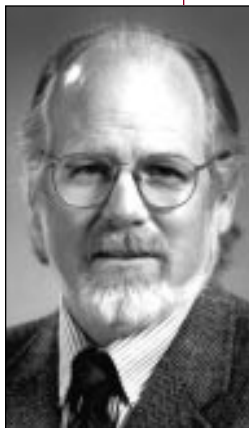


Xilinx Alliance Goes On-Line

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Alliance Program Vendors and Contacts

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The Xilinx Alliance has been going strong for six years, and 1996 promises to be the most exciting year ever. In addition to bringing you more world-class tools for your world-class products, we will provide easier and innovative ways to find out about the wide variety of high-quality, third-party design tools available through the Alliance.

One example is WebLINX, the Xilinx site on the World Wide Web. In March, the Xilinx Alliance will go on-line. An initial listing of our Alliance partners will allow you to easily search our web pages (and our partners' pages) for product and contact information. The Xilinx SmartSearch and SmartSearch Agents utilities (see related article at right) will allow you to quickly find the information you need — whether it be product functionality, updates, or compatibility data.

As of February, the Xilinx Alliance includes more than 80 partners who have been selected for their contribution to Xilinx development systems and their ability to provide the widest variety and highest quality of design/programming

tools for Xilinx programmable logic. These vendors offer well over 100 products, including schematic editors, logic synthesis tools, simulators, third party cores, reconfigurable computing products and device programmers. (See Alliance Program EDA tool vendor and product list on pages 14-16.)

The breadth and depth of the Xilinx Alliance is not accidental. Today's programmable logic users are required to complete ever more complex and dense designs more quickly than ever before. Xilinx has recognized those needs by adopting an open systems approach to enable engineers to select the best tools for the task at hand.

So come visit Xilinx and our Alliance partners on the World Wide Web. **E-mail your comments to alliance@xilinx.com.** Tell us about what products you are building, what tools you are using and what tools you need — we will continue to offer you the best programmable logic development solution anywhere. The Xilinx Alliance is dedicated to your success by bringing together complete development solutions for your needs. With Xilinx programmable logic and the Xilinx Alliance, the possibilities are limitless. ♦

Latest Training Information on the Web

Xilinx is adding new training courses and scheduling additional locations in 1996! To get the latest information on available classes, use the Xilinx site on the World Wide Web (<http://www.xilinx.com>). From the home page, select Customer Support and then Training Classes. You can even register for classes on-line.

Both schematic-based and synthesis-based three-day introductory classes are offered. In January, Xilinx began offering a series of one-day update classes on XACTstep™ v6, targeted at customers familiar with XACT® 5.0. Watch the web site for new training class support as new products are introduced. ♦