

Problem:

How to update the EBX-11 (Python) programmable logic device (PLD) code to Rev. 5.00.

Background:

EBX-11 field updates can be performed onsite using utilities and files downloaded from the VersaLogic website. The EBX-11 Rev. 5.00 PLD code have enabled the LPC to ISA bridge function to perform true 16-bit I/O transactions.

PLD Update:

This update can be performed on Rev. 4.xx or 5.xx boards. To perform the field update, the following devices need to be connected properly to the EBX-11:

- Keyboard
- Display
- Power supply
- DOS-bootable floppy disk, hard drive, or other DOS-bootable media

1. Download ZIP File and Extract

The following table lists the contents of the PLD update ZIP file (EBX11R500_PLD.zip).

File	Description
ISPVME.exe	PLD update utility version 1.03.
EBX11R500.vme	PLD code for the EBX-11g. DOS will rename this file EBX11R~1.vme.
Readme.txt	PLD update instructions.

- a. Download the <u>EBX11R500_PLD.zip</u> file.
- b. Unzip the file to a folder on your PC, such as C:\TEMP.
- c. Copy the extracted files to a DOS-bootable drive.

2. Install the PLD Code

- a. If necessary, configure CMOS Setup to boot from the DOS-bootable drive that contains the extracted files.
- b. Reboot.
- c. At the DOS prompt, enter the following command:

ispvme -board ebx-11 ebx11r~1.vme

This process takes about a minute and will complete with a pass or fail message. If the process fails, call VersaLogic Customer Support at (541) 485-8575 for assistance.

d. Reboot the EBX-11. Enter CMOS Setup and configure as desired.

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