_ON_T} \ 0.8\}$  and the -logic\_expr condition  $\{u1/PdA == GO\_MODE\}$ , then the -detailed option returns the following:

```
{state_name LPS} {object_name PDA_SUPPLY} {supply_expr {power == ^{FULL_ON_{7}} 0.8}} {logic_expr {u1/PdA == GO_MODE}} {legal 1} {illegal 0} {simstate {}}
```

Change the third paragraph to remove the back tick and comma from the power state definition as follows:

Without the **-detailed** option, the format of the returned parameters shall be in the format of the corresponding **add power state** command, i.e.,

```
add_power_state PDA_RET
   -state {LPS
   -supply_expr {power == \(^{\text{FULL_ON_7}}\) 0.8}}
   -logic_expr {u1/PdA == GO_MODE}
   -legal}
```

# Annex D

(normative)

# Replacing deprecated and legacy commands and options

# D.1 Deprecated and legacy constructs

Insert the following new subclauses:

# D.1.1.3.a 6.28

```
load_upf upf_file_name
...
[-version upf_version] (This is a deprecated option.)
```

# D.1.1.3.b 6.29

```
load_upf_protected upf_file_name
...
[-version upf_version] (This is a deprecated option.)
```

# D.1.2.6 6.49

Insert the following line to set retention

[-transitive [<TRUE|FALSE>]] (This is a deprecated option.)

# Annex E

(informative)

# Low-power design methodology

# E.1 Design, implementation, and verification flow for a soft IP

Replace Figure E.1 with the following figure:

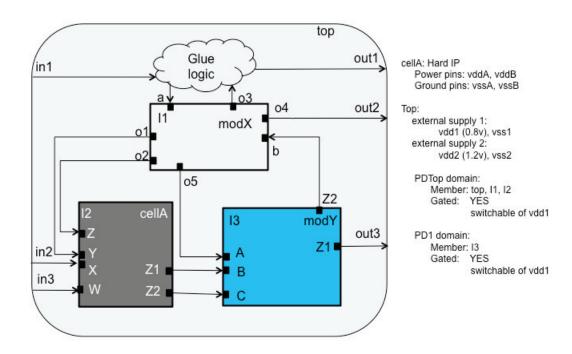


Figure E.1—Simple soft IP design

# E.2.1 UPF modeling for a hard IP

Replace the entire example code with the following:

```
# Start of hard IP UPF, assume file name is cellA.upf
begin_power_model upf_macroA \
   -for {cellA}

# Section 1: define the interfaces of hard IP power model
create_power_domain PD \
   -elements {.} \
```

```
-supply {SSAH} \
 -supply {SSBH} \
-supply {SSBH SW}
# Section 2: associate the interface supplies to boundary supply ports
# or internally generated supplies
create supply set PD.SSAH \
-update \
 -function {power vddA} \
-function {ground vssA}
create supply set PD.SSBH \
 -update \
-function {power vddB} \
-function {ground vssB}
# special handle for internally generated supply
create supply net vddB int
create supply set PD.SSBH SW \
-update \
-function {power vddB int} \
 -function {ground vssB}
create power switch internal sw \
-output supply port {out SSBH SW.power} \
-input supply port {in vddB} \
-control port {ctrl Y} \
-on state
                 {ON in !ctrl}
# Section 3: define data port and interface supply set handle
associations
set port attributes \
-ports {W X} \
-receiver supply PD.SSAH
set port attributes \
-ports {Y Z} \
-receiver supply PD.SSBH
set port_attributes \
-ports {Z1 } \
-driver supply PD.SSBH SW
set port attributes \
-ports {Z2 } \
-driver supply PD.SSBH
# Section 4: define power states for interface supply set handles
add power state PD.SSAH \
-supply \
-state {ON \
   -simstate NORMAL \
  -supply expr {power=={FULL ON 0.7 0.9} && ground=={FULL ON 0}} \
-state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT \
  -supply expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
add power state PD.SSBH \
 -supply\
```

```
-state {ON \
   -simstate NORMAL \
   -supply expr {power=={FULL ON 1.1 1.3} && ground=={FULL ON 0}} \
 -state {OFF \
   -simstate CORRUPT \
   -supply expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
add power state PD.SSBH SW \
 -supply \
 -state {ON
  -simstate NORMAL
  -supply expr {power=={FULL ON 1.1 1.3} && ground=={FULL ON 0}} \
 -state {OFF \
   -simstate CORRUPT \
   -supply_expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
# Section 5: define system power states of the hard IP
add power state PD \
-domain\
-state {S1 \
  -logic expr {SSAH == ON && SSBH == ON && SSBH SW == ON }} \
 -state {S2 \
  -logic expr {SSAH == ON && SSBH == ON && SSBH SW == OFF}} \
 -state {S3 \
  -logic expr {SSAH == ON && SSBH == OFF && SSBH SW == OFF}} \
 -state {S4 \
   -logic expr {SSAH == OFF && SSBH == OFF && SSBH SW == OFF}}
# Section 6: Define internal low power logic
set isolation internal iso \
 -domain PD \
 -elements \{X\} \
-isolation signal {W} \
-isolation sense {low}
# Section 7: Define hard IP level isolation constraints
set port attributes \
-ports {W Z} \
-clamp value 1
set port attributes \
-ports {Y} \
 -clamp value 0
end power model
# End of hard IP UPF cellA.upf
```

#### E.2.2 UPF modeling for a soft IP

```
# Start of top level configuration UPF, assume the file name of
top_soft.upf
# Section 1: load hard IP power models
```

```
load upf cellA.upf
# Section 2: define the control ports for special low power logic
create logic port sw en1 \
-direction in ; # power switch enable for PDTop
create logic port sw en2 \
-direction in ; # power switch enable for PD1
create logic port iso en1 \
-direction in
create_logic_port iso_en2 \
-direction in
create logic port ret en \
-direction in
# Section 3: define power domains and interface supply set handles
create power domain PDTop \
-elements {.} \
-supply {SSH1} \
-supply {SSH2} ;# interface supply set handles
create power domain PD1 \
-elements {I3}
# Section 4: integrate hard IP
apply power model upf modelA \
-elements I2 \
-supply map {{PD.SSAH PDTop.SSH1} \
             {PD.SSBH PDTop.SSH2}}
# Section 5: define power states for supply set handles
add power state PDTop.SSH1 \
 -supply \
-state {ON \
  -simstate NORMAL \
  -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}}
 -state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT \
  add power state PDTop.SSH2 \
 -state {ON \
  -simstate NORMAL \
  -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}}
 -state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT \
  add power state PDTop.primary \
 -supply \
 -state {ON \
  -simstate NORMAL \
  -supply_expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}}
 -state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT \
  -logic expr {sw en1}}
add power state PD1.primary \
```

```
-supply \
 -state {ON \
  -simstate NORMAL \
  -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}}\
 -state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT \
  -logic expr {sw en2}}
# Section 6: define system power states of the soft IP
add power state PDTop \
-domain\
-state {S1 \
   -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON
             && primary == ON && PD1.primary == ON \
              && I2/PD == S1}} \
 -state {S2 \
  -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \setminus
              && primary == ON && PD1.primary == OFF \
              && I2/PD == S1}} \
 -state {S3 \
  -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
              && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
              && I2/PD == S1}} \
 -state {S4 \
  -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON
             && primary == ON && PD1.primary == ON \
              && I2/PD == S2}
 -state {S5 \
   -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
              && primary == ON && PD1.primary == OFF \
             && I2/PD == S2}} \
-state {S6 \
   -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
              && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
              && I2/PD == S2}} \
 -state {S7 \
   -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == OFF \
             && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \setminus
              && I2/PD == S3}} \
 -state {S8 \
   -logic expr {SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == OFF \
              && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
              && I2/PD == S4}
 -state {S9 \
  -logic expr {SSH1 == OFF && SSH2 == OFF \
              && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
              && I2/PD == S4}
# Section 7: define isolation strategies
set isolation iso1 \
-domain PDTop \
-applies to outputs \
-diff supply only TRUE \
-isolation signal iso en1 \
-isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 0 \
 -isolation supply set PDTop.SSH1 \
```

```
-location self
set isolation iso2 \
 -domain PD1 \
-source PD1.primary \
 -diff supply only TRUE \
 -isolation signal iso en2 \
 -isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 0 \
 -isolation_supply_set PDTop.SSH1 \
 -location parent
set isolation iso3 \
 -domain PDTop \
 -source PDTop.primary \
 -diff supply only TRUE \
 -sink PDTop.SSH1\
-isolation signal iso en1 \
 -isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 1 \
 -isolation supply set PDTop.SSH1 \
-location self
set isolation iso4 \
-domain PDTop \
-source I2/SSBH SW \
-diff supply only TRUE \
 -isolation signal in2 \
 -isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 1 \
 -isolation_supply_set PDTop.SSH2 \
-location parent
# section 8: define retention strategies
set retention ret1 \
-domain PD1 \
-save signal {ret en negedge} \
-restore signal {ret en posedge} \
-retention supply set PDTop.SSH1
# section 9: define soft IP level isolation constraint
set port attributes \
 -domain { . } \
-applies_to inputs \
-clamp value 0 \
-exclude ports {in3}
set_port_attributes \
-ports {in3} \
-clamp value 1
# end of Top level configuration UPF, top soft.upf
```

# E.2.3 How to use configuration UPF

Replace Figure E.4 with the following figure:

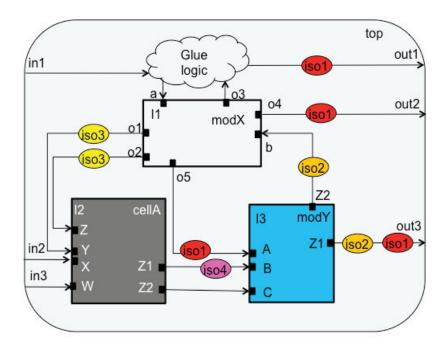


Figure E.4—Block example with isolation logic inserted

# E.3.1 Logic implementation UPF for the soft IP

```
# Start of incrementation implementation UPF
# assume the file name of top impl.upf
# Section 1: Add voltage information for supply set states
add power state PDTop.SSH1 \
 -supply \
 -state {ON \
   -supply expr {power== {FULL ON 0.8}}} \
   -update
add_power_state PDTop.SSH2 \
 -supply \
 -state {ON \
   -supply expr {power== {FULL ON 0.8 1.2}}} \
   -update
add_power_state PDTop.primary \
 -supply \
 -state {ON \
   -supply expr {power== {FULL ON 0.8}}} \
```

```
-update
add power state PD1.primary \
 -supply \
 -state {ON \
   -supply expr {power== {FULL ON 0.8}}} \
   -update
# Section 2: Add level-shifting strategy
set level shifter lvl1 \
 -domain PDTop \
 -source PDTop.primary \
 -sink PDTop.SSH2 \
 -input supply set PDTop.primary \
 -output supply set PDTop.SSH2
set level shifter lvl2 \
 -domain PD1 \
 -source PD1.primary \
 -sink PDTop.SSH2 \
 -input supply set PD1.primary \
 -output supply set PDTop.SSH2
# Section 3: Add library info for retention strategy
map retention cell ret1 \
 -domain PD1 \
 -lib cells {my ret cell1 my ret cell2}
# Section 4: Add library info for isolation strategy
use_interface_cell iso1_cells \
 -domain PDTop \
 -strategy iso1 \
 -lib cells {my iso cell1}
use interface cell iso1 cells \
 -domain PDTop \
 -strategy iso2 \
 -lib cells {my iso cell1}
use interface cell iso1 cells \
 -domain PDTop \
 -strategy iso4 \
 -lib cells {my iso cell12}
# Section 5: Add library info for level-shifting strategy
use interface cell lvl1 cells \
 -strategy lvl1 \
 -domain PDTop \
 -lib_cells {my_lvl_cell1 my_lvl_cell2}
use interface cell lvl2 cells \
 -strategy lvl2 \
 -domain PD1 \
 -lib cells {my lvl cell1 my lvl cell2}
# Section 6: Add library info for combined level-shifting and isolation
cells
```

```
use_interface_cell enabled_lvl \
  -domain PDTop \
  -strategy {iso3 lvl1} \
  -lib_cells {en_lvl}
# end of incrementation implementation UPF top impl.upf
```

#### E.3.2 How to use implementation UPF

# Replace Figure E.5 with the following figure:

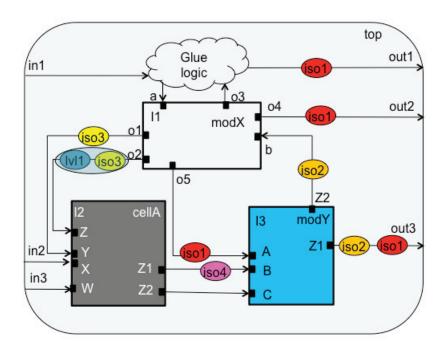


Figure E.5—Block example with isolation and level-shifting logic inserted after synthesis

# E.4.1 Physical Implementation UPF for the Soft IP

# Change the file name in last sentence of the second paragraph as follows:

Designers can either add the source top\_phy.upf command at the end of the UPF file top\_impl.upf or add the source top\_impl.upf command at the start of the UPF file top\_impl.upf top phy.upf or create a new UPF file with the following commands:

```
# Start of physical implementation UPF
# assume the file name of top_phy.upf
# Section 1: define supply ports
create supply port vdd1
```

```
create supply port vss1
create supply port vdd2
create supply port vss2
# Section 2: define supply nets
create supply net vdd top \
-domain PDTop
create supply net vdd1 sw \
-domain PD1
# Section 3: associate supply nets to supply sets
create supply set ss1 \
-function {power vdd1} \
-function {ground vss1}
associate supply set ss1 \
-handle PDTop.SSH1
create supply set ss2 \
-function {power vdd2} \
-function {ground vss2}
associate supply set ss2 \
-handle PDTop.SSH2
create supply set PDTop ss \
-function {power vdd top} \
-function {ground vss1}
associate supply set PDTop ss \
-handle PDTop.primary
create supply set PD1 ss \
-function {power vdd1 sw} \
-function {ground vss1}
associate supply set PD1 ss \
-handle PD1.primary
# Section 4: define power switch strategy
create power switch PDTop switch \
-output supply port {sw out vdd top} \
-input supply port {sw in vdd1 } \
-control port {pso sw en1 } \
-on state {top on sw in {!pso}} \
-off state {top off
                            {pso}}
create power switch PD1 switch \
-output_supply_port {sw_out vdd1_sw} \
-input_supply_port {sw_in vdd1 } \
-control port {pso sw en2} \
-on_state {top_on sw_in {!pso}} \
-off state {top_off
                           {pso}}
# end of physical implementation UPF top phy.upf
```

# E.4.3 How to use physical implementation UPF

Replace Figure E.6 with the following figure:

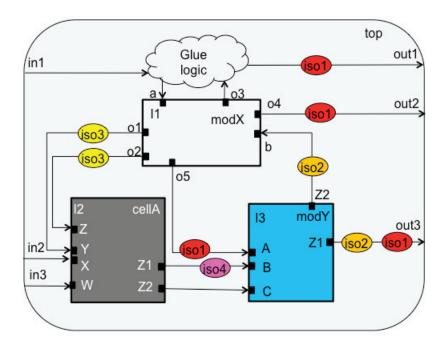


Figure E.6—Block example diagram after physical implementation

#### E.4.3.2 Supply net connection

Change the last sentence of bullet 1 in paragraph 2 as follows:

If the isolation strategy has no **-isolation\_supply** option specified, the default isolation supply associated with the <u>reference location</u> domain is used.

#### **E.6.1 UPF constraints**

```
# Start of top level Constraint UPF
# assume the file name of top_constr.upf
# Section 1: define power domains
create_power_domain PDTop -elements {.}
create_power_domain PD1 \
   -elements { I3 }
# Section 2: define supply set states
add_power_state PDTop.primary \
   -supply \
```

```
-state {ON \
   -simstate NORMAL \
  -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}} \
 -state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT \
   -supply expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
add power state PD1.primary \
 -supply \
 -state {ON \
  -simstate NORMAL\
  -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}} \
 -state {OFF \
  -simstate CORRUPT\
   -supply expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
# Section 3: define system level power states
add power state PDTop \
 -domain \
 -state {CS1 \
   -logic expr {primary == ON && PD1.primary == ON} \
 -state {CS2 \
  -logic expr {primary == ON && PD1.primary == OFF}} \
 -state {CS3 \
   -logic expr {primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF}}
# Section 4: define isolation constraints
set port attributes \
-elements { . } \
-applies to inputs \
-clamp_value 0
set_port_attributes \
-elements { I3 } \
-applies to inputs \
-clamp value 0
set port attributes \
-ports {in3} \
-clamp value 1
# Section 5: define state retention constraints
set retention elements ret list \
-elements I3 \
-transitive TRUE
# end of Top level Constraint UPF, top constr.upf
```

# E.6.2 Configure a constraint UPF into a configuration UPF

```
# A configuration UPF configured from the constraint UPF,
# assume the file name of top_soft2.upf
source top_constr.upf
source cellA.upf
```

```
create logic port sw en1 \
 -direction in
create_logic_port sw_en2 \
-direction in
create logic port iso en1 \
-direction in
create logic port iso en2 \
-direction in
create logic port retention \
 -direction in
create supply set ss1
create supply set ss2
create power domain PDTop \
 -supply SSH1\
 -supply SSH2\
-update
create power switch PDTop sw \
 -output_supply_port {out PDTop.primary.power} \
 -input_supply_port {in PDTop.SSH1.power}\
 -control_port {ctrl sw_en1} \
                 {ON in !ctrl}
 -on state
create power switch PD1 sw\
 -output supply port {out PD1.primary.power} \
 -input_supply_port {in PDTop.SSH1.power} \
 -control_port {ctrl sw_en2} \
                 {ON in !ctrl}
 -on state
apply_power_model upf_modelA \
 -elements I2 \
 -supply map {{PD.SSAH PDTop.SSH1} \
             {PD.SSBH PDTop.SSH2}}
add power state PDTop.SSH1 \
 -state {ON\
   -simstate NORMAL\
   -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}} \
 -state {OFF\
   -simstate CORRUPT\
   -supply expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
add power state PDTop.SSH2 \
 -state {ON \
   -simstate NORMAL \
   -supply expr {power == FULL ON && ground == FULL ON}} \
 -state {OFF \
   -simstate CORRUPT \
   -supply expr {power == OFF || ground == OFF}}
add power state PDTop \
 -state {S1 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
               && primary == ON && PD1.primary == ON \
               && I2/PD == S1}} \
```

```
-state {S2 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
               && primary == ON && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S1}} \
 -state {S3 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
               && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S1}} \
 -state {S4 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON \&\& SSH2 == ON \
               && primary == ON && PD1.primary == ON \
               && I2/PD == S2}} \
 -state {S5 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
               && primary == ON && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S2}} \
 -state {S6 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == ON \
               && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S2}} \
 -state {S7 \
   -logic_expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == OFF \setminus
               && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S3}} \
 -state {S8 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == ON && SSH2 == OFF \
               && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S4}
 -state {S9 \
   -logic expr { SSH1 == OFF && SSH2 == OFF \
               && primary == OFF && PD1.primary == OFF \
               && I2/PD == S4}
set isolation iso1 \
 -domain PDTop \
 -applies to outputs \
 -isolation supply set PDTop.SSH1 \
 -location self \
 -isolation_signal iso_en1 \
 -isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 0\
 -diff supply only TRUE
set isolation iso2 \
 -domain PD1 \
 -source PD1.primary \
 -isolation supply set PDTop.SSH1 \
 -location parent \
 -isolation signal iso en2 \
 -isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 0 \
 -diff supply only TRUE
set isolation iso3 \
 -domain PDTop \
 -source PDTop.primary \
 -sink PDTop.SSH1 \
```

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```
-isolation supply set PDTop.SSH1 \
 -location \overline{\text{self}} \setminus
 -isolation_signal iso_en1 \
-isolation_sense high \
-clamp value 1 \
-diff supply only TRUE
set isolation iso4\
 -domain PDTop \
-source I2/SSBH_SW \
-isolation_supply_set PDTop.SSH2 \
-location parent \
-isolation signal in2 \
-isolation sense high \
 -clamp value 1 \
 -diff supply only TRUE
set retention ret1 \
-domain PD1 \
-retention_supply_set PDTop.SSH1 \
-elements ret_list \
-save signal {ret en negedge} \
-restore signal {ret en posedge}
# end of top soft2.upf
```



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