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#### First name \*

#### Last name \*

#### Email address \*

#### Company name \*

#### Mentor/Siemens contact

**Design category \***

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**Industry \***

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**Design name \***

**End-product description \***

**Unique features \* ?**

**Critical constraints \* ?**

**Intended use of the submitted design version \***

- Proof of concept    Low-volume production    High-volume production

**Tool flow \***

- Xpedition Enterprise    PADS Professional    PADS Standard/Plus    Board Station    Other

**Tools used \* ?**

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**Units \***

- Imperial (th)    Imperial (in)    Metric (um)    Metric (mm)

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**Smallest grid-array pin pitch \* ?**

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**High-speed nets (%) \* ?**

**Number of voltage rails \* ?**

**Number of ground nets \***

**Placement density \***

Select ▼

**Routing density \***

Select ▼

**Swappable I/Os \* ?**

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Board thickness \*

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Total metal layers \*

Layer stack-up \* ?

 No file chosen

Stack-up definition \* ?

Fastest data rate (gbps) \* ?

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Signal integrity concerns \* ?

EMI/EMC shielding concerns \* ?

EM field effect concerns \* ?

Power distribution network concerns \* ?

Thermal concerns \* ?

Verification tool usage \* ?

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## Trace Width/Spacing

Minimum width \* ?

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Minimum spacing \*

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Typical width \* ?

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Typical spacing \*

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## Via Size

Minimum hole size \* ?

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Typical hole size \* ?

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Percent nets testable after assembly \*

Number of nets testable after assembly \*

Packaging technologies ?

- Printed electronics    Package design    Embedded components  
 Buried resistance    Etched RF components    Flex/rigid-flex

DfX ?

- Producibility    Reliability    Quality    Cost

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**Size of design team** \* ?

**Design team functions** \* ?

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Total calendar time (weeks) \* ?

Architecture definition time (weeks) \*

Schematic design time (weeks) \*

Layout design time (weeks) \*

Verification time (weeks) \*

Manufacturing prep time (weeks) \*

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How did you collaborate with Mechanical? \* ?

How did you collaborate with Manufacturing? \* ?

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**Schematic / layout iterations** \* ?

**Layout / mechanical iterations** \* ?

**Layout / manufacturing iterations** \* ?

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**IPC performance class** \* ?

Select▼

**Additional comments** ?



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