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Spartan-3 Libraries Guide for Schematic Designs	spartan3_scm.pdx
Spartan-3A and Spartan-3A DSP Libraries Guide for HDL Designs	spartan3a_hdl.pdx
Spartan-3A and Spartan-3A DSP Libraries Guide for Schematic Designs	spartan3a_scm.pdx
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