## **Comparison of PSpice Tiers**

The following table identifies the significant features that are included with various tiers of PSpice.

|                        |                                    | PSpice Tiers   |                          |                               |
|------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Category               | Feature                            | OrCAD PCB Designer Standard & Professional inclusive PSpice  | OrCAD PSpice<br>Designer | OrCAD PSpice<br>Designer Plus |
| Simulation Capacity    |                                    | Design should have less than or equal to 250 nodes or 250 devices and such designs can be simulated:  – upto 1,000,000 data point for transient analysis  – upto 10,000 data point for AC or DC sweep analysis | No Limit                 | No Limit                      |
| Device                 |                                    |  |                          |                               |
|                        | Analog Devices                     | All<br>(Except BSIM 3.3 and BSIM 4 Devices,<br>Magnetic Core, IGBT, Tlines, DMI Models)  | All                      | All                           |
|                        | Digital                            | All  | All                      | All                           |
| Analysis Types         |                                    |  |                          |                               |
|                        | DC                                 | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | AC                                 | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Transient                          | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Parametric Sweep                   | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Check Point Restart                | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Monte Carlo                        | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Worst Case                         | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Auto Convergence                   | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | ОР                                 | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Transfer Function                  | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Sensitivity Analysis               | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | SPEED Mode                         | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Advance Convergence                | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
| Waveform Analysis      |                                    |  |                          |                               |
|                        | Measurement                        | <b>√</b>   | ✓                        | <b>✓</b>                      |
|                        | Performance Analysis               | -  | ✓                        | <b>✓</b>                      |
|                        | Advanced Tools<br>(FRA, Core loss) | <b>√</b>   | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | FFT                                | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
| Utilities              |                                    |  |                          |                               |
|                        | Model Editor                       | -  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Stimulus Editor                    | -  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Magnetic Parts Editor              | -  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Modeling Application               | ✓  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
| Advanced Analysis      |                                    |  |                          |                               |
|                        | Smoke                              | -  | ✓                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Optimizer                          | -  | -                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Sensitivity                        | -  | -                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Advanced Monte Carlo               | -  | -                        | ✓                             |
|                        | Parametric Plotter                 | -  | -                        | ✓                             |
| PSpice-MATLAB Interfac |                                    |  |                          |                               |
|                        | Co-Simulation                      | -  | -                        | <b>✓</b>                      |
|                        | Visualization                      | -  | -                        | <b>✓</b>                      |
|                        | Functions                          | -  | -                        | ✓                             |