



## Brief Description of the Terasic DE0 Board

### 1 FPGA

Altera Cyclone® III 3C16 FPGA  
Designation: EP3C16F484C6

### 2 Pin Assignments for I/O Devices

Operating voltage for I/O Pins (unless otherwise specified): 3.3-V LVTTL

#### 2.1 Clock

50 MHz (primary)	50 MHz (secondary)
(G21)	(B12)

#### 2.2 Buttons

The buttons are low-active. Depending on board revision buttons may be debounced.  
Assume buttons beeing not debounced.

BTN2	BTN1	BTN0
(F1)	(G3)	(H2)

#### 2.3 Switches

The switches are high-active and not debounced.

SW9	SW8	SW7	SW6	SW5	SW4	SW3	SW2	SW1	SW0
(D2)	(E4)	(E3)	(H7)	(J7)	(G5)	(G4)	(H6)	(H5)	(J6)

#### 2.4 LEDs

Each LED is driven directly by an I/O pin on the Cyclone III FPGA (i.e. LEDs are high-active).

Current strength: 8 mA

Slew rate: 2

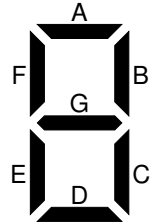
LEDG9	LEDG8	LEDG7	LEDG6	LEDG5	LEDG4	LEDG3	LEDG2	LEDG1	LEDG0
(B1)	(B2)	(C2)	(C1)	(E1)	(F2)	(H1)	(J3)	(J2)	(J1)

## 2.5 7-Segment Display

Each of the 4 digits consists of 7 segments and a dot. The individual segments are enabled through the LED's cathode (low-active).

### Segment Selection (Cathode Control)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	Dot
Digit 3	(B18)	(F15)	(A19)	(B19)	(C19)	(D19)	(G15)	(G16)
Digit 2	(D15)	(A16)	(B16)	(E15)	(A17)	(B17)	(F14)	(A18)
Digit 1	(A13)	(B13)	(C13)	(A14)	(B14)	(E14)	(A15)	(B15)
Digit 0	(E11)	(F11)	(H12)	(H13)	(G12)	(F12)	(F13)	(D13)



## 2.6 PS/2 Connector

Default		Extension	
CLK	DATA	CLK	DATA
(P22)	(P21)	(R21)	(R22)

For using two PS/2 devices simultaneously an extension PS/2 Y-Cable is needed.

## 2.7 VGA Connector

RGB signals are high-active, sync signals low-active.

Red			
Red[3]	Red[2]	Red[1]	Red[0]
(H21)	(H20)	(H17)	(H19)

Green			
Green[3]	Green[2]	Green[1]	Green[0]
(J21)	(K17)	(J17)	(H22)

Blue			
Blue[3]	Blue[2]	Blue[1]	Blue[0]
(K18)	(J22)	(K21)	(K22)

Sync	
HSync	VSsync
(L21)	(L22)