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Subject: Upgrading Programming File for A3PE1500

Dear Valued Customer,

Thank you for your continued business and interest in Actel's new ProASIC®3 flash family. Our latest addition to the ProASIC3 family is the successful completion of A3PE1500 qualification, which now enables us to ship commercial and industrial grade devices. As part of the qualification process, programming enhancements were added, resulting in the need to generate a new STAPL or PDB programming file.

Support for this is available in Libero® Integrated Design Environment (IDE) v8.0 SP2, released on October 16, 2007. You can download this version from the Actel website: http://actel.com/download/software/libero/

Hardware programming software for FlashPro was updated as well in FlashPro v6.0 SP2 on October 29, 2007, and can be downloaded from the Actel website: http://actel.com/download/program_debug/flashpro/

To take advantage of the programming improvement and avoid possible conflicts, you are required to regenerate the programming files using the latest Libero IDE software release and the latest programming software as well. These enhancements do not affect existing reliability or functionality of the device.

Please contact Actel's Technical Support if you have any questions: technical.support@actel.com.

Regards,

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