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DESCRIPTION

The SSI 32H6820 is a CMOS monolithic integrated circuit housed in a 64-pin TQFP, operates from a single +5V supply and provides control signals for external FET drivers operating on 5 to 12 volt supplies. In addition to supporting disk drives with embedded servo sectors, it contains all timing and control functions necessary to start, drive, and brake a 3-phase, 4-, 8-, 12-, 16-pole brushless DC spindle motor without sensors. The circuit is controlled via the Silicon Systems standard 3-wire serial port.

FEATURES

Servo Head Positioning Control

- Servo control for embedded servo head positioning systems
- H-bridge MOSFET pre-driver for linear and rotary voice coil motor
- Class B linear mode and constant voltage retract mode
- Active head retract on power failure

Spindle Motor Speed Control

- 3-phase 4-, 8-, 12-, 16-pole bipolar/unipolar operation without need for sensors
- Programmable precision speed regulation 2 μ s speed resolution
- "At speed" indication
- Motor peak current limiting function
- Pulse amplitude modulation (PAM) for bridge MOSFET drivers
- Dynamic braking function on power failure

General Functions

- Voltage fault detection for two supply voltages
- Low power CMOS design, two low power idle states
- Three wire serial control interface
- 8 bit Digital-to-analog converter for voice coil control
- Available in 64-lead TQFP package

FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

As shown in Figure 1, the SSI 32H6820 can be divided into four major sections: servo head positioning control, spindle motor speed control, digital control, and miscellaneous functions.

SERVO HEAD POSITIONING CONTROL

The SSI 32H6820 is intended for a servo head positioner for disk drives with embedded servo sectors. The head positioning control section contains the following sections: servo position error amplifier, H-bridge MOSFET pre-driver, actuator current sense, and voltage fault detection and servo head retract.

SERVO POSITION ERROR AMPLIFIER

The servo driver has two modes of operation, linear and retract. The retract mode is activated by a power supply failure or when the control signal RETRACT is low. Otherwise the driver operates in linear mode. During linear operation, the microcontroller acquires servo burst amplitudes and analyzes them to establish a position error signal. The microcontroller develops a digital error signal which is sent to the 8-bit D/A converter (with output ERRDAC and reference ERRREF) and is applied to an amplifier whose three connections, ERRM, ERRP and ERR, are available externally. External R-C components may be used to establish the gain and bandwidth of this amplifier. Additional analog input via SWIN may be provided to this amplifier by setting the SWON bit in the SERVO CONTROL register.

H-BRIDGE MOSFET PRE-DRIVER

The error signal ERR generated from the position error amplifier drives two precision differential amplifiers, each with a gain of 15. The differential amplifier outputs, AOUTA, AOUTB, AOUTC and AOUTD drive an external MOSFET bridge powered by VBRIDGE. Feedback from the MOSFET drain terminals via sense inputs SE1 and SE3 allow the differential amplifier gains to be established precisely. The voice coil actuator and a current sense resistor are connected in series between SE1 and SE3. Included in the output control circuitry is a crossover protection function which ensures class B operation by permitting only one MOSFET in each leg of the bridge to be in conduction. The crossover circuit can be adjusted for different MOSFET threshold voltages with a resistor connected to VX. The crossover

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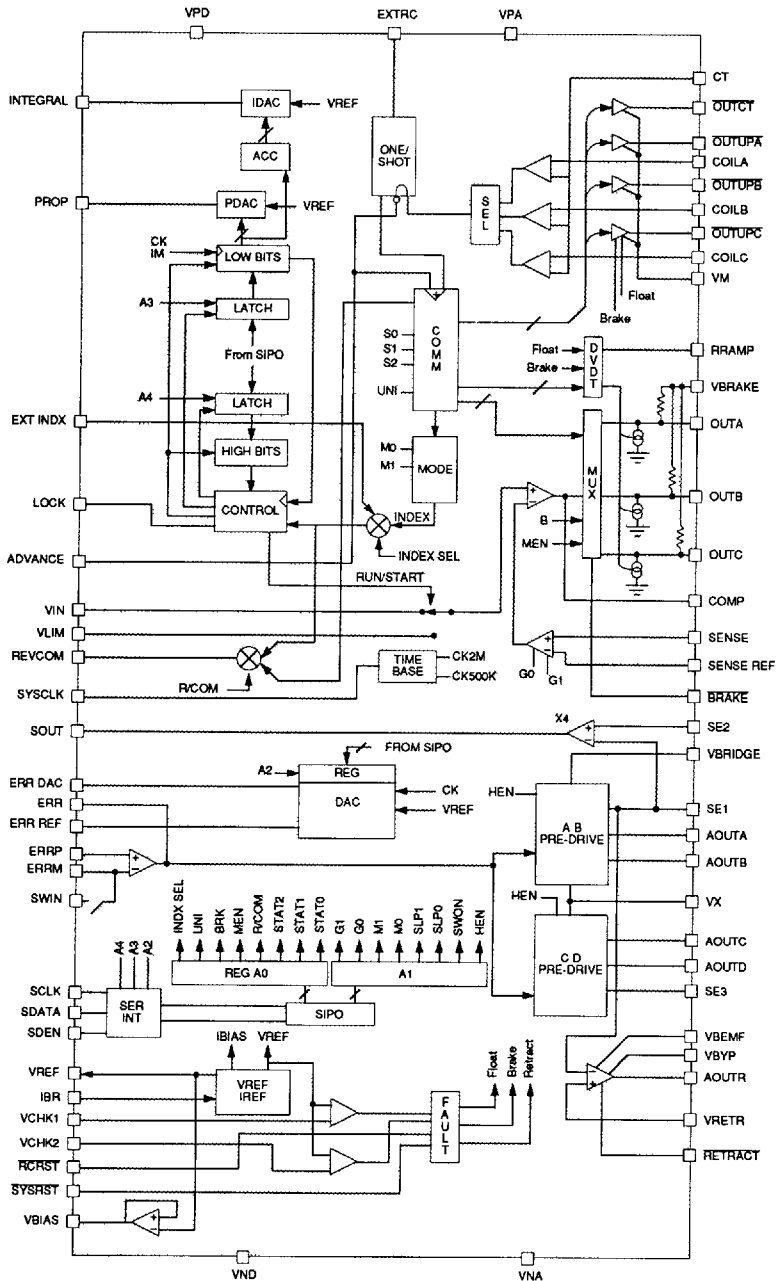


Figure 1: SSI 32H6820 Block Diagram

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H-BRIDGE MOSFET PRE-DRIVER (continued)

circuitry can be commanded by the μ P to shut down the MOSFET drivers and thus remove current to the external bridge.

MOTOR CURRENT SENSE

Motor current is sensed by a resistor placed in series with the actuator. The voltage drop across the resistor is level-shifted and amplified by a differential amplifier with a gain of 4. The resulting signal, SOUT, is proportional to actuator current. This signal is externally fed back to the position error amplifier so that the error signal ERR represents the difference between the desired and actual actuator currents.

VOLTAGE FAULT DETECTION AND SERVO HEAD RETRACT

During retract, a constant voltage is applied across the actuator in order to cause a constant velocity head retraction. This is accomplished by applying the voltage stored on VBYP to AOUTD and by driving AOUTR with an amplifier that monitors SE1. The amplifier is powered by VBEMF. During retract, VRETR is biased by an internal voltage reference and determines the retract voltage. At other times, power is saved by disconnecting VRETR from the voltage reference and letting it be pulled to VBEMF by a high value resistor. External components (a diode, for instance) can be connected between VRETR and ground to modify the retract voltage.

An open-drain output, $\overline{\text{SYSRST}}$, which is active low while the servo driver is in retract mode, is provided for spindle motor braking. An external R-C delay may be used to defer braking until the head is retracted. The minimum duration of $\overline{\text{SYSRST}}$ being active low is determined by the external capacitor which is connected to pin RCRST.

SPINDLE MOTOR SPEED CONTROL

In conjunction with several external components, the spindle motor speed control provides the starting, accelerating, and precise rotational speed regulation functions. The circuit will control 4-, 8-, 12-, or 16-pole brushless DC motors without the need for Hall sensors. It will operate in either bipolar or unipolar drive mode. Control, configuration, and status monitoring are handled by a companion ASIC or μ P. The complete speed control loop is contained in the circuit and the μ P is only required during start and to monitor status.

SPINDLE MOTOR START-UP

Motor starting is accomplished with the μ P utilizing various features contained in the motor speed control circuitry. The μ P can write to the commutation counter and set it to a predetermined value with STAT0, STAT1, STAT2 bits. The counter can then be incremented with the ADVANCE pin which also excludes internal commutations when held HIGH. Bit REVCOM informs the μ P on motor activity. The μ P can enable the drivers with MEN and UNI bits as required.

Under μ P control, initial open-loop commutation sequence is provided to the commutation logic which thereby advances and accelerates the spindle motor. The start-up process settles the motor initially by selecting the bits STAT0, STAT1, STAT2 in Register 0 to energize a proper motor winding. Motor current is enabled by setting the MEN bit in Register 0. The commutation state is advanced by raising the ADVANCE pin. The period between ADVANCE pulses will be based upon the motor and load characteristics and decreased gradually during the acceleration of the motor. The μ P may look at the REVCOM pin information indicating whether the motor has achieved a sufficient speed. Once the motor has achieved a sufficient speed, ADVANCE is held low and the motor will accelerate to target speed.

Motor rotor position is determined by monitoring the coil voltage of the winding that is not presently being driven by the drivers. The back-emf at the coil in conjunction with the state of the output drivers indicates rotor position. The back-emf is compared to a reference at CT and initiates "commutation events" when the appropriate comparison is made. Commutation is the sequential switching of the drive current to the motor windings. Since the back-emf comparison event occurs prior to the time when optimum commutation should occur, it is thus required to delay actual commutation by a predetermined time after the comparison. The commutation delay is provided by a non-retriggerable one-shot circuit wherein the time delay is a function of external R-C timing components connected at EXTRC. Because commutation of the motor windings typically results in large transient voltages which could falsely indicate "commutation events," the one-shot circuit also provides a "noise filter" function which holds off retriggering further and blanks the back-emf comparison events for a period of time (approximately one half the commutation delay) after commutation (Figure 3). The commutation states are defined in Table 4.

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SPINDLE MOTOR SPEED REGULATION

Motor speed regulation is accomplished with mixed analog and digital techniques, converting a motor speed error derived from a reference clock and a period counter into a voltage. The voltage translates into a motor current across the current sense resistor regulating the motor speed. The speed regulation loop consists of a period counter, proportional and integral channels, two 6-bit D/A converters and a linear transconductance amplifier.

In operation, the motor speed error is determined by measuring the period of each revolution with a 500 kHz clock signal. Period resolution is therefore 2 μ s with the desired period being given by:

$$\text{period} = (\text{load count} + 6) \cdot 2.0 \mu\text{sec}$$

Both register 3 and register 4 must be written, in order, via the serial data interface to accomplish writing a new period value.

The period counter is loaded with the desired count initially, and period measurement results in residual counts (ideally zero) in the period counter as it counts down during the index-to-index time interval. The residual count is fed to the proportional D/A converter (5-bit plus sign) whose output is provided at PROP. No period error will output half of VBIAS at PROP, too short a period will output a value less than half of VBIAS, and too long a period will output a value greater than half of VBIAS depending on the amount of error. When the residual count is within ± 15 counts of zero, the motor is indicated as "in lock." The lower eight bits of the period counter are fed to an accumulator which adds the present period residue to the previous accumulation thus accomplishing an integrating effect to force the speed error to zero over time. The upper six bits of the accumulator are fed to the integral DAC whose output is INTEGRAL. Gross period errors will cause PROP and INTEGRAL to saturate at the appropriate extreme to achieve the maximum corrective control voltage.

The outputs at PROP and INTEGRAL are connected to VIN with an external resistor network. The outputs of the proportional DAC and Integral DAC give coefficients given by:

$$K_p = (\text{RPS}^2) / (2.35\text{v}/64) / 4\pi\epsilon^6)$$

$$K_i = (\text{RPS}^{-1}) / (2.35\text{v}/64) / (16\pi\epsilon^6)$$

(RPS is the desired motor speed in revolutions per second.)

The resistor values should be selected to modify the coefficients given above to values required for proper loop response based upon motor requirements. The input VIN is the non-inverting input of the linear transconductance amplifier which uses the lower driver transistor that is presently active per the commutation state. An external resistor is used to sense the current flowing through the drive transistor drain (and hence the motor coil current). The voltage across the sense resistor, the difference between SENSE and SENSEREF, is amplified by a programmable gain stage and fed to the inverting input of the transconductance amplifier. The gain of the programmable amplifier is determined by G0 and G1 bits.

MOTOR PEAK CURRENT LIMITING

When the period error exceeds 256 counts too slow, the voltage at VLIM is selected as the control voltage in lieu of VIN. VLIM is to be used to set the motor peak current during start-up and acceleration. The motor current is limited to a value such that the voltage across the sense resistor (SENSE - SENSEREF) times the gain of the sense amplifier (5, 10, 15, 20) is equal to VLIM.

MOTOR BRAKING

Fault conditions on power supplies and internal voltage reference generator will trigger an internal retract condition. The internal retract condition will cause all pre-driver outputs to the states which will turn the driver transistors off, allowing the motor to coast. BRAKE typically has a capacitor to ground attached and is connected to pin SYSRST via a resistor. SYSRST goes low in the retract condition, and thus BRAKE will go low after the R-C delay. When BRAKE goes low, all external N-FETs are activated to achieve dynamic braking of the motor. The circuitry for these operations is powered by voltage on VBRAKE stored on an external capacitor.

Dynamic braking can also be activated under external serial port control by setting BRK to HIGH in REG 0. During dynamic braking, the control loop is opened.

EXTERNAL INDEX APPLICATION

Normal operation is performed with an internal index signal derived from the commutation counter (scaled via the M0 and M1 bits based upon the number of motor poles). For both an internal "index" or External Index, the period between index signals is measured as described above and used to control the PROP and INTEGRAL outputs.

DATA CONVERSION AND SERIAL INTERFACE

An 8-bit D/A converter which runs synchronously with the internal 500 kHz clock is provided. The converter is 2's complement format (7 Fhex is positive full scale, 80 hex is negative full scale and Reset condition is 00 hex, midscale). Conversion is started by writing to the D/A register address, Register 2. The output of the D/A converter is ERRDAC and is referenced to EREF. The output is held constant between data loads. The circuit is configured and controlled via the Serial data inputs in accordance with the standard Silicon Systems Serial interface Specifications.

Per the timing diagram (Figure 2), data are clocked into the serial port on the rising edge of SCLK. It is required that 16 data clocks be used for all transfers for proper operation. The data are loaded from the serial interface to the destination registers (controlled parameter) when SDEN is lowered signalling the end of serial data transfer.

MISCELLANEOUS FUNCTIONS

The miscellaneous functions include generating the reference voltages VREF and VBIAS, and the voltage fault detection circuits which activate power fault retract and braking operation. A voltage fault detector which can monitor two voltage supplies is included to prevent the actuator from responding to a false error signal during a power failure. Retract mode is started when a power supply failure is sensed by the VCHK1 or VCHK2 comparators or when RETRACT is pulled low externally.

The internal bias currents for analog functions are set by an external resistor connected between IBR and ground. A 23.7 kΩ ±1% resistor should be used for proper operations.

TABLE 1: Serial Data Format

Data bit 1	R/W control - must be a 0, this circuit is write-only
Data bit 2	Circuit ID bit - must be 1
Data bit 3	Circuit ID bit - must be 1
Data bit 4	Circuit ID bit - must be 1
Data bit 5	Register address bit 0
Data bit 6	Register address bit 1
Data bit 7	Register address bit 2
Data bit 8	Register address bit 3 - not used, 1 or 0 allowed
Data bit 9	Register data bit 0
Data bit 10	Register data bit 1
Data bit 11	Register data bit 2
Data bit 12	Register data bit 3
Data bit 13	Register data bit 4
Data bit 14	Register data bit 5
Data bit 15	Register data bit 6
Data bit 16	Register data bit 7

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TABLE 2: Operating Modes

MODE	VFAULT condition	RETRACT PIN	BRAKE PIN	SLEEP BIT	HEN BIT	MEN BIT	BRK BIT	POS driver	SPINDLE driver
SLEEP (1)	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	float	float
VFAULT retract (2)	1	X	1	0	X	X	X	retract	float
VFAULT brake (3)	1	X	0	0	X	X	X	retract	brake
RETRACT	0	0	1/0	0	X	X	X	retract	float/brake
BRAKE	0	1/0	0	0	X	X	X	float/retract	brake
BRAKE Register	0	1	1	0	1/0	X	1	on/float	brake
IDLE	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	float	float
SPIN only	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	float	on
SERVO coast	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	on	float
RUN	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	on	on

(1) All analog circuits off

(2) Initiated by low power supply voltage

(3) Vfault followed by RC delay from SYSPRST to BRAKE

REGISTER DESCRIPTIONS

The SSI 32H6820 contains five 8-bit internal registers which provide control and option select. Writing to an address other than 0 to 4 will have no effect.

TABLE 3: Internal Registers

ADDRESS 0

BIT	NAME	FUNCTION
0	STAT0	LSB of commutation state counter preset value - Refer to Table 4.
1	STAT1	Commutation state counter preset value.
2	STAT2	MSB of commutation state counter preset value.
3	R/COM	Selects REVCLK (once per revolution) when set low or COMMU when set high as output on pin REVCOM.
4	MEN	Motor enable. Active high enables spindle motor drive. Reset to low on power on.
5	BRK	BRAKE function when set high. Spindle lower drivers full on with no current limiting.
6	UNI	Selects UNIPOLAR mode, upper spindle drivers off, \overline{CT} driver on (low).
7	INDX_SEL	Selects external index when set high.

ADDRESS 1

0	HEN	Enable head driver outputs. Reset to low on power on.
1	SWON	Close switch between ERR and SWIN. Set open on power on reset.
2	SLP0	Sleep mode control bit. When set high, head positioner and motor analog circuits are inactive with drivers off. Miscellaneous circuitry is still active.
3	SLP1	Full SLEEP mode select. Overrides SLP0 bit. All analog circuits de-biased and internal clocks are off. Only the serial data port is operable.
4	M0	Spindle motor pole configuration mode. See below.
5	M1	Spindle motor pole configuration. M0 = 0, M1 = 0 for 4 poles M0 = 1, M1 = 0 for 8 poles M0 = 0, M1 = 1 for 12 poles M0 = 1, M1 = 1 for 16 poles
6	G0	Spindle motor current sense amplifier gain control.
7	G1	Spindle motor current sense amplifier gain control. G0 = 0, G1 = 0 for gain of 5 G0 = 1, G1 = 0 for gain of 10 G0 = 0, G1 = 1 for gain of 15 G0 = 1, G1 = 1 for gain of 20

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REGISTER DESCRIPTIONS (continued)

ADDRESS 2

BIT	NAME	FUNCTION
0	DAC0	DAC LSB
1	DAC1	DAC data bit 1
2	DAC2	DAC data bit 2
3	DAC3	DAC data bit 3
4	DAC4	DAC data bit 4
5	DAC5	DAC data bit 5
6	DAC6	DAC data bit 6
7	DAC7	DAC MSB

ADDRESS 3

0	CNT0	Period counter LSB
1	CNT1	Period counter bit 1
2	CNT2	Period counter bit 2
3	CNT3	Period counter bit 3
4	CNT4	Period counter bit 4
5	CNT5	Period counter bit 5
6	CNT6	Period counter bit 6
7	CNT7	Period counter bit 7

ADDRESS 4

0	CNT8	Period counter bit 8
1	CNT9	Period counter bit 9
2	CNT10	Period counter bit 10
3	CNT11	Period counter bit 11
4	CNT12	Period counter bit 12
5	CNT13	Period counter bit 13
6	CNT14	Period counter bit 14
7	CNT15	Period counter MSB - Always load 0 in this bit

TABLE 4 (See Table 2)

STATE	STAT 2	STAT 1	STAT 0	OUTA	OUTB	OUTC	OUTUPA	OUTUPB	OUTUPC	REVCOM (COMMU SELECTED)
0	0	0	0	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	1
1	0	0	1	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	0
2	0	1	0	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	1
3	0	1	1	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	0
4	1	0	0	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	1
5	1	0	1	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	0
	1	1	0	No load for 110 or 111						
	1	1	1							

PIN DESCRIPTION

POWER SUPPLIES

NAME	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
VPA	P	Analog +5V supply.
VPD	P	Digital +5V supply. VPA and VPD must be within 0.3V of each other at all times.
VNA	P	Analog ground.
VND	P	Digital ground.

HEAD POSITIONER MOSFET DRIVER AND VOLTAGE FAULT DETECTION

ERRM	I	Error Amplifier Inverting Input - Inverting input to the position error amplifier of the MOSFET pre-driver.
ERRP	I	Error Amplifier Non-inverting Input - Non-inverting input of the error amplifier. Typically connected to ERRREF pin directly.
SWIN	I	This input is shorted to ERRM when the bit SWON is set HIGH. SWIN floats otherwise.
ERR	O	Acceleration Error - Position error amplifier output. This signal is amplified by the MOSFET drivers and applied to the actuator through an external MOSFET H-bridge as follows: SE3-SE1 = 30 (ERR-VREF)
ERRDAC	O	DAC output pin, referenced to ERREF.
ERREF	O	Reference voltage for DAC output. Connected to non-inverting input of error amplifier.
AOUT(A,C)	O	PFET Driver - Drive signals for P-channel MOSFETs connected between VBRIDGE and the voice coil actuator. Crossover protection circuitry ensures that the external P- and N-channel FETs driven by AOUT(A,C) and AOUT(B,D) are never enabled simultaneously.
AOUT(B,D)	O	NFET Driver - Drive signals for N-channel MOSFETs connected between the current sense resistor and the voice coil actuator.

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HEAD POSITIONER MOSFET DRIVER AND VOLTAGE FAULT DETECTION (continued)

NAME	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
VBRIDGE	I	Bridge Voltage Supply - Pin for connection to the voltage supply provided to external power transistors.
VRETR	I	Retract Voltage - In head retract mode this voltage is applied across the actuator to force the heads to move at a constant speed.
AOUTR	O	Head Retract Amplifier Output - Voltage output to drive an external head retract circuit.
SE1, SE3	I	Motor Voltage Sense Input - These inputs provide feedback to the internal MOSFET drive amplifier.
SE2	I	Motor Current Sense Input - Non-inverting input to the current sense differential amplifier. It should be connected to an external current sense resistor. The inverting input of the differential amplifier is SE1.
SOUT	O	Motor Current Sense Output - This output provides a voltage proportional to the voltage drop across the external current sense resistor as follows: $SOUT-ERREF = 4 (SE2-SE1)$
VX	O	Crossover Protection Voltage - The current source output at VX is converted to a voltage with an external resistor. The value of the resistor should be adjusted so that VX is less than the specified minimum threshold voltage of the MOSFET bridge.
VBYP	I	Bypass Voltage Supply - The VBRIDGE voltage is stored on this node for use during retract.
VCHK1, VCHK2	I	Fault Voltage Comparator Inputs - Voltage inputs for the low voltage comparators. These two inputs should be connected to separate external resistor dividers. Each resistor divider divides its corresponding supply voltage to a proper value which is comparable with the internal voltage reference at 2.35 volts.
VREF	O	Internal Voltage Reference - A voltage reference at 2.35 volts is generated internally for the DC reference level throughout the device. Due to limited drive capability provided with on-chip voltage reference, this pin shall be used only for connecting an external bypass capacitor of 10 μF .
IBR	O	Bias Current Reference - Pin for connection to an external resistor (from VNA) to establish a reference current for bias currents used in analog circuits.
RETRACT	I	Retract Input - When set low, the head positioner is put into retract mode.
SYSRST	O	Active low, open drain output signal which indicates that a voltage fault has occurred or \overline{RCRST} pin has been pulled low externally.
RCRST	I	An external R/C network at this pin will stretch short (internally detected) voltage fault pulses and set a minimum \overline{SYSRST} pulse width. When this pin is pulled low externally, \overline{SYSRST} will go low and the device will enter the retract mode.

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SPINDLE MOTOR SPEED CONTROL

NAME	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
EXTINDX	I	External Index Input - This TTL compatible input, when selected via the INDEXSEL bit, is used to provide a once-per-revolution indication of angular position and speed to the device. The falling edge of EXTINDX is the reference.
SYSCLK	I	System Clock Input - A 4 MHz, TTL compatible input is provided to derive internal timing signals.
ADVANCE	I	Input signal used to increment the commutation state counter. When held high, the commutation counter is prevented from incrementing due to back-emf signals from the motor.
EXTRC	I	Pin for connection to a resistor (from VPD) and a capacitor (from VND) to provide the commutation delay. The commutation delay is 0.56 R-C. After the commutation delay, the timing block provides a noise rejection interval to reject transients on the motor coils due to commutations. This noise rejection is an additional 0.29 R-C. The total time (commutation delay and noise rejection interval) must be less than a commutation cycle time.
BRAKE	I	Spindle Braking Enable - This input, when active low, dynamically brakes the spindle motor. A resistor (from SYSRST) and a capacitor (from VND) are connected to this pin to provide a delay between the initiation of fault-induced head retraction and motor braking. R-C are selected such that 1.2 R-C is equal to the maximum time required for head retraction.
VBIAS	O	Buffered Bias Voltage - VBIAS is buffered VREF to be used for VLIM and motor speed setting bias. (In some applications, it is necessary to create an "offset" to the speed control loop to obtain proper speed regulation.)
PROP	O	Proportional Channel D/A Output - The proportional channel output is the least significant 5 bits plus sign of the period measuring counter. The LSB signifies a 2 μ s period variation.
INTEGRAL	O	Integral Channel D/A Output - The integral channel output is the most significant 6 bits of an 8-bit accumulator. The accumulator adds the least 8 bits of the period measurement counter to the previous value obtained from prior period measurements and accumulations.
VIN	I	Speed Control Voltage Input - The combination of external driver transistors and internal pre-driver circuits forms a transconductance amplifier which will define the motor current in relation to VIN. In conjunction with the SENSE input and the gain setting for the sense amplifier, the transconductance gain is given by: $gm = IMOTOR / VIN = 1 / (RSENSE \cdot Gain)$ where IMOTOR is the current flowing through the spindle motor coils, RSENSE the current sense resistor and Gain is the gain of the current sense amplifier as set by the gain control bits G0 and G1.
VLIM	I	Current Limit Setting Voltage - The spindle motor current will be limited to a value determined by RSENSE, VLIM and Gain such that $I_{max} = VLIM / (RSENSE \cdot Gain)$. VLIM is used whenever the spindle speed is measured to be 256 counts too slow.

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SPINDLE MOTOR SPEED CONTROL (continued)

NAME	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
SENSE	I	Current Sense Amplifier Non-inverting Input - The external driver transistor sources are connected to a current sense resistor RSENSE to monitor motor current. The device will control the voltage across the sense resistor to match either VIN (during normal operation) and VLIM (during acceleration) such that: $(VSENSE - VSENSE_{REF}) \cdot \text{Gain} = VLIM \text{ or } VIN$
SENSE _{REF}	I	Current Sense Amplifier Reference Input - Pin for a Kelvin connection to the ground side of the sense resistor.
OUT(A,B,C)	O	Pre-driver Outputs - These pre-driver outputs drive the gates of external power NFETs.
OUT _{UP} (A,B,C)	O	Upper Pull-up Outputs - These pre-driver outputs drive the gates of external power PFETs. They are configured as open-drain outputs with internal 10 kΩ pull-up resistors to VM.
OUT _{CT}	O	Center Tap Pre-driver - This output drives an external PFET driver which connects the motor center tap to VM for unipolar drive applications. OUT _{CT} has the same characteristics as OUT _{UP} (A,B,C) and is enabled via the UNI bit.
VM	I	Spindle motor upper driver power supply pin.
VBRAKE	I	This pin provides the power for spindle motor braking upon power loss. An external diode from VM is used to charge an energy storage capacitor (10 μF, typical) which provides gate drive voltage for the external NFETs.
RRAMP	I	An external resistor (to VPD) sets the lower driver turn-off characteristics for noise reduction, 100 kΩ typical.
VBEMF	I	Back-emf Voltage - A power diode voltage drop from the system power supply is defined as VBEMF. For "power-fail" retract and braking, VBEMF is connected to VM and the external PFET sources. During power failure, the diodes in the PFETs rectify the motor voltage for head retract power.
COIL(A,B,C)	I	Back-emf Inputs - Inputs to be connected to their respective motor coils and the center tap for sensing generated back-emf voltages. The device uses the back-emf voltages to determine the rotor position and effect commutation.
CT	I	Center tap of motor used as reference for back-emf comparison.
REVCOM	O	Output selected by R/COM bit in REG 0 to be either REVCLK (once per revolution) or COMMU, the LSB of the commutation state counter.
LOCK	O	Output true indicates rotational period of motor is within ± 30 μs of desired value.
COMP	I	Compensation capacitor for the spindle transconductance loop. Typical value 0.01 μF to 0.1 μF.

SERIAL DATA INTERFACE

NAME	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
SDEN	I	Serial Data Enable, active high. SDEN is raised prior to serial data input and lowered after 16 SCLK pulses.
SCLK	I	Serial Data clock, falling edge clocks serial data into circuit.
SDATA	I	Serial Data input consisting of 8-bit mode and address word followed by 8-bit data word (MSB last). The first bit clocked in is the mode bit which for this circuit is Write mode only, (write a zero).

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may cause permanent damage to the device or affect reliability.

PARAMETER		RATING
Voltage applied to VPA, VPD	VDD	0.1 to 14.0
Voltage applied to VBRIDGE	VBRIDGE	0.1 to 14.0
Voltage applied to VBYP	VBYP	0.1 to 14.0
Voltage applied to VBEMF	VBEMF	0.1 to 18
Voltage applied to VM	VM	0.1 to 14.0
Voltage applied to VBRAKE	VBRAKE	0.1 to 14.0
VBEMF current if VBEMF > 18V	IBEMF	5.0
Signal pins	VMAX	-0.3 to VDD + 0.3
Storage temperature	Tstg	-65 to 150
Lead temperature	Tlead	300

OPERATING ENVIRONMENT LIMITATIONS

The recommended operating conditions for the device are indicated in the table below. Performance specifications do not apply where the device is operating outside these limits.

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
Supply voltage applied at VPA, VPD	VDD	4.5	-	5.5	V
Bridge voltage applied at VBRIDGE, VM	VBRIDGE, VM	4.5	-	13.2	V
Ambient temperature	Ta	0.0	-	70.0	°C
System clock	Fc	3.92	4	4.08	MHz
Capacitive load	CL			100	pF
digital outputs					
Analog input impedance	Rin	100	-	-	kΩ

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS (continued)

OPERATING ENVIRONMENT LIMITATIONS (continued)

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
Cin		-	-	20	pF
Load on analog outputs	Rout	10	-	-	k Ω
	Cout	-	-	40	pF
Bias resistor	RBIAS	23.7 k Ω	± 1		%

DC CHARACTERISTICS

The following electrical specifications apply to the digital input and output signals over the recommended operating range unless otherwise noted. Positive current is defined as entering the device. Minimum and maximum are based upon the magnitude of the number.

Supply current	IDD	VDD = 5.5V	-	-	30	mA
		SLP0	-	-	15	mA
		SLP1			50	μ A
Supply current on VBRAKE	IBRK	VBRAKE = 12V VDD = 0V	-	-	25	μ A
Supply current on VBYP	IBYP	VBYP = 12V	-	-	25	μ A
Output logic 1	Voh	Ioh = -0.4 mA VDD = 4.5V	2.4	-	-	V
Output logic 0	Vol	Iol = 1.6 mA VDD = 4.5V	-	-	0.4	V
Input logic 1	Vih	VDD = 4.5V	2.0	-	-	V
Input logic 0	Vil	VDD = 4.5V	-	-	0.8	V
Input logic 1 current	Iih	Vih = 5.5V VDD = 5.5V	-	-	10	μ A
Input logic 0 current	Iil	Vil = 0.0 VDD = 5.5V	-	-	-10	μ A
Input capacitance	Cin		-	-	10	pF

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FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Head Positioner MOSFET Driver

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
VRETR voltage	VBEMF = 3V	0.3	-	0.9	V
	VBEMF = 12V	0.4	-	1.2	V
Retract offset	VBEMF = 3V VRETRACT = 0.5V	-70		50	mV
	VBEMF = 6V VBYP = 4V to 13V	-70		70	mV
	VBEMF = 12V IAOUTR < 1mA	-150	-	150	mV
Voh at AOUTR	Ioh = -1 mA VBEMF = 4V VBYP = 4V	1.5	-	-	V
	VBEMF = 3V VBYP = 4V	1.3	-	-	V
Leakage current at AOUTR	RETRACT = LOW AOUTR = 0V to 14V	-	-	1	μA
Voh at AOUTA, AOUTC	Ioh = -1 mA	VBRIDGE -1.5			V
	Ioh = -1 μA	VBRIDGE -0.1		-	V
Vol at AOUTA, AOUTC	Iol = 10 μA	-		1	V
Voh at AOUTB	Ioh = -10 μA	VBRIDGE -0.5		-	V
Voh at AOUTD	Ioh = -10 μA	VBYP -0.5		-	V
Vol at AOUTB, AOUTD	Iol = 1 mA	-	-	1	V
	Iol = 10 μA		-	0.2	V
Input offset at SOUT		-	-	±3	mV
SOUT/(SE1-SE2)		3.9	-	4.1	V/V
SE1/ERR, SE3/ERR		14.0		15.4	V/V
ERRAMP input offset		-	-	±10	mV
ERRAMP gain			1000	-	V/V
Output crossover time PFET VTH = -2V CL = 600 pF at AOUTA, CNFET VTH = 2V CL = 150 pF at AOUTB, DRX = 50 kΩ		-	-	45	μs
Input impedance at SE1, SE2, SE3		20	-	-	kΩ
Output resistance at SOUT		-	-	350	Ω
Analog switch on-resistance at SWIN		-	-	600	Ω
Output resistance at ERR		-	-	100	Ω
Output current from VX			TBD		μA

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FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

Voltage Reference and Voltage Fault Circuit

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
VPA voltage for $\overline{\text{SYSRST}}$ & $\overline{\text{RCRST}}$ in operation		2.0		-	V
On resistance at $\overline{\text{RCRST}}$ VPA > 3.5V VBRAKE > 4V		-	-	800	Ω
VPA > 3.5V VBRAKE > 10V		-	-	550	Ω
$\overline{\text{RCRST}}$ input threshold VBRAKE = 4V		0.8	-	2.0	V
IBR voltage w.r.t. VREF		-80	-	20	mV
Output voltage at VREF $ \text{IL} < 10 \mu\text{A}$		2.28	2.35	2.42	V
VCHK1, VCHK2 comparator offset		2.25	-	2.45	V

Spindle Motor Speed Control

SYSCLK duty cycle		40	-	60	%
EXTINDX pulse width		200	-	-	ns
Advance pulse width		3	-	-	μs
Timing resistor at EXTRC		0.01	-	10	M Ω
Timing capacitor at EXTRC		100	-	-	pF
Delay time variation relative to T0*		-	-	± 5	%
Vil at BRAKE	VBRAKE = 5V	0	-	0.8	V
Vih at BRAKE	VBRAKE = 5V	2.0	-	-	V
Output voltage swing at PROP & INTEGRAL	Iout < 0.1 mA	0	-	VBIAS $\pm 5\%$	V
DAC step size at PROP, INTEGRAL		33	-	40	mV
Output impedance at PROP, INTEGRAL	0.5V < Vout < 2.0V Iout = 0.1 mA	-	-	300	Ω
VBIAS output w.r.t. VREF		-50	-	25	mV
Input voltage at VIN & VLIM		0	-	2.35	V
Input leakage current at VIN & VLIM		-	-	± 1	μA

* NOTE: T0 is the commutation delay and is given by the relationship $T0 = 0.56RC$. Suggested value for C would be 470 to 1000 pF. An external R and C must be provided such that T0 is greater than 10 μs (R = 22 k Ω , C = 470 pF).

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Spindle Motor Speed Control (continued)

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
Output resistance at OUTUP (A,B,C) & OUTCT	Output HIGH pulled to VM	5	-	20	kΩ
Vol at OUTUP (A,B,C) & OUTCT	Iout = 3mA VM = 13.2V		-	1.0	V
Voh, OUT (A,B,C)	Vpd = 5V, Vm ≥ 6V Iout = -50 μA	4.5	-		V
Vol at OUT (A,B,C)	Iout = 1 mA		-	1.0	V
Input voltage at SENSE	Av = 5	0.0		0.5	V
Input voltage at SENSEREF		0.0	-	0.05	V
Input leakage current at SENSE	0.0V < Vin < 1.0V	-	-	±10	μA
Input leakage current at SENSEREF	0.0V < Vin < 0.05V	-200	-	10	μA
Input capacitance at SENSE & SENSEREF		-	-	20	pF
Gain variation	Av = 5, 10, 15, 20	-	-	±10	%
Input impedance at COIL(A,B,C)	-0.3V < Vin < 15V	100	-	-	kΩ
Input capacitance at COIL(A,B,C)		-	-	10	pF
Input impedance at CT		30	-	-	kΩ
Input capacitance at CT		-	-	10	pF
LOCK indication range		-30	-	+30	μs
Speed resolution			2		μs

The motor speed control loop can be described as: $H(s) = K_p + K_i/s$

The transconductance gain from VIN or VLIM to the steady-state current flowing through the motor is given by $G = 1/(R_{SENSE} \cdot A_V)$

Error D/A Converter

ERRDAC full-scale voltage swing w.r.t ERREF		-	±(VREF/2)	-	V
Resolution		-	8	-	Bits
Conversion time*		-	4.0		μs
LSB voltage		-	VREF/256		mV
Output voltage at ERREF		1.568	1.616	1.664	V
ERRDAC offset w.r.t. ERREF		-	-	±5	mV
Differential linearity error		-	-	±0.75	LSB
Relative accuracy**		-	-	±1.0	LSB
Power supply sensitivity		-	-	±0.5	LSB

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Error D/A Converter _(continued)

*A maximum of 4 μ s of latency between a conversion request and the actual start of conversion must be added to this conversion time of 4 μ s to calculate the total delay time from a conversion request to the completion of conversion.

**Relative accuracy is the deviation of the analog value at any code (relative to the full analog range of the D/A transfer characteristic) from its theoretical value (relative to the same range), after the full-scale range has been calibrated.

Serial Data Interface

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
SDEN enable to SCLK delay	Tsens	35			ns
SDEN hold past SCLK	Tsensh	40			ns
SDATA setup	Tds	15			ns
SDATA hold time	Tdh	15			ns
SDATA address word to data word	Tad	40			ns
SCLK cycle time	Tc	100			ns
SCLK width low	Twcl	40			ns
SCLK width high	Twch	40			ns

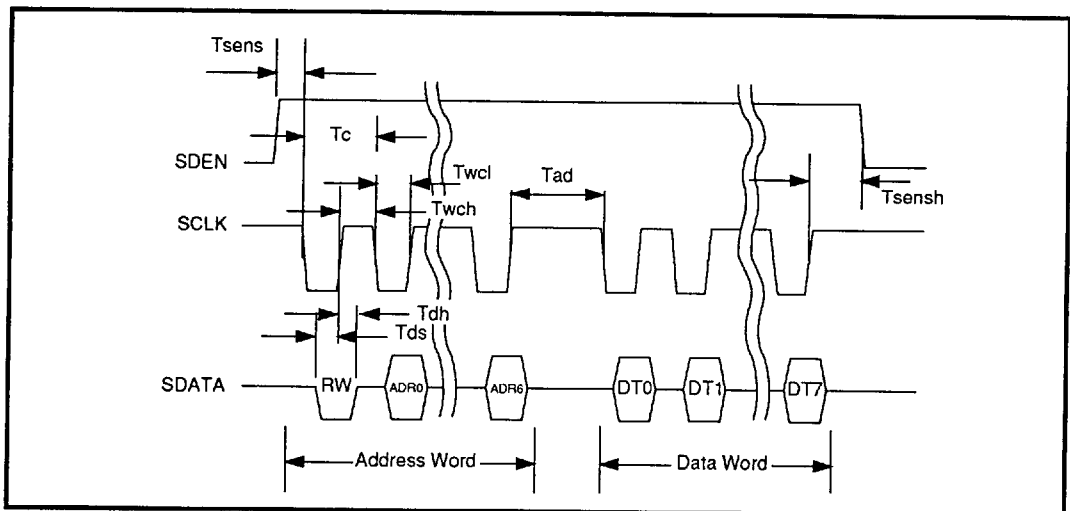


FIGURE 2: Timing Diagram

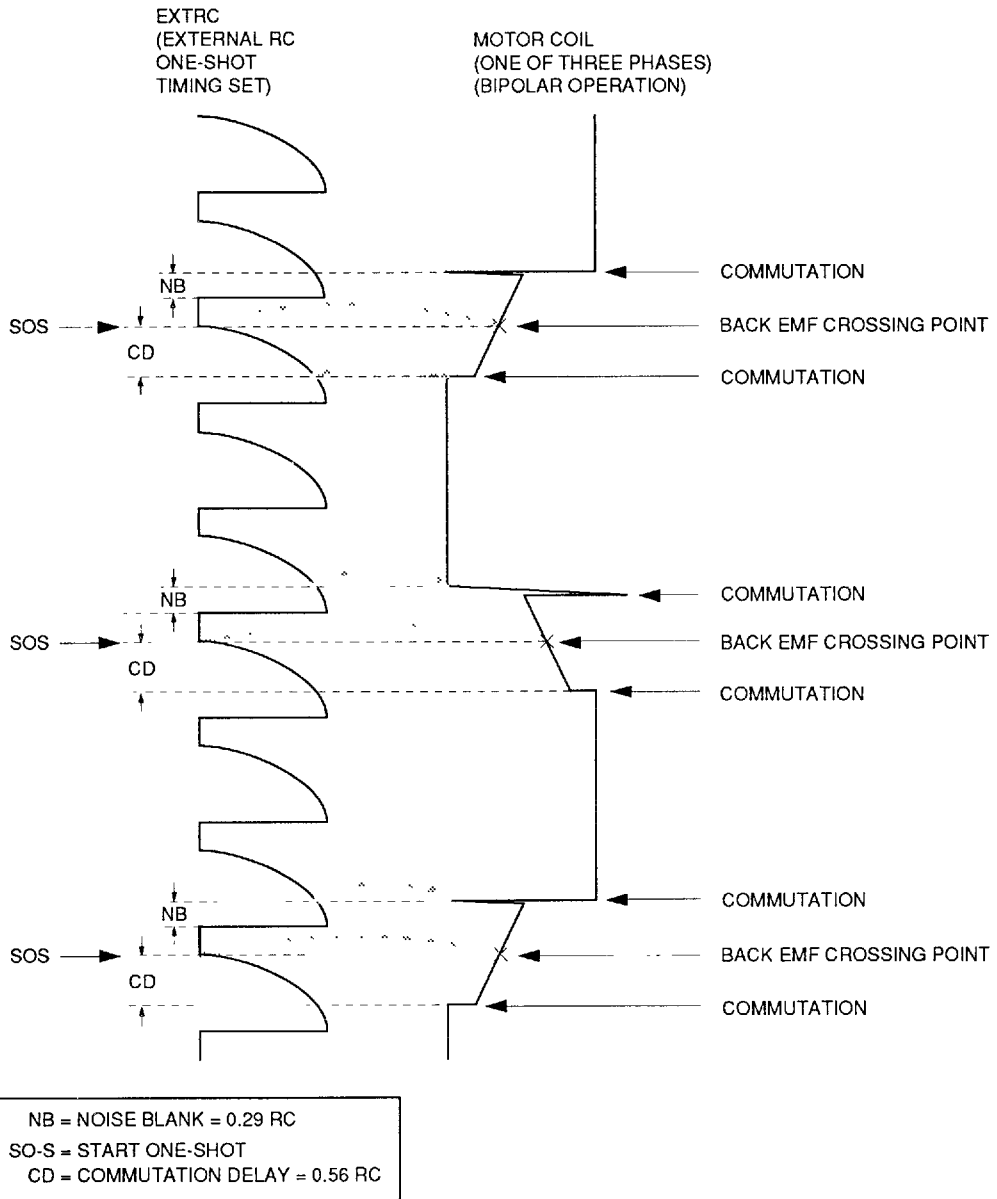


FIGURE 3: One-Shot Commutation Delay Timing Diagram

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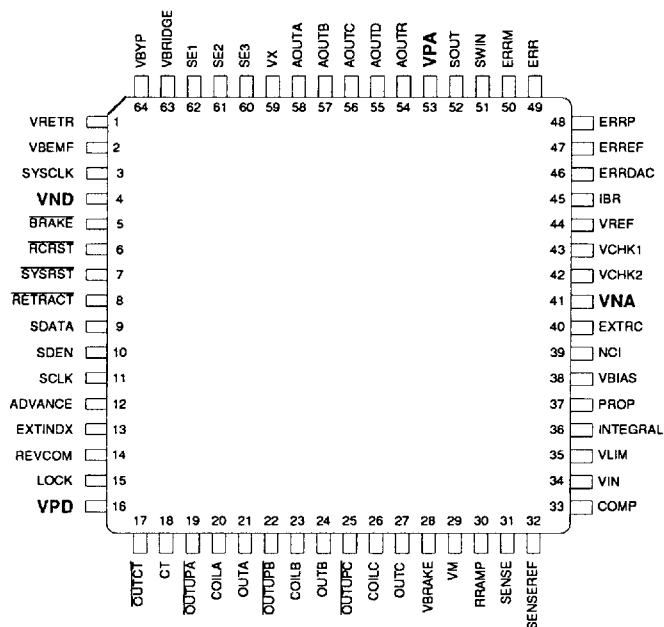
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PACKAGE PIN DESIGNATIONS

(Top View)

CAUTION: Use handling procedures necessary for a static sensitive component.



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