

# lib\_locks: Lock handling library (README)

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#### version

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General Use

#### description

Lock handling library

#### category

General Purpose

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hardware locks, software locks, locks

#### devices

xcore.ai, xcore-200

#### 1 Overview

This library provides access to hardware and software locks for use in concurrent C programs. In general it is not safe to use these to marshall within XC due to the assumptions XC makes about safe concurrent data access.

### 2 Features

- ▶ Hardware locks: fast and power efficient but there are a limited number per tile
- ▶ Software locks: slower but an unlimited number can be used

#### 3 Known Issues

▶ None

### 4 Required Tools

> XMOS XTC Tools: 15.3.0



## **5** Required Libraries (dependencies)

▶ None

## 6 Related Application Notes

▶ None

## 7 Support

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