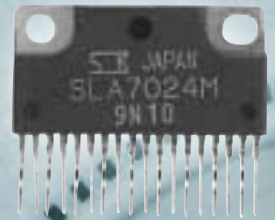


Motor Driver ICs



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■2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver ICs

Excitation method	Output current (A)					Motor supply voltage (V)	Package	Remarks	Page
	1	1.2	1.25	1.5	3				
2-phase excitation	SLA7022MU					to 46	ZIP15Pin		5
	SMA7022MU					to 46	ZIP15Pin		5
				SLA7029M		to 46	ZIP15Pin		5
				SMA7029M		to 46	ZIP15Pin		5
				SMA7036M		to 46	ZIP15Pin		12
2-phase/ 1-2 phase excitation	SDK03M					to 46	SMD16Pin	1 motor driven by 2 packages	36
	SLA7027MU					to 46	ZIP18Pin		20
			UCN5804B			to 35	DIP16Pin	Internal sequencer, constant voltage driver	42
				SLA7024M		to 46	ZIP18Pin		20
				SLA7032M		to 46	ZIP18Pin		28
					SLA7026M	to 46	ZIP18Pin		20
					SLA7033M	to 46	ZIP18Pin		28
2W1-2 phase Micro-step support		SLA7042M				to 46	ZIP18Pin		44
				SLA7044M	to 46	ZIP18Pin		44	

■Serial Signal Generator IC for SLA704xM

	Supply voltage (V)	Package	page
PG001M	4.5 to 5.5	DIP16Pin	48

■2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver ICs

Excitation method	Output current (A)						Motor supply voltage (V)	Package	Remarks	Page
	0.65	0.75	0.8	1.3	1.5	2				
2-phase/ 1-2 phase excitation	A3966SA						Vcc to 30	DIP16Pin		54
	A3966SLB						Vcc to 30	SOP16Pin		54
			A3964SLB				Vcc to 30	SOP20Pin		58
				A3953SB			Vcc to 50	DIP16Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	60
				A3953SLB			Vcc to 50	SOP16Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	60
					A2918SW		10 to 45	ZIP18Pin		68
						A3952SB	Vcc to 50	DIP16Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	70
						A3952SLB	Vcc to 50	SOP16Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	70
						A3952SW	Vcc to 50	SIP12Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	70
	2-phase/1-2 phase/W1-2 phase excitation		UDN2916B					10 to 45	DIP24Pin	
		UDN2916LB					10 to 45	SOP24Pin		78
					UDN2917EB		10 to 45	PLCC44Pin		84
2W1-2 phase excitation/ micro-step support					A3955SB		Vcc to 50	DIP16Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	88
					A3955SLB		Vcc to 50	SOP16Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	88
4W1-2 phase excitation/micro- step support					A3957SLB		Vcc to 50	SOP24Pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	94

■3-Phase Stepper Motor Driver Control ICs

Excitation method	Part No.	Motor supply voltage (V)	Package	Remarks	Page
2-phase/ 2-3 phase excitation	SI-7600	15 to 45	SOP20Pin	Use with SLA5017 or others	98
	SI-7600D		DIP20Pin		

■5-Phase Stepper Motor Driver Control ICs

Drive method	Part No.	Motor supply voltage (V)	Package	Remarks	Page
Pentagon connection	SI-7502	15 to 42	Powder coating 27 pin	Use with SLA6503 and SLA5011	104

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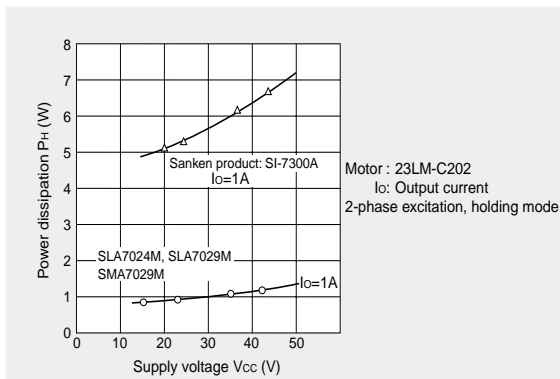
Part No.	Output current (A)	Supply voltage (V)	Drive method	Excitation method	Package	Remarks	Page
A2918SW	1.5	10 to 45	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	ZIP18pin		68
A3952SB	2	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	DIP16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	70
A3952SLB	2	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	SOP16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	70
A3952SW	2	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	SIP12pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	70
A3953SB	1.3	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	DIP16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	60
A3953SLB	1.3	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	SOP16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	60
A3955SB	1.5	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2W/1-2 phase micro-step support	DIP16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	88
A3955SLB	1.5	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	2W/1-2 phase micro-step support	SOP16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	88
A3957SLB	1.5	V _{CC} to 50	Bipolar	4W/1-2 phase micro-step support	SOP24pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	94
A3964SLB	0.8	V _{CC} to 30	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	SOP20pin		58
A3966SA	0.65	V _{CC} to 30	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	DIP16pin		54
A3966SLB	0.65	V _{CC} to 30	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	SOP16pin		54
PG001M	–	4.5 to 5.5	–	–	DIP16pin	Serial signal generator IC for SLA704xM	48
SDK03M	1	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	SMD16pin	One motor driven by 2 ICs	36
SI-7502	–	15 to 42	Pentagon connection	5-phase excitation	Powder coat 27pin	Control IC	104
SI-7600	–	15 to 45	Star connection/ delta connection	2-phase/2-3 phase excitation	SOP20pin	Control IC	98
SI-7600D	–	15 to 45	Star connection/ delta connection	2-phase/2-3 phase excitation	DIP20pin	Control IC	98
SLA7022MU	1	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase excitation	ZIP15pin		5
SLA7024M	1.5	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	ZIP18pin		20
SLA7026M	3	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	ZIP18pin		20
SLA7027MU	1	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	ZIP18pin		20
SLA7029M	1.5	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase excitation	ZIP15pin		5
SLA7032M	1.5	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	ZIP18pin	SLA7024M equivalent	28
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SLA7042M	1.2	to 46	Unipolar	2W/1-2 phase micro-step support	ZIP18pin		44
SLA7044M	3	to 46	Unipolar	2W/1-2 phase micro-step support	ZIP18pin		44
SMA7022MU	1	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase excitation	ZIP15pin		5
SMA7029M	1.5	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase excitation	ZIP15pin		5
SMA7036M	1.5	to 46	Unipolar	2-phase excitation	ZIP15pin	SMA7029M equivalent	12
UCN5804B	1.25	to 35	Unipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase excitation	DIP16pin	Internal sequencer, constant voltage driver	42
UDN2916B	0.75	10 to 45	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase/W1-2 phase excitation	DIP24pin		78
UDN2916LB	0.75	10 to 45	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase/W1-2 phase excitation	SOP24pin		78
UDN2917EB	1.5	10 to 45	Bipolar	2-phase/1-2 phase/W1-2 phase excitation	PLCC44pin		84

Notes on SLA7000/SMA7000 Series

■Features

- Employs a constant-current chopper control method.
- Integrates power MOSFETs and monolithic chip control circuitry in a single package.
- One-fifth the size and one-fourth the power dissipation compared with conventional SANKEN ICs

Comparison of power dissipation.



- Eliminates the need for heatsink thereby decreasing part-insertion workload and increasing flexibility in mounting.
- Reduces the size of power supplies required.
- Lineup: 2-phase excitation, 2-phase/1-2 phase excitation, 2W1-2 phase micro-step support ICs

■Applications

The SLA7000 and SMA7000 series are ideal for the following applications.

- Sheet feeders and carriage drivers in printers.
- Sheet feeders for PPC and facsimile machines.
- Numeric control equipment.
- Industrial robots.

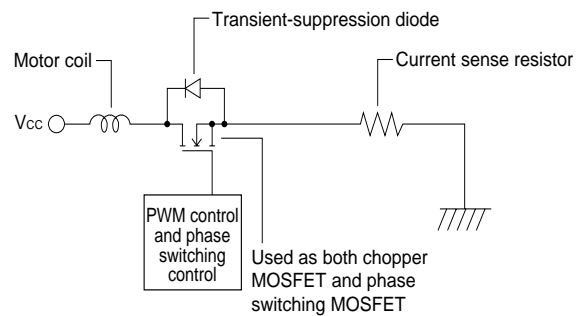
■Handling Precautions

- Recommended screw torque
 0.588 to 0.784 [N•m](6.0 to 8.0 [kgf•cm])
- Recommended silicon grease
 Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd.: G746
 GE Toshiba Silicone Co., Ltd.: YG-6260
 Dow Corning Toray Silicone Co., Ltd.: SC102
 Please be careful when selecting silicone grease since the oil in some grease may penetrate the product, which will result in an extremely short product life.

■Constant Current Chopper Method

In the constant current chopper method, a voltage higher than the rated voltage of the motor is applied and when the current rises, the chopper transistor is switched on thereby shortening the current rise time. After the current rises, the coil current is held by the PWM chopper to a constant current level determined by the current sense resistor. This method has the advantage of improving the motor's high frequency response and the efficiency response and efficiency of the driver circuitry.

Basic constant current chopper circuitry



2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver ICs

Absolute Maximum Ratings

(T_a=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings				Units
		SLA7022MU	SLA7029M	SMA7022MU	SMA7029M	
Motor supply voltage	V _{CC}	46				V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V _{DSS}	100				V
Control supply voltage	V _S	46				V
TTL input voltage	V _{IN}	7				V
Reference voltage	V _{REF}	2				V
Output current	I _O	1	1.5	1	1.5	A
Power dissipation	P _{D1}	4.5 (Without Heatsink)		4.0 (Without Heatsink)		W
	P _{D2}	35 (T _C =25°C)		28(T _C =25°C)		W
Channel temperature	T _{ch}	+150				°C
Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +150				°C

Electrical Characteristics

(T_a=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings												Units
		SLA7022MU			SLA7029M			SMA7022MU			SMA7029M			
		min	typ	max	min	typ	max	min	typ	max	min	typ	max	
Control supply current	I _S		10	15		10	15		10	15		10	15	mA
	Condition	V _S =44V			V _S =44V			V _S =44V			V _S =44V			
Control supply voltage	V _S	10	24	44	10	24	44	10	24	44	10	24	44	V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V _{DSS}	100			100			100			100			V
	Condition	V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250 μA			V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250 μA			V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250 μA			V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250 μA			
FET ON voltage	V _{DS}			0.85			0.6			0.85			0.6	V
	Condition	I _D =1A, V _S =14V			I _D =1A, V _S =14V			I _D =1A, V _S =14V			I _D =1A, V _S =14V			
FET drain leakage current	I _{DSS}			4			4			4			4	mA
	Condition	V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			
FET diode forward voltage	V _{SD}			1.2			1.1			1.2			1.1	V
	Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =1A			
TTL input current	I _{IH}			40			40			40			40	μA
	Condition	V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			
	I _{IL}			-0.8			-0.8			-0.8			-0.8	mA
	Condition	V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V			
TTL input voltage (Active High)	V _{IH}	2			2			2			2			V
	Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =1A			
	V _{IL}			0.8			0.8			0.8			0.8	
	Condition	V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			
TTL input voltage (Active Low)	V _{IH}	2			2			2			2			V
	Condition	V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			
	V _{IL}			0.8			0.8			0.8			0.8	
	Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =1A			
Switching time	T _r		0.5			0.5			0.5			0.5		μs
	Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			
	T _{stg}		0.7			0.7			0.7			0.7		
	Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			
	T _f		0.1			0.1			0.1			0.1		
Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A				

Internal Block Diagram

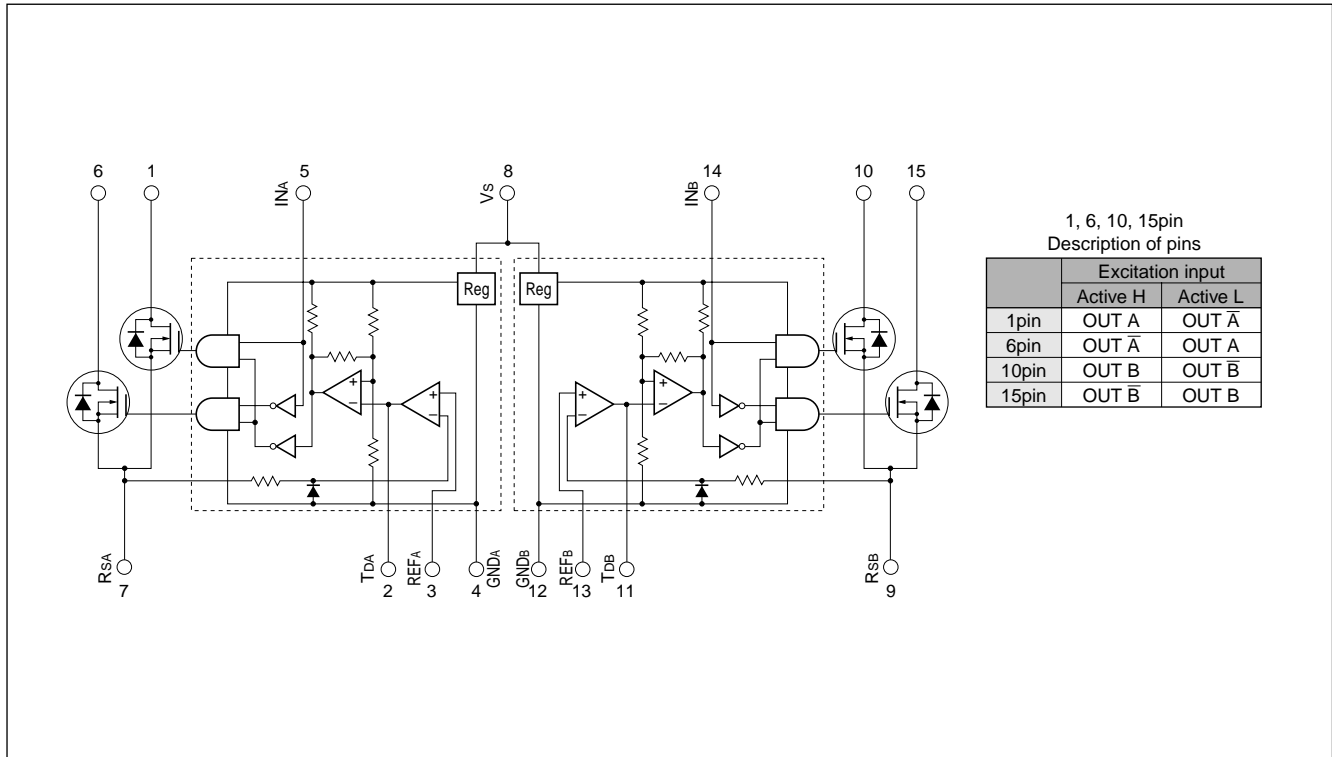
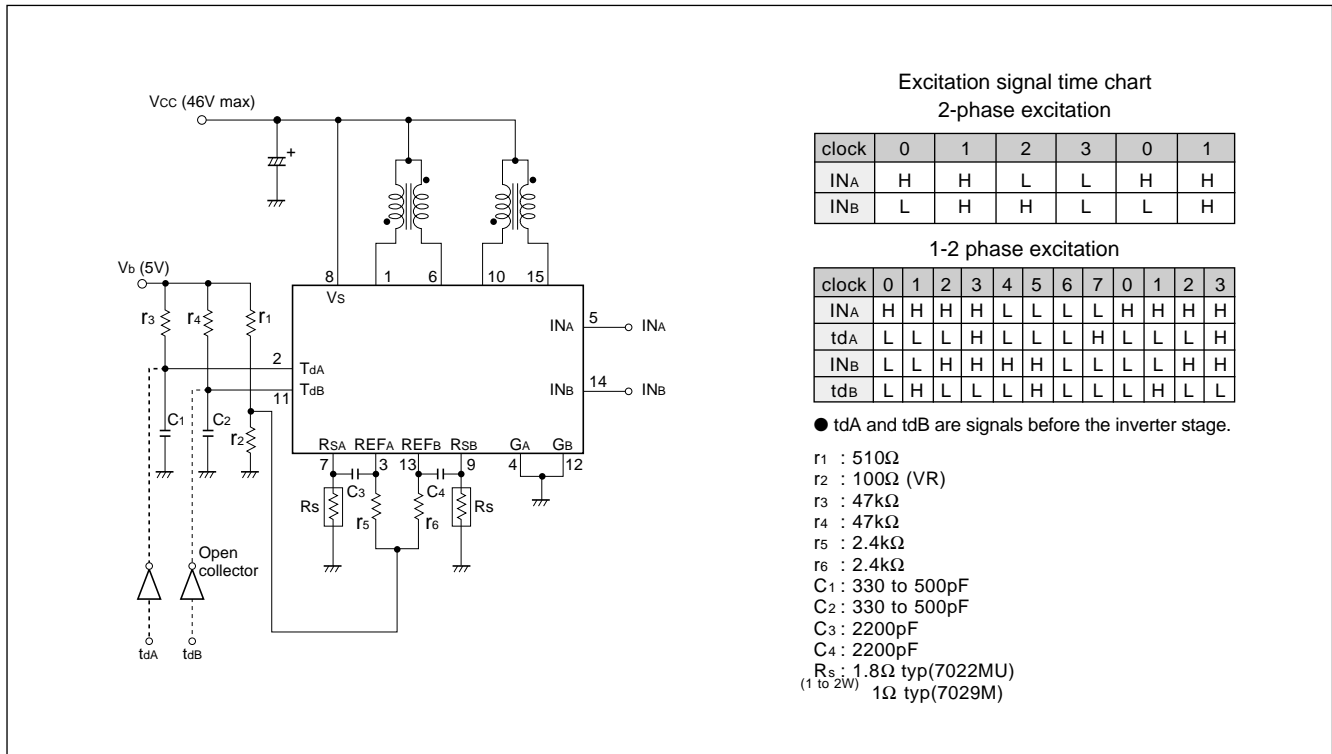
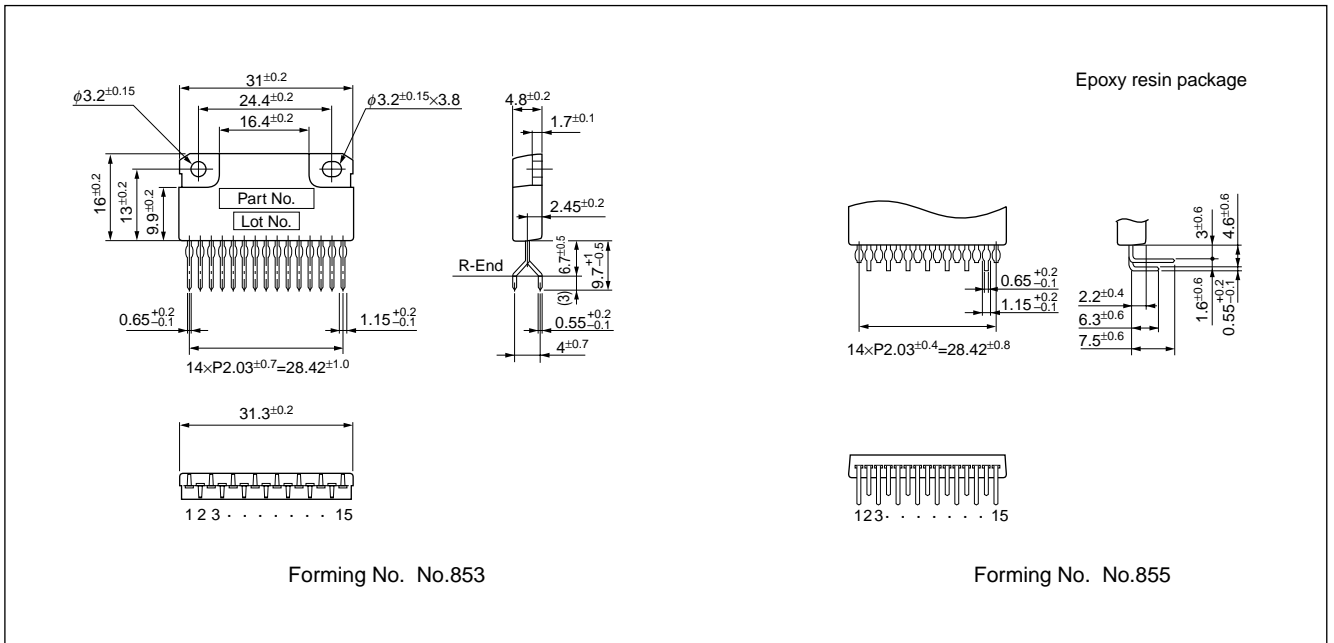


Diagram of Standard External Circuit (Recommended Circuit Constants)



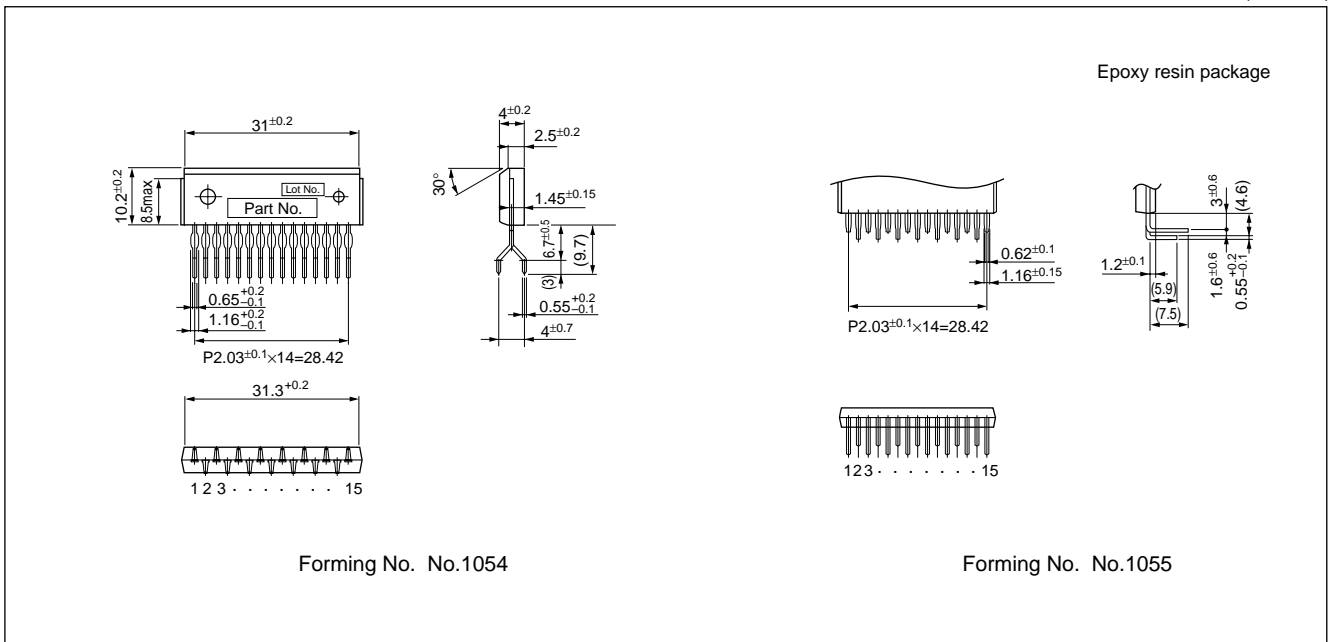
External Dimensions SLA7022MU/SLA7029M

(Unit: mm)



External Dimensions SMA7022MU/SMA7029MA

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

Determining the Output Current

Fig. 1 shows the waveform of the output current (motor coil current). The method of determining the peak value of the output current (I_o) based on this waveform is shown below.

(Parameters for determining the output current I_o)

- V_b : Reference supply voltage
- r_1, r_2 : Voltage-divider resistors for the reference supply voltage
- R_s : Current sense resistor

(1) Normal rotation mode

I_o is determined as follows when current flows at the maximum level during motor rotation. (See Fig.2.)

$$I_o \cong \frac{r_2}{r_1+r_2} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

(2) Power down mode

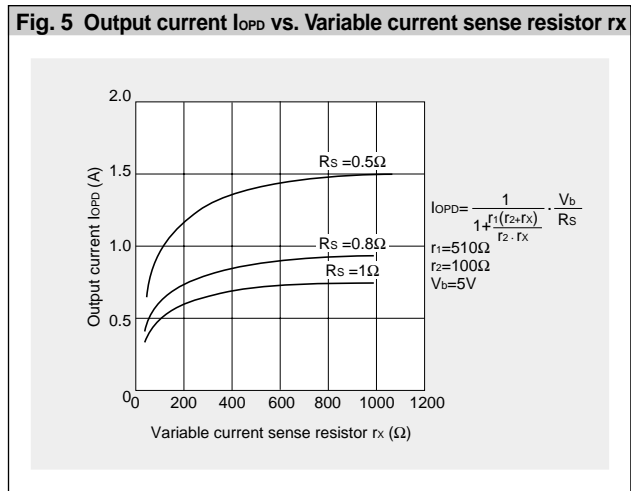
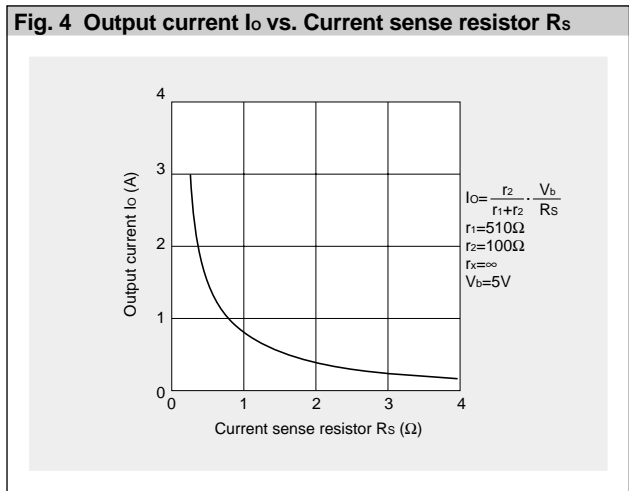
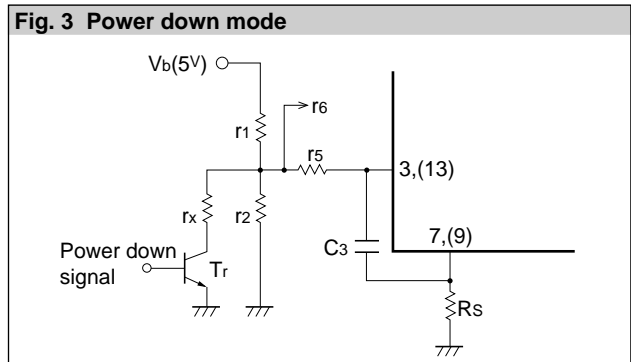
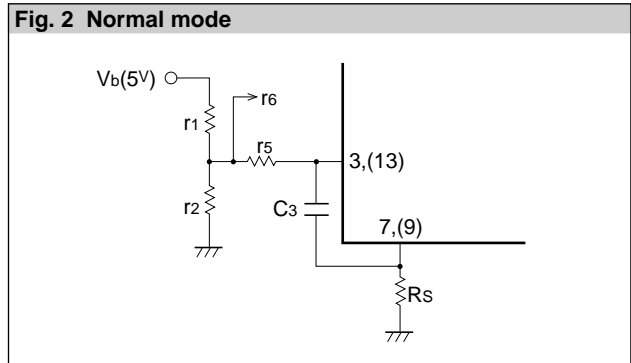
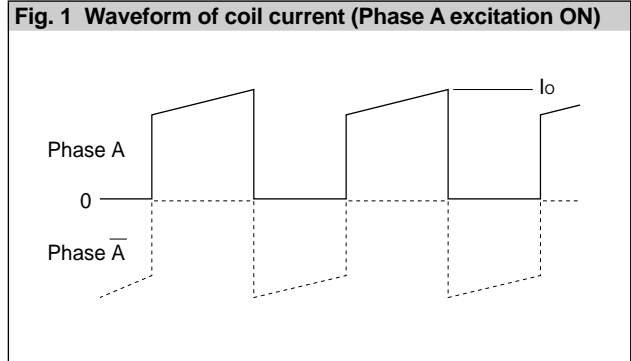
The circuit in Fig.3 (r_x and T_r) is added in order to decrease the coil current. I_o is then determined as follows.

$$I_{OPD} \cong \frac{1}{1 + \frac{r_1(r_2+r_x)}{r_2 \cdot r_x}} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Equation (2) can be modified to obtain equation to determine r_x .

$$r_x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{r_1} \left(\frac{V_b}{R_s \cdot I_{OPD}} - 1 \right) - \frac{1}{r_2}}$$

Fig. 4 and 5 show the graphs of equations (1) and (2) respectively.



(NOTE)

Ringing noise is produced in the current sense resistor R_s when the MOSFET is switched ON and OFF by chopping. This noise is also generated in feedback signals from R_s which may therefore cause the comparator to malfunction. To prevent chopping malfunctions, $r_5(r_6)$ and $C_3(C_4)$ are added to act as a noise filter.

However, when the values of these constants are increased, the response from R_s to the comparator becomes slow. Hence the value of the output current I_o is somewhat higher than the calculated value.

Determining the chopper frequency

Determining T_{OFF}

The SLA7000M and SMA7000M series are self-excited choppers. The chopping OFF time T_{OFF} is fixed by r₃/C₁ and r₄/C₂ connected to terminal Td.

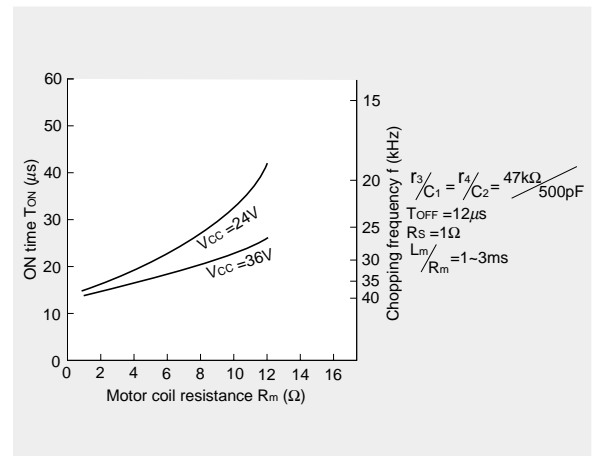
T_{OFF} can be calculated using the following formula:

$$T_{OFF} \approx -r_3 \cdot C_1 \ln\left(1 - \frac{2}{V_b}\right) \approx -r_4 \cdot C_2 \ln\left(1 - \frac{2}{V_b}\right)$$

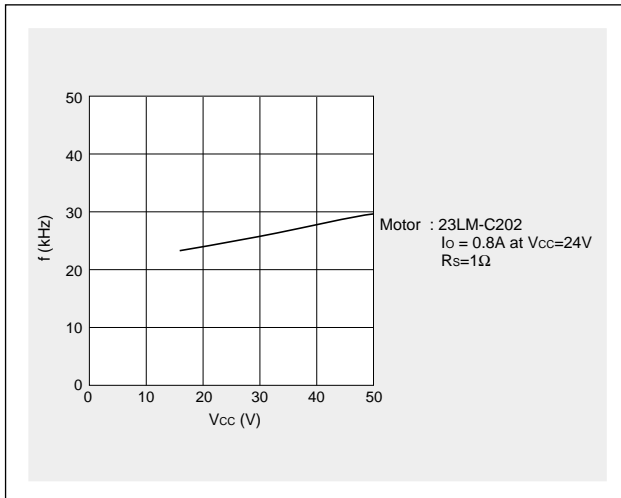
The circuit constants and the T_{OFF} value shown below are recommended.

T_{OFF} = 12μs at r₃=47kΩ, C₁=500pF, V_b=5V

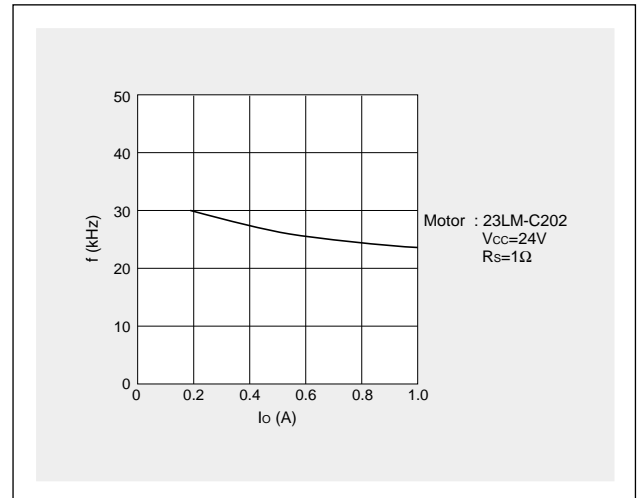
Fig. 6 Chopper frequency vs. Motor coil resistance



Chopper frequency vs. Supply voltage



Chopper frequency vs. Output current



Thermal Design

An outline of the method for calculating heat dissipation is shown below.

- (1) Obtain the value of P_H that corresponds to the motor coil current I_o from Fig. 7 "Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o ."

- (2) The power dissipation P_{diss} is obtained using the following formula.

2-phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong 2P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

1-2 phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong \frac{3}{2} P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

- (3) Obtain the temperature rise that corresponds to the calculated value of P_{diss} from Fig. 8 "Temperature rise."

Fig. 7 Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o

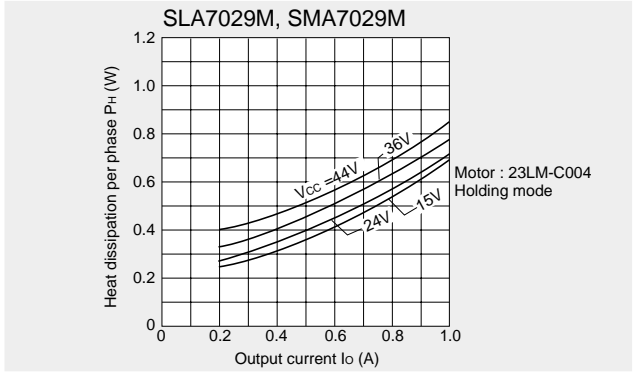
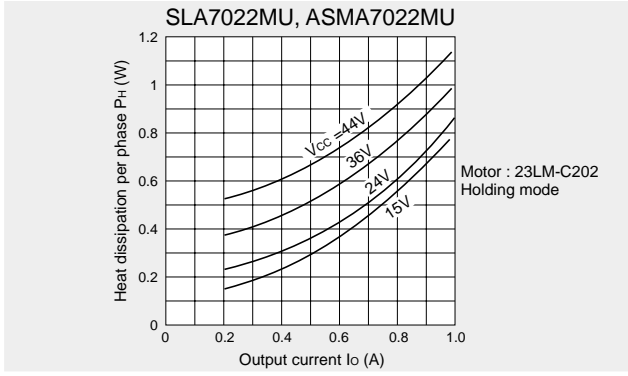
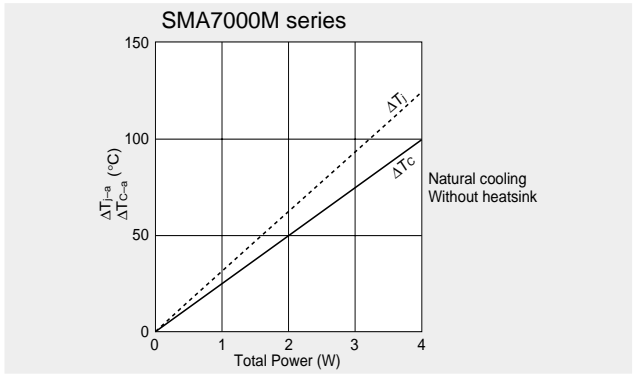
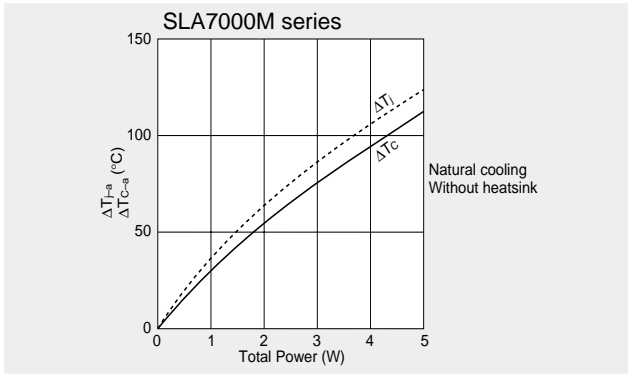
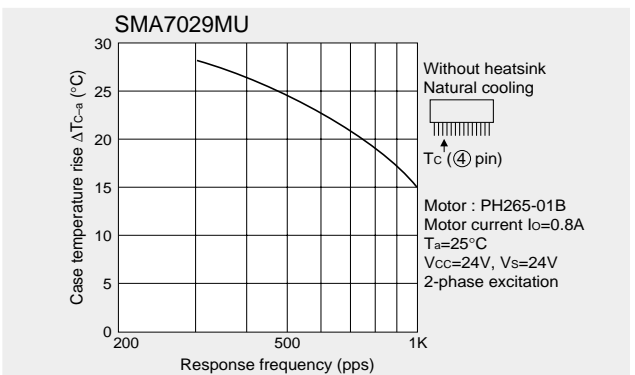
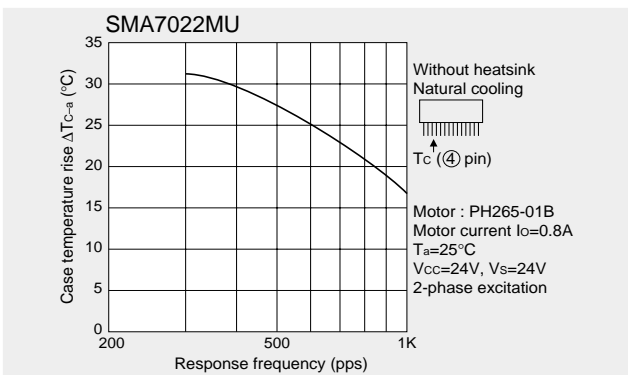
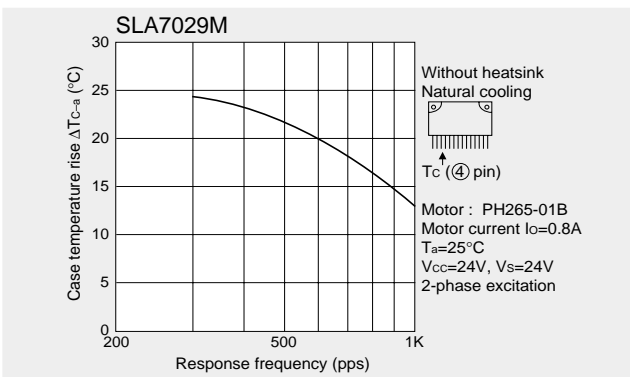
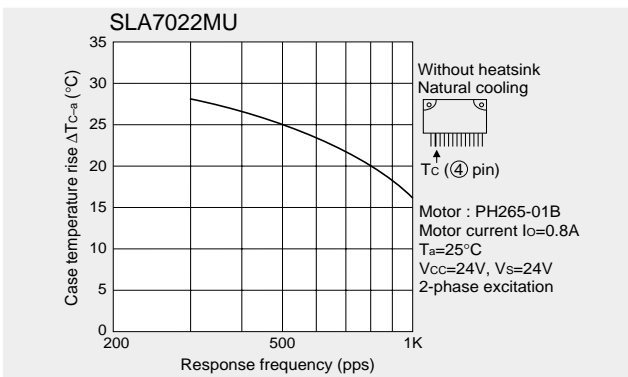


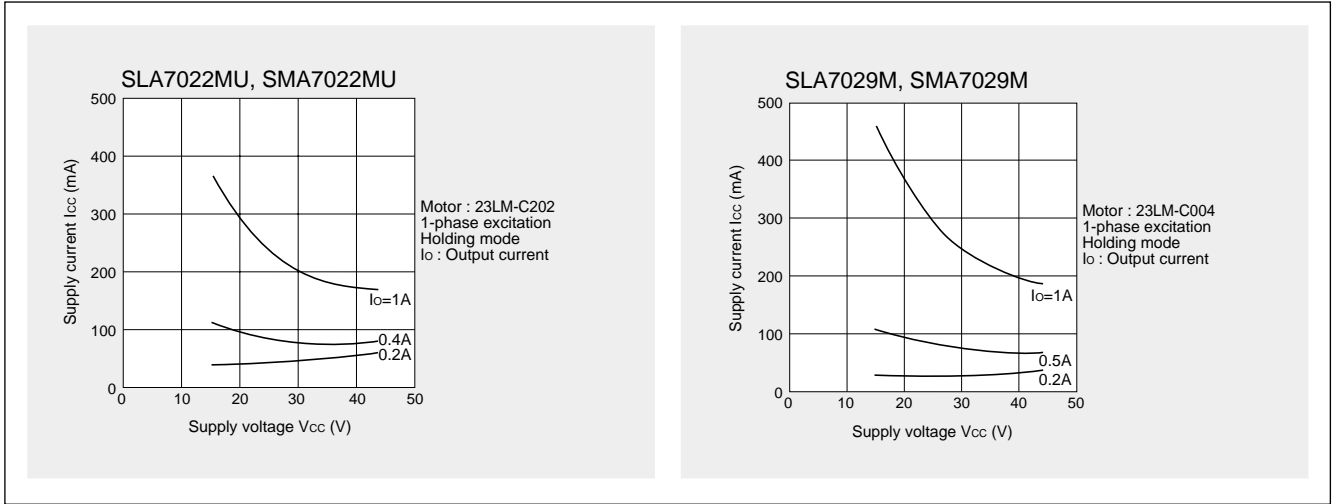
Fig. 8 Temperature rise



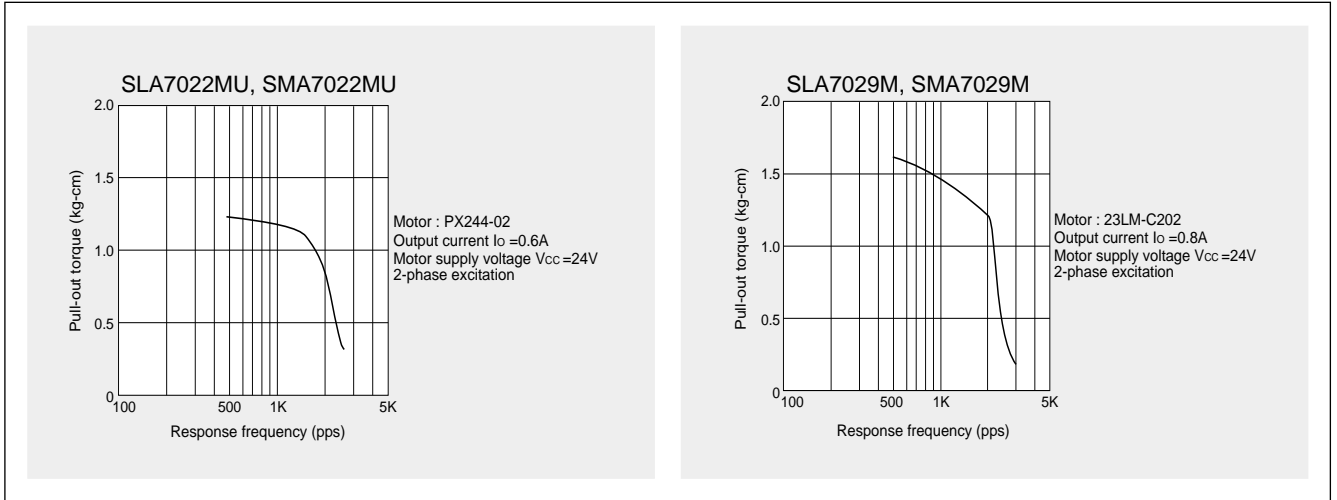
Thermal characteristics



■ Supply Voltage V_{CC} vs. Supply Current I_{CC}



■ Torque Characteristics



2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver IC

■Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Motor supply voltage	V_{CC}	46	V
Control supply voltage	V_S	46	V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V_{DSS}	100	V
TTL input voltage	V_{IN}	-0.3 to +7	V
SYNC terminal voltage	V_{SYNC}	-0.3 to +7	V
Reference voltage	V_{REF}	-0.3 to +7	V
Sense voltage	V_{RS}	-5 to +7	V
Output current	I_O	1.5	A
Power dissipation	P_{D1}	4.0 ($T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$)	W
	P_{D2}	28 ($T_c=25^\circ\text{C}$)	W
Channel temperature	T_{ch}	150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-40 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Ambient operating temperature	T_a	-20 to +85	$^\circ\text{C}$

■Electrical Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings			Units	
		min	typ	max		
Control supply current	I_S		10	15	mA	
	Condition	$V_S=44\text{V}$				
Control supply voltage	V_S	10	24	44	V	
	Condition	$V_S=44\text{V}, I_{BSS}=250\ \mu\text{A}$				
FET ON voltage	V_{DS}			0.6	V	
	Condition	$I_D=1\text{A}, V_S=10\text{V}$				
FET diode forward voltage	V_{SD}			1.1	V	
	Condition	$I_{SD}=1\text{A}$				
FET drain leakage current	I_{DSS}			250	μA	
	Condition	$V_{DSS}=100\text{V}, V_S=44\text{V}$				
IN terminal	Active H	V_{IH}	2		V	
		Condition	$I_D=1\text{A}$			
		V_{IL}				0.8
	Active L	V_{IH}	2		V	
		Condition	$V_{DSS}=100\text{V}$			
		V_{IL}				0.8
Input current	I_i			± 1	μA	
	Condition	$V_S=44\text{V}, V_i=0\ \text{or}\ 5\text{V}$				
SYNC terminal	Input voltage	$V_{SYNC\ H}$	4.0		V	
		Condition	Synchronous chopping mode			
		$V_{SYNC\ L}$				0.8
	Input current	Condition	Asynchronous chopping mode			
		$I_{SYNC\ H}$			0.1	
		Condition	$V_S=44\text{V}, V_{YS}=5\text{V}$			
REF terminal	Input voltage	V_{REF}	0	2.0	V	
		Condition	Reference voltage input			
		V_{REF}	4.0			5.5
	Input current	Condition	Output FET OFF			
		I_{REF}			± 1	
		Condition	No synchronous trigger			
Internal resistance	R_{REF}		40		Ω	
	Condition	Resistance between GND and REF terminal at synchronous trigger				
Switching time	T_{on}		1.5		μs	
		Condition	$V_S=24\text{V}, I_D=1\text{A}$			
	T_r		0.5			
		Condition	$V_S=24\text{V}, I_D=1\text{A}$			
	T_{stg}		0.9			
		Condition	$V_S=24\text{V}, I_D=1\text{A}$			
T_f		0.1				
	Condition	$V_S=24\text{V}, I_D=1\text{A}$				
Chopping OFF time	T_{OFF}		12		μs	
	Condition	$V_S=24\text{V}$				

Internal Block Diagram

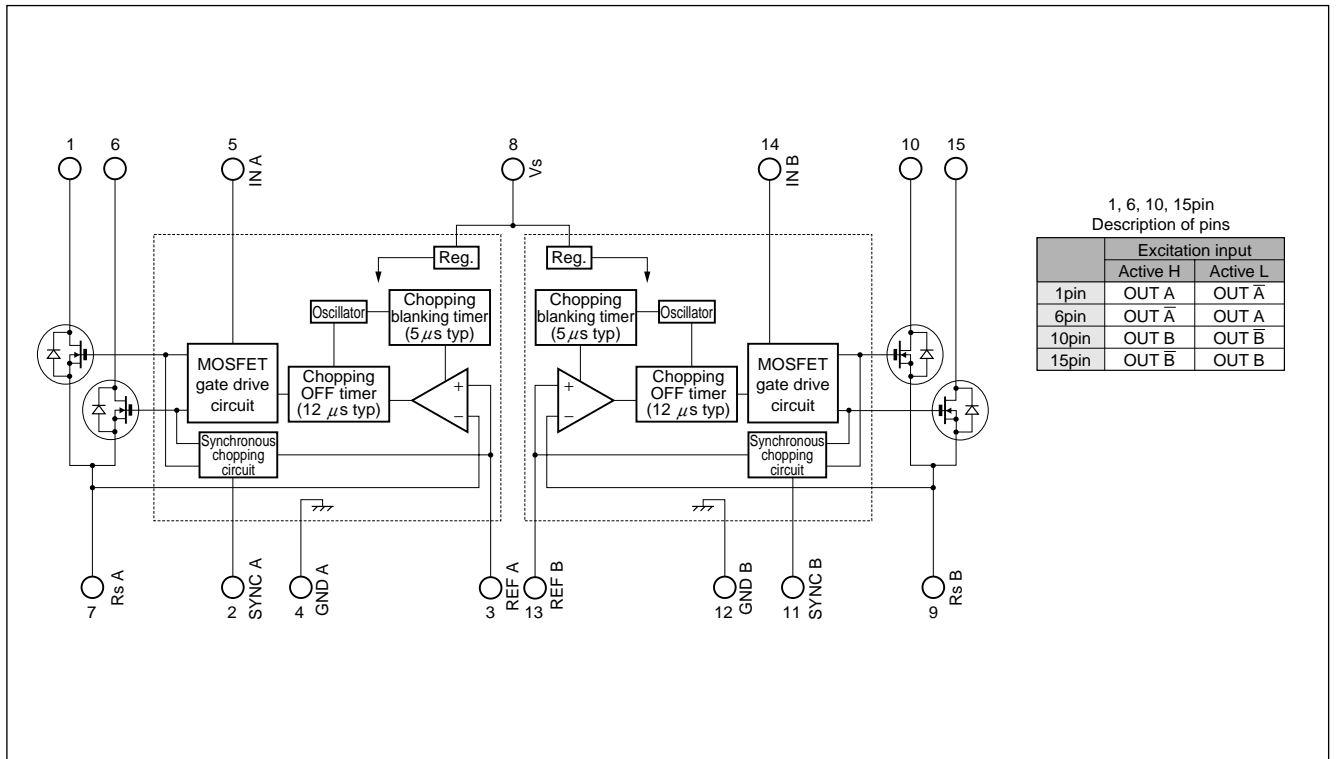
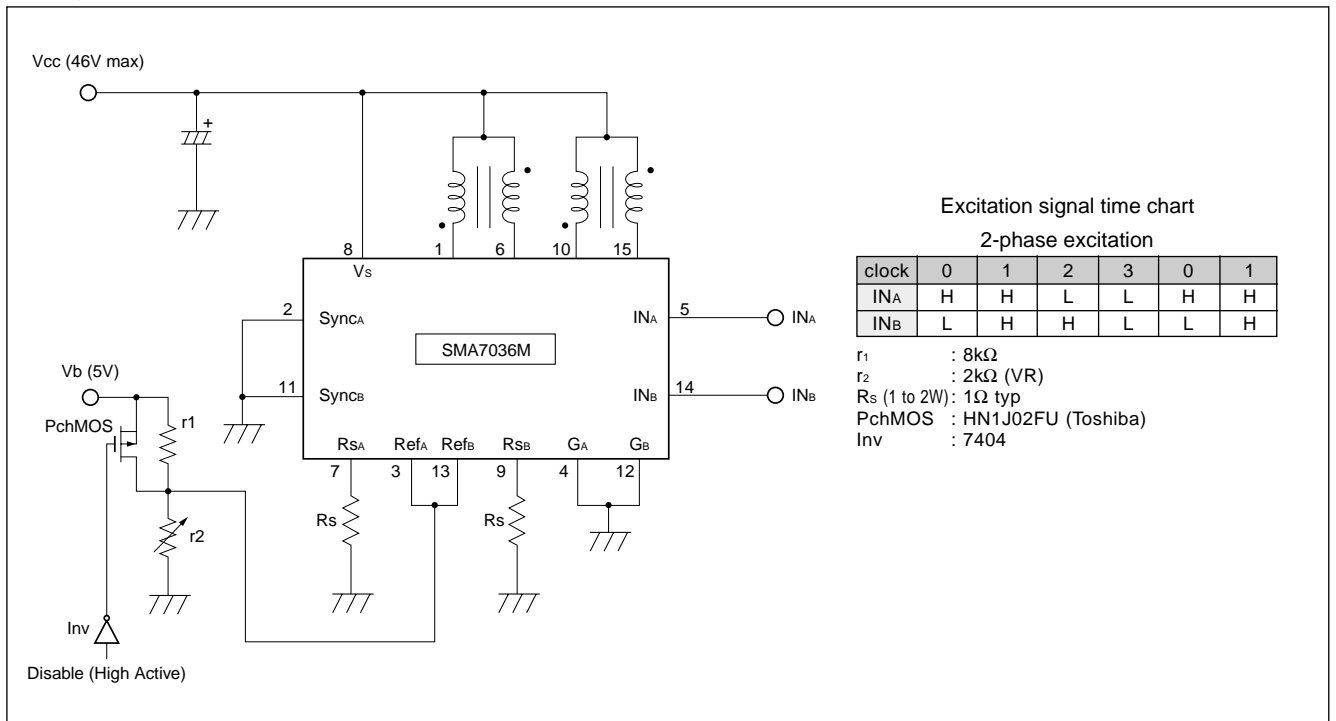
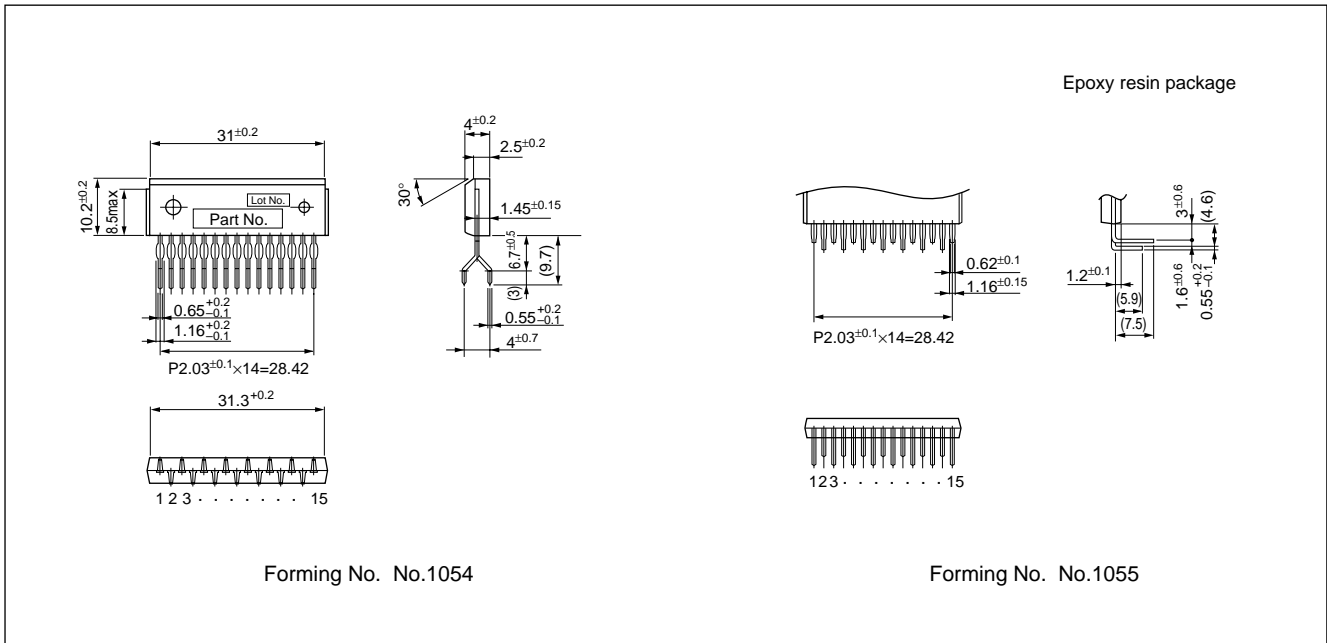


Diagram of Standard External Circuit (Recommended Circuit Constants)



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

■Outline

SMA7036M is a stepper motor driver IC developed to reduce the number of external parts required by the conventional SMA7029M. This IC successfully eliminates the need for some external parts without sacrificing the features of SMA7029M. The basic function pins are compatible with those of SMA7029M.

■Notes on Replacing SMA7029M

SMA7036M is pin-compatible with SMA7029M. When using the IC on an existing board, the following preparations are necessary:

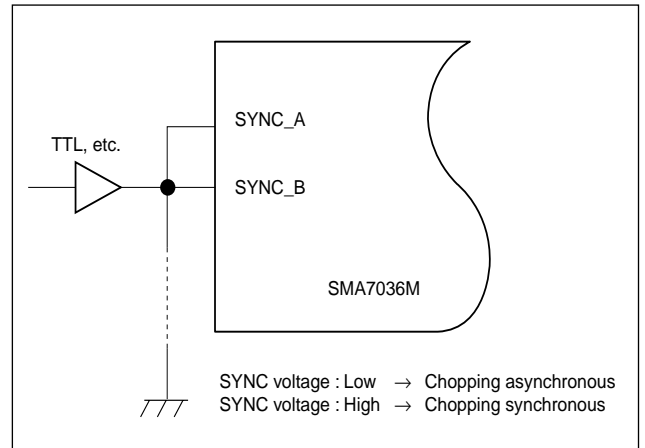
- (1) Remove the resistors and capacitors attached for setting the chopping OFF time. (r_3 , r_4 , C_1 , and C_2 in the catalog)
- (2) Remove the resistors and capacitors attached for preventing noise in the detection voltage V_{RS} from causing malfunctioning and short the sections from which the resistors were removed using jumper wires. (r_5 , r_6 , C_3 , and C_4 in the catalog)
- (3) Normally, keep pins 2 and 11 grounded because their functions have changed to synchronous and asynchronous switching (SYNC terminals). For details, see "Circuit for Preventing Abnormal Noise When the Motor Is Not Running (Synchronous circuit)." (Low: asynchronous, High: synchronous)

■Circuit for Preventing Abnormal Noise When the Motor Is Not Running (Synchronous Circuit)

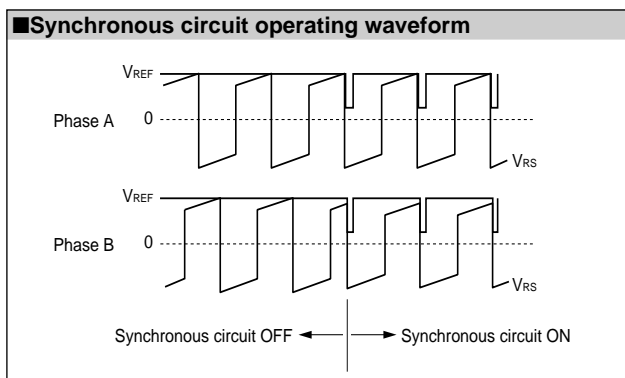
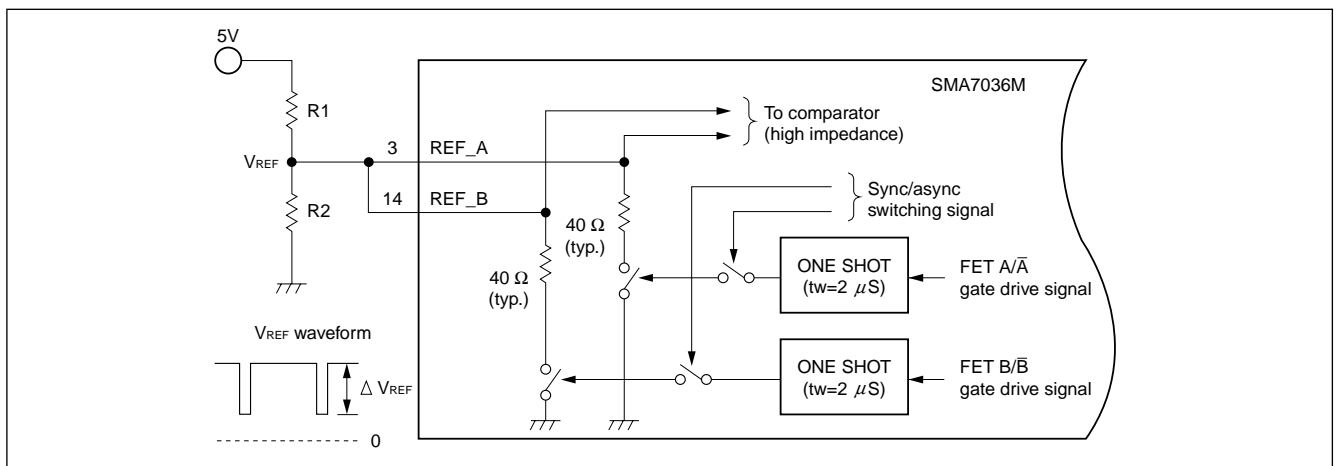
A motor may generate abnormal noise when it is not running. This phenomenon is attributable to asynchronous chopping between phases A and B. To prevent the phenomenon, SMA7036M contains a synchronous chopping circuit. Do not leave the SYNC terminals open because they are for CMOS input.

Connect TTL or similar to the SYNC terminals and switch the SYNC terminal level high or low.

When the motor is not running, set the TTL signal high (SYNC terminal voltage: 4 V or more) to make chopping synchronous. When the motor is running, set the TTL signal low (SYNC terminal voltage: 0.8 V or less) to make chopping asynchronous. If chopping is set to synchronous when the motor is running, the motor torque deteriorates before the coil current reaches the set value. If no abnormal noise occurs when the motor is not running, ground the SYNC terminals (TTL not necessary).



The built-in synchronous chopping circuit superimposes a trigger signal on the REF terminal for synchronization between the two phases. The figure below shows the internal circuit of the REF terminal. Since the ΔV_{REF} varies depending on the values of R1 and R2, determine these values for when the motor is not running within the range where the two phases are synchronized.



Determining the Output Current

Fig. 1 shows the waveform of the output current (motor coil current). The method of determining the peak value of the output current (I_o) based on this waveform is shown below.

(Parameters for determining the output current I_o)

- V_b : Reference supply voltage
- r_1, r_2 : Voltage-divider resistors for the reference supply voltage
- R_s : Current sense resistor

(1) Normal rotation mode

I_o is determined as follows when current flows at the maximum level during motor rotation. (See Fig.2.)

$$I_o \cong \frac{r_2}{r_1+r_2} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

(2) Power down mode

The circuit in Fig.3 (r_x and T_r) is added in order to decrease the coil current. I_{OPD} is then determined as follows.

$$I_{OPD} \cong \frac{1}{1 + \frac{r_1(r_2+r_x)}{r_2 \cdot r_x}} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Equation (2) can be modified to obtain equation to determine r_x .

$$r_x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{r_1} \left(\frac{V_b}{R_s \cdot I_{OPD}} - 1 \right) - \frac{1}{r_2}}$$

Fig. 4 and 5 show the graphs of equations (1) and (2) respectively.

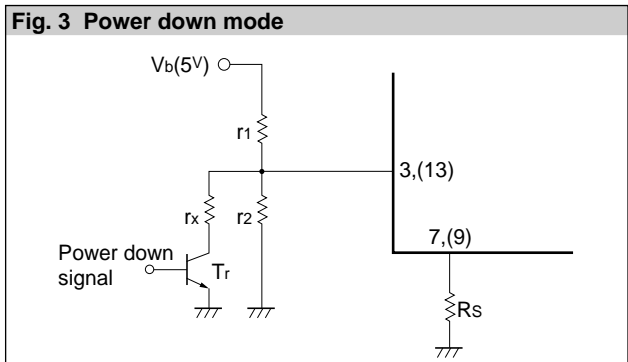
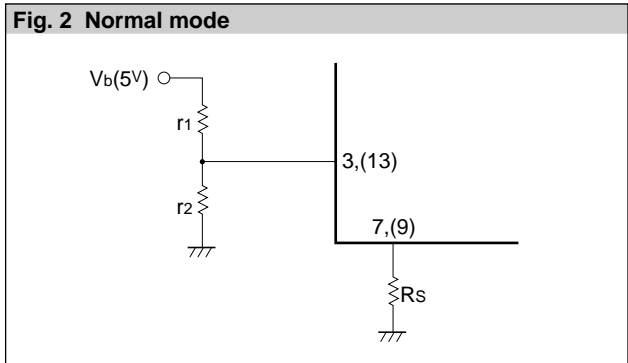
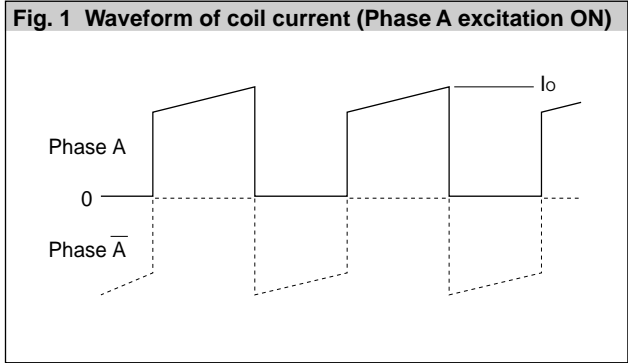


Fig. 4 Output current I_o vs. Current sense resistor R_s

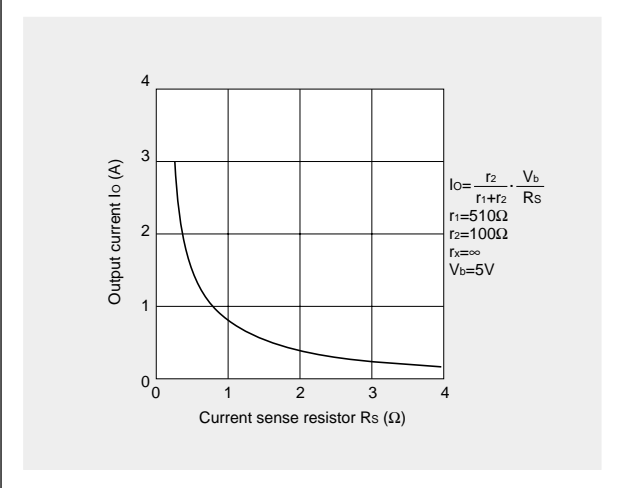
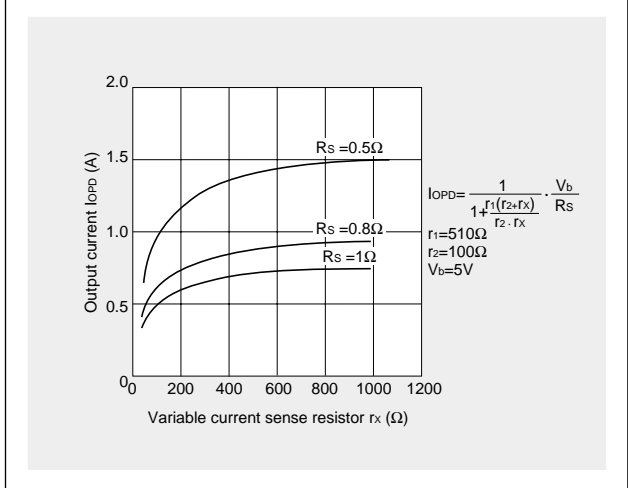


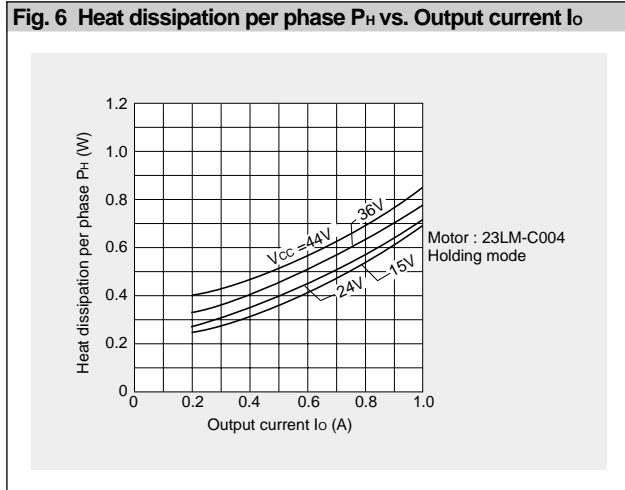
Fig. 5 Output current I_{OPD} vs. Variable current sense resistor r_x



Thermal Design

An outline of the method for calculating heat dissipation is shown below.

- (1) Obtain the value of P_H that corresponds to the motor coil current I_o from Fig. 6 "Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o ."

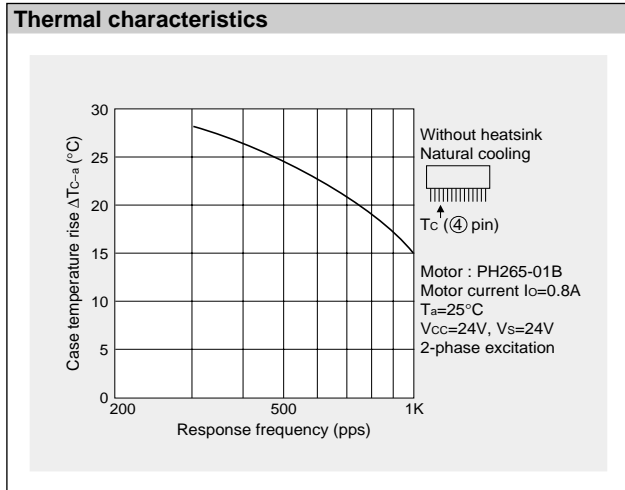
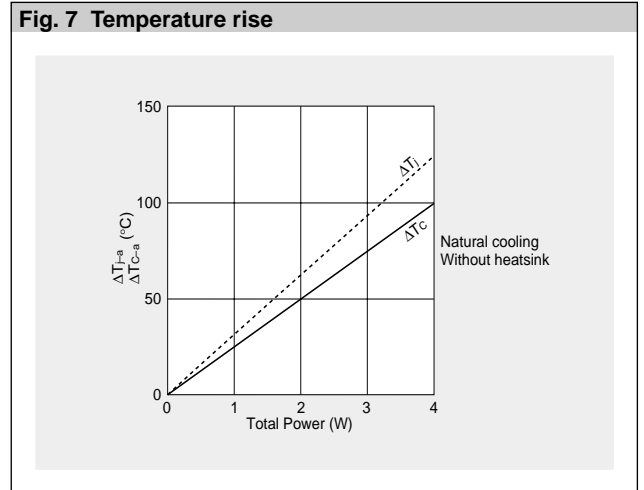


- (2) The power dissipation P_{diss} is obtained using the following formula.

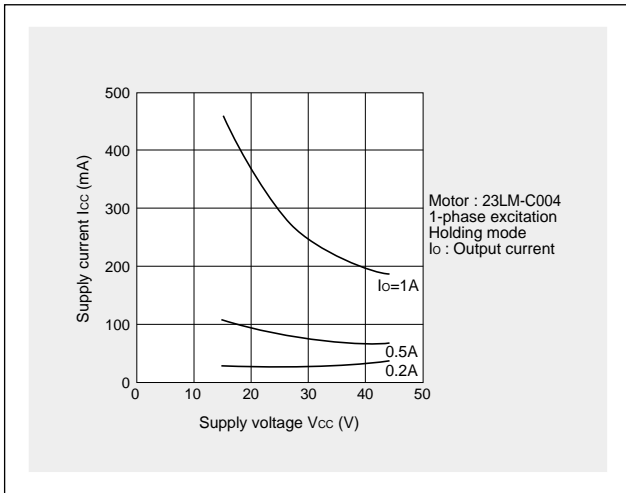
2-phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong 2P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

1-2 phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong \frac{3}{2} P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

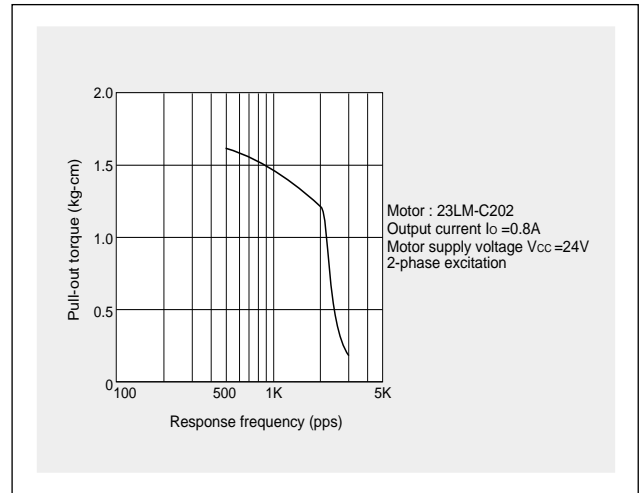
- (3) Obtain the temperature rise that corresponds to the calculated value of P_{diss} from Fig. 7 "Temperature rise."



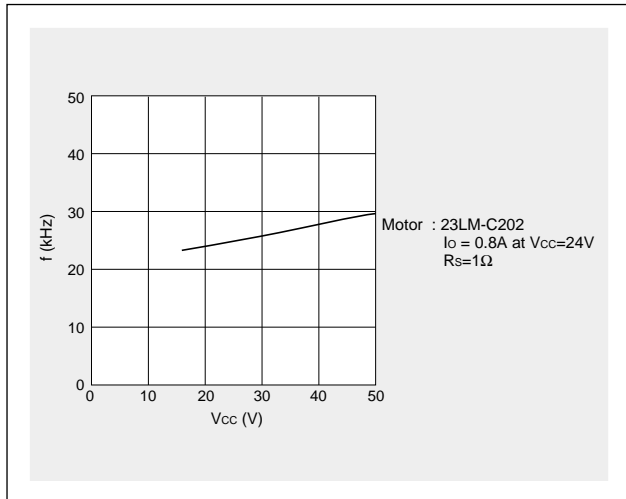
■Supply Voltage V_{CC} vs. Supply Current I_{CC}



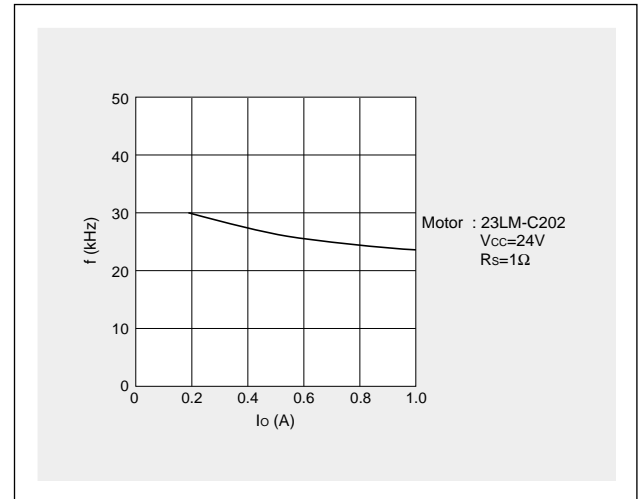
■Torque Characteristics



■Chopper frequency vs. Supply voltage



■Chopper frequency vs. Output current



■Handling Precautions

The input terminals of this product use C-MOS circuits. Observe the following precautions.

- Carefully control the humidity of the room to prevent the buildup of static electricity. Since static electricity is particularly a problem during the winter, be sure to take sufficient precautions.
- Take care to make sure that static electricity is not applied to the IC during wiring and assembly. Take precautions such as shorting the terminals of the printed wiring board to ensure that they are at the same electrical potential.

2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver ICs

Absolute Maximum Ratings

(Ta=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings			Units
		SLA7027MU	SLA7024M	SLA7026M	
Motor supply voltage	V _{CC}	46			V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V _{DSS}	100			V
Control supply voltage	V _S	46			V
TTL input voltage	V _{IN}	7			V
Reference voltage	V _{REF}	2			V
Output current	I _O	1	1.5	3	A
Power dissipation	P _{D1}	4.5 (Without Heatsink)			W
	P _{D2}	35 (T _C =25°C)			W
Channel temperature	T _{ch}	+150			°C
Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +150			°C

Electrical Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings									Units
		SLA7027MU			SLA7024M			SLA7026M			
		min	typ	max	min	typ	max	min	typ	max	
Control supply current	I _S		10	15		10	15		10	15	mA
	Condition	V _S =44V			V _S =44V			V _S =44V			
Control supply voltage	V _S	10	24	44	10	24	44	10	24	44	V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V _{DSS}	100			100			100			V
	Condition	V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250μA			V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250μA			V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250μA			
FET ON voltage	V _{DS}			0.85			0.6			0.85	V
	Condition	I _D =1A, A _V S=14V			I _D =1A, V _S =14V			I _D =3A, V _S =14V			
FET drain leakage current	I _{DSS}			4			4			4	mA
	Condition	V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			
FET diode forward voltage	V _{SD}			1.2			1.1			2.3	V
	Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =3A			
TTL input current	I _{IH}			40			40			40	μA
	Condition	V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IH} =2.4V, V _S =44V			
	I _{IL}			-0.8			-0.8			-0.8	mA
Condition	V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V			V _{IL} =0.4V, V _S =44V				
TTL input voltage (Active High)	V _{IH}	2			2			2			V
	Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =3A			
	V _{IL}			0.8			0.8			0.8	
TTL input voltage (Active Low)	Condition	V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			
	V _{IH}	2			2			2			V
	V _{IL}			0.8			0.8			0.8	
Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =1A			I _D =3A				
Switching time	T _r		0.5			0.5			0.5		μs
	Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			
	T _{stg}		0.7			0.7			0.7		
	Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			
	T _f		0.1			0.1			0.1		
Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =0.8A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A				

Internal Block Diagram

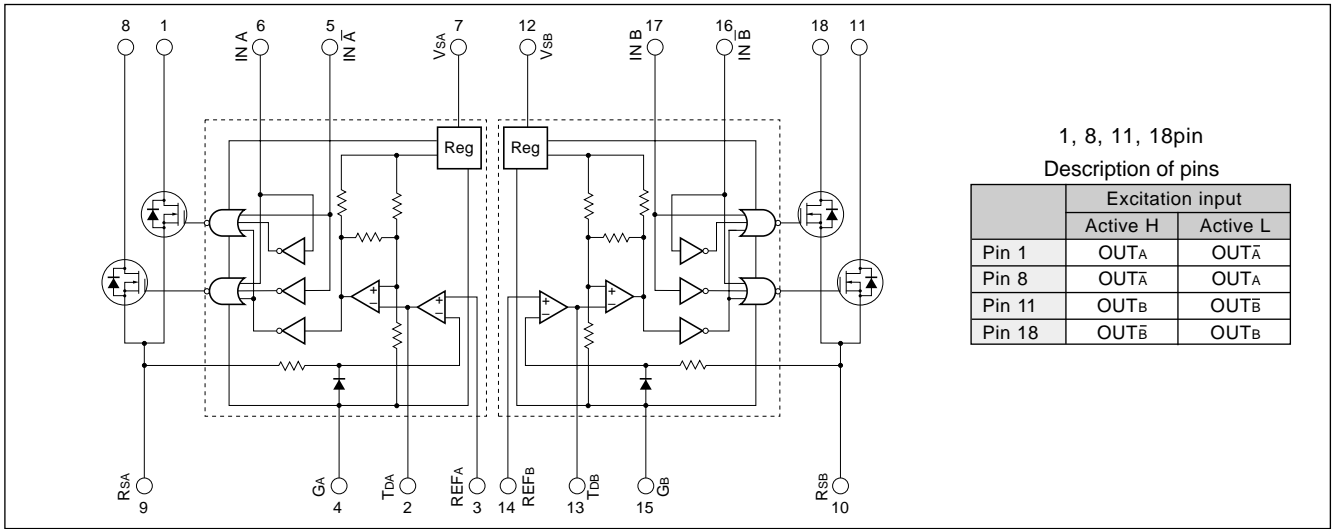
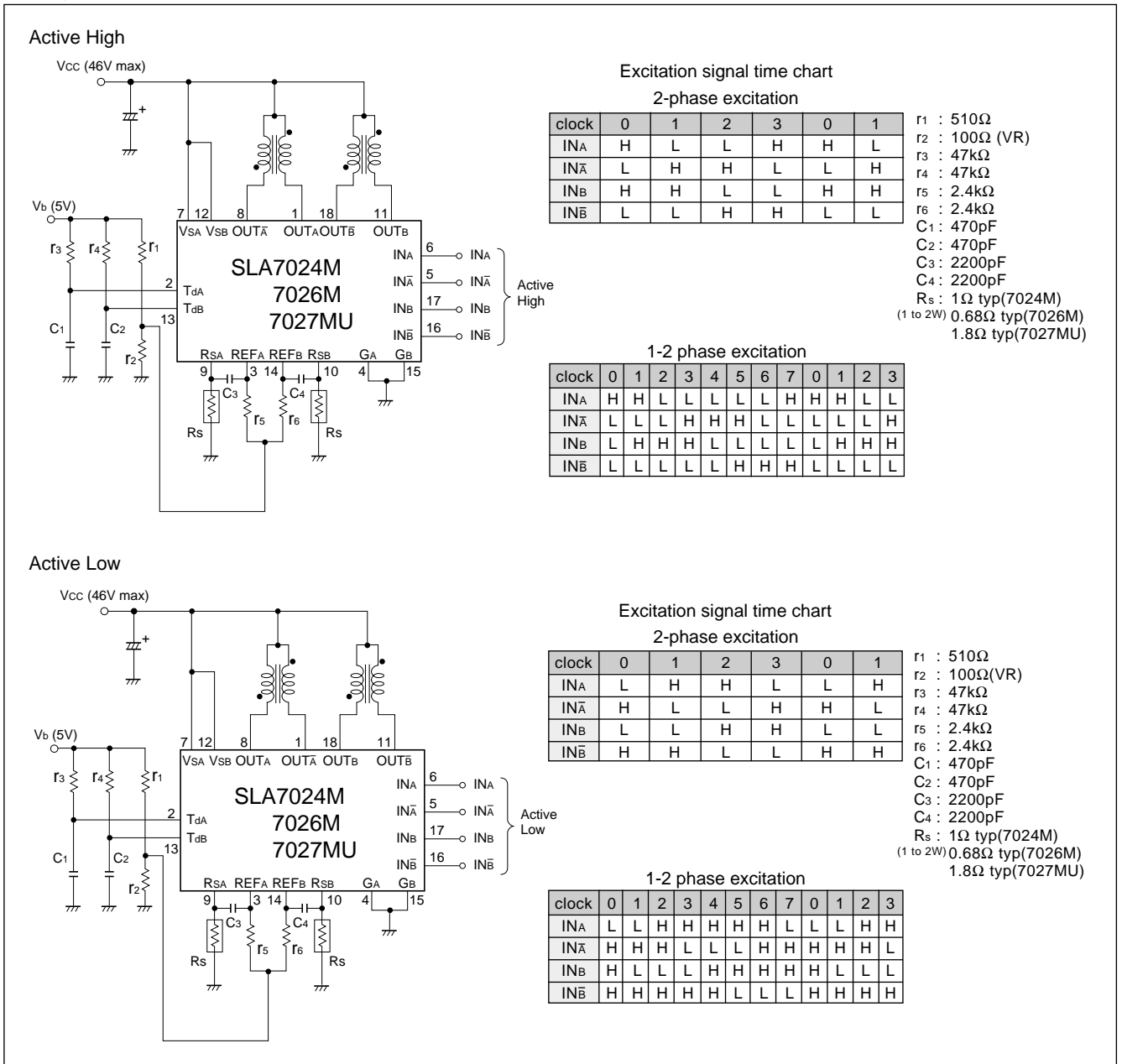
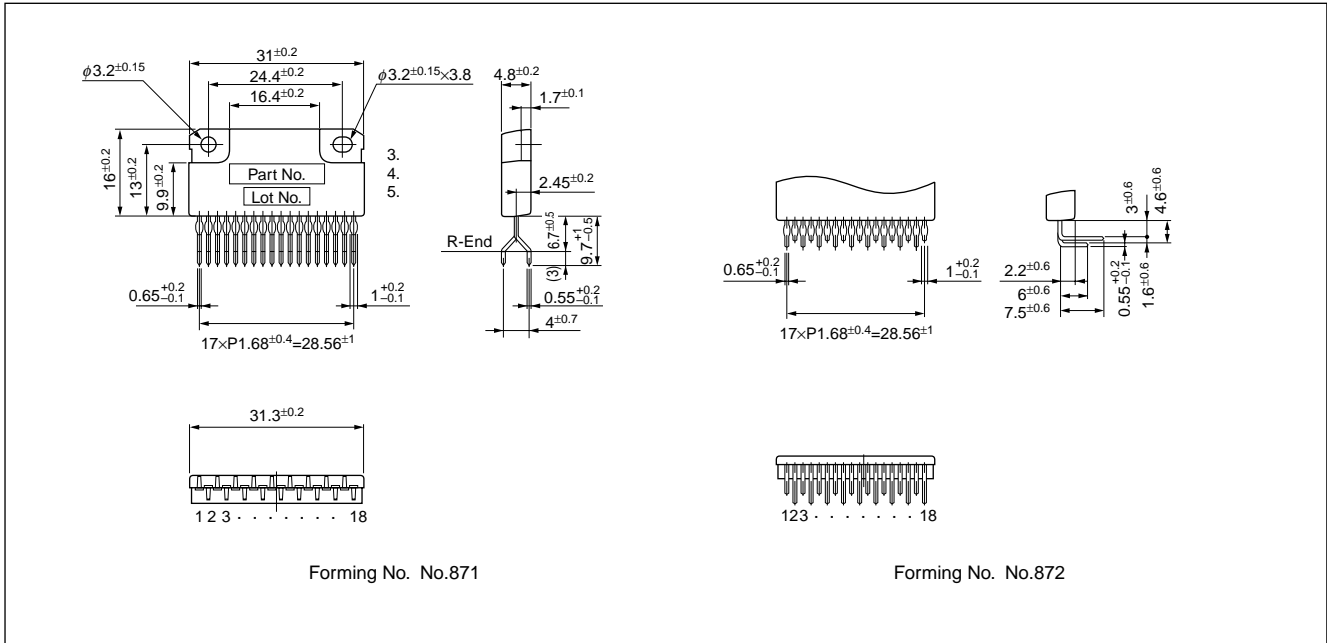


Diagram of Standard External Circuit(Recommended Circuit Constants)



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

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(2) Power down mode

The circuit in Fig.3 (r_x and T_r) is added in order to decrease the coil current. I_o is then determined as follows.

$$I_{OPD} \cong \frac{1}{1 + \frac{r_1(r_2+r_x)}{r_2 \cdot r_x}} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Equation (2) can be modified to obtain equation to determine r_x .

$$r_x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{r_1} \left(\frac{V_b}{R_s \cdot I_{OPD}} - 1 \right) - \frac{1}{r_2}}$$

Fig. 4 and 5 show the graphs of equations (1) and (2) respectively.

Fig. 1 Waveform of coil current (Phase A excitation ON)

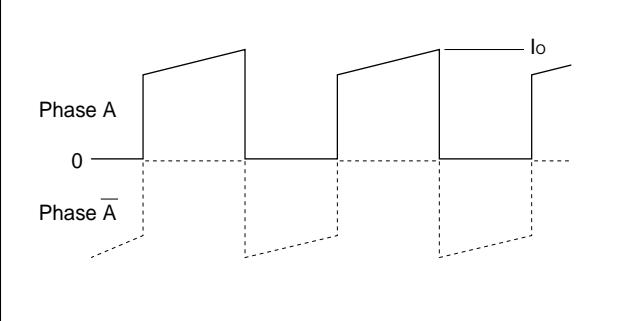


Fig. 2 Normal mode

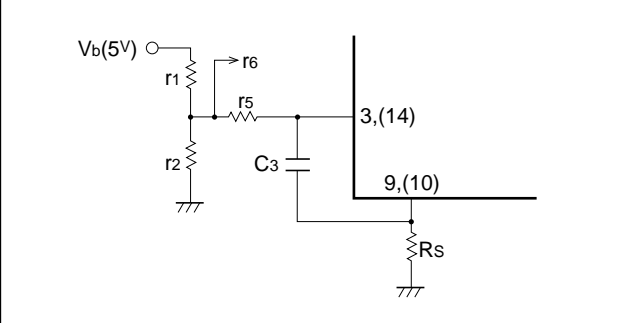


Fig. 3 Power down mode

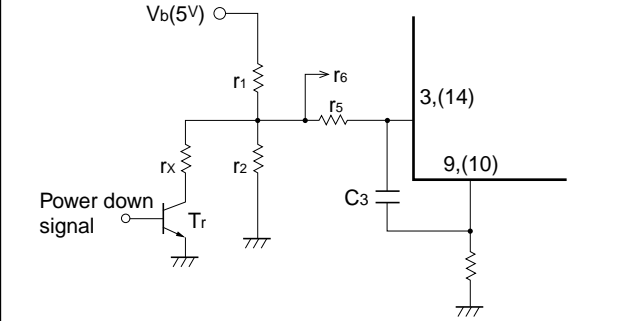


Fig. 4 Output current I_o vs. Current sense resistor R_s

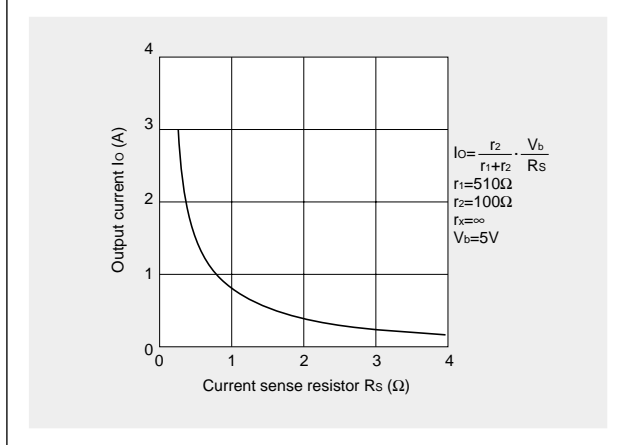
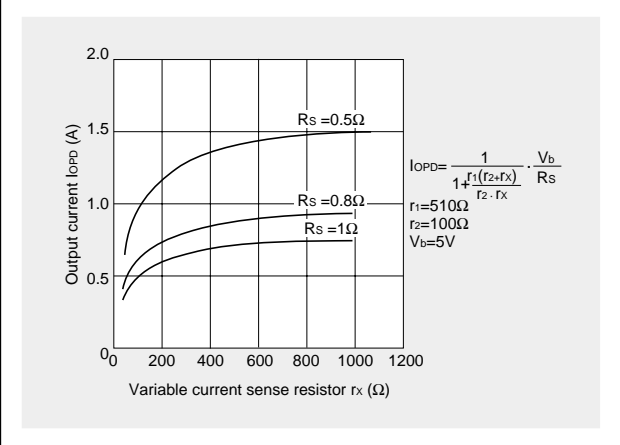


Fig. 5 Output current I_{OPD} vs. Variable current sense resistor r_x



(NOTE)

Ringing noise is produced in the current sense resistor R_s when the MOSFET is switched ON and OFF by chopping. This noise is also generated in feedback signals from R_s which may therefore cause the comparator to malfunction. To prevent chopping malfunctions, $r_5(r_6)$ and $C_3(C_4)$ are added to act as a noise filter.

However, when the values of these constants are increased, the response from R_s to the comparator becomes slow. Hence the value of the output current I_o is somewhat higher than the calculated value.

Determining the chopper frequency

Determining T_{OFF}

The SLA7000M series are self-excited choppers. The chopping OFF time T_{OFF} is fixed by r_3/C_1 and r_4/C_2 connected to terminal Td.

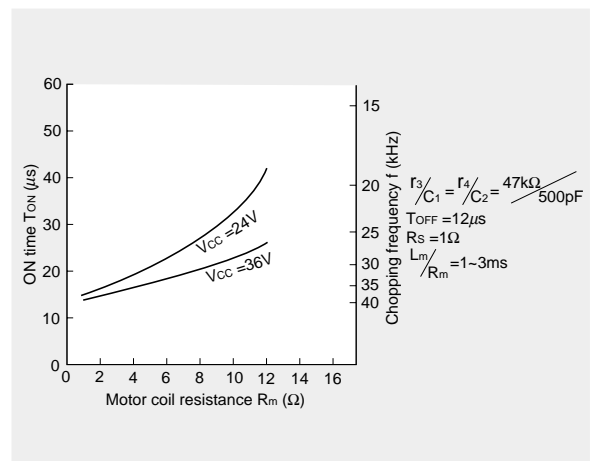
T_{OFF} can be calculated using the following formula:

$$T_{OFF} \approx -r_3 \cdot C_1 \ln \left(1 - \frac{2}{V_b}\right) = -r_4 \cdot C_2 \ln \left(1 - \frac{2}{V_b}\right)$$

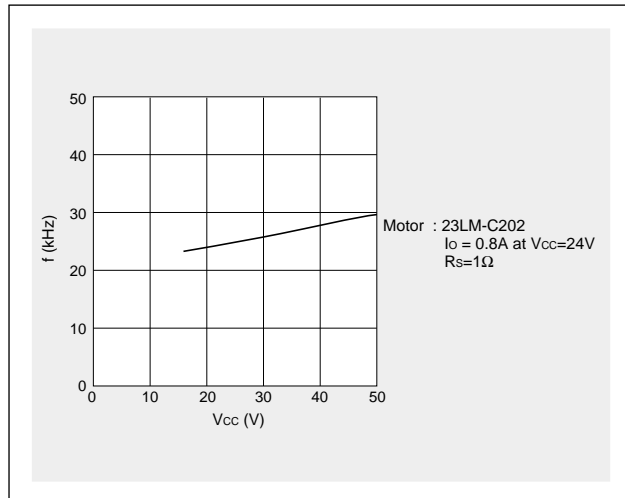
The circuit constants and the T_{OFF} value shown below are recommended.

$T_{OFF} = 12\mu s$ at $r_3=47k\Omega$, $C_1=500pF$, $V_b=5V$

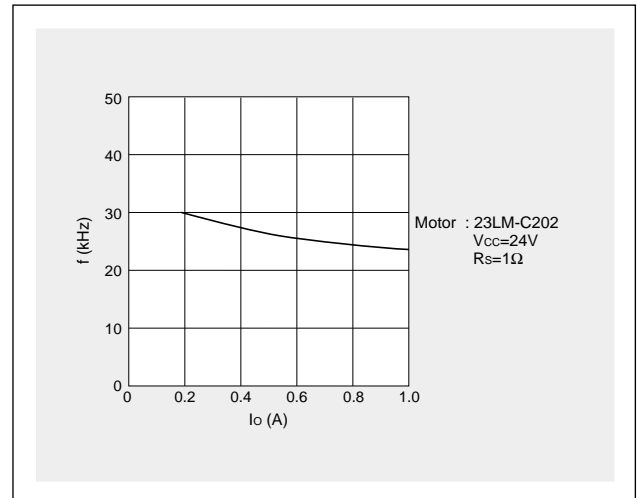
Fig. 6 Chopper frequency vs. Motor coil resistance



Chopper frequency vs. Supply voltage



Chopper frequency vs. Output current



Thermal Design

An outline of the method for calculating heat dissipation is shown below.

(1) Obtain the value of P_H that corresponds to the motor coil current I_o from Fig. 7 "Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o ."

(2) The power dissipation P_{diss} is obtained using the following formula.

2-phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong 2P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

1-2 phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong \frac{3}{2} P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

(3) Obtain the temperature rise that corresponds to the calculated value of P_{diss} from Fig. 8 "Temperature rise."

Fig. 7 Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o

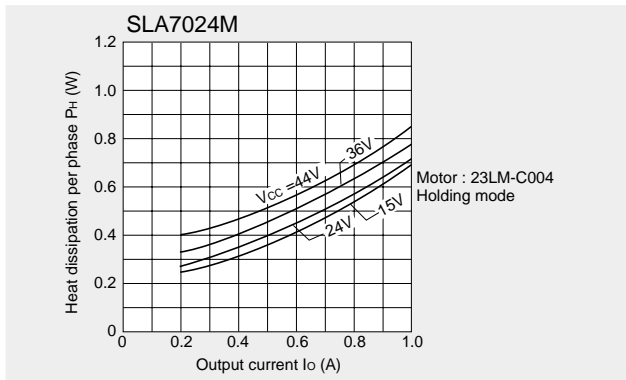
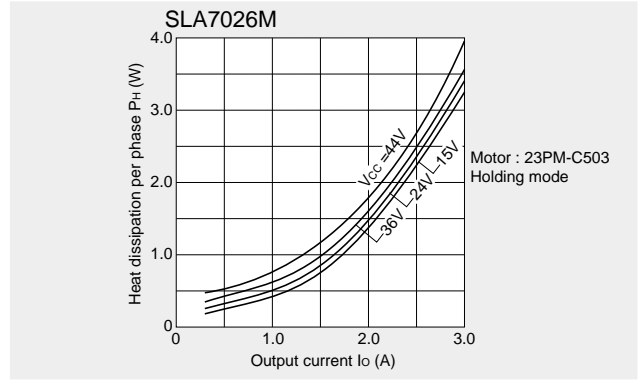
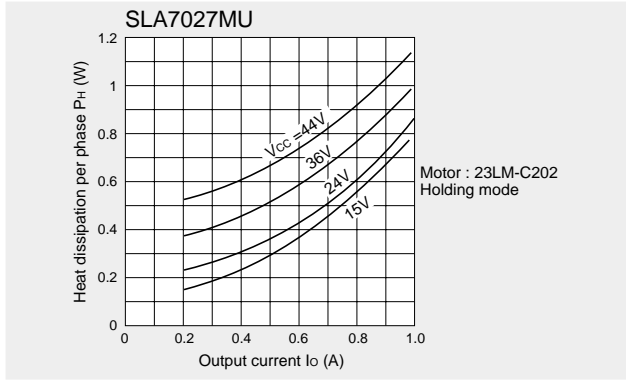
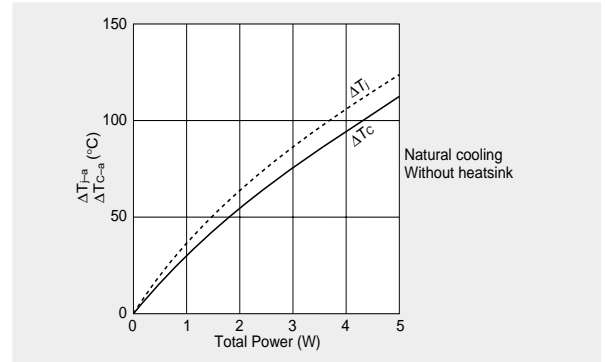
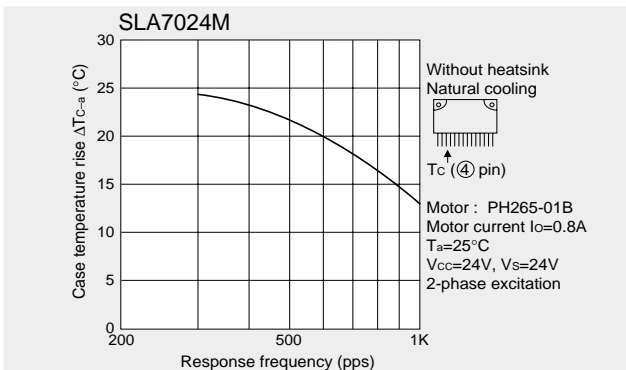
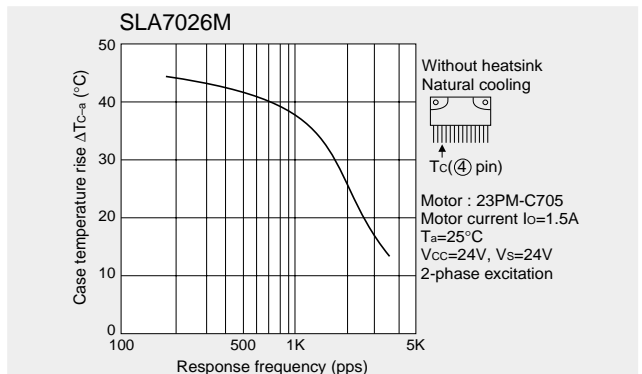
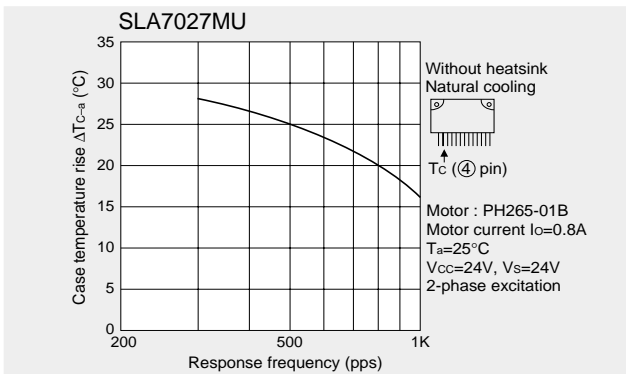


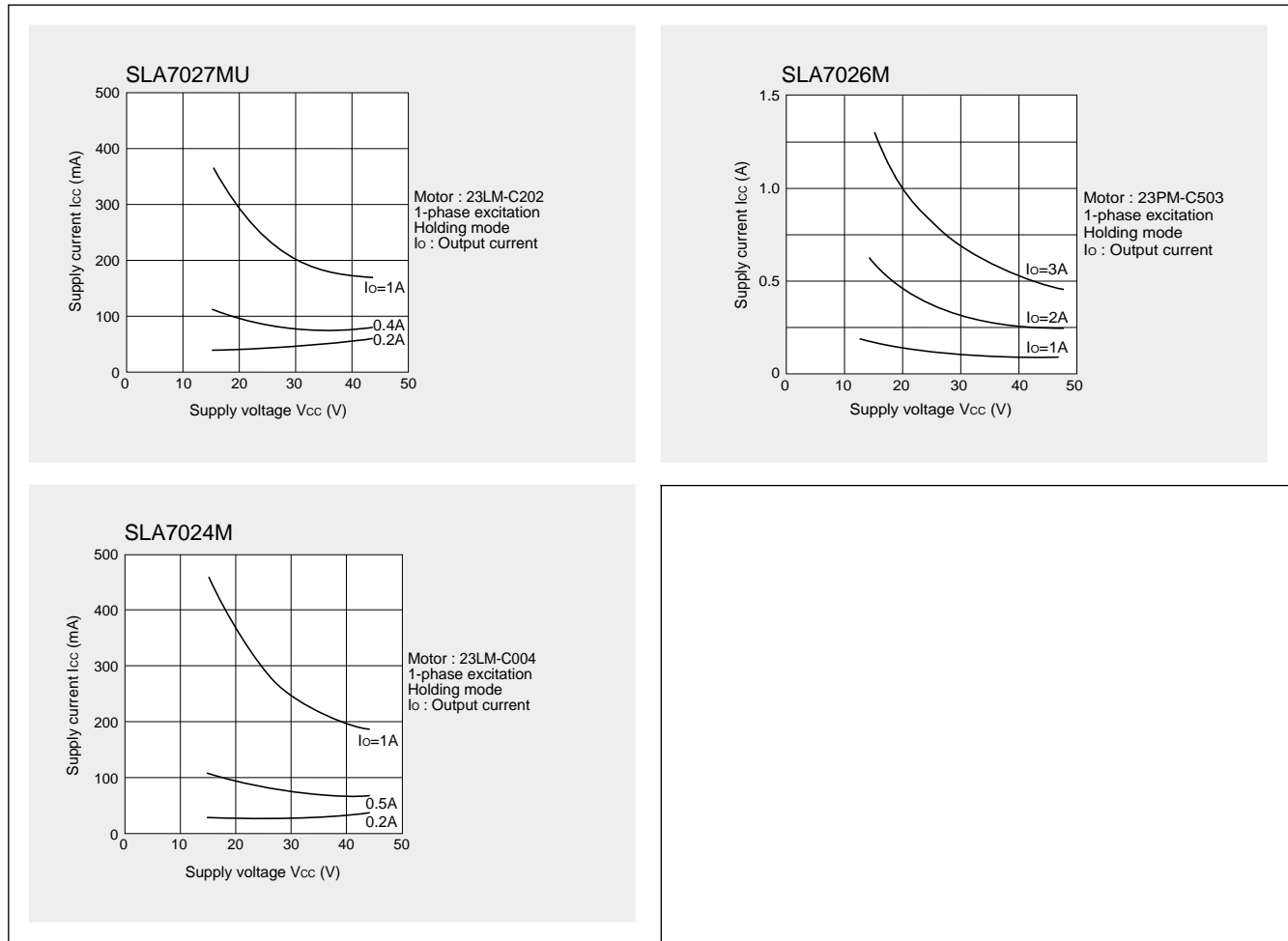
Fig. 8 Temperature rise



Thermal characteristics



■ Supply Voltage V_{CC} vs. Supply Current I_{CC}



■ Note

The excitation input signals of the SLA7027MU, SLA7024M and SLA7026M can be used as either Active High or Active Low. Note, however, that the corresponding output (OUT) changes depending on the input (IN).

Active High

Input	Corresponding output
IN_A (pin6)	OUT_A (pin1)
$IN_{\bar{A}}$ (pin5)	$OUT_{\bar{A}}$ (pin8)
IN_B (pin17)	OUT_B (pin11)
$IN_{\bar{B}}$ (pin16)	$OUT_{\bar{B}}$ (pin18)

Active Low

Input	Corresponding output
IN_A (pin6)	OUT_A (pin8)
$IN_{\bar{A}}$ (pin5)	$OUT_{\bar{A}}$ (pin1)
IN_B (pin17)	OUT_B (pin18)
$IN_{\bar{B}}$ (pin16)	$OUT_{\bar{B}}$ (pin11)

2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver ICs

Absolute Maximum Ratings

(Ta=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings		Units
		SLA7032M	SLA7033M	
Motor supply voltage	V _{CC}	46		V
Control supply voltage	V _S	46		V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V _{DSS}	100		V
TTL input voltage	V _{IN}	-0.3 to +7		V
SYNC terminal voltage	V _{SYNC}	-0.3 to +7		
Reference voltage	V _{REF}	-0.3 to +7		V
Sense voltage	V _{RS}	-5 to +7		V
Output current	I _O	1.5	3	A
Power dissipation	P _{D1}	4.5 (Without Heatsink)		W
	P _{D2}	35 (T _C = 25°C)		W
Channel temperature	T _{ch}	+150		°C
Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +150		°C

Electrical Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings						Units		
		SLA7032M			SLA7033M					
		min	typ	max	min	typ	max			
Control supply current	I _S		10	15		10	15	mA		
	Condition	V _S =44V			V _S =44V					
Control supply voltage	V _S	10	24	44	10	24	44	V		
FET Drain-Source voltage	V _{DSS}	100			100			V		
	Condition	V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250μA			V _S =44V, I _{DSS} =250μA					
FET ON voltage	V _{DS}			0.6			0.85	V		
	Condition	I _D =1A, V _S =14V			I _D =3A, V _S =14V					
FET diode forward voltage	V _{SD}			1.1			2.3	V		
	Condition	I _{SD} =1A			I _{SD} =3A					
FET drain leakage current	I _{DSS}			250			250	μA		
	Condition	V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V			V _{DSS} =100V, V _S =44V					
DC characteristics	IN terminal	OUT	V _{IH}	2.0		2.0		V		
			Condition	I _D =1A			I _D =3A			
			V _{IL}			0.8				0.8
		OUT	V _{IH}	2.0			2.0		V	
			Condition	V _{DSS} =100V			V _{DSS} =100V			
			V _{IL}			0.8				0.8
Input current	I _I			±1			±1	μA		
	Condition	V _S =44V, V _I =0 or 5V			V _S =44V, V _I =0 or 5V					
SYNC terminal	Input voltage	V _{SYNC}	4.0		4.0			V		
		Condition	Synchronous chopping mode			Synchronous chopping mode				
		V _{SYNC}			0.8				0.8	
		Condition	Asynchronous chopping mode			Asynchronous chopping mode				
	Input current	I _{SYNC}			0.1			0.1	mA	
		Condition	V _S =44V, V _{YS} =5V			V _S =44V, V _{YS} =5V				
REF terminal	Input current	V _{REF}	0		2.0	0		V		
		Condition	Reference voltage input			Reference voltage input				
		V _{REF}	4.0		5.5	4.0			5.5	
	Input current	I _{REF}			±1			±1	μA	
		Condition	No synchronous trigger			No synchronous trigger				
		R _{REF}		40			40			Ω
Condition	Resistance between GND and REF terminal at synchronous trigger									
AC characteristics	Switching time	T _r		0.5			0.5	μs		
		Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A				
		T _{sig}		0.7			0.7			
		Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A				
		T _f		0.1			0.1			
		Condition	V _S =24V, I _D =1A			V _S =24V, I _D =1A				
Chopping OFF time	T _{OFF}		12			12	μs			
	Condition	V _S =24V			V _S =24V					

Internal Block Diagram

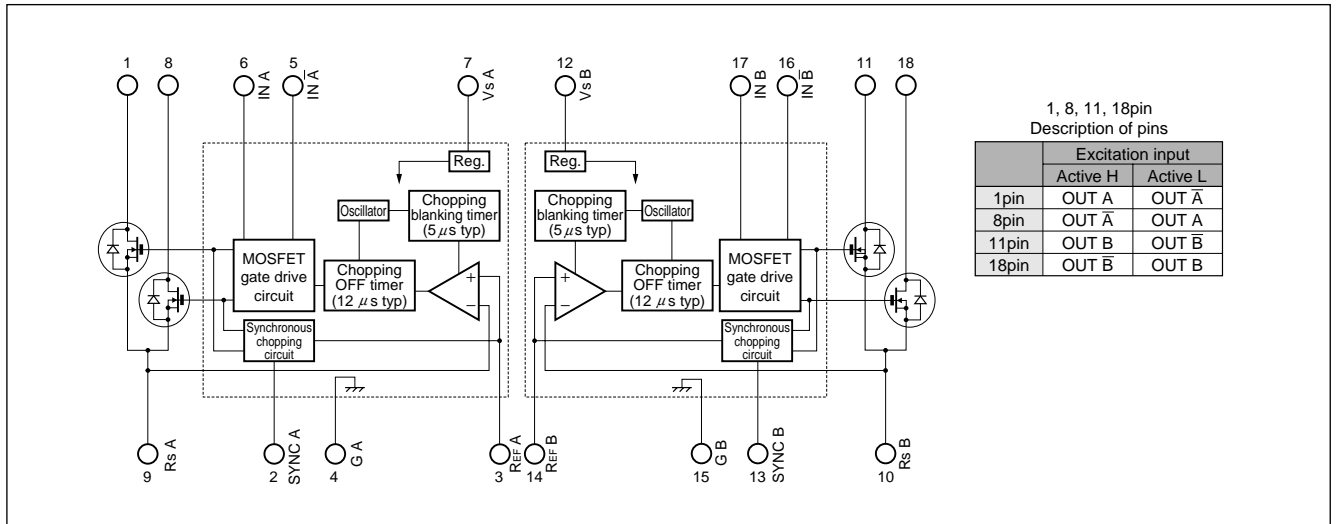
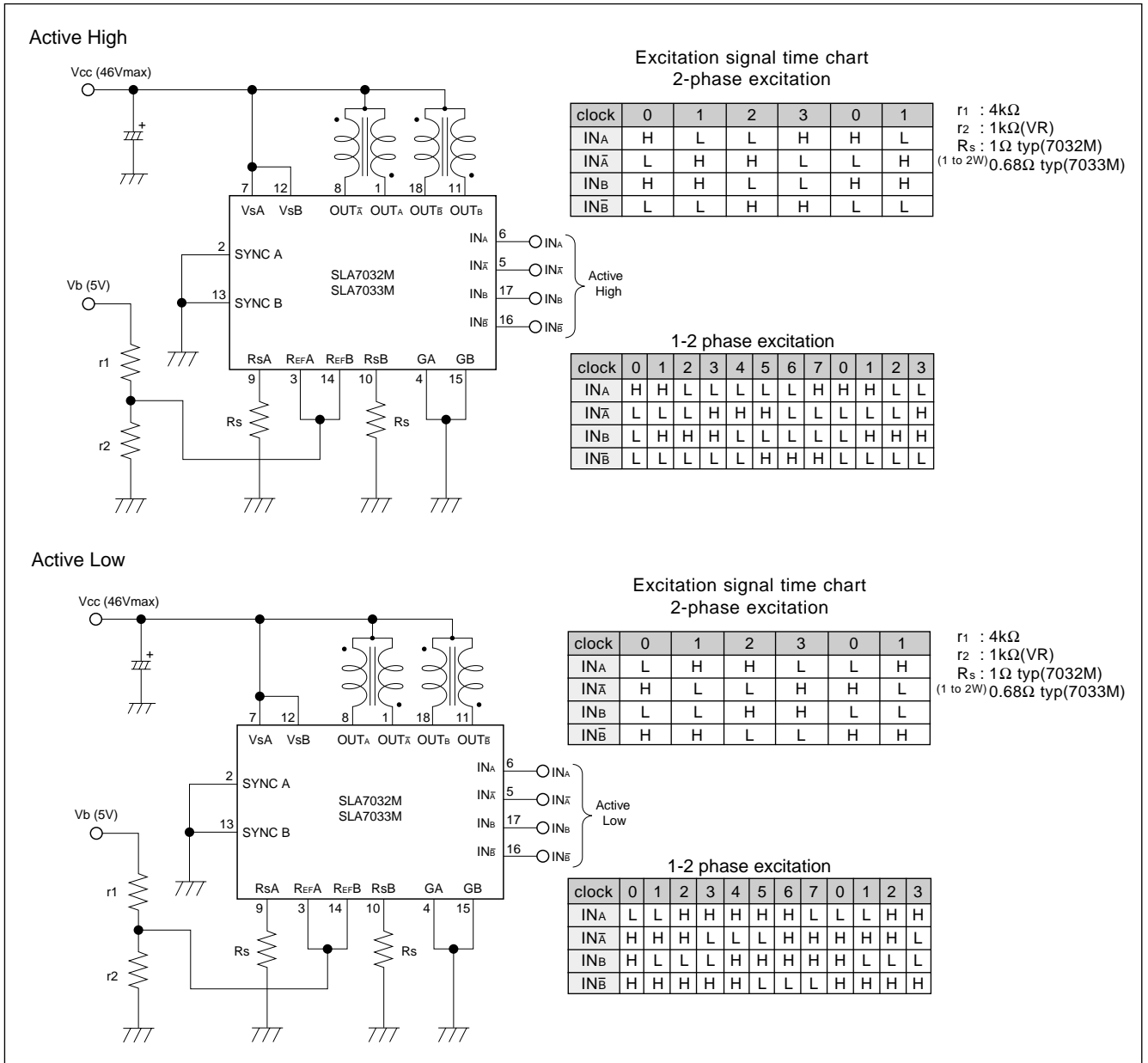
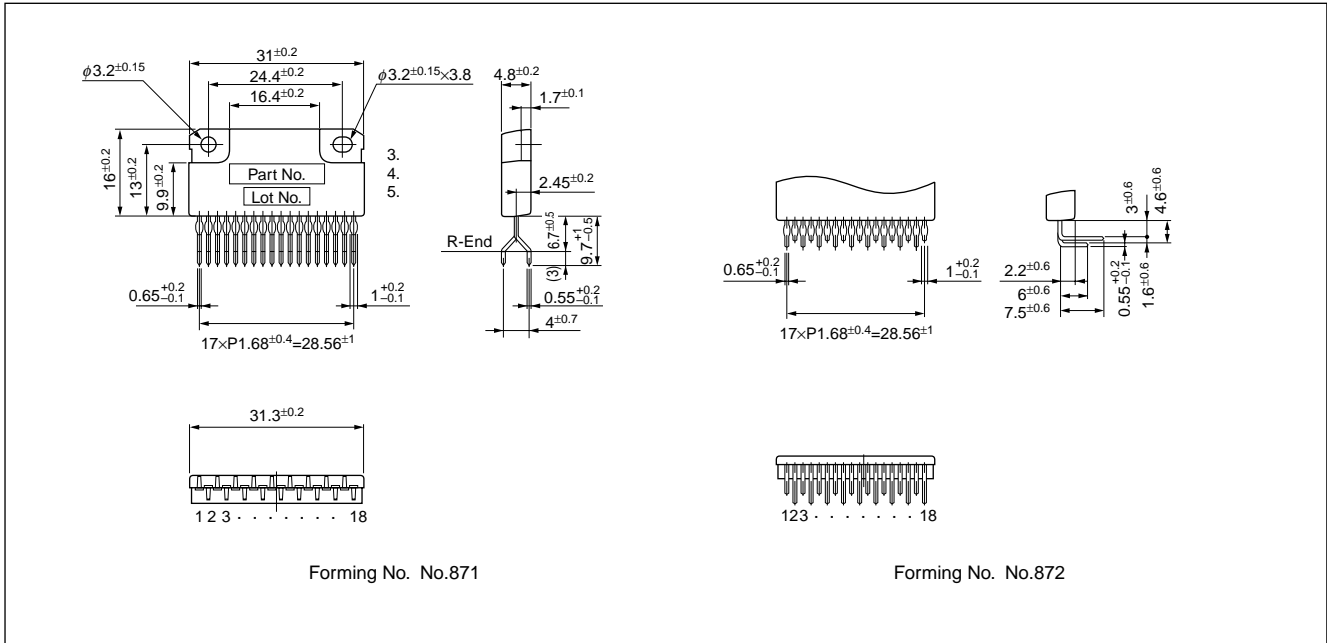


Diagram of Standard External Circuit (Recommended Circuit Constants)



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

Outline

SLA7032M (SLA7033M) is a stepper motor driver IC developed to reduce the number of external parts required by the conventional SLA7024M (SLA7026M). This IC successfully eliminates the need for some external parts without sacrificing the features of SLA7024M (SLA7026M). The basic function pins are compatible with those of SLA7024M (SLA7026M).

Notes on Replacing SLA7024M (SLA7026M)

SLA7032M (SLA7033M) is pin-compatible with SLA7024M (SLA7026M). When using the IC on an existing board, the following preparations are necessary:

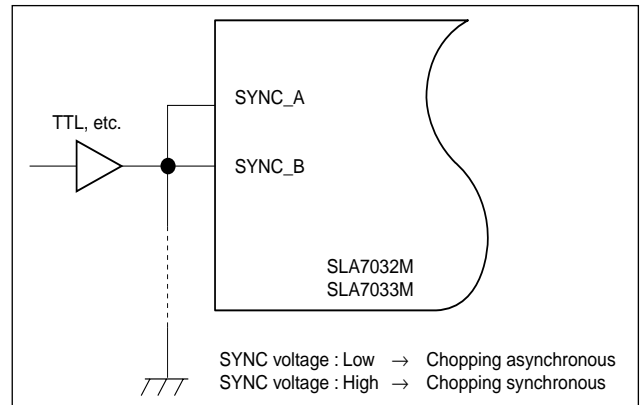
- (1) Remove the resistors and capacitors attached for setting the chopping OFF time. (r_3 , r_4 , C_1 , and C_2 in the catalog)
- (2) Remove the resistors and capacitors attached for preventing noise in the detection voltage V_{RS} from causing malfunctioning and short the sections from which the resistors were removed using jumper wires. (r_5 , r_6 , C_3 , and C_4 in the catalog)
- (3) Normally, keep pins 2 and 13 grounded because their functions have changed to synchronous and asynchronous switching (SYNC terminals). For details, see "Circuit for Preventing Abnormal Noise When the Motor Is Not Running (Synchronous circuit)." (Low: asynchronous, High: synchronous)

Circuit for Preventing Abnormal Noise When the Motor Is Not Running (Synchronous Circuit)

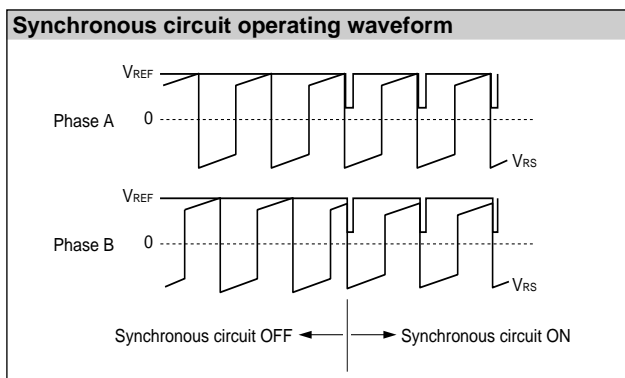
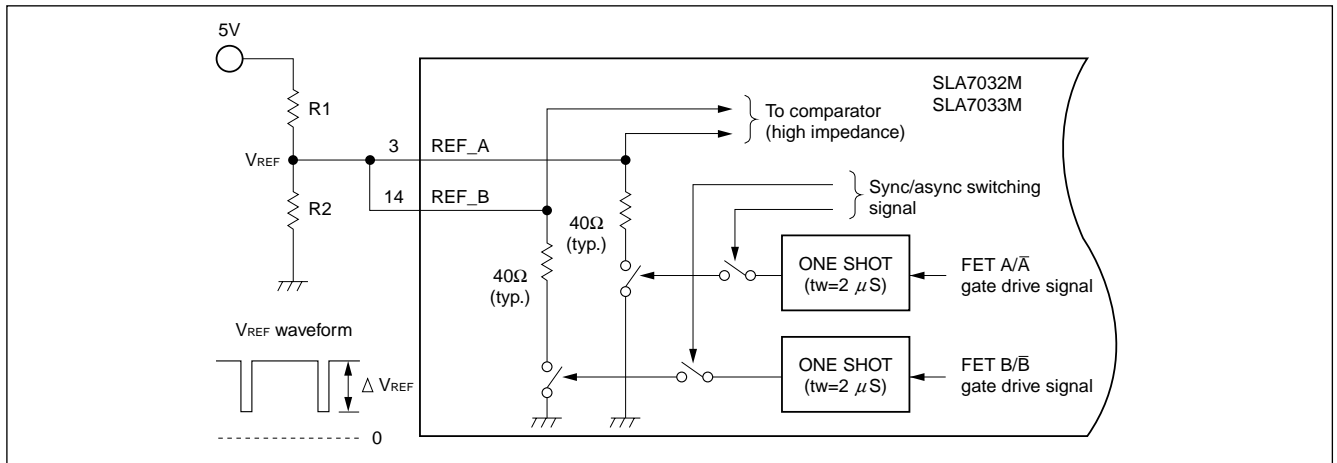
A motor may generate abnormal noise when it is not running. This phenomenon is attributable to asynchronous chopping between phases A and B. To prevent the phenomenon, SLA7032M (SLA7033M) contains a synchronous chopping circuit. Do not leave

the SYNC terminals open because they are for CMOS input. Connect TTL or similar to the SYNC terminals and switch the SYNC terminal level high or low.

When the motor is not running, set the TTL signal high (SYNC terminal voltage: 4 V or more) to make chopping synchronous. When the motor is running, set the TTL signal low (SYNC terminal voltage: 0.8 V or less) to make chopping asynchronous. If chopping is set to synchronous at when the motor is running, the motor torque deteriorates before the coil current reaches the set value. If no abnormal noise occurs when the motor is not running, ground the SYNC terminals (TTL not necessary).



The built-in synchronous chopping circuit superimposes a trigger signal on the REF terminal for synchronization between the two phases. The figure below shows the internal circuit of the REF terminal. Since the ΔV_{REF} varies depending on the values of R1 and R2, determine these values for when the motor is not running within the range where the two phases are synchronized.



Determining the Output Current

Fig. 1 shows the waveform of the output current (motor coil current). The method of determining the peak value of the output current (I_o) based on this waveform is shown below.

(Parameters for determining the output current I_o)

V_b : Reference supply voltage

r_1, r_2 : Voltage-divider resistors for the reference supply voltage

R_s : Current sense resistor

(1) Normal rotation mode

I_o is determined as follows when current flows at the maximum level during motor rotation. (See Fig.2.)

$$I_o \cong \frac{r_2}{r_1+r_2} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

(2) Power down mode

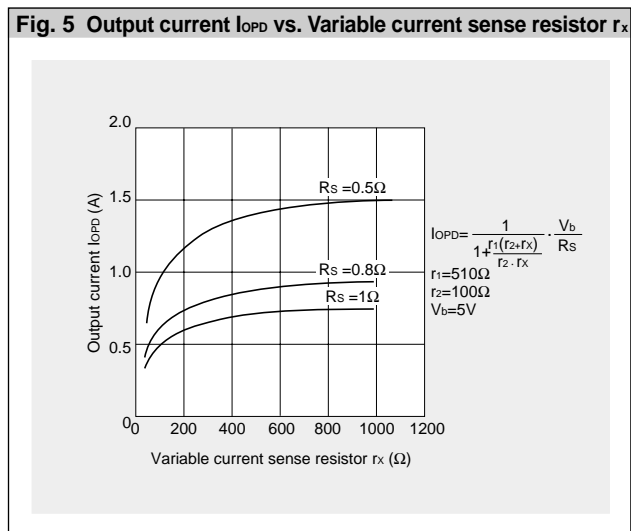
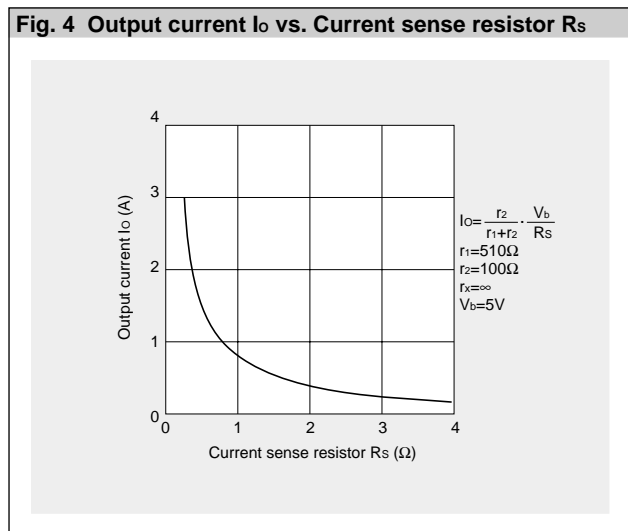
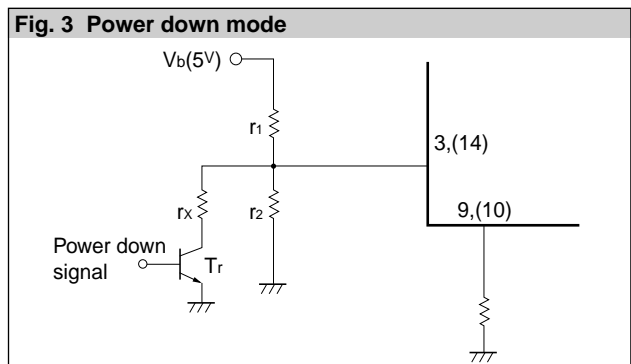
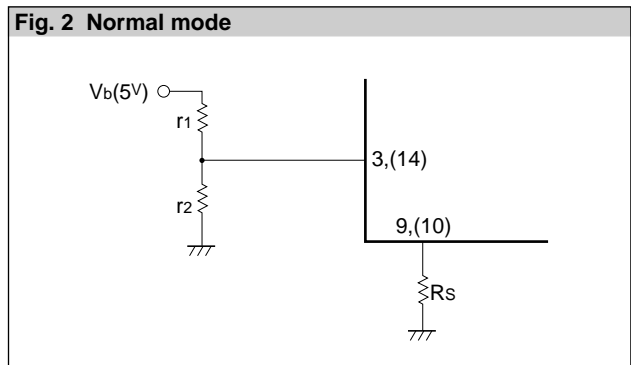
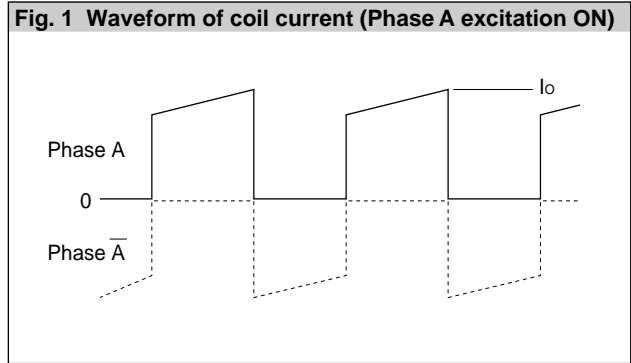
The circuit in Fig.3 (r_x and T_r) is added in order to decrease the coil current. I_o is then determined as follows.

$$I_{OPD} \cong \frac{1}{1 + \frac{r_1(r_2+r_x)}{r_2 \cdot r_x}} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Equation (2) can be modified to obtain equation to determine r_x .

$$r_x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{r_1} \left(\frac{V_b}{R_s \cdot I_{OPD}} - 1 \right) - \frac{1}{r_2}}$$

Fig. 4 and 5 show the graphs of equations (1) and (2) respectively.



Thermal Design

An outline of the method for calculated heat dissipation is shown below.

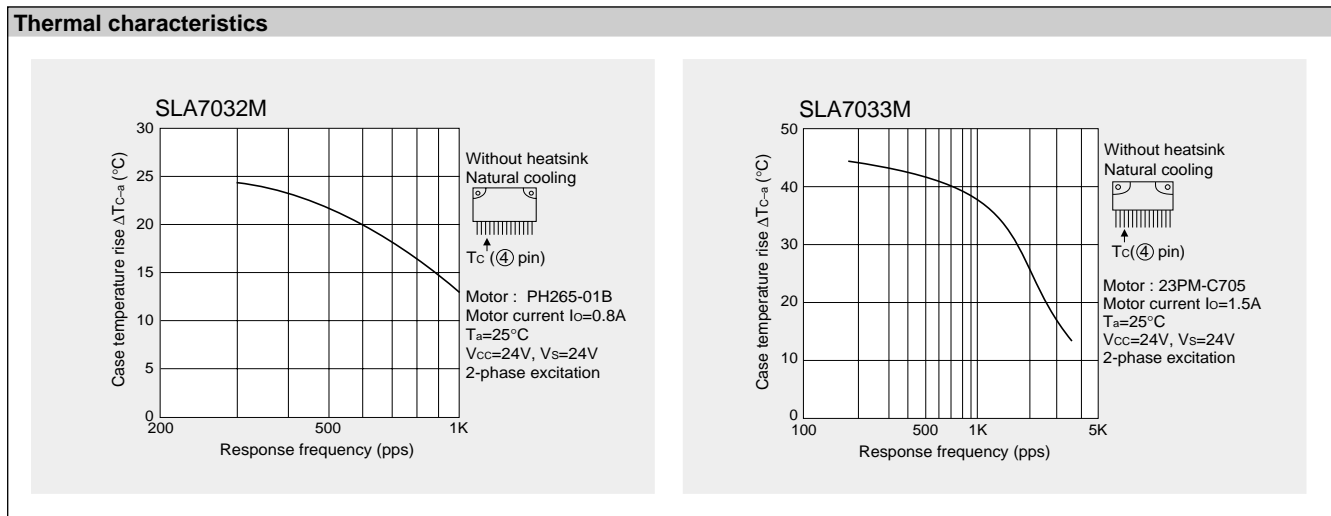
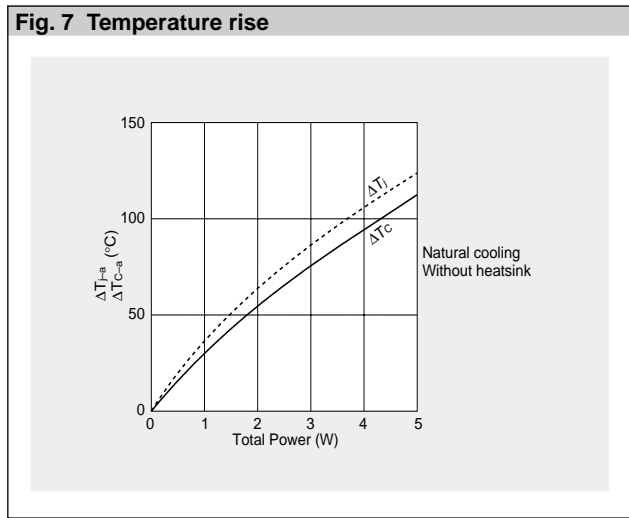
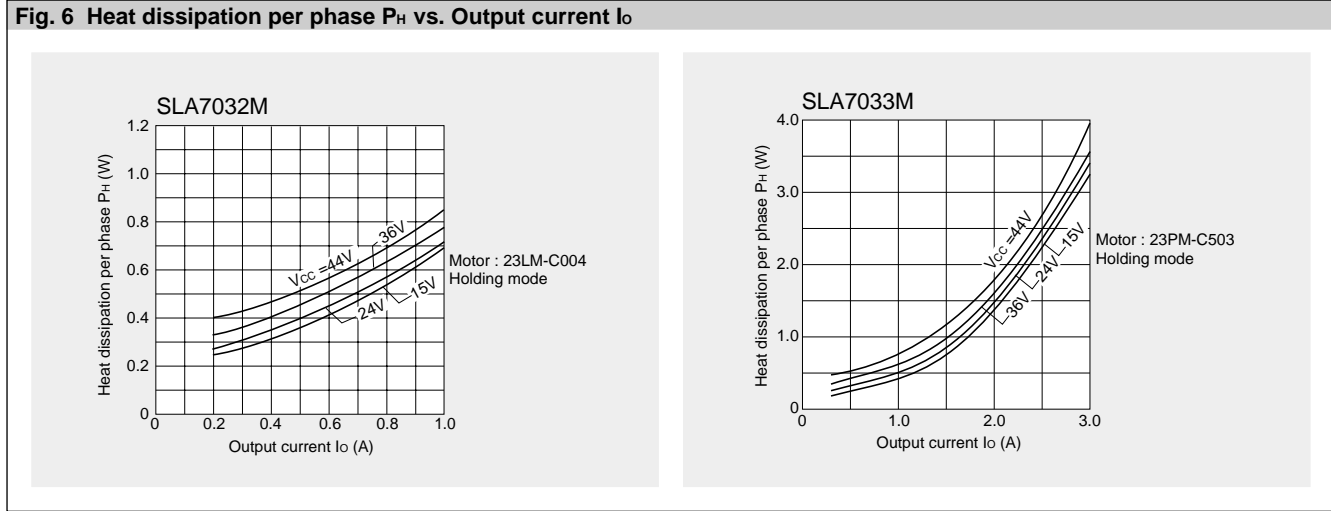
(1) Obtain the value of P_H that corresponds to the motor coil current I_o from Fig. 6 "Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o ."

(2) The power dissipation P_{diss} is obtained using the following formula.

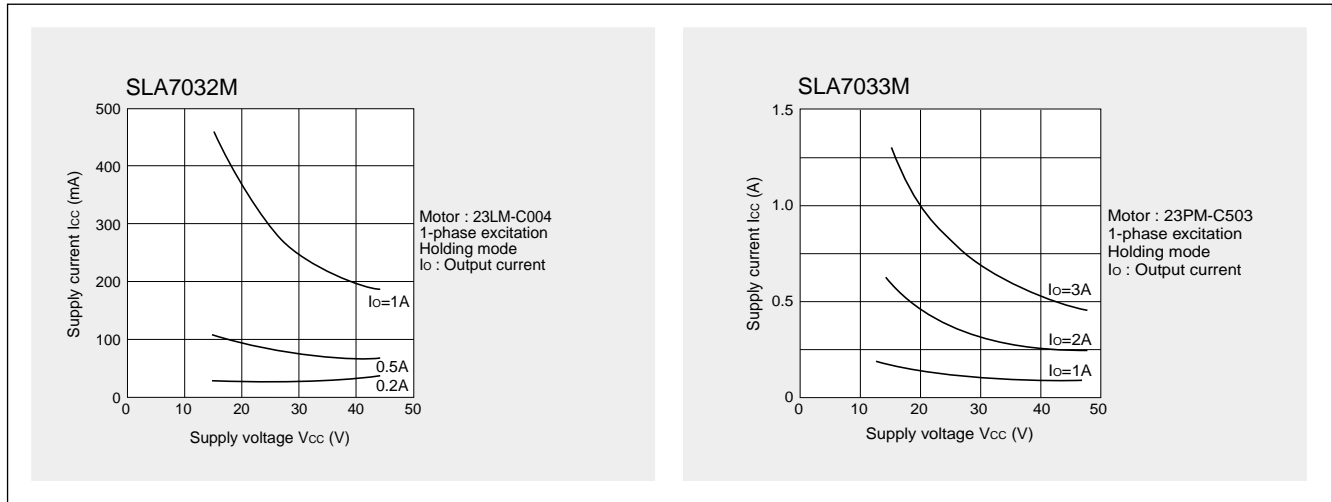
2-phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong 2P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

1-2 phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong \frac{3}{2} P_H + 0.015 \times V_s$ (W)

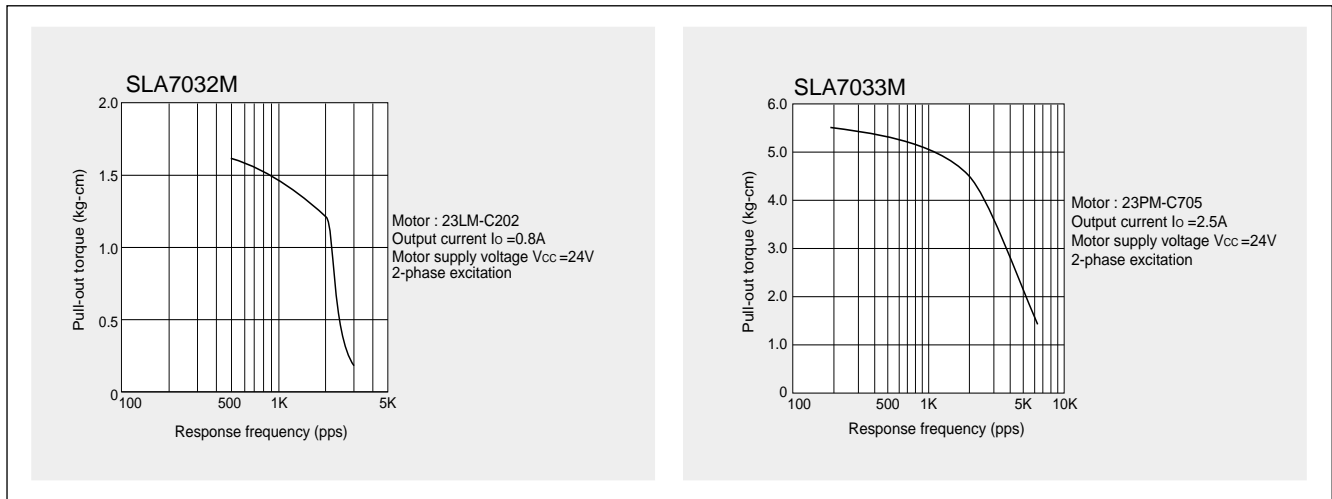
(3) Obtain the temperature rise that corresponds to the computed value of P_{diss} from Fig. 7 "Temperature rise."



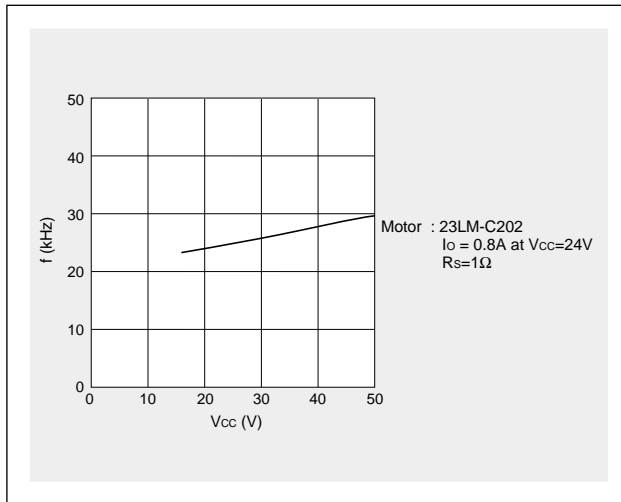
■ Supply Voltage V_{CC} vs. Supply Current I_{CC}



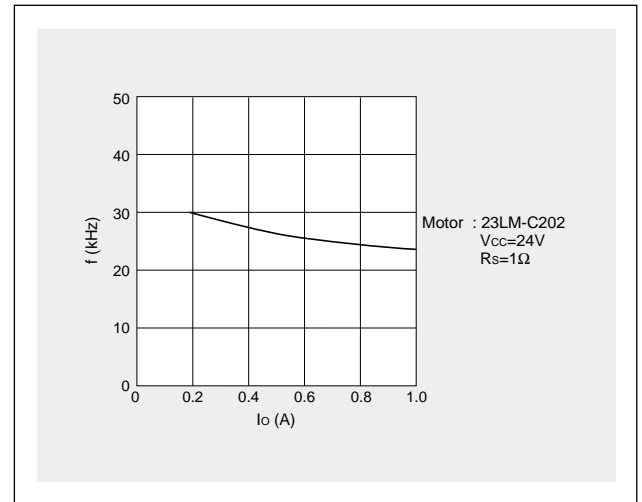
■ Torque Characteristics



■ Chopper frequency vs. Supply voltage



■ Chopper frequency vs. Output current



■ Note

The excitation input signals of the SLA7032M, SLA7033M can be used as either Active High or Active Low. Note, however, that the corresponding output (OUT) changes depending on the input (IN).

Active High

Input	Corresponding output
IN _A (pin6)	OUT _A (pin1)
IN _A [̄] (pin5)	OUT _A [̄] (pin8)
IN _B (pin17)	OUT _B (pin11)
IN _B [̄] (pin16)	OUT _B [̄] (pin18)

Active Low

Input	Corresponding output
IN _A (pin6)	OUT _A (pin8)
IN _A [̄] (pin5)	OUT _A [̄] (pin1)
IN _B (pin17)	OUT _B (pin18)
IN _B [̄] (pin16)	OUT _B [̄] (pin11)

■ Handling Precautions

The input terminals of this product use C-MOS circuits. Observe the following precautions.

- Carefully control the humidity of the room to prevent the buildup of static electricity. Since static electricity is particularly a problem during the winter, be sure to take sufficient precautions.
- Take care to make sure that static electricity is not applied to the IC during wiring and assembly. Take precautions such as shorting the terminals of the printed wiring board to ensure that they are at the same electrical potential.

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■Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Motor supply voltage	V_{CC}	46	V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V_{DSS}	100	V
Control supply voltage	V_S	46	V
TTL input voltage	V_{IN}	7	V
Reference voltage	V_{REF}	2	V
Output current	I_O	1	A
Power dissipation	P_D	2.5 (Without Heatsink)	W
Channel temperature	T_{ch}	+150	°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-40 to +150	°C

■Electrical Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings			Units	
		min	typ	max		
DC characteristics	Control supply current	I_S		5	7.5	mA
		Condition	$V_S=44V$			
	Control supply voltage	V_S	10	24	44	V
	FET Drain-Source voltage	V_{DSS}	100			V
		Condition	$V_S=44V, I_{DSS}=250\mu A$			
	FET ON voltage	V_{DS}			0.85	V
		Condition	$I_D=1A, V_S=14V$			
	FET drain leakage current	I_{DSS}			4	mA
		Condition	$V_{DSS}=100V, V_S=44V$			
	FET diode forward voltage	V_{SD}			1.2	V
		Condition	$I_D=1A$			
	TTL input current	I_{IH}			40	μA
		Condition	$V_{IH}=2.4V, V_S=44V$			
		I_{IL}			-0.8	mA
	Condition	$V_{IL}=0.4V, V_S=44V$				
	TTL input voltage (Active High)	V_{IH}	2			V
		Condition	$I_D=1A$			
		V_{IL}			0.8	
Condition	$V_{DSS}=100V$					
TTL input voltage (Active Low)	V_{IH}	2			V	
	Condition	$V_{DSS}=100V$				
	V_{IL}			0.8		
Condition	$I_D=1A$					
AC characteristics	Switching time	T_r		0.5	μs	
		Condition	$V_S=24V, I_D=0.8A$			
		T_{slg}		0.7		
		Condition	$V_S=24V, I_D=0.8A$			
		T_f		0.1		
Condition	$V_S=24V, I_D=0.8A$					

Internal Block Diagram

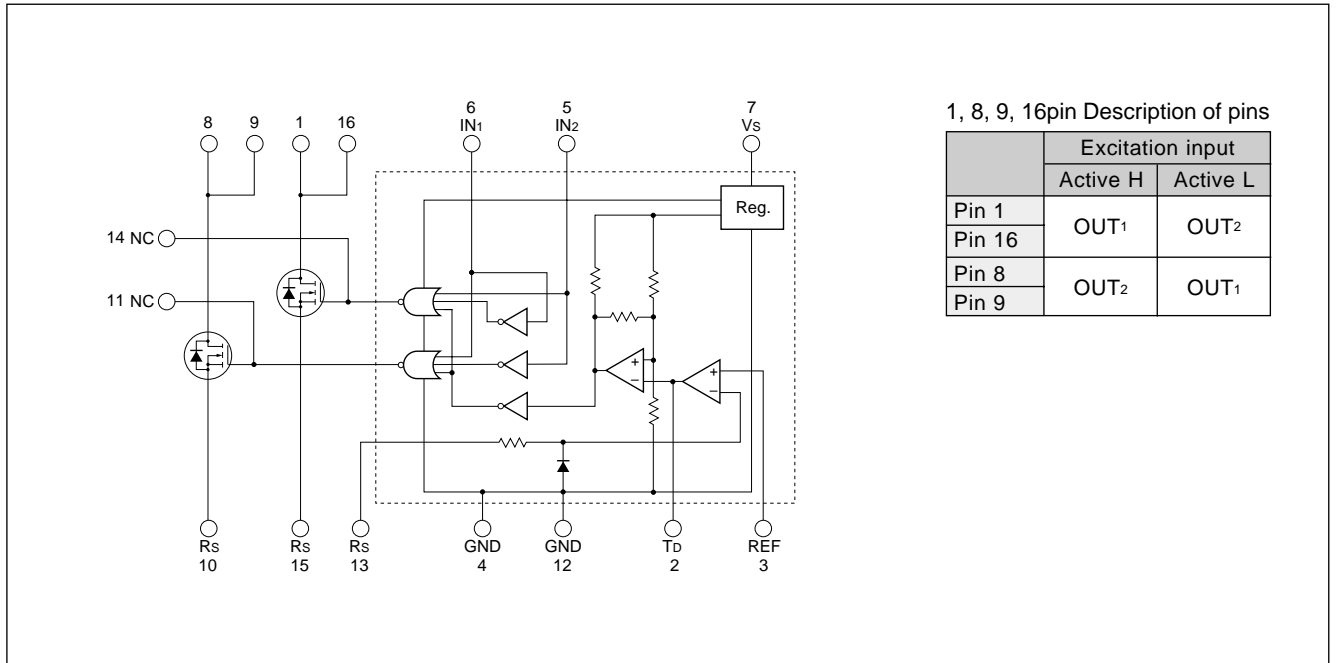
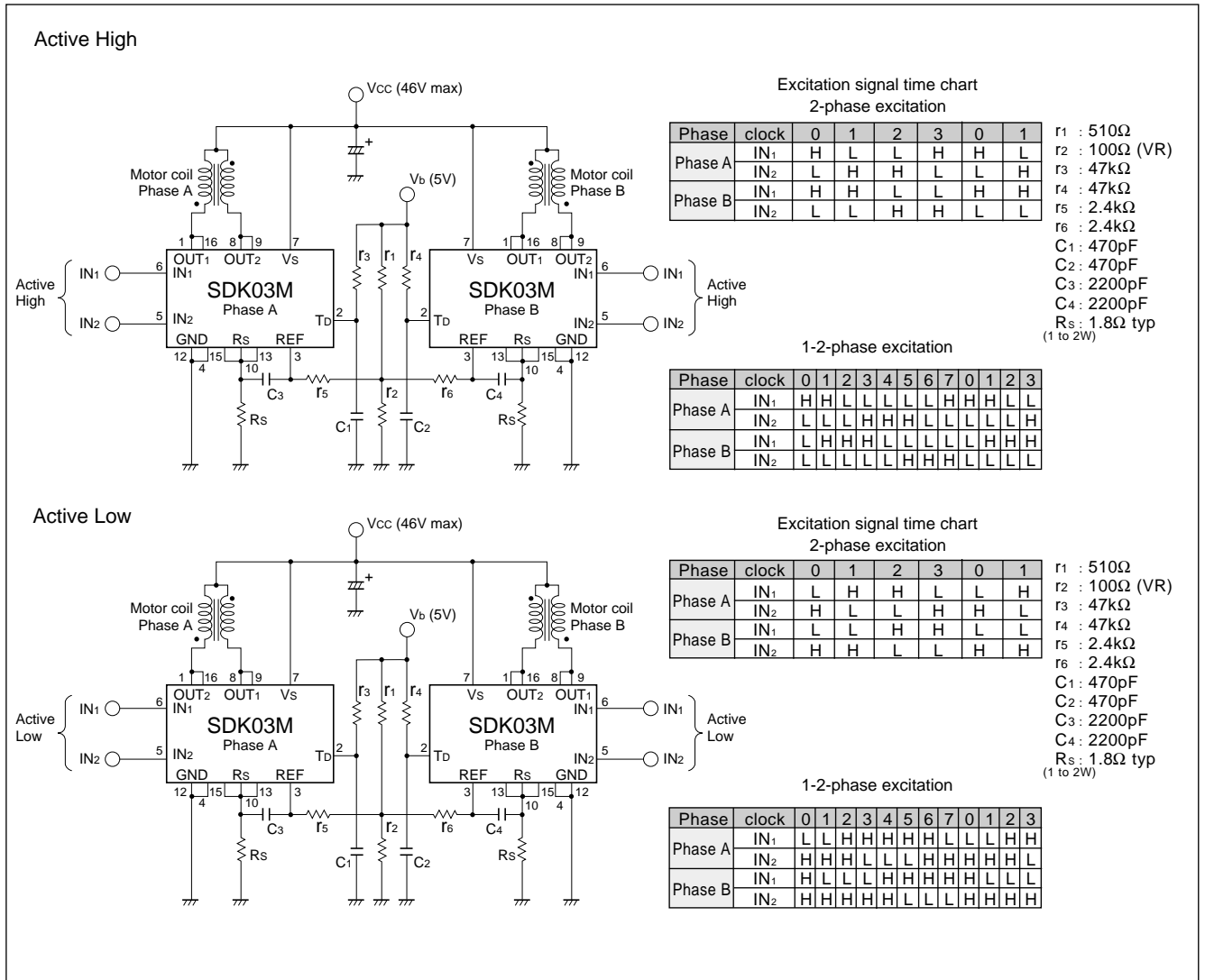
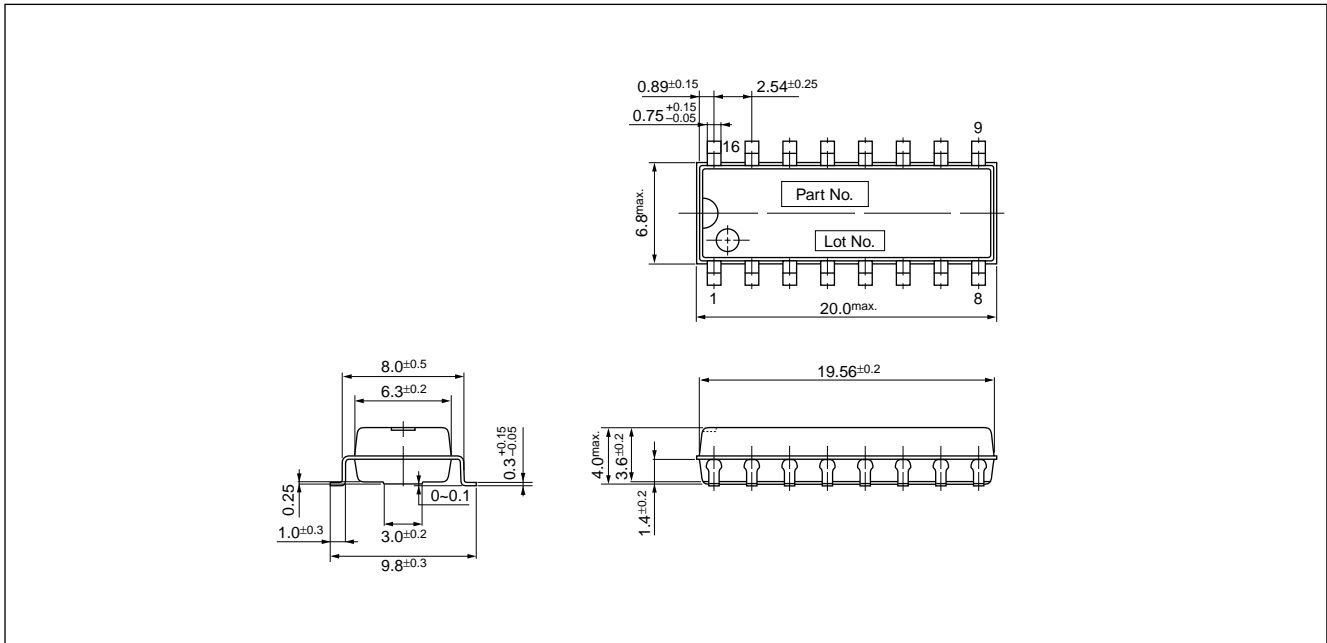


Diagram of Standard External Circuit (Recommended Circuit Constants)



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

Determining the Output Current

Fig. 1 shows the waveform of the output current (motor coil current). The method of determining the peak value of the output current (I_o) based on this waveform is shown below.

(Parameters for determining the output current I_o)

- V_b : Reference supply voltage
- r_1, r_2 : Voltage-divider resistors for the reference supply voltage
- R_s : Current sense resistor

(1) Normal rotation mode

I_o is determined as follows when current flows at the maximum level during motor rotation. (See Fig.2.)

$$I_o \cong \frac{r_2}{r_1+r_2} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

(2) Power down mode

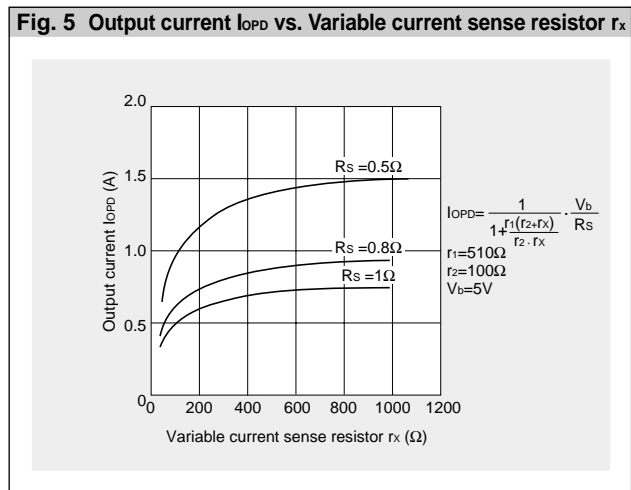
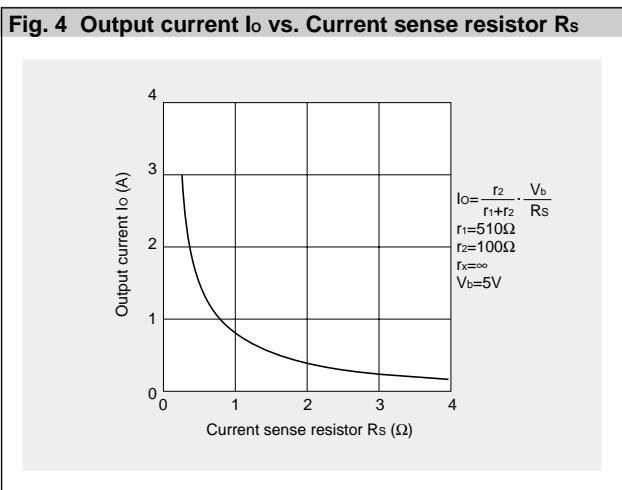
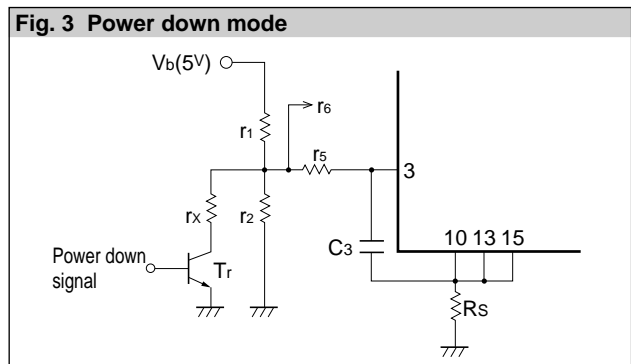
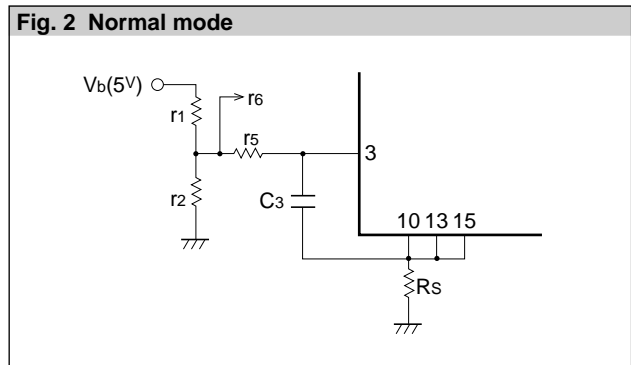
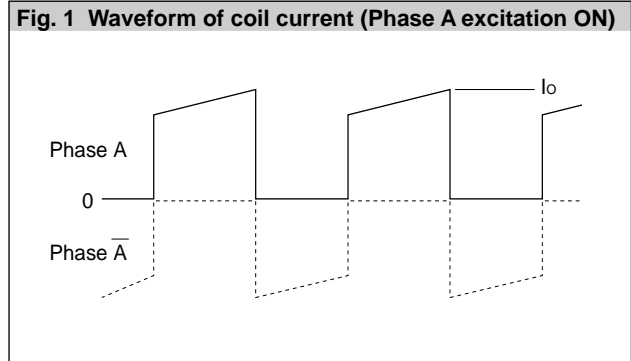
The circuit in Fig.3 (r_x and T_r) is added in order to decrease the coil current. I_o is then determined as follows.

$$I_{OPD} \cong \frac{1}{1 + \frac{r_1(r_2+r_x)}{r_2 \cdot r_x}} \cdot \frac{V_b}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Equation (2) can be modified to obtain equation to determine r_x .

$$r_x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{r_1} \left(\frac{V_b}{R_s \cdot I_{OPD}} - 1 \right) - \frac{1}{r_2}}$$

Fig. 4 and 5 show the graphs of equations (1) and (2) respectively.



(NOTE)

Ringing noise is produced in the current sense resistor R_s when the MOSFET is switched ON and OFF by chopping. This noise is also generated in feedback signals from R_s which may therefore cause the comparator to malfunction. To prevent chopping malfunctions, $r_5(r_6)$ and $C_3(C_4)$ are added to act as a noise filter.

However, when the values of these constants are increased, the response from R_s to the comparator becomes slow. Hence the value of the output current I_o is somewhat higher than the calculated value.

Determining the chopper frequency

Determining T_{OFF}

SDK03M is self-excited choppers. The chopping OFF time T_{OFF} is fixed by r_3/C_1 and r_4/C_2 connected to terminal T_d .

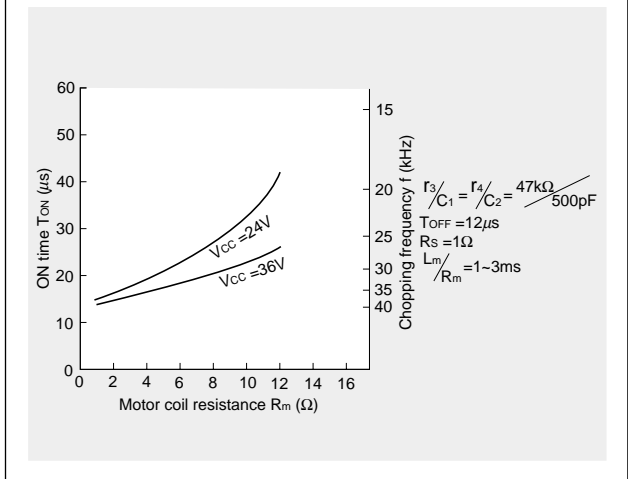
T_{OFF} can be calculated using the following formula:

$$T_{OFF} \approx -r_3 \cdot C_1 \ln\left(1 - \frac{2}{V_b}\right) = -r_4 \cdot C_2 \ln\left(1 - \frac{2}{V_b}\right)$$

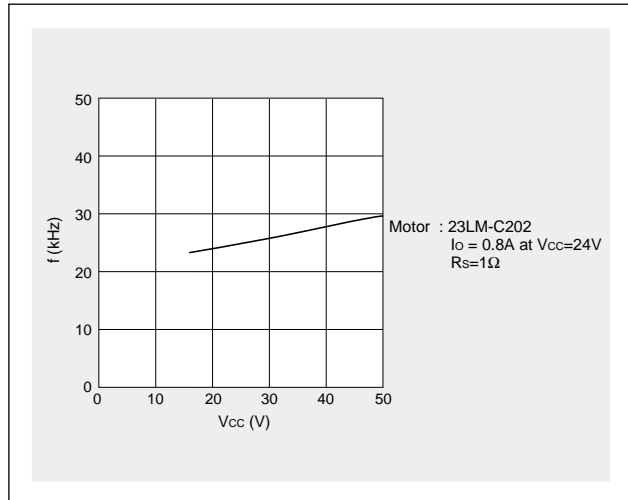
The circuit constants and the T_{OFF} value shown below are recommended.

$$T_{OFF} = 12\mu s \text{ at } r_3=47k\Omega, C_1=500pF, V_b=5V$$

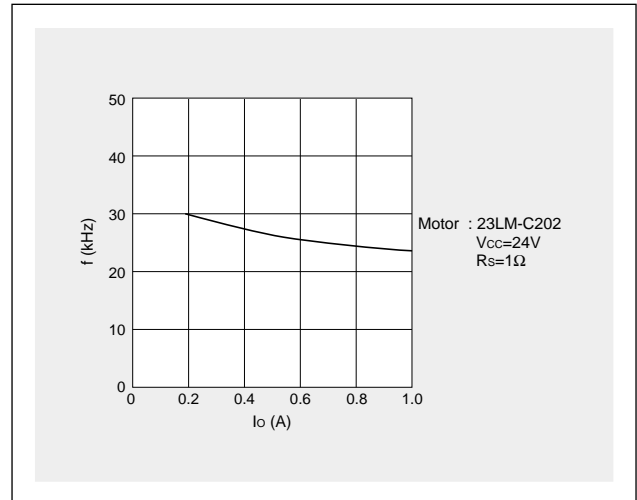
Fig. 6 Chopper frequency vs. Motor coil resistance



Chopper frequency vs. Supply voltage



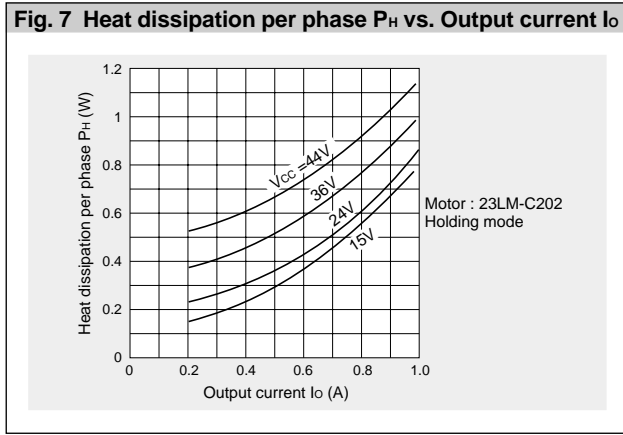
Chopper frequency vs. Output current



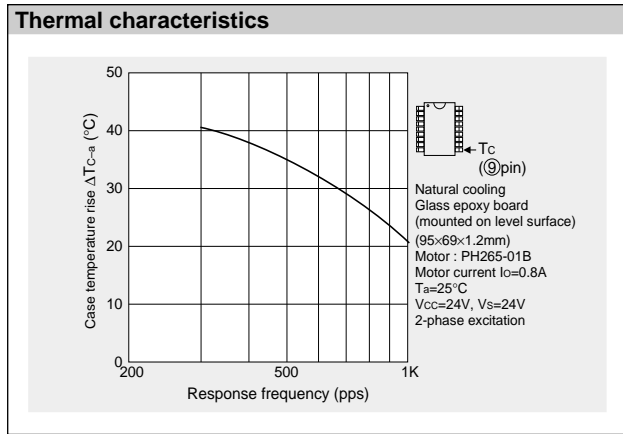
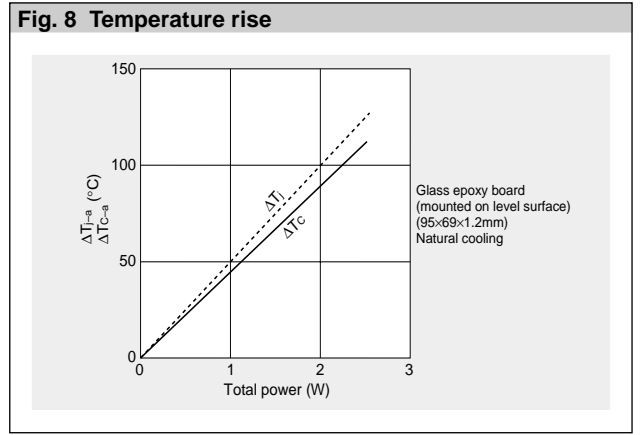
Thermal Design

An outline of the method for computing heat dissipation is shown below.

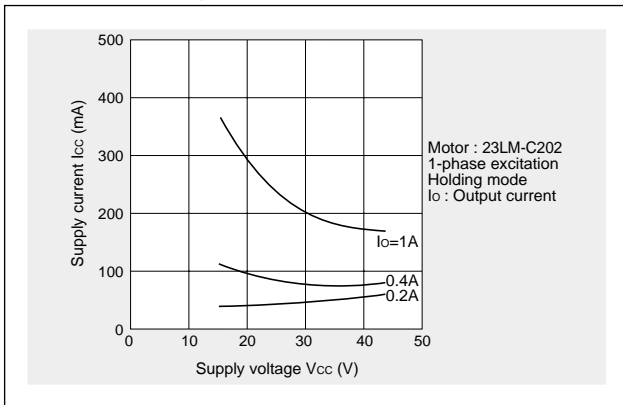
- (1) Obtain the value of P_H that corresponds to the motor coil current I_o from Fig. 7 "Heat dissipation per phase P_H vs. Output current I_o ."



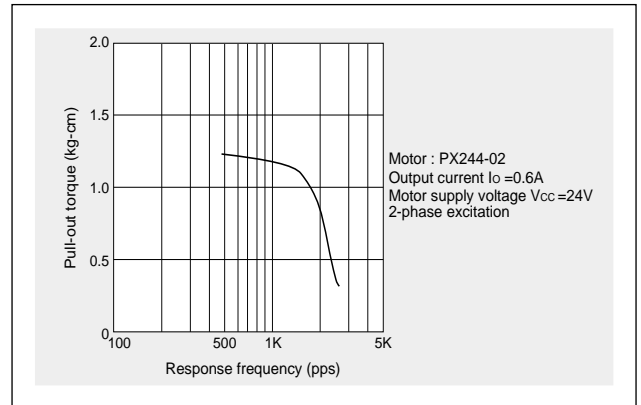
- (2) The power dissipation P_{diss} is obtained using the following formula.
 2-phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong P_H + 0.0075 \times V_s$ (W)
 1-2 phase excitation: $P_{diss} \cong \frac{3}{4} P_H + 0.0075 \times V_s$ (W)
- (3) Obtain the temperature rise that corresponds to the calculated value of P_{diss} from Fig. 8 "Temperature rise."



Supply Voltage Vcc vs. Supply Current Icc



Torque Characteristics



Note

The excitation input signals of the SDK03M can be used as either Active High or Active Low. Note, However, that the corresponding output (OUT) changes depending on the input (IN).

Active High

Input	Corresponding output
IN ₁ (pin6)	OUT ₁ (pin1, 16)
IN ₂ (pin5)	OUT ₂ (pin8, 9)

Active Low

Input	Corresponding output
IN ₁ (pin6)	OUT ₁ (pin8, 9)
IN ₂ (pin5)	OUT ₂ (pin1, 16)

2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver IC

Allegro MicroSystems product

Features

- Internal 1-phase/1-2 phase/2-phase excitation pattern generator
- Output enable and direction control
- Power-on reset
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance 16-pin DIP

Absolute Maximum Ratings

($T_a=+25^\circ\text{C}$)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Output voltage	V_{CE}	50	V
Output sustaining voltage	$V_{CE(SUS)}$	35	V
Output current (1 circuit)	I_o	1.5	A/unit
Logic supply voltage	V_{DD}	7.0	V
Input voltage	V_{IN}	7.0	V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)	2.90	W/pkg
Operating temperature	T_a	-20 to +85	$^\circ\text{C}$
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)	+150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$

Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using $-23.3\text{mW}/^\circ\text{C}$.

Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

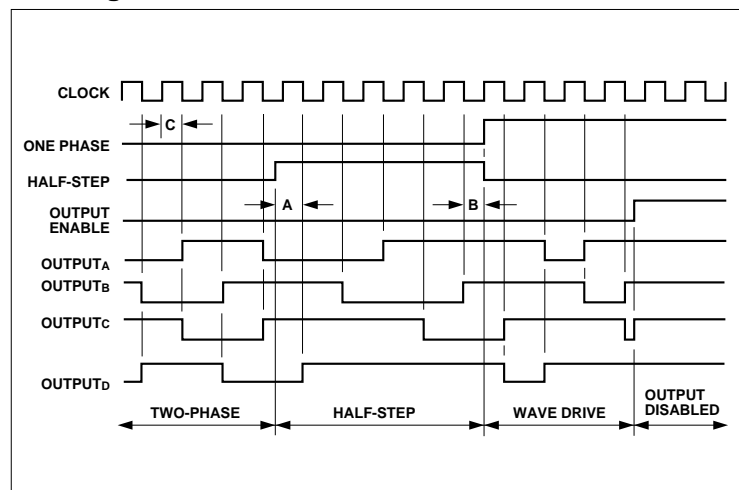
Electrical Characteristics

(Unless specified otherwise, $T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{DD}=4.5\text{V}$ to 5.5V)

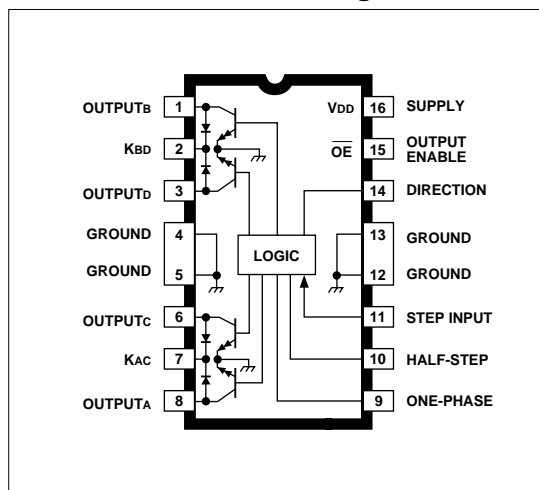
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
			min	typ	max	
Output drivers						
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_o=50\text{V}$		10	50	μA
Output sustaining voltage	$V_{CE(SUS)}$	$I_o=1.25\text{A}$, $L=3\text{mH}$	3.5			V
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	$I_o=700\text{mA}$		1.0	1.2	V
		$I_o=1\text{A}$		1.1	1.4	V
		$I_o=1.25\text{A}$		1.2	1.5	V
Clamp diode leakage current	I_R	$V_R=50\text{V}$		10	50	μA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=1.25\text{A}$		1.5	3.0	V
Turn-on delay	t_{ON}	50% step inputs to 50% output			10	μs
Turn-off delay	t_{OFF}	50% step inputs to 50% output			10	μs
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_j			165		$^\circ\text{C}$
Control logic						
(Unless specified otherwise, $V_{IN}=V_{DD}$ or GND)						
Input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IN}=V_{DD}$		0.5	5.0	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IN}=0.8\text{V}$		-0.5	-5.0	μA
Input voltage	V_{IH}	$V_{DD}=5\text{V}$	3.5		5.3	V
	V_{IL}		-0.3		0.8	V
Supply current	I_{DD}	2 outputs ON		20	30	mA
Data setup time	$t_{s DAT(A)}$	Inter-clock	100			ns
Data hold time	$t_{h DAT(B)}$	Inter-clock	100			ns
Clock pulse width	$t_w CLK(C)$		500			ns

● "typ" values are for reference.

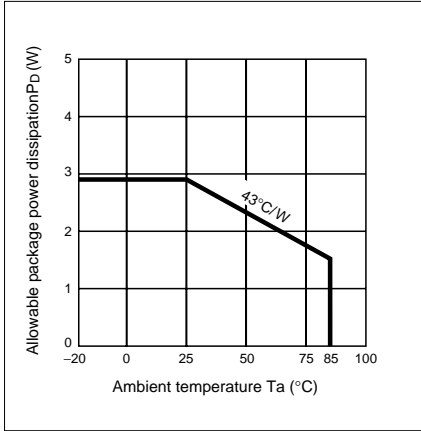
Timing Conditions



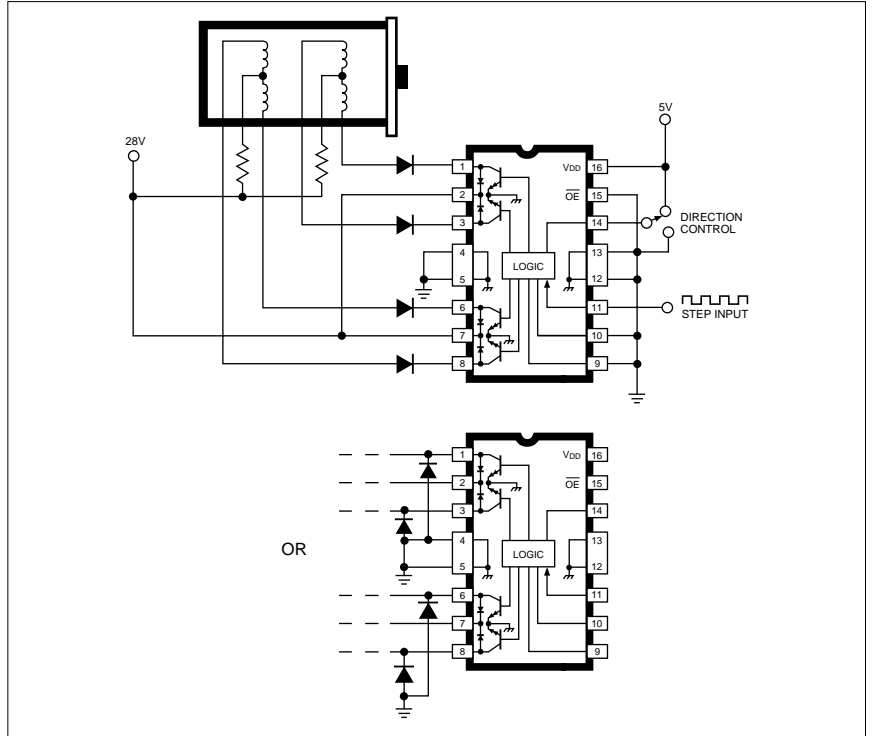
Terminal Connection Diagram



Derating



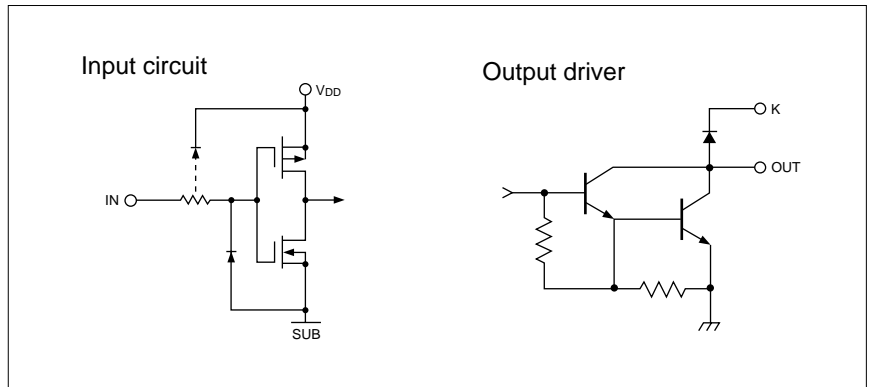
Application Circuit



Truth Table

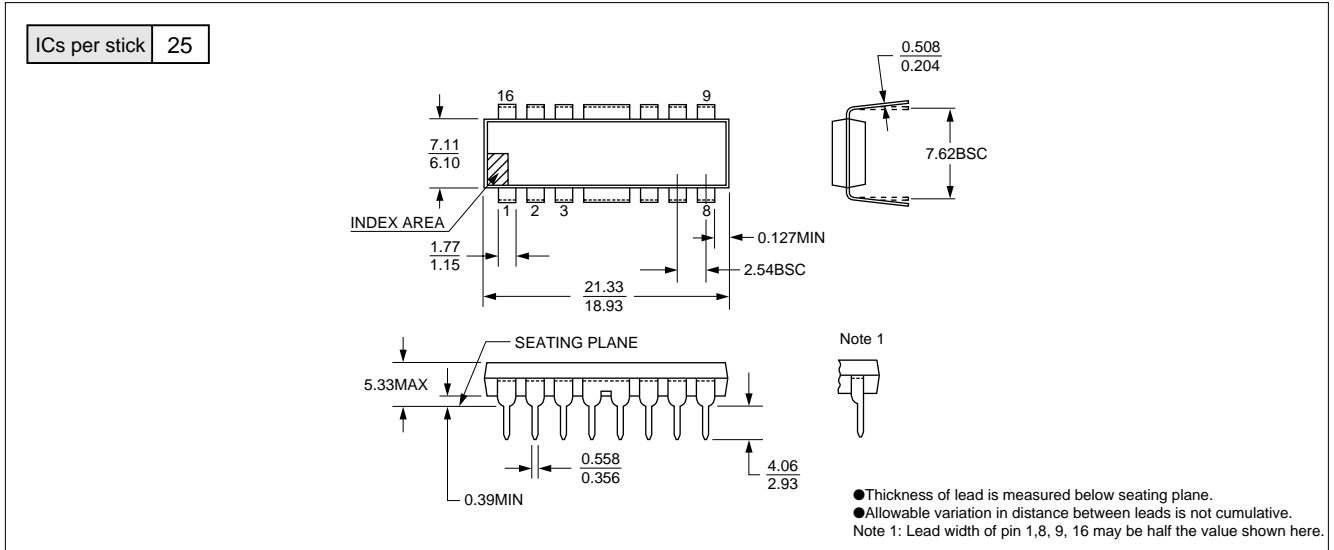
Drive Format	Pin 9	Pin 10
Two-Phase	L	L
One-Phase	H	L
Half-Step	L	H
Step-Inhibit	H	H

I/O Equivalent Circuit



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



2-Phase Stepper Motor Unipolar Driver ICs

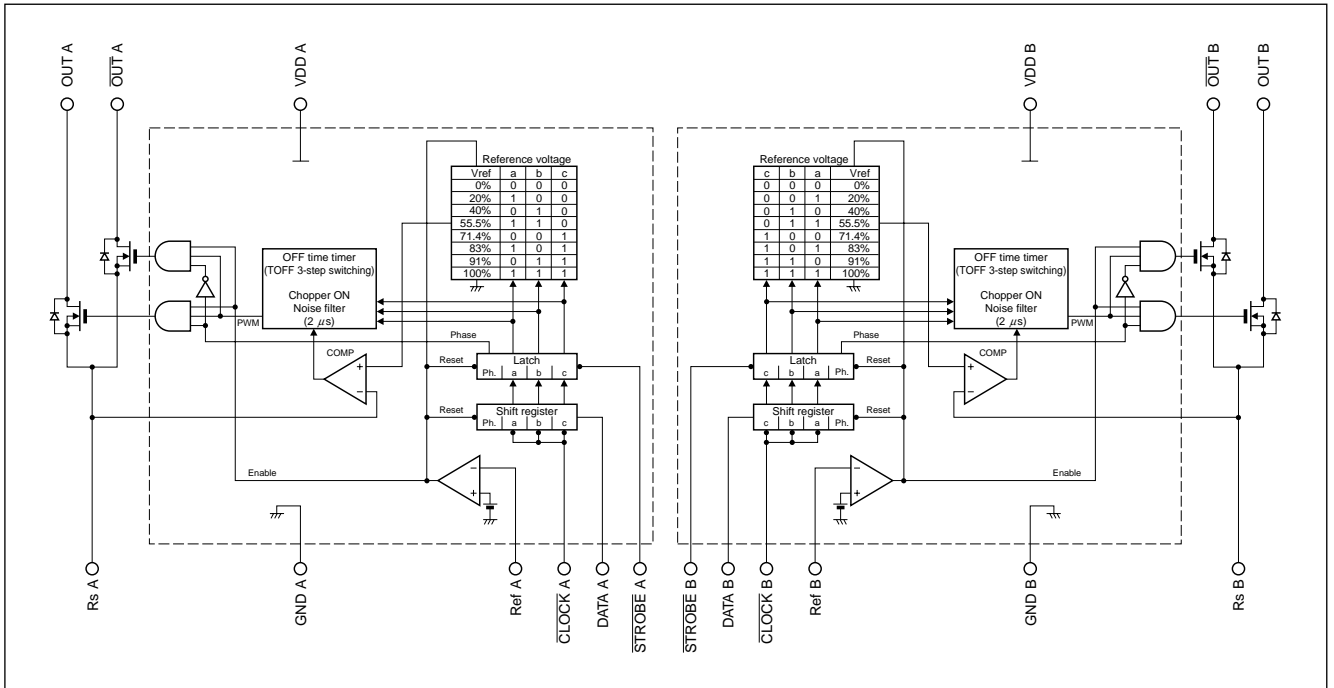
Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings		Units
		SLA7042M	SLA7044M	
Motor supply voltage	V_{CC}	46		V
FET Drain-Source voltage	V_{DSS}	100		V
Control supply voltage	V_{DD}	7		V
Input voltage	V_{IN}	-0.5 to $V_{DD}+0.5$		V
Output current	I_O	1.2	3	A
Power dissipation	P_D	4.5 (Without Heatsink)		W
Channel temperature	T_{ch}	+150		°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-40 to +150		°C

Electrical Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings						Units	
		SLA7042M			SLA7044M				
		min	typ	max	min	typ	max		
Control supply current	I_{DD}	$V_{DD}=5.5V$			$V_{DD}=5.5V$			mA	
	Conditions								
Control supply voltage	V_{DD}	4.5	5	5.5	4.5	5	5.5	V	
	V_{IH}	3.5		5	3.5		5		
Terminals DATA, CLOCK and STROBE	Input voltage	V_{IL}	$V_{DD}=5V$			$V_{DD}=5V$			V
		Conditions							
	Input hysteresis voltage	V_H	1			1			V
		Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V$			$V_{DD}=5V$			
Input current	I_I	± 1			± 1			μA	
	Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V, V_I=0$ or 5V			$V_{DD}=5V, V_I=0$ or 5V				
REF terminal	Input voltage	V_{REF}	0.4			0.4			V
		Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V$			$V_{DD}=5V$			
	Input current	I_{REF}	± 1			± 1			μA
		Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V, V_I=0$ or 5V			$V_{DD}=5V, V_I=0$ or 5V			
DC characteristics	Reference voltage selection output voltage	V_{ref}	0			0			%
		Conditions	MODE 0			MODE 0			
		V_{ref}	20			20			
		Conditions	MODE 1			MODE 1			
		V_{ref}	40			40			
		Conditions	MODE 2			MODE 2			
		V_{ref}	55.5			55.5			
		Conditions	MODE 3			MODE 3			
		V_{ref}	71.4			71.4			
		Conditions	MODE 4			MODE 4			
		V_{ref}	83			83			
		Conditions	MODE 5			MODE 5			
		V_{ref}	91			91			
		Conditions	MODE 6			MODE 6			
V_{ref}	100			100					
Conditions	MODE 7			MODE 7					
FET ON voltage	V_{DS}	0.8			1.4			V	
	Conditions	$I_D=1.2A, V_{DD}=4.75V$			$I_D=3A, V_{DD}=4.75V$				
FET Drain-Source voltage	V_{DSS}	100				100			V
	Conditions	$I_{DSS}=4mA, V_{DD}=5V$			$I_{DSS}=4mA, V_{DD}=5V$				
FET drain leakage current	I_{DSS}	4			4			mA	
	Conditions	$V_{DSS}=100V, V_{DD}=5V$			$V_{DSS}=100V, V_{DD}=5V$				
FET diode forward voltage	V_{SD}	1.2			2.3			V	
	Conditions	$I_D=1.2A$			$I_D=3A$				
Chopper off time	T_{OFF}	7			7			μs	
	Conditions	MODE 1, 2			MODE 1, 2				
	T_{OFF}	9			9				
	Conditions	MODE 3, 4, 5			MODE 3, 4, 5				
Switching time	T_{OFF}	11			11			μs	
	Conditions	MODE 6, 7			MODE 6, 7				
	T_r	0.5			0.5				
	Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V, I_D=1A$			$V_{DD}=5V, I_D=1A$				
Data setup time "A"	T_{stg}	0.7			0.7			μs	
	Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V, I_D=1A$			$V_{DD}=5V, I_D=1A$				
	T_f	0.1			0.1				
	Conditions	$V_{DD}=5V, I_D=1A$			$V_{DD}=5V, I_D=1A$				
Data hold time "B"	t_{sDAT}	75				75			ns
	Conditions	Inter-clock							
Data pulse time "C"	t_{thDAT}	75				75			ns
	Conditions	Inter-clock							
Clock pulse width "D"	t_{wDAT}	150				150			ns
	Conditions								
Stabilization time before strobe "E"	t_{whCLK}	100				100			ns
	Conditions								
Strobe pulse H width "F"	t_{psSTB}	100				100			ns
	Conditions	Strobe=L from clock			Strobe=L from clock				
Strobe pulse H width "F"	t_{whSTB}	100				100			ns
	Conditions								

Internal Block Diagram

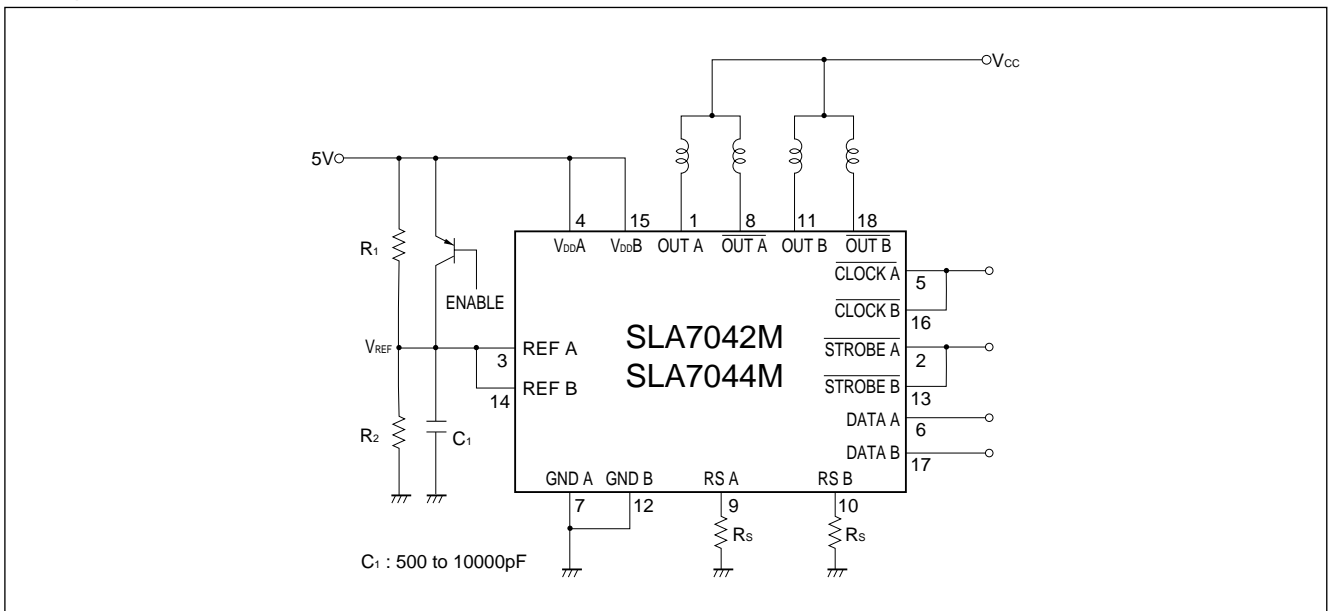


Output Current Formula

$$I_o = \frac{K}{3} \cdot \frac{V_{REF}}{R_s}$$

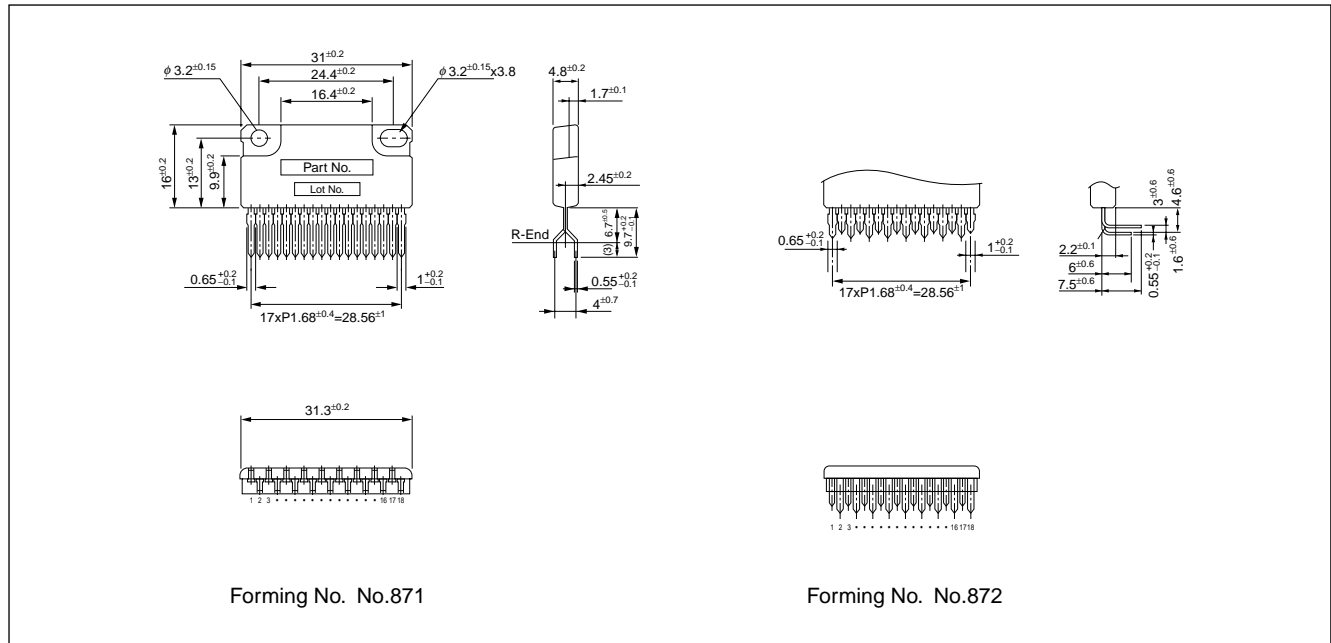
K: Reference voltage setting rate by serial signal
(See the internal block diagram)

Diagram of Standard External Circuit



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



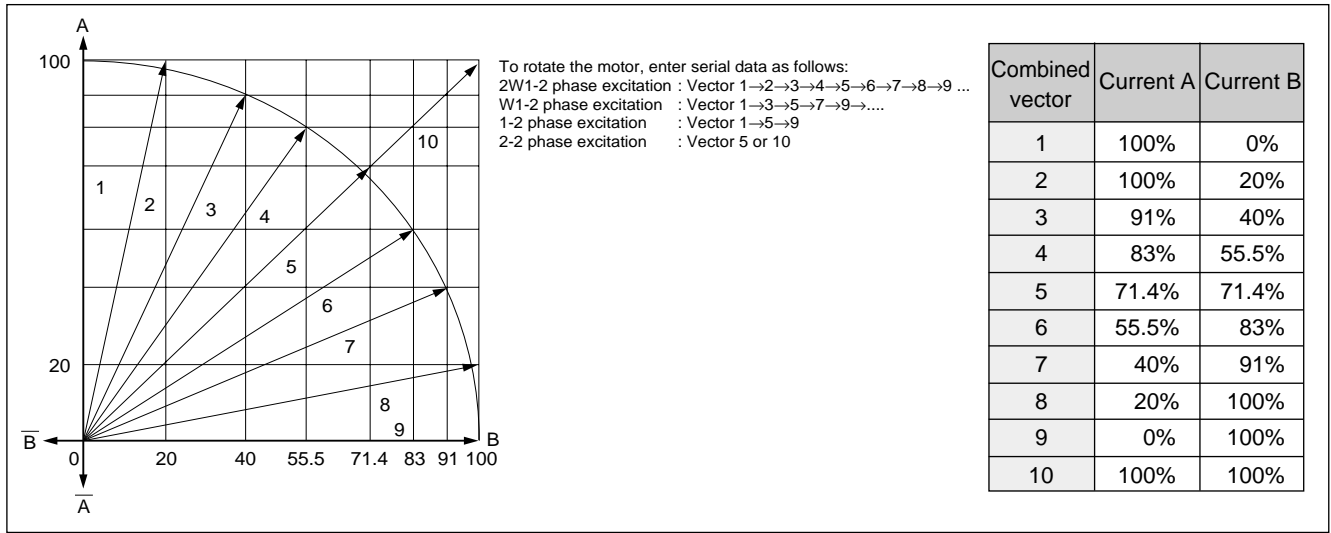
Serial Data Pattern

		OUT excitation (MODEX)	$\overline{\text{OUT}}$ excitation (MODE $\overline{\text{X}}$)
CLOCK		Phase a b c	Phase a b c
STROBE		0	0
DATA	MODE0 (0%)	0	0
	MODE1 (20%)	0	0
	MODE2 (40%)	0	0
	MODE3 (55.5%)	0	0
	MODE4 (71.4%)	0	0
	MODE5 (83%)	0	0
	MODE6 (91%)	0	0
	MODE7 (100%)	0	0

See page 48 for details of PG001M serial signal generator IC for SLA7042M and SLA7044M.

Successively output this serial data and set any current. Then, determine the step time of the reference voltage V_{ref} at $\overline{\text{STROBE}}$ signal intervals.

Current Vector Locus (One step of stepper motor normalized to 90 degrees)

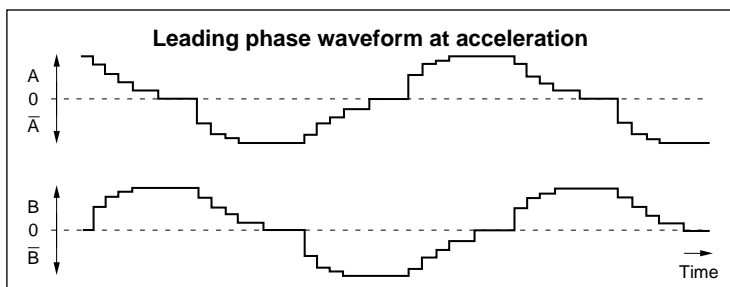
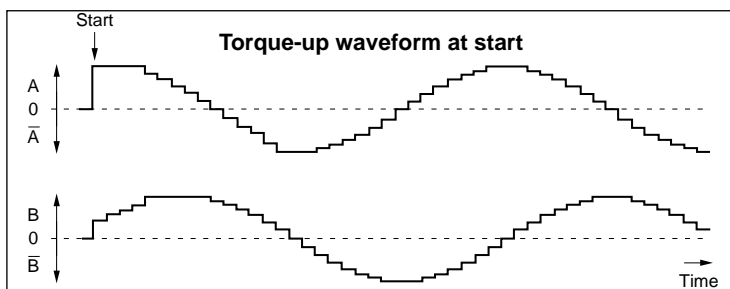
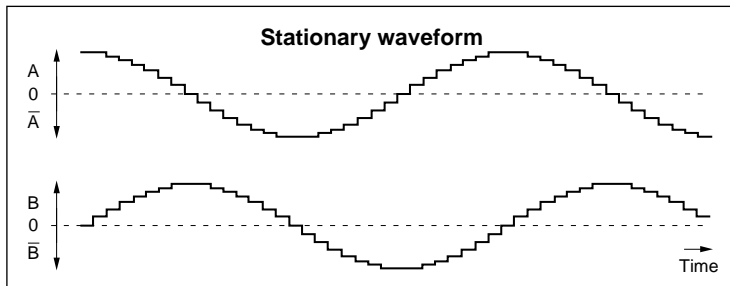


Serial Data Sequence Example (2W 1-2 Phase Excitation for CW)

Sequence	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	0
DATA-A MODE	4	3	2	1	0	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{0}$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	7	7	6	5	4	
DATA-B MODE	4	5	6	7	7	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{1}$	0	1	2	3	4	

A malfunction may occur just after the power (V_{DD}) is turned on because the internal logic is unstable. Therefore, set the RESET state (REF terminal voltage: $V_{DD}-1V$ to V_{DD}) after the power is turned on.)

Operation Current Waveform Examples



These three types of waveforms can all be set with a serial signal.

Serial Signal Generator IC for SLA7042M and SLA7044M

Absolute Maximum Ratings

(T_a=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Supply voltage	V _{DD}	-0.5 to 7	V
Input voltage	V _I	-0.5 to V _{DD} +0.5	V
Input current	I _I	±10	mA
Output voltage	V _O	-0.5 to V _{DD} +0.5	V
Output current	I _O	±15	mA
Power dissipation	P _D	200	mW
Operating temperature	T _{OP}	-20 to +85	°C
Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +150	°C

Electrical Characteristics

(T_a=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings			Units	
			min	typ	max		
DC characteristics	Supply voltage	V _{DD}	4.5		5.5	V	
	Supply current	I _{DD}		0.35	0.45	mA	
	Output voltage	V _{OH}	V _{DD} =5V, I _O =±3mA	4.5			V
		V _{OL}				0.4	V
	Input current	I _I	V _{DD} =5V, V _I =0 or 5V			±1	μA
	Input voltage	V _{IH}	V _{DD} =5V	3.5		5	V
		V _{IL}		-0.3		1.5	V
Input hysteresis voltage	V _H	V _{DD} =5V		1		V	
Input capacity	C _I	V _{DD} =5V		5	10	pF	
AC characteristics	Internal oscillation frequency	F		1.5		MHz	
	Propagation delay time	T _{CS}	See Fig. 1.		50	100	ns
		T _{CC}			430	550	ns
	Output voltage	T _r	V _{DD} =5V, C _L =15pF See Fig. 2.		20		ns
		T _f			20		ns
	CLOCK IN terminal	V _{CIH}	H level time, V _{DD} =5V	4.5			μs
	Input clock time	V _{CIL}	L level time, V _{DD} =5V	0.5			μs
	Reset setting time (A)	t _{sR}	Inter-clock				ns
	Stabilization time after reset (B)	t _{psR}	See Fig. 3.	100			ns
	Signal setting time (C)	t _{sS}	Inter-clock See Fig. 3.				ns
Stabilization time after signal input (D)	t _{psS}	100				ns	

Fig. 1

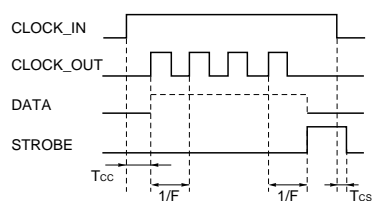


Fig.2

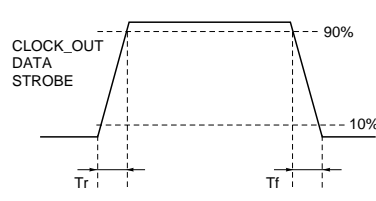
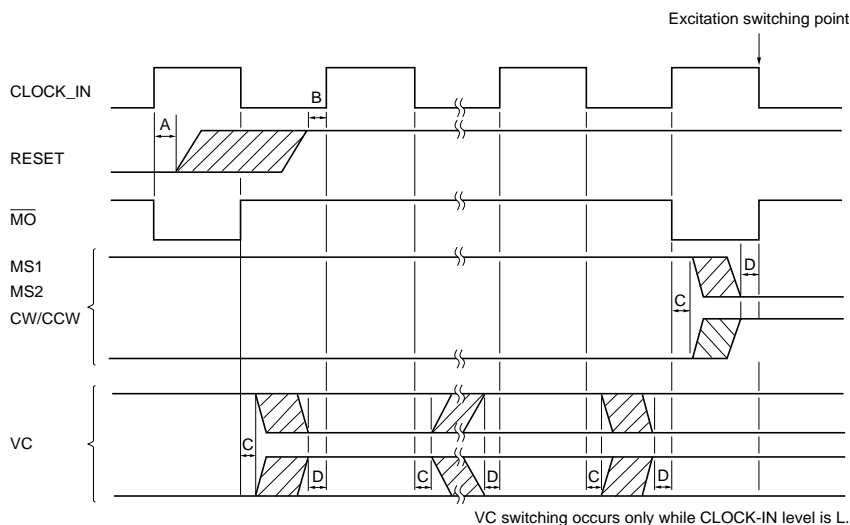


Fig. 3 Timing conditions



Internal Block Diagram

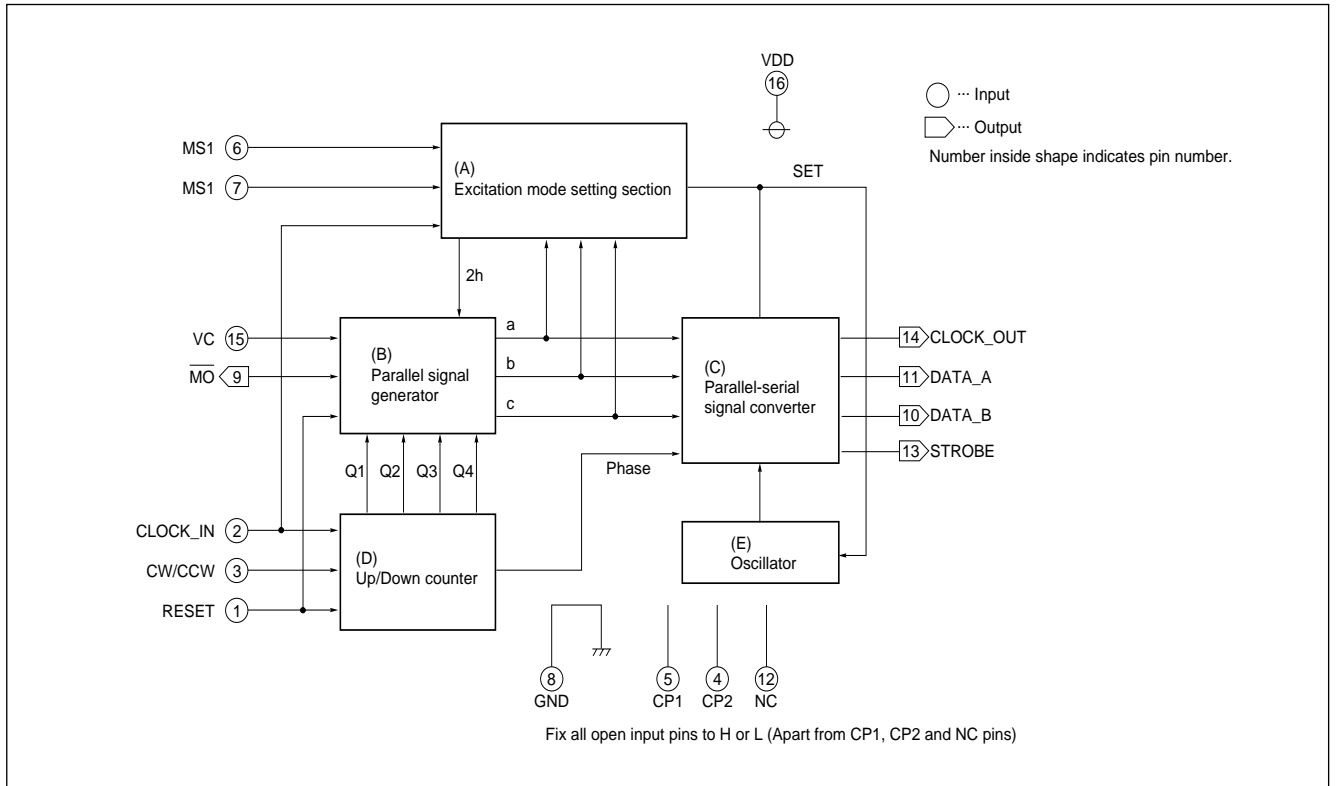
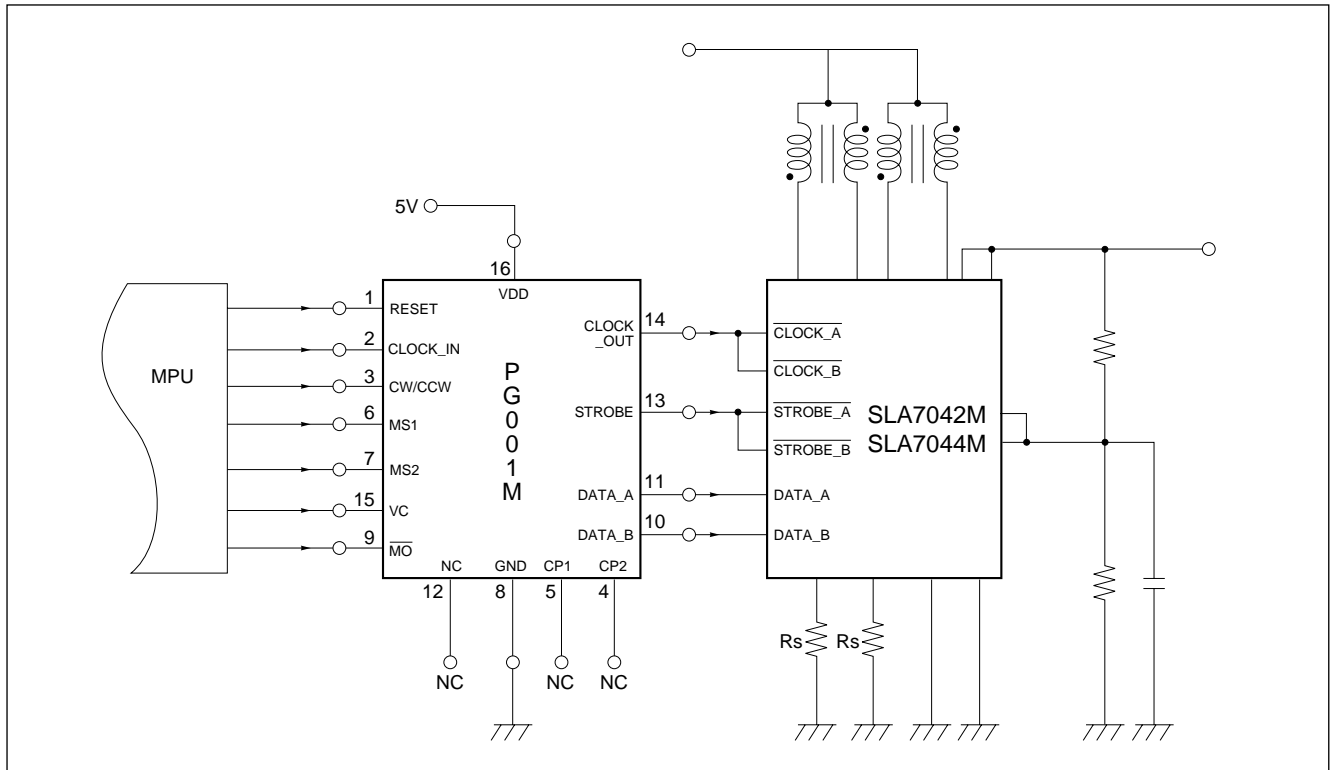
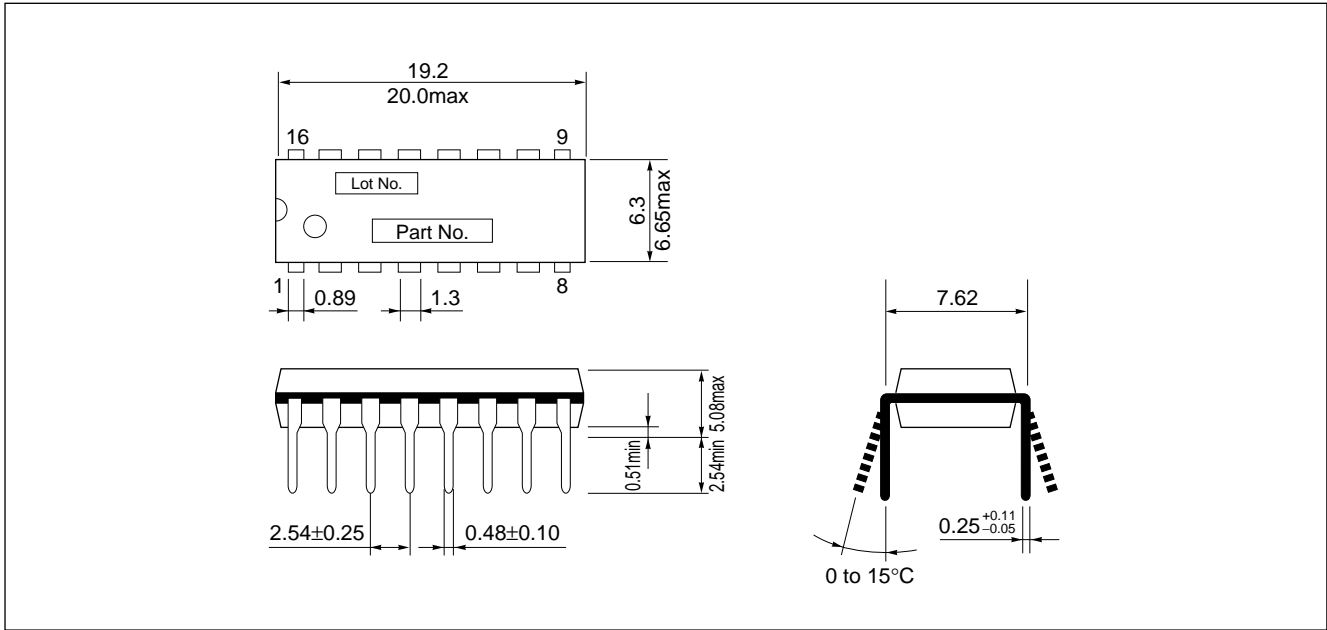


Diagram of Standard External Circuit

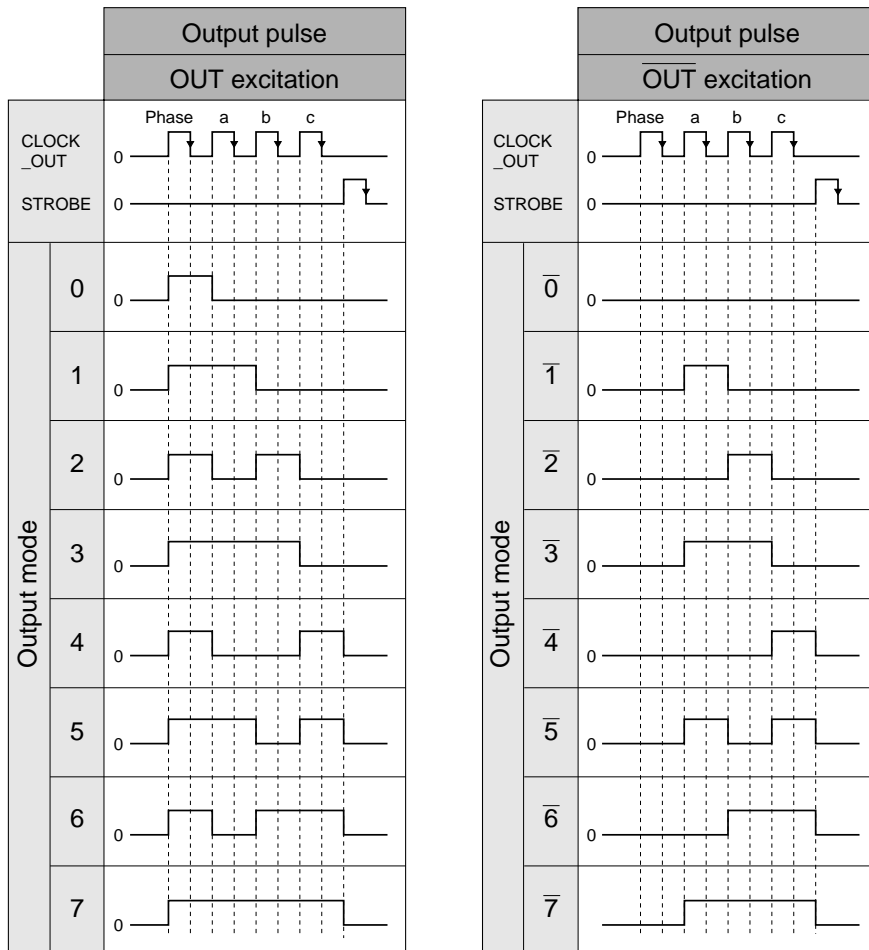


External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Output Mode Vs Output Pulse



Input and Output Function Correlation Table

Input				Output				
Mode	CLOCK_IN	CW/CCW	RESET	MO	CLOCK_OUT	STROBE	DATA-A	DATA-B
CW		L	H				CW	CW
		L	H				CW	CW
CCW		H	H				CCW	CCW
		H	H				CCW	CCW
RESET		x	L				Output Mode 4 or 7	Input Mode 4 or 7
		x	L				Output Mode	Output Mode

x: Don't care

*: MO outputs L level while CLOCK_IN is H level when output mode is 4:4 (7:7), 4:4 (7:7), 4:4 (7:7), or 4:4 (7:7). Modes in brackets () are for 2-2 phase VC: H.

Excitation Selection Table

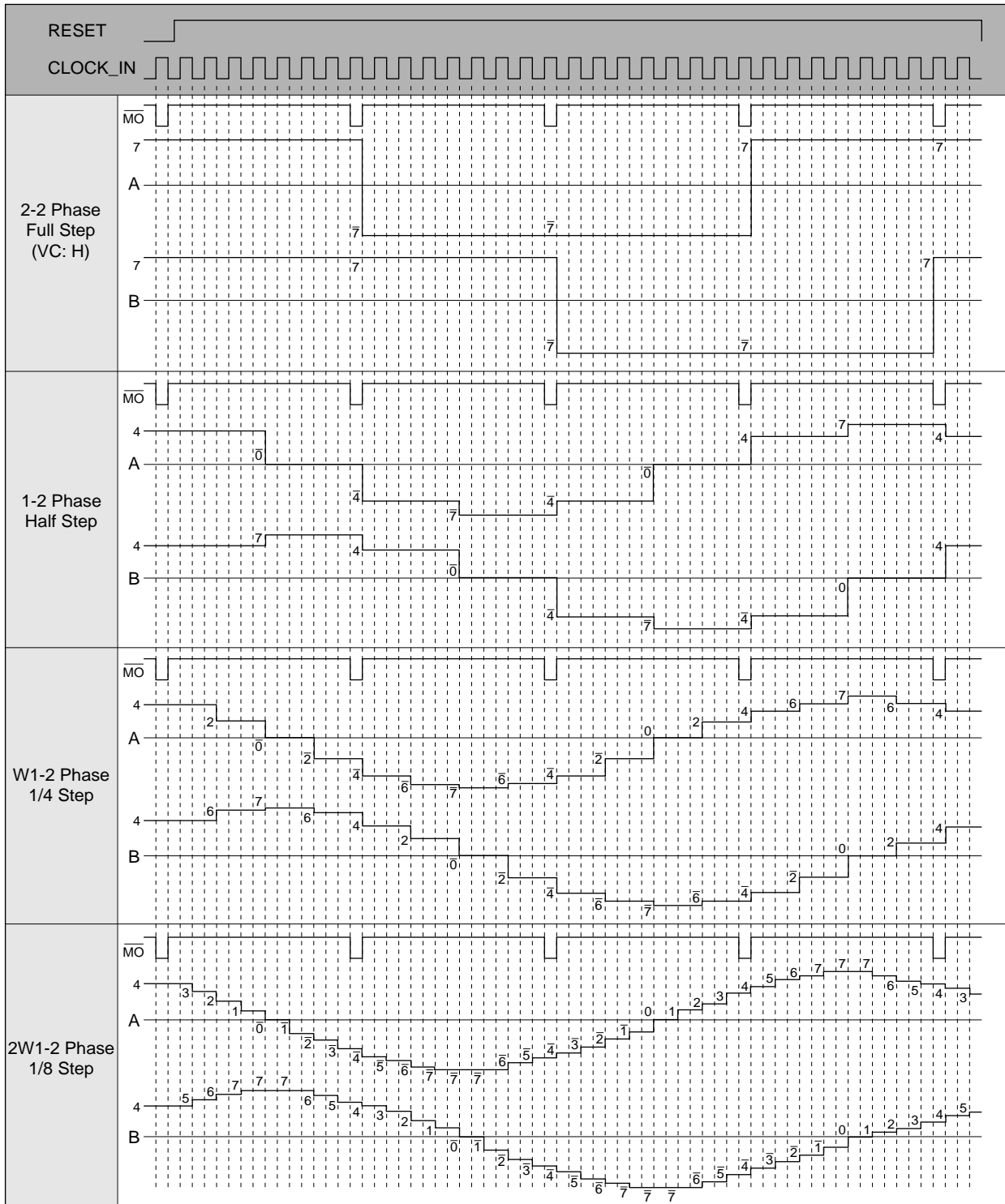
Excitation method	Input			Output current mode of SLA7042M/7044M								Torque vector
	Excitation mode selection			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	VC	MS1	MS2	0%	20%	40%	55.5%	71.4%	83%	91%	100%	
2-2 Phase Full Step	H	L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	○	141%
	L	L	L	-	-	-	-	○	-	-	-	100%
1-2 Phase Half Step	x	H	L	○	-	-	-	○	-	-	○	100%
W1-2 Phase 1/4 Step	x	L	H	○	-	○	-	○	-	○	○	100%
2W1-2 Phase 1/8 Step	x	H	H	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	100%

Output Mode Sequence

Excitation method	CW/CCW	CLOCK	RESET	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
		MO	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	
2-2 Phase Full Step (1) (VC: H)	CW	DATA_A	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7
		DATA_B	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7
	CCW	DATA_A	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7
		DATA_B	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	7
2-2 Phase Full Step (2) (VC: L)	CW	DATA_A	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	
		DATA_B	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	
	CCW	DATA_A	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	4	
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1-2 Phase Half Step	CW	DATA_A	4	=	=	0	=	=	4	=	7	=	=	4	=	=	0	=	4	=	=	7	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	0	=	=	4	=	4
		DATA_B	4	=	=	7	=	=	4	=	0	=	=	4	=	=	0	=	4	=	=	7	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	0	=	=	4	=	4
	CCW	DATA_A	4	=	=	7	=	=	4	=	0	=	=	4	=	=	0	=	4	=	=	7	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	0	=	=	4	=	4
		DATA_B	4	=	=	0	=	=	4	=	7	=	=	4	=	=	7	=	4	=	=	0	=	=	4	=	=	=	=	7	=	=	4	=	4
W1-2 Phase 1/4 Step	CW	DATA_A	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4
		DATA_B	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4
	CCW	DATA_A	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4
		DATA_B	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4	=	2	=	0	=	2	=	4	=	6	=	7	=	6	=	4
2W1-2 Phase 1/8 Step	CW	DATA_A	4	3	2	1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	7	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	7	6	5	4	
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		DATA_B	4	3	2	1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	7	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	7	6	5	4	

= : No output

■ Output Timing Chart (CW) ... Excitation Current of SLA7042M/7044M



For 2-2 phase VC : L, output mode is 7→4.

2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver IC

Allegro MicroSystems product

■ Features

- Maximum output ratings: 30V, ±650mA
- Internal fixed-frequency PWM current control
- Internal ground-clamp & flyback diodes
- Internal thermal shutdown, crossover-current protection and UVLO protection circuitry
- Employs copper batwing lead frame with low thermal resistance

■ Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings		Units
		A3966SA	A3966SLB	
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	30		V
Output current (peak)	I_o (Peak)	±750		mA
Output current (continuous)	I_o	±650		mA
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	7.0		V
Logic input voltage range	V_{IN}	-0.3 to $V_{CC}+0.3$		V
Sense voltage	V_s	1.0		V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)	2.08	1.86	W
Ambient operating temperature	T_a	-20 to +85		°C
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)	+150		°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to +150		°C

● Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of 150°C.

Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using -16.67mW/°C (SA), -14.93mW/°C (SLB).

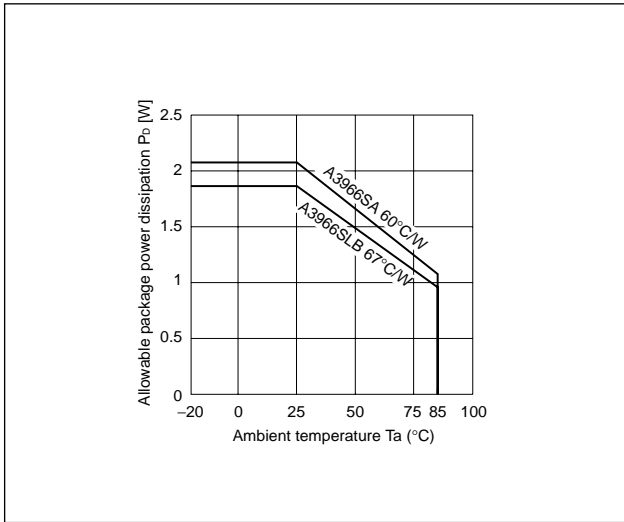
Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

■ Electrical Characteristics (Unless specified otherwise, $T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{BB}=30\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=4.75\text{V}$ to 5.5V, $V_{REF}=2\text{V}$, $V_s=0\text{V}$, 56kΩ & 680pF RC to ground)

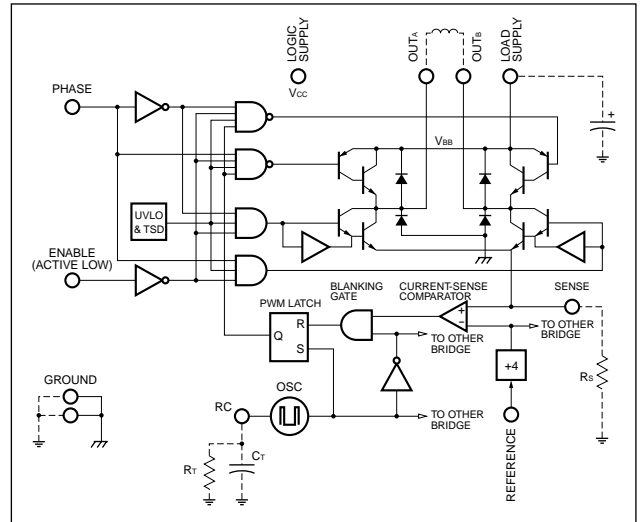
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings			Units
			min	typ	max	
Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Load supply voltage range	V_{BB}	Operating, $I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, $L=3\text{mH}$	V_{CC}		30	V
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_o=30\text{V}$		< 1.0	50	μA
		$V_o=0\text{V}$		< -1.0	-50	μA
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE}(\text{sat})$	Source Driver, $I_o=-400\text{mA}$		1.7	2.0	V
		Source Driver, $I_o=-650\text{mA}$		1.8	2.1	V
		Sink Driver, $I_o=+400\text{mA}$, $V_{SENSE}=0.5\text{V}$		0.3	0.5	V
		Sink Driver, $I_o=+650\text{mA}$, $V_{SENSE}=0.5\text{V}$		0.4	1.3	V
Sense-current offset	I_{SO}	I_s-I_o , $I_o=50-650\text{mA}$	12	18	24	mA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=400\text{mA}$		1.1	1.4	V
		$I_F=650\text{mA}$		1.4	1.6	V
Motor supply current (No load)	$I_{BB}(\text{ON})$	$V_{ENABLE1}=V_{ENABLE2}=0.8\text{V}$		3.0	5.0	mA
	$I_{BB}(\text{OFF})$	$V_{ENABLE1}=V_{ENABLE2}=2.4\text{V}$		< 1.0	200	μA
Control logic						
Logic supply voltage range	V_{CC}	Operating	4.75		5.50	V
Logic input voltage	V_{IH}		2.4			V
	V_{IL}				0.8	V
Logic input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IN}=2.4\text{V}$		< 1.0	20	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IN}=0.8\text{V}$		< -20	-200	μA
Reference input voltage range	V_{REF}	Operating	0.1		2.0	V
Reference input current	I_{REF}		-2.5	0	1.0	μA
Reference divider ratio	V_{REF}/V_{TRIP}		3.8	4.0	4.2	
Current-sense comparator input offset voltage	V_{IO}	$V_{REF}=0\text{V}$	-6.0	0	6.0	mV
Current-sense comparator input voltage range	V_s	Operating	-0.3		1.0	V
PWM RC frequency	f_{OSC}	$C_T=680\text{pF}$, $R_T=56\text{k}\Omega$	22.9	25.4	27.9	kHz
PWM propagation delay time	t_{PWM}	Comparator Trip to Source OFF		1.0	1.4	μs
		Cycle Reset to Source ON		0.8	1.2	μs
Cross-over dead time	t_{codt}	1kΩ Load to 25V	0.2	1.8	3.0	μs
Propagation delay time	t_{pd}	$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : ENABLE ON to Source ON			100	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : ENABLE OFF to Source OFF			500	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : ENABLE ON to Sink ON			200	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : ENABLE OFF to Sink OFF			200	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : PHASE Change to Sink ON			2200	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : PHASE Change to Sink OFF			200	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : PHASE Change to Source ON			2200	ns
		$I_o=\pm 650\text{mA}$, 50% to 90% : PHASE Change to Source OFF			200	ns
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_j				165	°C
Thermal shutdown hysteresis	ΔT_j				15	°C
UVLO enable threshold	$V_{UVLO\text{en}}$	Increasing V_{CC}		4.1	4.6	V
UVLO hysteresis	$V_{UVLO\text{hys}}$		0.1	0.6		V
Logic supply current	$I_{CC}(\text{ON})$	$V_{ENABLE1}=V_{ENABLE2}=0.8\text{V}$			50	mA
	$I_{CC}(\text{OFF})$	$V_{ENABLE1}=V_{ENABLE2}=2.4\text{V}$			9	mA

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Derating



Internal Block Diagram (1/2 circuit)



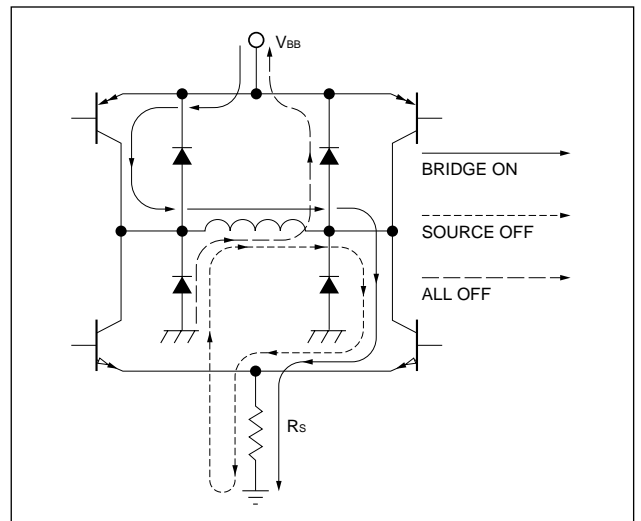
Truth Table

PHASE	ENABLE	OUT _A	OUT _B
X	H	Z	Z
H	L	H	L
L	L	L	H

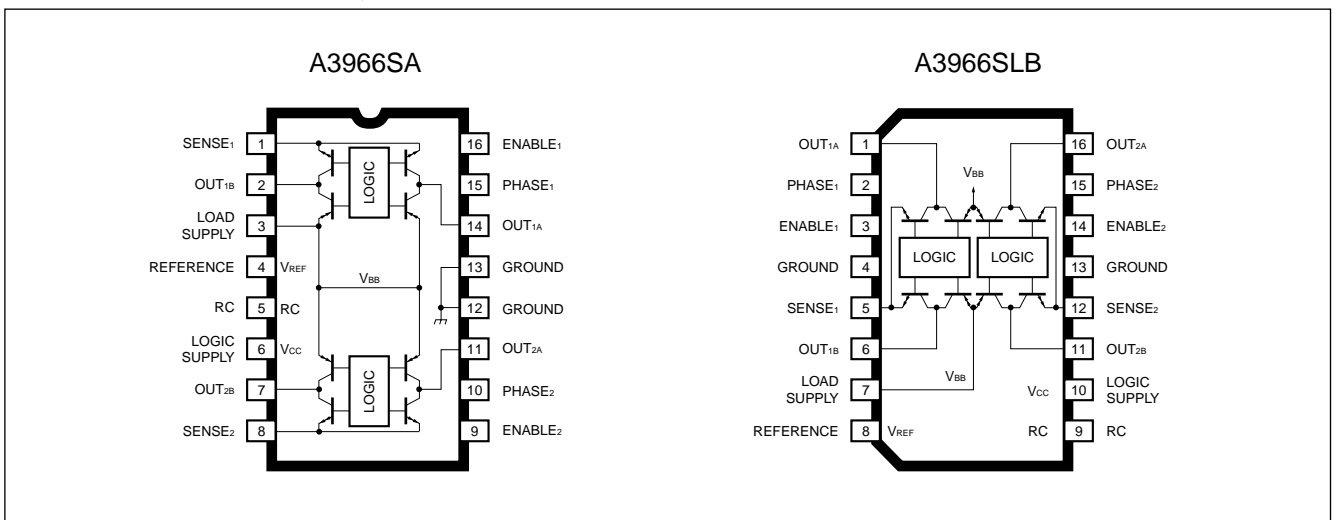
X: Don't care (either L or H)

Z: High impedance (source and sink both OFF)

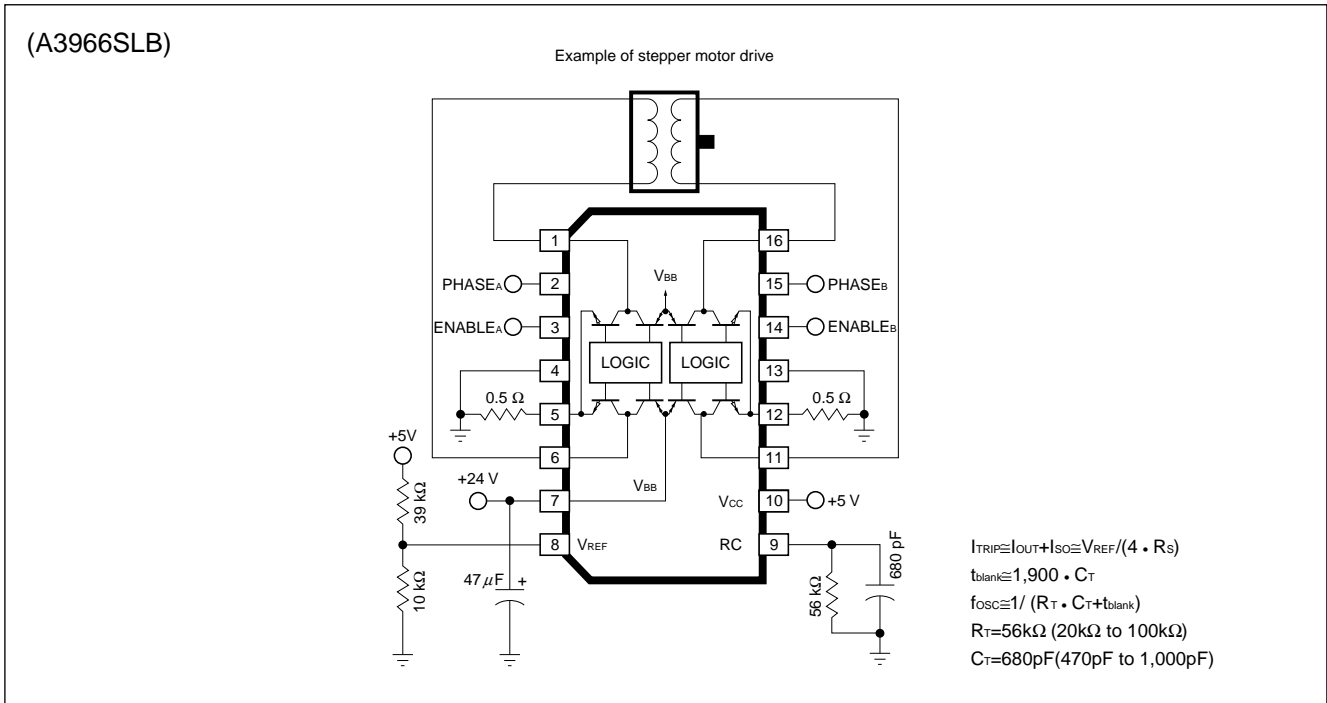
Load-Current Paths



Terminal Connection Diagram

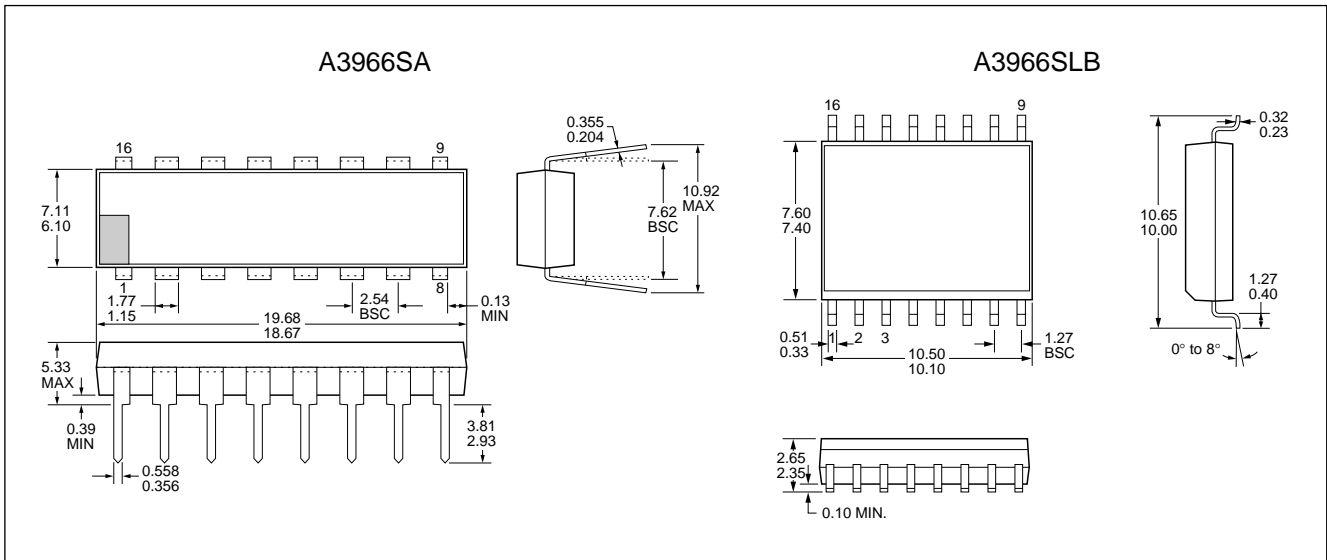


■ Typical Application



■ External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver IC

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■Features

- Fixed off-time PWM current control
- Internally generated, precision 2.5V reference
- External filter for sense terminal not required
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal crossover-current protection circuitry
- Internal UVLO protection
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance 20-pin SOP

■Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Load supply voltage	V _{BB}	30	V
Output current (continuous)	I _O	±0.80	A
Logic supply voltage	V _{CC}	7.0	V
Logic input voltage range	V _{IN}	-0.3 to V _{CC} +0.3	V
Continuous output emitter voltage	V _E	1.0	V
Reference output current	I _{REF-OUT}	1.0	mA
Package power dissipation	P _D (Note1)	2.08	W
Operating temperature	T _a	-20 to +85	°C
Junction temperature	T _J (Note2)	+150	°C
Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-55 to +150	°C

●Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of 150°C.

Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using -16.7mW/°C.

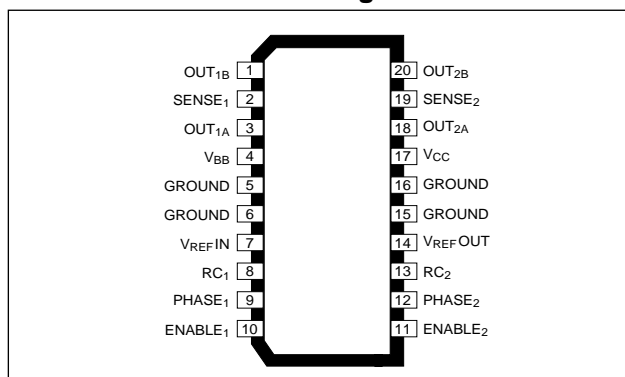
Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_J) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

■Electrical Characteristics (Unless specified otherwise, T_a=25°C, V_{BB}=30V, V_{CC}=4.75V to 5.25V, V_{REF}=2V, V_{SENSE}=0V)

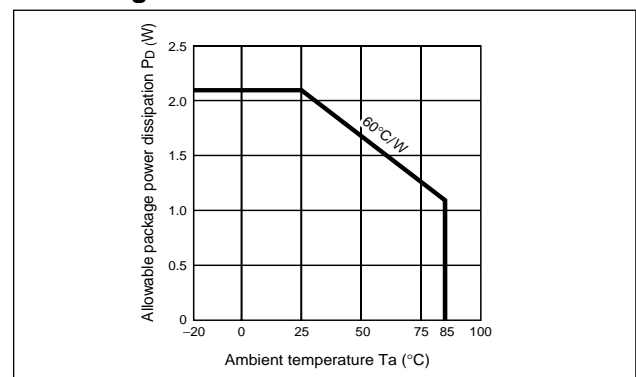
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings			Units
			min	typ	max	
Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Load supply voltage range	V _{BB}	Operating	5		30	V
Output leakage current	I _{CEX}	Sink driver, V _O =V _{BB}		< 1.0	50	μA
		Source driver, V _O =0V		<- 1.0	-50	μA
Output saturation voltage	V _{CE (SAT)}	Sink driver, I _O =+500mA		0.3	0.6	V
		Sink driver, I _O =+750mA		0.5	1.2	V
		Sink driver, I _O =+800mA			1.5	V
		Source driver, I _O =-500mA		1.0	1.2	V
		Source driver, I _O =-750mA		1.1	1.5	V
		Source driver, I _O =-800mA			1.7	V
Output sustaining voltage	V _{CE (SUS)}	I _O =±800mA, L=3mH	30			V
Clamp diode leakage current	I _R	V _R =30V		< 1.0	50	μA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V _F	I _F =800mA		1.6	2.0	V
Motor supply current	I _{BB (ON)}	V _{EN1} =V _{EN2} =0.8V, no load			10	mA
	I _{BB (OFF)}	V _{EN1} =V _{EN2} =2.4V, no load			10	mA
Control logic (Unless specified otherwise, V _{IN} =V _{DD} or GND)						
Logic input voltage	V _{IH}		2.4			V
	V _{IL}				0.8	V
Logic input current	I _{IH}	V _{IN} =2.4V		< -1.0	20	μA
	I _{IL}	V _{IN} =0.8V		< -20	-200	μA
Reference output voltage	V _{REF • OUT1}	V _{CC} =5.0V, I _{REF • OUT} =90~900μA	2.45	2.50	2.55	V
Current-sense comparator input current	I _{REF • IN}	V _{REF • IN} =1V	-5.0		5.0	μA
Current-sense comparator input voltage range	V _{REF • IN}	Operating	-0.3		1.0	V
Current-sense comparator input offset voltage	V _{TH}	V _{REF • IN} =0V	-6		6	mV
Timer blanking charge current (RC off)	I _{RC}	V _{RC} =2.0V		1.0		mA
Timer blanking threshold (RC off)	V _{BLTH(1)}			3.0		V
	V _{BLTH(0)}			1.0		V
Timer blanking OFF voltage (RC off)	V _{RCOFF}	R _T =20kΩ		3.0		V
Thermal shutdown temperature	T _J			165		°C
Thermal shutdown hysteresis	ΔT _J			15		°C
Logic supply current	I _{CC (ON)}	V _{EN1} =V _{EN2} =0.8V, no load		65	85	mA
	I _{CC (OFF)}	V _{EN1} =V _{EN2} =2.4V, no load			17	mA
Logic supply current/temperature coefficient	ΔI _{CC (ON)}	V _{EN1} =V _{EN2} =0.8V, no load		0.18		mA/°C

● "typ" values are for reference.
Note) Logic input: En1, En2, Ph1, Ph2

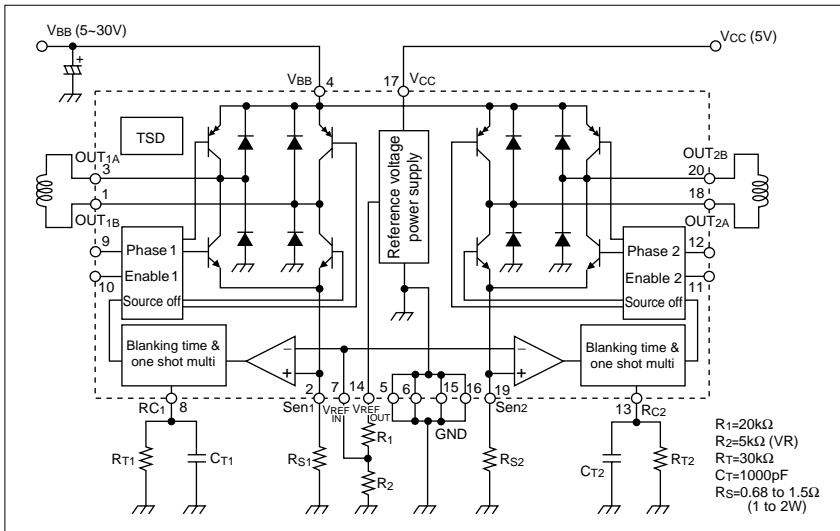
■Terminal Connection Diagram



■Derating



**Internal Block Diagram(Dotted Line)/
Diagram of Standard External Circuit (Recommended Circuit Constants)**



Truth Table

Phase	Enable	Out A	Out B
H	L	H	L
L	L	L	H
X	H	Z	Z

X = Don't care, Z = High impedance

Excitation Sequence

[2-phase excitation]

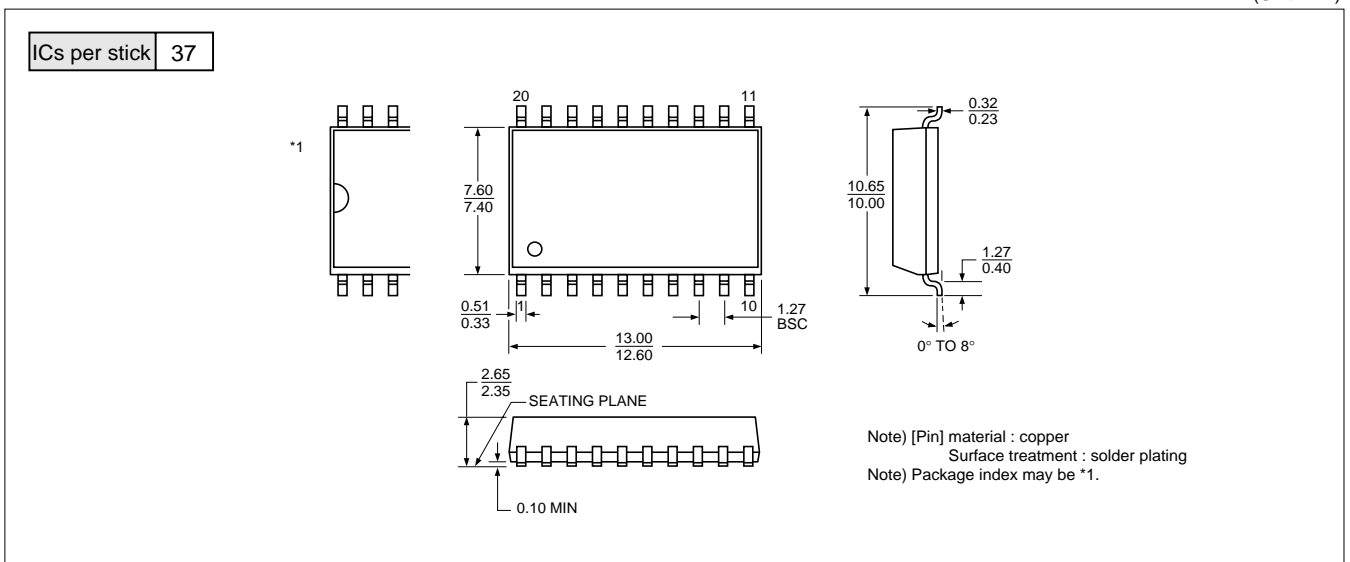
	0	1	2	3	0
Phase 1	H	L	L	H	H
Enable 1	L	L	L	L	L
Phase 2	H	H	L	L	H
Enable 2	L	L	L	L	L

[1-2 phase excitation]

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Phase 1	H	H	X	L	L	L	X	H	H
Enable 1	L	L	H	L	L	L	H	L	L
Phase 2	X	H	H	H	X	L	L	L	X
Enable 2	H	L	L	L	H	L	L	L	H

External Dimensions Wide body plastic SOP (300mil)

(Unit: mm)



2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver ICs

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Features

- Fixed off-time PWM current control
- Switching between power supply regeneration mode and loop regeneration mode in order to improve motor current response in microstepping
- External filter for sense terminal not required
- 3.3V and 5V logic supply voltage
- Sleep (low current consumption) mode
- Brake operation with PWM current limiting
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal crossover-current protection circuitry
- Internal UVLO protection
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance package

Absolute Maximum Ratings

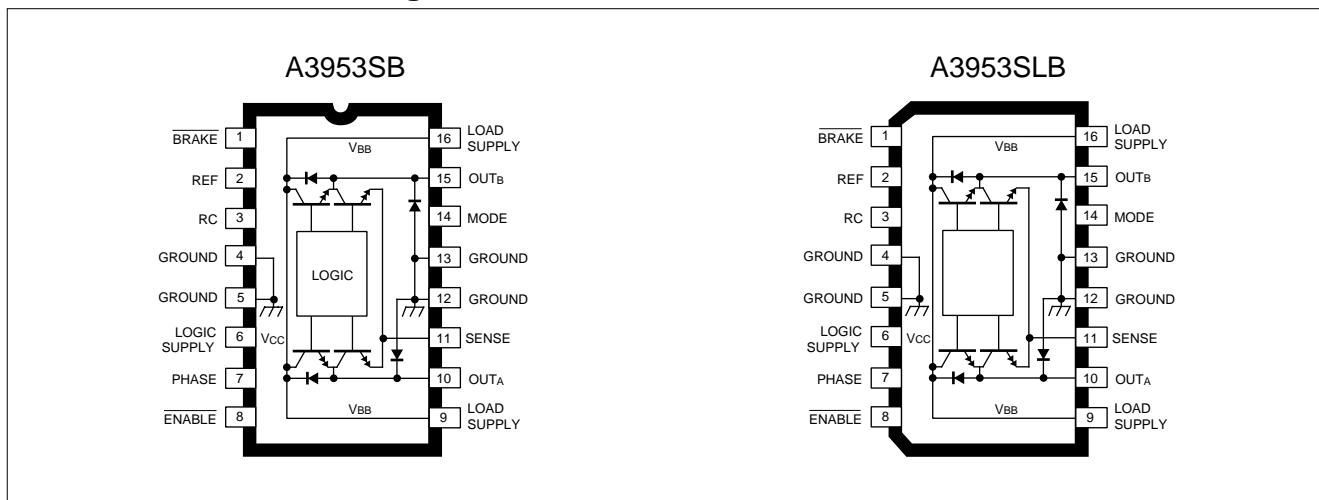
Parameter	Symbol	Ratings		Units
		A3953SB	A3953SLB	
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	50		V
Output current (continuous)	I_o	± 1.3		A/unit
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	7.0		V
Logic/reference input voltage range	V_{IN}	-0.3 to $V_{CC}+0.3$		V
Sense voltage	V_{SENSE} D.C.	1.0 ($V_{CC}=5.0V$)		V
		0.4 ($V_{CC}=3.3V$)		
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)	2.90	1.86	W/pkg
Operating temperature	T_a	-20 to $+85$		$^{\circ}C$
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)	$+150$		$^{\circ}C$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to $+150$		$^{\circ}C$

● Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of 150°C.

Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using $-23.26mW/^{\circ}C$ (SB) or $-14.93mW/^{\circ}C$ (SLB).

Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

Terminal Connection Diagram



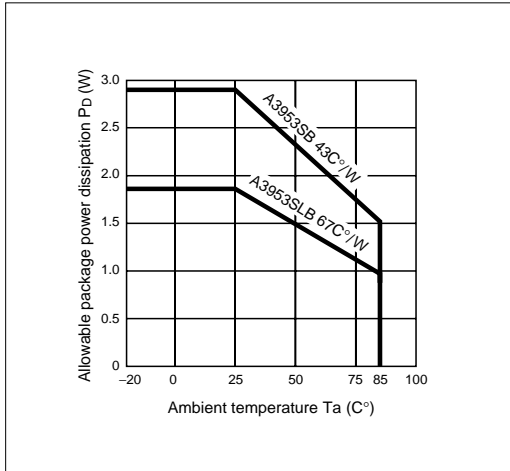
Electrical Characteristics

(Unless specified otherwise, $T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{BB}=5\text{V to }50\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V to }5.5\text{V}$)

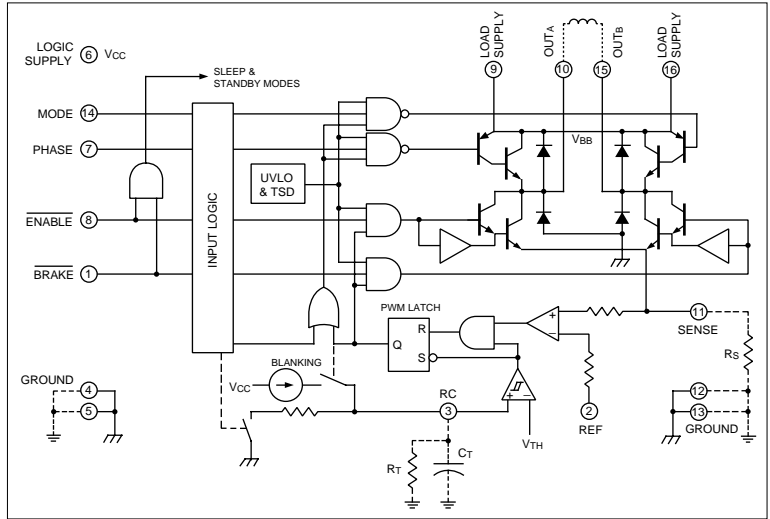
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
			min	typ	max	
Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Load supply voltage range	V_{BB}	Operating, $I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, $L=3\text{mH}$	V_{CC}		50	V
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_O=V_{BB}$		<1.0	50	μA
		$V_O=0\text{V}$		<-1.0	-50	μA
Sense current offset	I_{SO}	$I_{SENSE}=-I_o$, $I_o=850\text{mA}$, $V_{SENSE}=0\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=5\text{V}$	18	33	50	mA
Output saturation voltage (Forward/reverse mode)	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	$V_{SENSE}=0.4\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V}$, $\overline{\text{BRAKE}}=\text{H}$:Source driver, $I_o=-0.85\text{A}$		1.0	1.1	V
		$V_{SENSE}=0.4\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V}$, $\overline{\text{BRAKE}}=\text{H}$:Source driver, $I_o=-1.3\text{A}$		1.7	1.9	V
		$V_{SENSE}=0.4\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V}$, $\overline{\text{BRAKE}}=\text{H}$:Sink driver, $I_o=0.85\text{A}$		0.4	0.9	V
		$V_{SENSE}=0.4\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V}$, $\overline{\text{BRAKE}}=\text{H}$:Sink driver, $I_o=1.3\text{A}$		1.1	1.3	V
Output saturation voltage (Brake mode)	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	$V_{SENSE}=0.4\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V}$, $\overline{\text{BRAKE}}=\text{L}$:Sink driver, $I_o=0.85\text{A}$		1.2	1.4	V
		$V_{SENSE}=0.4\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=3.0\text{V}$, $\overline{\text{BRAKE}}=\text{L}$:Sink driver, $I_o=1.3\text{A}$		1.4	1.8	V
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=0.85\text{A}$		1.2	1.4	V
		$I_F=1.3\text{A}$		1.4	1.8	V
Motor supply current (No load)	$I_{BB(ON)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=0.8\text{V}$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0\text{V}$		2.5	4.0	mA
	$I_{BB(OFF)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=\overline{V_{BRAKE}}=2.0\text{V}$, $V_{MODE}=0.8\text{V}$		1.0	50	μA
	$I_{BB(BRAKE)}$	$\overline{V_{BRAKE}}=0.8\text{V}$		1.0	50	μA
	$I_{BB(SLEEP)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=\overline{V_{BRAKE}}=V_{MODE}=2.0\text{V}$		1.0	50	μA
Control logic						
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_J			165		$^\circ\text{C}$
Thermal shutdown hysteresis	ΔT_J			8		$^\circ\text{C}$
UVLO enable threshold	V_{UVLO}		2.5	2.75	3.0	V
UVLO hysteresis	ΔV_{UVLO}		0.12	0.17	0.25	V
Logic supply current	$I_{CC(ON)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=0.8\text{V}$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0\text{V}$		42	50	mA
	$I_{CC(OFF)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=\overline{V_{BRAKE}}=2.0\text{V}$, $V_{MODE}=0.8\text{V}$		12	15	mA
	$I_{CC(BRAKE)}$	$\overline{V_{BRAKE}}=0.8\text{V}$		42	50	mA
	$I_{CC(SLEEP)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=\overline{V_{BRAKE}}=V_{MODE}=2.0\text{V}$		500	800	μA
Logic supply voltage range	V_{CC}	Operating	3.0	3.3	5.5	V
Logic input voltage	V_{IH}		2.0			V
	V_{IL}				0.8	V
Logic input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IN}=2.0\text{V}$		<1.0	20	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IN}=0.8\text{V}$		<-2.0	-200	μA
Sense voltage range	$V_{SENSE(3.3)}$	$V_{CC}=3.0\text{V to }3.6\text{V}$	0		0.4	V
	$V_{SENSE(5.0)}$	$V_{CC}=4.5\text{V to }5.5\text{V}$	0		1.0	V
Reference input current	I_{REF}	$V_{REF}=0\text{V to }1\text{V}$			± 5.0	μA
Comparator input offset voltage	V_{IO}	$V_{REF}=0\text{V}$		± 2.0	± 5.0	mV
AC timing						
PWM RC fixed off-time	$t_{OFF RC}$	$C_T=680\text{pF}$, $R_T=30\text{k}\Omega$, $V_{CC}=3.3\text{V}$	18.3	20.4	22.5	μs
PWM turn-off time	$t_{PWM(OFF)}$	Comparator Trip to Source OFF, $I_o=25\text{mA}$		1.0	1.5	μs
		Comparator Trip to Source OFF, $I_o=1.3\text{A}$		1.8	2.6	μs
PWM turn-on time	$t_{PWM(ON)}$	I_{RC} Charge ON to Source ON, $I_o=25\text{mA}$		0.4	0.7	μs
		I_{RC} Charge ON to Source ON, $I_o=1.3\text{A}$		0.55	0.85	μs
PWM minimum on-time	$t_{PWM(ON)}$	$V_{CC}=3.3\text{V}$, $R_T \geq 12\text{k}\Omega$, $C_T=680\text{pF}$	0.8	1.4	1.9	μs
		$V_{CC}=5.0\text{V}$, $R_T \geq 12\text{k}\Omega$, $C_T=470\text{pF}$	0.8	1.6	2.0	μs
Propagation delay time	t_{pd}	$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% $\overline{\text{ENABLE}}$ ON to Source ON		1.0		μs
		$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% $\overline{\text{ENABLE}}$ OFF to Source OFF		1.0		μs
		$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% $\overline{\text{ENABLE}}$ ON to Sink ON		1.0		μs
		$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% $\overline{\text{ENABLE}}$ OFF to Sink OFF (MODE=L)		0.8		μs
		$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% PHASE Change to Sink ON		2.4		μs
		$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% PHASE Change to Sink OFF		0.8		μs
		$I_o=\pm 1.3\text{A}$, 50% to 90% PHASE Change to Source ON		2.0		μs
Crossover dead time	t_{CDDT}	1k Ω Load to 25V, $V_{BB}=50\text{V}$	0.3	1.5	3.0	μs

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Derating



Internal Block Diagram

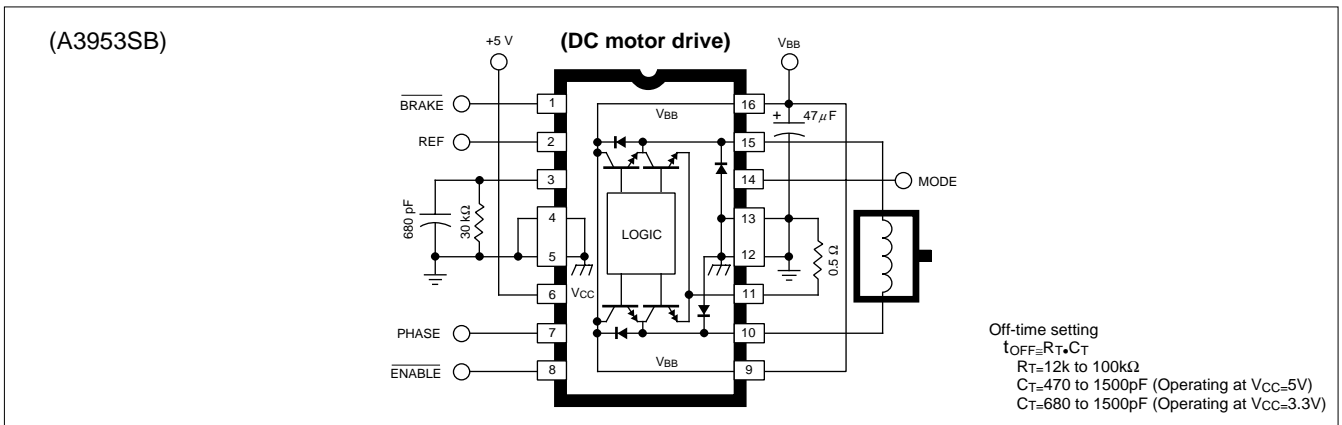


Truth Table

BRAKE	ENABLE	PHASE	MODE	OUTA	OUTB	Operating Mode
H	H	X	H	Z	Z	Sleep mode
H	H	X	L	Z	Z	Standby
H	L	H	H	H	L	Forward, fast current-decay mode
H	L	H	L	H	L	Forward, slow current-decay mode
H	L	L	H	L	H	Reverse, fast current-decay mode
H	L	L	L	L	H	Reverse, slow current-decay mode
L	X	X	H	L	L	Brake, fast current-decay mode
L	X	X	L	L	L	Brake, no current control

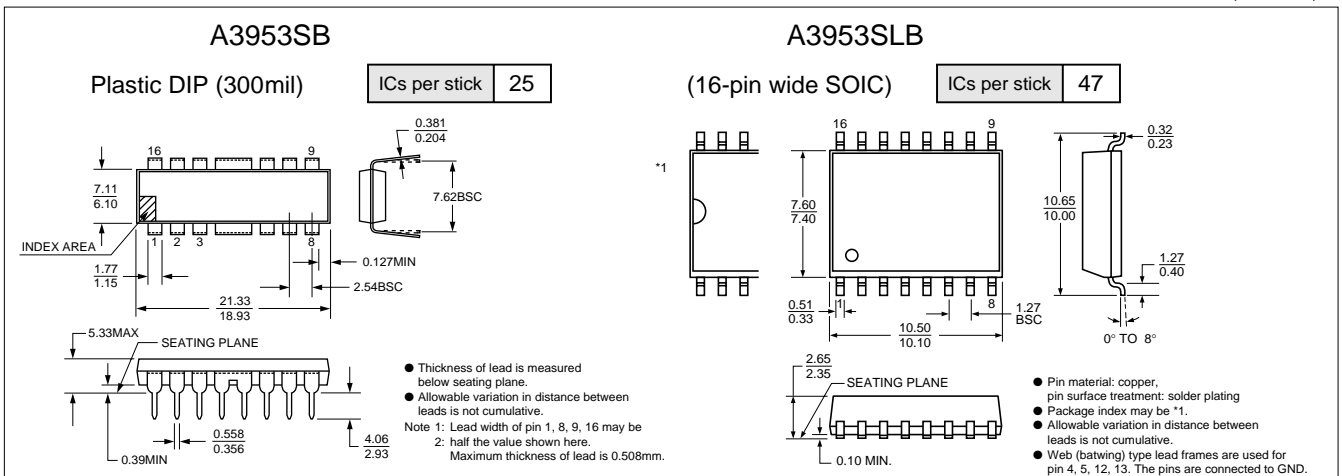
X : Don't Care
Z : High impedance

Application Circuit



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

■Outline

Designed for bidirectional pulse-width modulated (PWM) current control of inductive loads, the A3953S- is capable of continuous output currents to $\pm 1.3\text{A}$ and operating voltages to 50V. Internal fixed off-time PWM current-control circuitry can be used to regulate the maximum load current to a desired value. The peak load current limit is set by the user's selection of an input reference voltage and external sensing resistor. The fixed off-time pulse duration is set by a userselected external RC timing network. Internal circuit protection includes thermal shutdown with hysteresis, transient-suppression diodes, and crossover current protection. Special power-up sequencing is not required. With the ENABLE input held low, the PHASE input controls load current polarity by selecting the appropriate source and sink driver pair. The MODE input determines whether the PWM current-control circuitry operates in a slow current-decay mode (only the selected source driver switching) or in a fast current-decay mode (selected source and sink switching). A user-selectable blanking window prevents false triggering of the PWM current-control circuitry. With the ENABLE input held high, all output drivers are disabled. A sleep mode is provided to reduce power consumption.

When a logic low is applied to the Brake input, the braking function is enabled. This overrides ENABLE and PHASE to turn OFF both source drivers and turn ON both sink drivers. The brake function can be used to dynamically brake brush dc motors.

■FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

(A) Internal PWM Current Control During Forward and Reverse Operation.

The A3953S-contains a fixed off-time pulse-width modulated (PWM) current-control circuit that can be used to limit the load current to a desired value. The peak value of the current limiting (I_{TRIP}) is set by the selection of an external current sensing resistor (R_s) and reference input voltage (V_{REF}). The internal circuitry compares the voltage across the external sense resistor to the voltage on the reference input terminal (REF) resulting in a transconductance function approximated by:

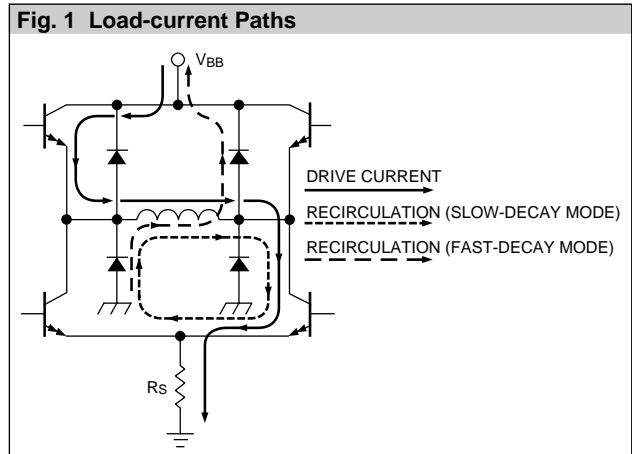
$$I_{TRIP} \approx \frac{V_{REF}}{R_{SENSE}} - I_{SO}$$

where I_{SO} is the offset due to base drive current.

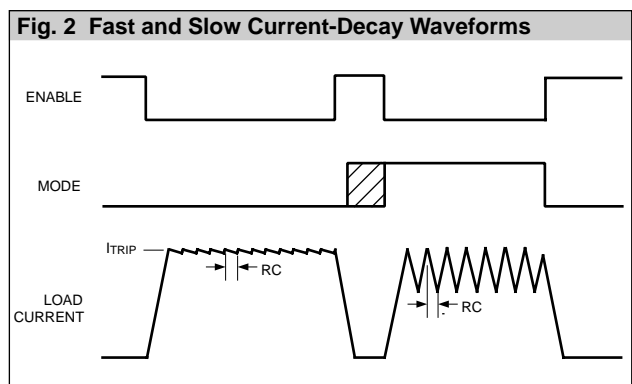
In forward or reverse mode the current-control circuitry limits the load current as follows: when the load current reaches I_{TRIP} , the comparator resets a latch that turns off the selected source driver or selected sink and source driver pair depending on whether the device is operating in slow or fast current-decay mode, respectively.

In slow current-decay mode, the selected source driver is disabled; the load inductance causes the current to recirculate through the sink driver and ground clamp diode. In fast current-

decay mode, the selected sink and source driver pair are disabled; the load inductance causes the current to flow from ground to the load supply via the ground clamp and flyback diodes.



The user selects an external resistor (R_T) and capacitor (C_T) to determine the time period ($t_{OFF}=R_T \cdot C_T$) during which the drivers remain disabled (see "RC Fixed Off-time" below). At the end of the RC interval, the drivers are enabled allowing the load current to increase again. The PWM cycle repeats, maintaining the peak load current at the desired value (see figure 2).



(B) INTERNAL PWM CURRENT CONTROL DURING BRAKE-MODE OPERATION

(1) Brake Operation-MODE Input High.

The brake circuit turns OFF both source drivers and turns ON both sink drivers. For dc motor applications, this has the effect of shoring the motor's back-EMF voltage resulting in current flow that dynamically brakes the motor. If the back-EMF voltage is large, and there is no PWM current limiting, the load current can increase to a value that approaches that of a locked rotor condition. To limit the current, when the I_{TRIP} level is reached, the PWM circuit disables the conducting sink drivers. The energy stored in the motor's inductance is discharged into the load supply causing the motor current to decay.

As in the case of forward/reverse operation, the drivers are enabled after a time given by $t_{OFF}=R_T \cdot C_T$ (see "RC Fixed Off-time" below). Depending on the back-EMF voltage (proportional to the motor's decreasing speed), the load current again may in-

crease to I_{TRIP} . If so, the PWM cycle will repeat, limiting the peak load current to the desired value.

During braking, when the MODE input is high, the peak current limit can be approximated by:

$$I_{TRIP\ BRAKE\ MH} \approx \frac{V_{REF}}{R_{SENSE}}$$

CAUTION: Because the kinetic energy stored in the motor and load inertia is being converted into current, which charges the V_{BB} supply bulk capacitance (power supply output and decoupling capacitance), care must be taken to ensure the capacitance is sufficient to absorb the energy without exceeding the voltage rating of any devices connected to the motor supply.

(2) Brake Operation-MODE Input Low.

During braking, with the MODE input low, the internal current-control circuitry is disabled. Therefore, care should be taken to ensure that the motor's current does not exceed the ratings of the device. The braking current can be measured by using an oscilloscope with a current probe connected to one of the motor's leads, or if the back-EMF voltage of the motor is known, approximated by:

$$I_{PEAK\ BRAKE\ ML} \approx \frac{V_{BEMF}-1V}{R_{LOAD}}$$

(C) RC Fixed Off-Time.

The internal PWM current-control circuitry uses a one shot to control the time the driver (s) remain (s) off. The one-shot time, t_{OFF} (fixed off-time), is determined by the selection of an external resistor (R_T) and capacitor (C_T) connected in parallel from the RC timing terminal to ground. The fixed off-time, over a range of values of $C_T=470pF$ to $1500pF$ and $R_T=12k\Omega$ to $100k\Omega$, is approximated by:

$$t_{off} \approx R_T \cdot C_T$$

The operation of the circuit is as follows: when the PWM latch is reset by the current comparator, the voltage on the RC terminal will begin to decay from approximately $0.60V_{CC}$. When the voltage on the RC terminal reaches approximately $0.22V_{CC}$, the PWM latch is set, thereby enabling the driver (s).

(D) RC Blanking.

In addition to determining the fixed off-time of the PWM control circuit, the C_T component sets the comparator blanking time. This function blanks the output of the comparator when the outputs are switched by the internal current-control circuitry (or by the PHASE, BRAKE, or ENABLE inputs). The comparator output is blanked to prevent false over-current detections due to reverse recovery currents of the clamp diodes, and/or switching transients related to distributed capacitance in the load.

During internal PWM operation, at the end of the t_{OFF} time, the

comparator's output is blanked and C_T begins to be charged from approximately $0.22V_{CC}$ by an internal current source of approximately 1 mA. The comparator output remains blanked until the voltage on C_T reaches approximately $0.60V_{CC}$.

When a transition of the PHASE input occurs, C_T is discharged to near ground during the crossover delay time (the crossover delay time is present to prevent simultaneous conduction of the source and sink drivers). After the crossover delay, C_T is charged by an internal current source of approximately 1 mA. The comparator output remains blanked until the voltage on C_T reaches approximately $0.60V_{CC}$.

When the device is disabled, via the ENABLE input, C_T is discharged to near ground. When the device is reenabled, C_T is charged by an internal current source of approximately 1 mA. The comparator output remains blanked until the voltage on C_T reaches approximately $0.60V_{CC}$.

For 3.3 V operation,

the minimum recommended value for C_T is $680pF \pm 5\%$.

For 5.0V operation,

the minimum recommended value for C_T is $470pF \pm 5\%$.

These values ensure that the blanking time is sufficient to avoid false trips of the comparator under normal operating conditions.

For optimal regulation of the load current, the above values for C_T are recommended and the value of R_T can be sized to determine t_{OFF} . For more information regarding load current regulation, see below.

(E) LOAD CURRENT REGULATION WITH INTERNAL PWM CURRENT-CONTROL CIRCUITRY

When the device is operating in slow current-decay mode, there is a limit to the lowest level that the PWM current-control circuitry can regulate load current. The limitation is the minimum duty cycle, which is a function of the user-selected value of t_{OFF} and the minimum on-time pulse $t_{ON(min)max}$ that occurs each time the PWM latch is reset. If the motor is not rotating (as in the case of a stepper motor in hold/detent mode, a brush dc motor when stalled, or at startup), the worst case value of current regulation can be approximated by:

$$I_{AVE} \equiv \frac{[(V_{BB}-V_{SAT(source+sink)}) \cdot t_{ON(min)max}] - [1.05 \cdot (V_{SAT(sink)} + V_F) \cdot t_{off}]}{1.05 \cdot (t_{ON(min)max} + t_{off}) \cdot R_{LOAD}}$$

where $t_{OFF}=R_T \cdot C_T$, R_{LOAD} is the series resistance of the load, V_{BB} is the motor supply voltage and $t_{ON(min)max}$ is specified in the electrical characteristics table. When the motor is rotating, the back EMF generated will influence the above relationship. For brush dc motor applications, the current regulation is improved. For stepper motor applications, when the motor is rotating, the effect is more complex. A discussion of this subject is included in the section on stepper motors below.

The following procedure can be used to evaluate the worst-case slow current-decay internal PWM load current regulation in the system:

Set V_{REF} to 0 volts. With the load connected and the PWM current control operating in slow current-decay mode, use an oscilloscope to measure the time the output is low (sink ON) for the output that is chopping. This is the typical minimum ON time ($t_{ON(min)}$ typ) for the device.

The C_T then should be increased until the measured value of $t_{ON(min)}$ is equal to $t_{ON(min)}$ max as specified in the electrical characteristics table. When the new value of C_T has been set, the value of R_T should be decreased so the value for $t_{OFF} = R_T \cdot C_T$ (with the artificially increased value of C_T) is equal to the nominal design value. The worst-case load-current regulation then can be measured in the system under operating conditions.

(F) PWM of the PHASE and ENABLE Inputs.

The PHASE and ENABLE inputs can be pulse-width modulated to regulate load current. Typical propagation delays from the PHASE and ENABLE inputs to transitions of the power outputs are specified in the electrical characteristics table. If the internal PWM current control is used, the comparator blanking function is active during phase and enable transitions. This eliminates false tripping of the over-current comparator caused by switching transients (see “RC Blanking” above).

(1) Enable PWM.

With the MODE input low, toggling the ENABLE input turns ON and OFF the selected source and sink drivers. The corresponding pair of flyback and ground-clamp diodes conduct after the drivers are disabled, resulting in fast current decay. When the device is enabled the internal current-control circuitry will be active and can be used to limit the load current in a slow current-decay mode.

For applications that PWM the ENABLE input and desire the internal current-limiting circuit to function in the fast decay mode, the ENABLE input signal should be inverted and connected to the MODE input. This prevents the device from being switched into sleep mode when the ENABLE input is low.

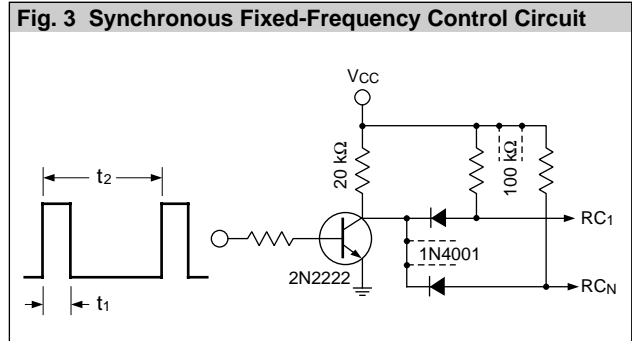
(2) Phase PWM.

Toggling the PHASE terminal selects which sink/source pair is enabled, producing a load current that varies with the duty cycle and remains continuous at all times. This can have added benefits in bidirectional brush dc servo motor applications as the transfer function between the duty cycle on the PHASE input and the average voltage applied to the motor is more linear than in the case of ENABLE PWM control (which produces a discontinuous current at low current levels). For more information see “DC Motor Applications” below.

(3) Synchronous Fixed-Frequency PWM.

The internal PWM current-control circuitry of multiple A3953S-devices can be synchronized by using the simple circuit shown in figure 3. A 555IC can be used to generate the reset pulse/blanking signal (t_1) for the device and the period of the PWM cycle (t_2). The value of t_1 should be a minimum of 1.5ms. When used in this configuration, the R_T and C_T components should be

omitted. The PHASE and ENABLE inputs should not be PWM with this circuit configuration due to the absence of a blanking function synchronous with their transitions.



(G) Miscellaneous Information.

A logic high applied to both the ENABLE and MODE terminals puts the device into a sleep mode to minimize current consumption when not in use.

An internally generated dead time prevents crossover currents that can occur when switching phase or braking.

Thermal protection circuitry turns OFF all drivers should the junction temperature reach 165°C (typical). This is intended only to protect the device from failures due to excessive junction temperatures and should not imply that output short circuits are permitted. The hysteresis of the thermal shutdown circuit is approximately 8°C.

APPLICATION NOTES

(A) Current Sensing.

The actual peak load current (I_{PEAK}) will be above the calculated value of I_{TRIP} due to delays in the turn off of the drivers. The amount of overshoot can be approximated by:

$$I_{OS} \approx \frac{(V_{BB} - [(I_{TRIP} \cdot R_{LOAD}) + V_{BEMF}]) \cdot t_{PWM(OFF)}}{L_{LOAD}}$$

where V_{BB} is the motor supply voltage, V_{BEMF} is the back-EMF voltage of the load, R_{LOAD} and L_{LOAD} are the resistance and inductance of the load respectively, and $t_{PWM(OFF)}$ is specified in the electrical characteristics table.

The reference terminal has a maximum input bias current of $\pm 5\mu A$. This current should be taken into account when determining the impedance of the external circuit that sets the reference voltage value.

To minimize current-sensing inaccuracies caused by ground trace $I \cdot R$ drops, the current-sensing resistor should have a separate return to the ground terminal of the device. For low-value sense resistors, the $I \cdot R$ drops in the printed wiring board can be significant and should be taken into account. The use of sockets should be avoided as their contact resistance can cause variations in the effective value of R_s .

Generally, larger values of R_s reduce the aforementioned effects but can result in excessive heating and power loss in the

sense resistor. The selected value of R_s should not cause the absolute maximum voltage rating of 1.0V (0.4V for $V_{CC}=3.3V_{operation}$), for the SENSE terminal, to be exceeded. The current-sensing comparator functions down to ground allowing the device to be used in microstepping, sinusoidal, and other varying current-profile applications.

(B) Thermal Considerations.

For reliable operation it is recommended that the maximum junction temperature be kept below 110°C to 125°C. The junction temperature can be measured best by attaching a thermocouple to the power tab/batwing of the device and measuring the tab temperature, T_{TAB} . The junction temperature can then be approximated by using the formula:

$$T_J \approx T_{TAB} + (I_{LOAD} \cdot 2 \cdot V_F \cdot R_{\theta JT})$$

where V_F may be chosen from the electrical specification table for the given level of I_{LOAD} . The value for $R_{\theta JT}$ is given in the package thermal resistance table for the appropriate package. The power dissipation of the batwing packages can be improved by 20% to 30% by adding a section of printed circuit board copper (typically 6 to 18 square centimeters) connected to the batwing terminals of the device.

The thermal performance in applications that run at high load currents and/or high duty cycles can be improved by adding external diodes in parallel with the internal diodes. In internal PWM slow-decay applications, only the two ground clamp diodes need be added. For internal fast-decay PWM, or external PHASE or ENABLE input PWM applications, all four external diodes should be added for maximum junction temperature reduction.

(C) PCB Layout.

The load supply terminal, V_{BB} should be decoupled with an electrolytic capacitor ($>47\mu F$ is recommended) placed as close to the device as is physically practical. To minimize the effect of system ground I·R drops on the logic and reference input signals, the system ground should have a low-resistance return to the motor supply voltage.

See also “Current Sensing” and “Thermal Considerations” above.

(D) Fixed Off-Time Selection.

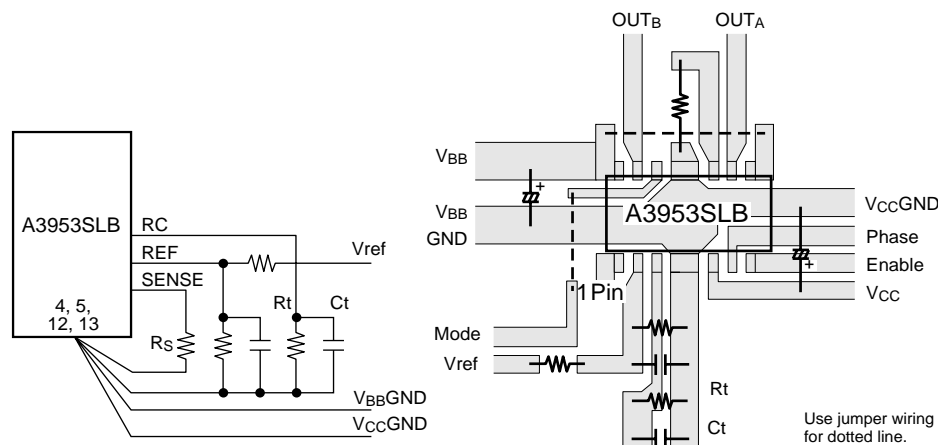
With increasing values of t_{OFF} , switching losses will decrease, low-level load-current regulation will improve, EMI will be reduced, the PWM frequency will decrease, and ripple current will increase. The value of t_{OFF} can be chosen for optimization of these parameters. For applications where audible noise is a concern, typical values of t_{OFF} are chosen to be in the range of 15 ms to 35 ms.

(E) Stepper Motor Applications.

The MODE terminal can be used to optimize the performance of the device in microstepping/sinusoidal stepper-motor drive applications. When the load current is increasing, slow decay mode is used to limit the switching losses in the device and iron losses in the motor. This also improves the maximum rate at which the load current can increase (as compared to fast decay) due to the slow rate of decay during t_{OFF} .

When the load current is decreasing, fast-decay mode is used to regulate the load current to the desired level. This prevents tailing of the current profile caused by the back-EMF voltage of the stepper motor.

Fig. 4 Example of Circuit (including GND) and GND Wiring Pattern



In stepper-motor applications applying a constant current to the load, slow-decay mode PWM is typically used to limit the switching loss in the device and iron losses in the motor.

(F) DC Motor Applications.

In closed-loop systems, the speed of a dc motor can be controlled by PWM of the PHASE or ENABLE inputs, or by varying the reference input voltage (REF). In digital systems (microprocessor controlled), PWM of the PHASE or ENABLE input is used typically thus avoiding the need to generate a variable analog voltage reference. In this case, a dc voltage on the REF input is used typically to limit the maximum load current.

In dc servo applications, which require accurate positioning at low or zero speed, PWM of the PHASE input is selected typically. This simplifies the servo control loop because the transfer function between the duty cycle on the PHASE input and the average voltage applied to the motor is more linear than in the case of ENABLE PWM control (which produces a discontinuous current at low current levels).

With bidirectional dc servo motors, the PHASE terminal can be used for mechanical direction control. Similar to when braking the motor dynamically, abrupt changes in the direction of a rotating motor produces a current generated by the back-EMF. The current generated will depend on the mode of operation. If the internal current control circuitry is not being used, then the maximum load current generated can be approximated by $I_{LOAD} = (V_{BEMF} + V_{BB}) / R_{LOAD}$ where V_{BEMF} is proportional to the motor's speed. If the internal slow current-decay control circuitry is used, then the maximum load current generated can be approximated by $I_{LOAD} = V_{BEMF} / R_{LOAD}$. For both cases care must be taken to ensure that the maximum ratings of the device are not exceeded. If the internal fast current-decay control circuitry is used, then the load current will regulate to a value given by:

$$I_{LOAD} \approx \frac{V_{REF}}{R_S}$$

CAUTION: In fast current-decay mode, when the direction of the motor is changed abruptly, the kinetic energy stored in the motor and load inertia will be converted into current that charges the V_{BB} supply bulk capacitance (power supply output and decoupling capacitance). Care must be taken to ensure that the capacitance is sufficient to absorb the energy without exceeding the voltage rating of any devices connected to the motor supply.

See also "Brake Operation" above.

2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver IC

Allegro MicroSystems product

■Features

- Fixed off-time PWM current control
- Low saturation voltage (Sink transistor)
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal crossover-current protection circuitry
- Internal UVLO protection
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance 18-pin SIP

■Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings	Units
Motor supply voltage	V_{BB}		45	V
Output current (peak)	$I_{O(peak)}$	$tw \leq 20\mu s$	± 1.75	A
Output current (continuous)	I_o		± 1.5	A
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}		7.0	V
Logic input voltage range	V_{IN}		-0.3 to +7.0	V
Output emitter voltage	V_E		1.5	V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)		4.0	W
Operating temperature	T_a		-20 to +85	°C
Junction temperature	T_J (Note2)		+150	°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}		-55 to +150	°C

●Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of 150°C.

Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using -32.0mW/°C.

Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_J) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

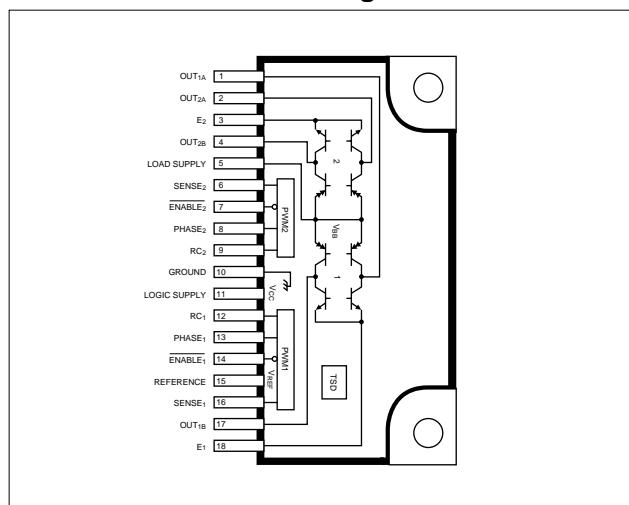
■Electrical Characteristics

(Unless specified otherwise, $T_a=25^\circ C$, $V_{BB}=45V$, $V_{CC}=4.75V$ to $5.25V$, $V_{REF}=5V$)

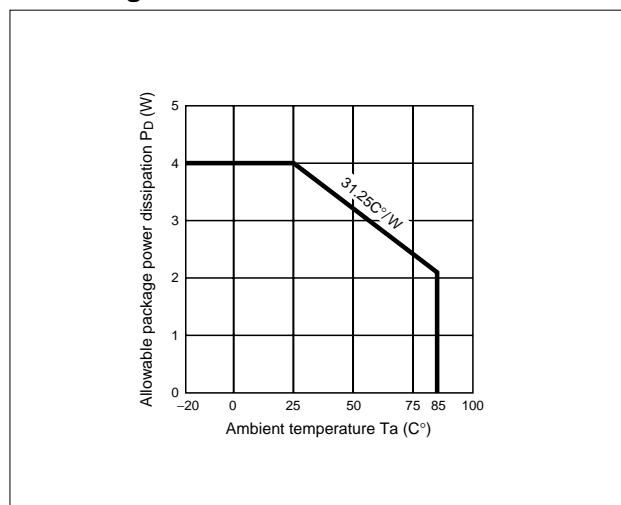
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
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Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Motor supply voltage range	V_{BB}		10		45	V
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_O=V_{BB}$			50	μA
		$V_O=0V$			-50	μA
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE(SUS)}$	$I_o=\pm 1.5A$, $L=3.5mH$	45			V
Output sustaining voltage	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	Sink driver, $I_o=+1.0A$			0.8	V
		Sink driver, $I_o=+1.5A$			1.1	V
		Source driver, $I_o=-1.0A$			2.0	V
		Source driver, $I_o=-1.5A$			2.2	V
Clamp diode leakage current	I_R	$V_R=45V$			50	μA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=1.5A$			2.0	V
Motor supply current	$I_{BB(ON)}$	Both bridges ON, no load			15	mA
	$I_{BB(OFF)}$	Both bridges OFF			10	mA
Control logic						
Input voltage	V_{IH}	All inputs	2.4			V
	V_{IL}	All inputs			0.8	V
Input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IN}=2.4V$			20	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IN}=0.8V$			-200	μA
Reference voltage range	V_{REF}	Operating	1.5		V_{CC}	V
Current control threshold	V_{REF}/V_{SENSE}	$V_{REF}=5V$	9.5	10	10.5	
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_J				170	°C
Logic supply current	I_{CC}	$V_{EN}=0.8V$, no load			140	mA

●“typ” values are for reference.

■Terminal Connection Diagram



■Derating

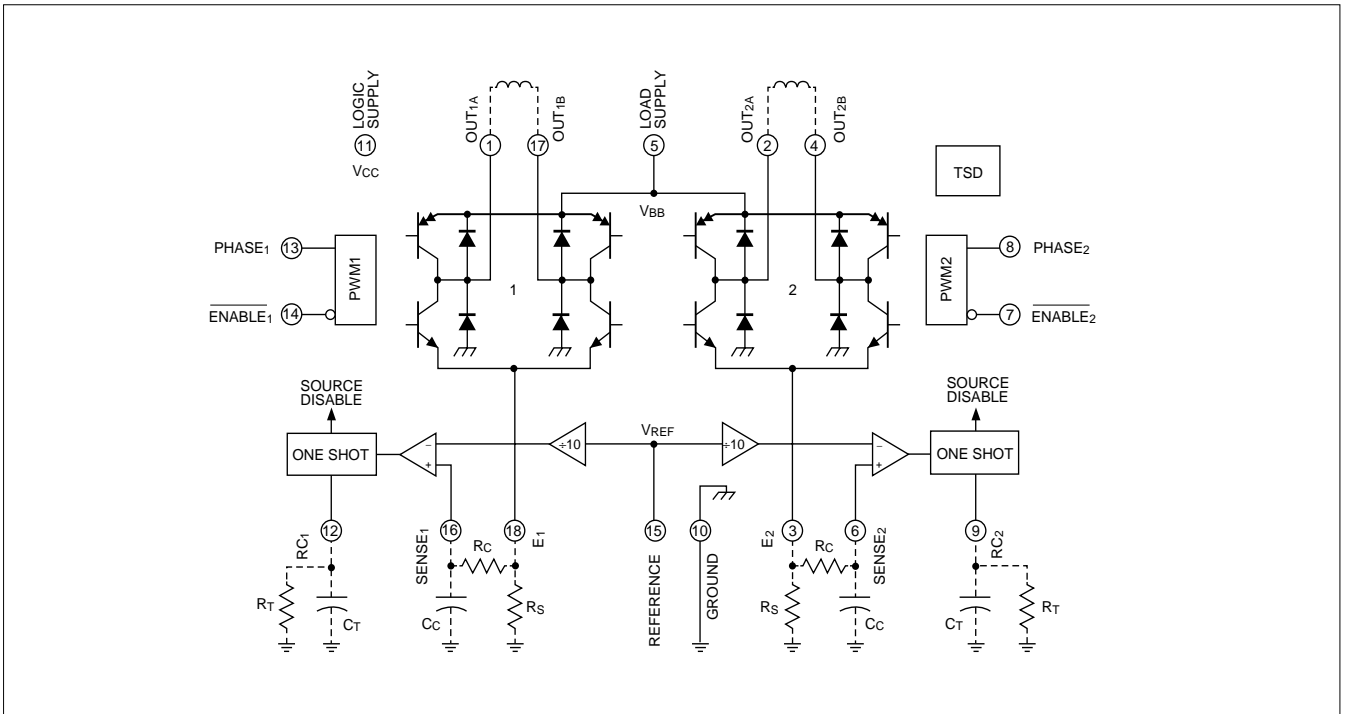


■ Truth Table

ENABLE	PHASE	OUT _A	OUT _B
L	H	H	L
L	L	L	H
H	X	Z	Z

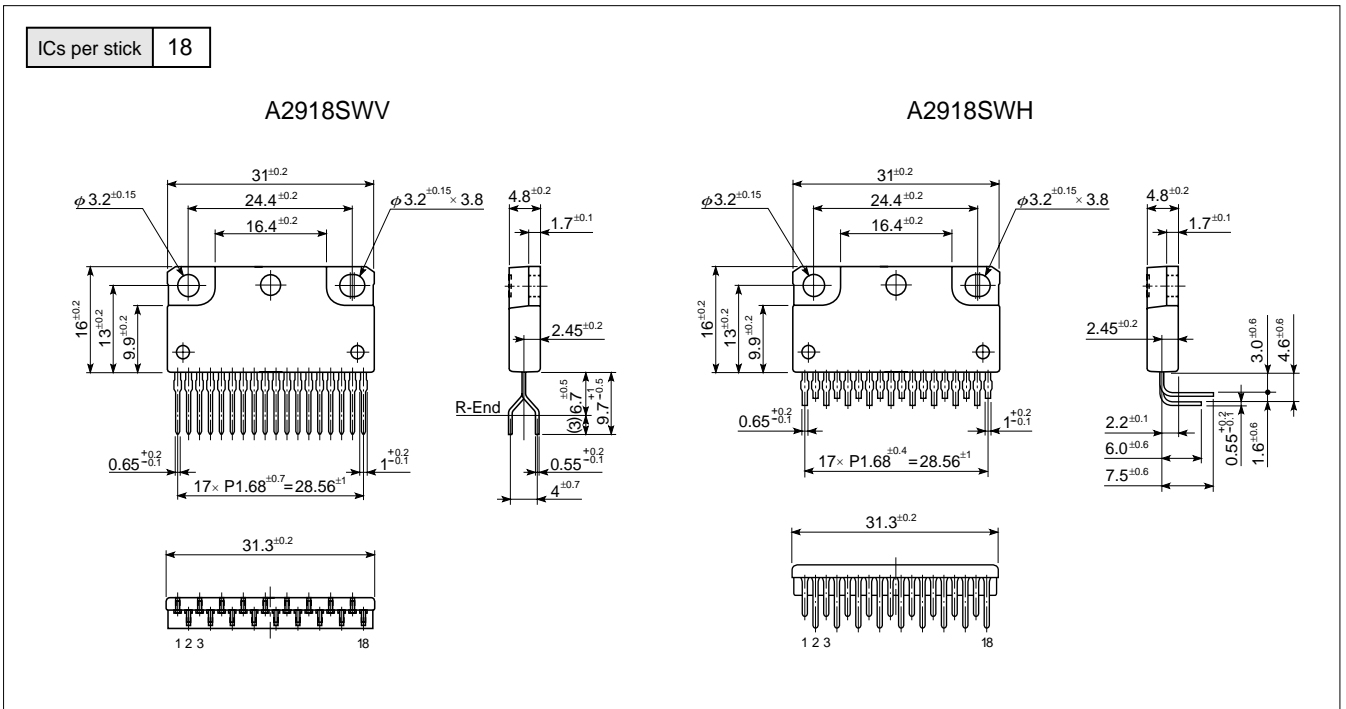
X=Don't Care Z=High impedance

■ Internal Block Diagram



■ External Dimensions Plastic SIP

(Unit: mm)



2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver ICs

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■ Features

- Fixed off-time PWM current control
- Switching between power supply regeneration mode and loop regeneration mode in order to improve motor current response in microstepping
- External filter for sense terminal not required
- Sleep (low current consumption) mode
- Brake operation with PWM current limiting
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal crossover-current protection circuitry
- Internal UVLO protection
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance package

■ Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings			Units
			A3952SB	A3952SLB	A3952SW	
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}		50			V
Output current (peak)	$I_{O(PEAK)}$	$tw \leq 20 \mu s$	± 3.5			A
Output current (continuous)	I_O		± 2.0			A
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}		7.0			V
Logic input voltage	V_{IN}		-0.3 to $V_{CC}+0.3$			V
Sense voltage	V_{SENSE}		1.5			V
Reference voltage	V_{REF}		15			V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)		2.90	1.86	3.47	W
Operating temperature	T_a		-20 to $+85$			$^{\circ}C$
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)		$+150$			$^{\circ}C$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}		-55 to $+150$			$^{\circ}C$

● Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of $150^{\circ}C$.

Note 1: When ambient temperature is $25^{\circ}C$ or over, derate using $-23.26mW/^{\circ}C$ (SB), $-14.93mW/^{\circ}C$ (SLB) or $-27.78mW/^{\circ}C$ (SW).

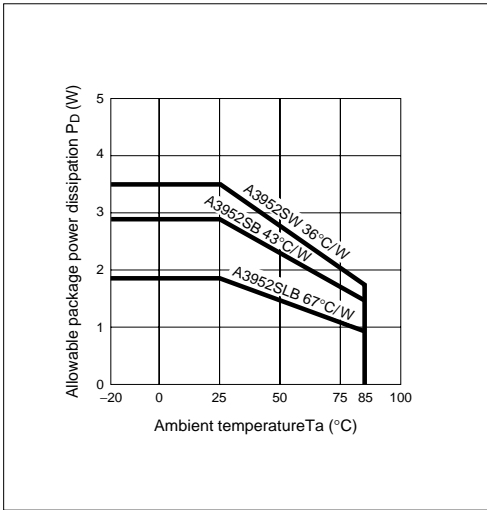
Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds $150^{\circ}C$ will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

■ Electrical Characteristics (Unless specified otherwise, $T_a=25^{\circ}C$, $V_{BB}=50V$, $V_{CC}=5.0V$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$, $V_{SENSE}=0V$, $20k\Omega$ & $1000pF$ RC to ground)

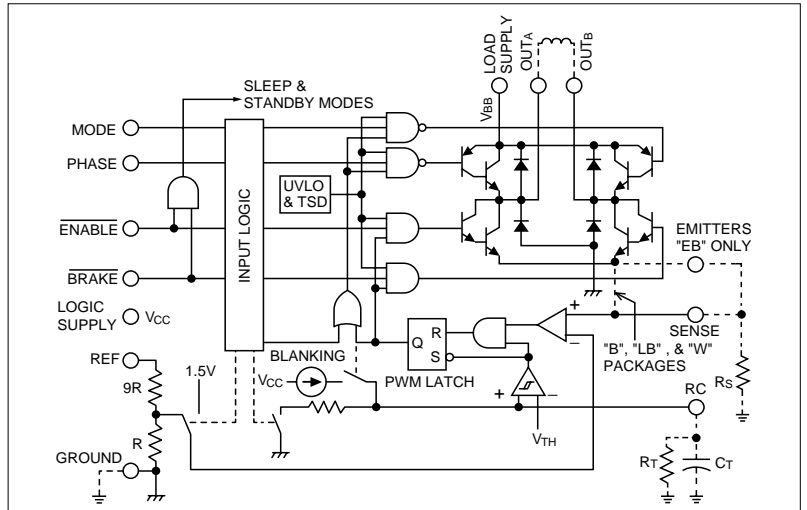
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Power outputs							
Load supply voltage range	V_{BB}	Operating, $I_O=\pm 2.0A$, $L=3mH$	V_{CC}		50	V	
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_O=V_{BB}$			< 1.0	50 μA	
		$V_O=0V$			< -1.0	-50 μA	
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	Source driver, $I_O=-0.5A$			0.9	1.2	V
		Source driver, $I_O=-1.0A$			1.0	1.4	V
		Source driver, $I_O=-2.0A$			1.2	1.8	V
		Sink driver, $I_O=+0.5A$			0.9	1.2	V
		Sink driver, $I_O=+1.0A$			1.0	1.4	V
		Sink driver, $I_O=+2.0A$			1.3	1.8	V
Clamp diode forward voltage (Source or sink)	V_F	$I_F=0.5A$			1.0	1.4	V
		$I_F=1.0A$			1.1	1.6	V
		$I_F=2.0A$			1.4	2.0	V
Load supply current (No load)	$I_{BB(ON)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=0.8V$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			2.9	6.0	mA
	$I_{BB(OFF)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=2.0V$, $V_{MODE}=0.8V$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			3.1	6.5	mA
	$I_{BB(BRAKE)}$	$V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			3.1	6.5	mA
	$I_{BB(SLEEP)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=V_{MODE}=V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			< 1.0	50	μA
Control logic							
Logic supply voltage range	V_{CC}	Operating	4.5	5.0	5.5	V	
Logic input voltage	V_{IH}		2.0			V	
	V_{IL}				0.8	V	
Logic input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IH}=2.0V$			< 1.0	20 μA	
	I_{IL}	$V_{IL}=0.8V$			< -2.0	-200 μA	
Reference voltage range	V_{REF}	Operating	0		15	V	
Reference input current	I_{REF}	$V_{REF}=2.0V$	25	40	55	μA	
Reference voltage divider ratio		$V_{REF}=15V$	9.5	10.0	10.5		
Comparator input offset voltage	V_{IO}	$V_{REF}=0V$			± 1.0	± 10 mV	
PWM RC fixed off-time	t_{off}	$C_T=1000pF$, $R_T=20k\Omega$	18	20	22	μs	
PWM minimum on-time	$t_{on(min)}$	$C_T=820pF$, $R_T \geq 12k\Omega$			1.7	3.0	μs
		$C_T=1200pF$, $R_T \geq 12k\Omega$			2.5	3.8	μs
		$I_{OUT}=\pm 2.0A$, 50% E_{IN} to 90% E_{OUT} Transition:					
Propagation delay time	t_{pd}	ENABLE ON to SOURCE ON			2.9		μs
		ENABLE OFF to SOURCE OFF			0.7		μs
		ENABLE ON to SINK ON			2.4		μs
		ENABLE OFF to SINK OFF			0.7		μs
		PHASE CHANGE to SOURCE ON			2.9		μs
		PHASE CHANGE to SOURCE OFF			0.7		μs
		PHASE CHANGE to SINK ON			2.4		μs
		PHASE CHANGE to SINK OFF			0.7		μs
		Comparator Trip to SINK OFF			0.8	1.5	μs
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_j				165	$^{\circ}C$	
Thermal shutdown hysteresis	ΔT_j				15	$^{\circ}C$	
UVLO enable threshold	$V_{CC(UVLO)}$		3.15	3.50	3.85	V	
UVLO hysteresis	$\Delta V_{CC(UVLO)}$		300	400	500	mV	
Logic supply current (No load)	$I_{CC(ON)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=0.8V$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			20	30	mA
	$I_{CC(OFF)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=2.0V$, $V_{MODE}=0.8V$, $V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			12	18	mA
	$I_{CC(BRAKE)}$	$V_{BRAKE}=0.8V$			26	40	mA
	$I_{CC(SLEEP)}$	$V_{ENABLE}=V_{MODE}=V_{BRAKE}=2.0V$			3.0	5.0	mA

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Internal Block Diagram

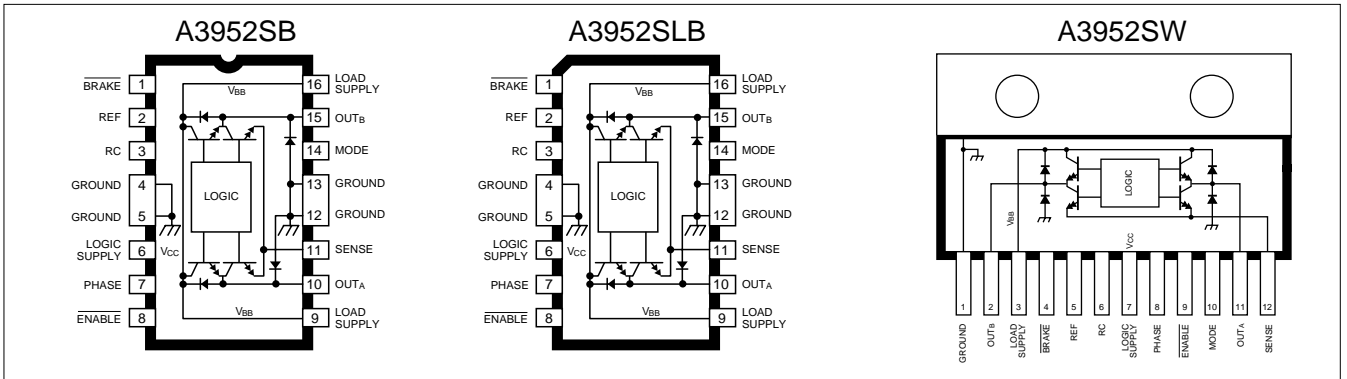


Truth Table

BRAKE	ENABLE	PHASE	MODE	OUTA	OUTB	Operating Mode
H	H	X	H	Z	Z	Sleep mode
H	H	X	L	Z	Z	Standby (Note 1)
H	L	H	H	H	L	Forward, fast current-decay mode
H	L	H	L	H	L	Forward, slow current-decay mode
H	L	L	H	L	H	Reverse, fast current-decay mode
H	L	L	L	L	H	Reverse, slow current-decay mode
L	X	X	H	L	L	Brake, fast current-decay mode
L	X	X	L	L	L	Brake, no current control (Note 2)

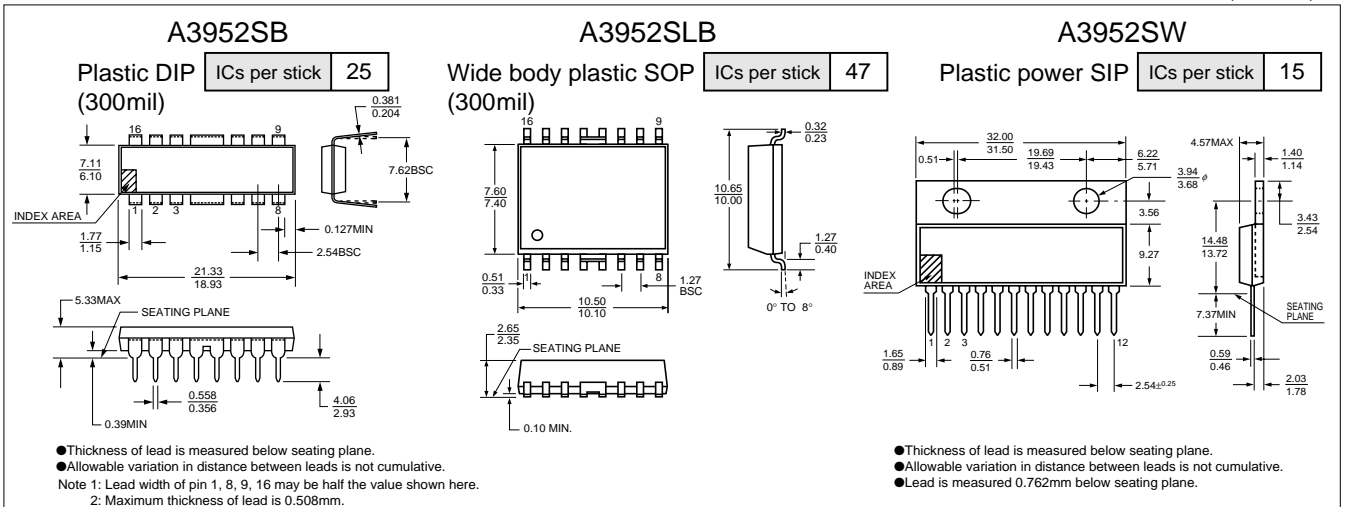
X : Don't Care
 Z : High impedance
 Note 1: Includes active pull-offs for power outputs
 Note 2: Includes internal default V_{SENSE} level for overcurrent protection

Terminal Connection Diagram



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

■Outline

Designed for bidirectional pulse-width modulated current control of inductive loads, the A3952S- is capable of continuous output currents to $\pm 2A$ and operating voltages to 50V. Internal fixed off-time PWM current-control circuitry can be used to regulate the maximum load current to a desired value. The peak load current limit is set by the user's selection of an input reference voltage and external sensing resistor. The fixed OFF-time pulse duration is set by a user-selected external RC timing network. Internal circuit protection includes thermal shutdown with hysteresis, transient suppression diodes, and crossover-current protection. Special power-up sequencing is not required.

With the ENABLE input held low, the PHASE input controls load current polarity by selecting the appropriate source and sink driver pair. The MODE input determines whether the PWM current-control circuitry operates in a slow current-decay mode (only the selected sink driver switching) or in a fast current-decay mode (selected source and sink switching). A user-selectable blanking window prevents false triggering of the PWM current control circuitry. With the ENABLE input held high, all output drivers are disabled. A sleep mode is provided to reduce power consumption when inactive.

When a logic low is applied to the BRAKE input, the braking function is enabled. This overrides ENABLE and PHASE to turn OFF both source drivers and turn ON both sink drivers. The brake function can be safely used to dynamically brake brush dc motors.

■FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

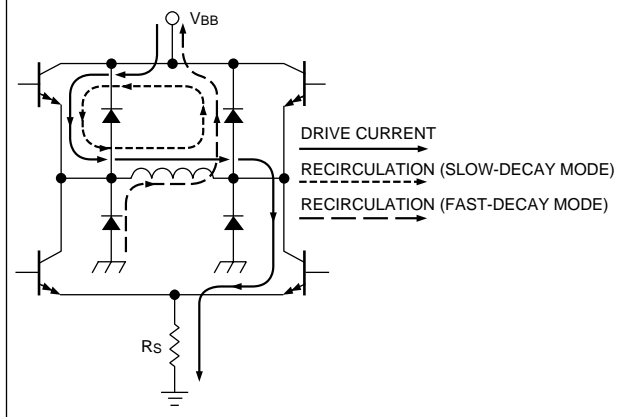
(A) INTERNAL PWM CURRENT CONTROL DURING FORWARD AND REVERSE OPERATION

The A3952S- contains a fixed OFF-time pulse-width modulated (PWM) current-control circuit that can be used to limit the load current to a desired value. The value of the current limiting (I_{TRIP}) is set by the selection of an external current sensing resistor (R_S) and reference input voltage (V_{REF}). The internal circuitry compares the voltage across the external sense resistor to one tenth the voltage on the REF input terminal, resulting in a function approximated by

$$I_{TRIP} \approx \frac{V_{REF}}{10 \cdot R_S}$$

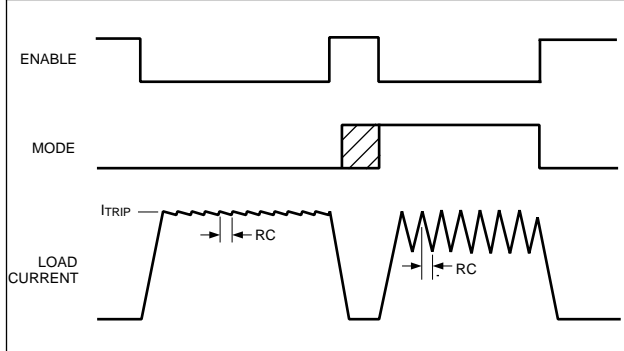
In forward or reverse mode the current-control circuitry limits the load current. When the load current reaches I_{TRIP} , the comparator resets a latch to turn OFF the selected sink driver (in the slow-decay mode) or selected sink and source driver pair (in the fast-decay mode). In slow-decay mode, the selected sink driver is disabled; the load inductance causes the current to recirculate through the source driver and flyback diode (see figure 1). In fast-decay mode, the selected sink and source driver pair are disabled; the load inductance causes the current to flow from ground to the load supply via the ground clamp and flyback diodes.

Fig. 1 Load-Current Paths



The user selects an external resistor (R_T) and capacitor (C_T) to determine the time period ($t_{off} = R_T \cdot C_T$) during which the drivers remain disabled (see "RC Fixed OFF Time" below). At the end of the $R_T \cdot C_T$ interval, the drivers are re-enabled allowing the load current to increase again. The PWM cycle repeats, maintaining the load current at the desired value (see figure 2).

Fig. 2 Fast and Slow Current-Decay Waveforms



(B) INTERNAL PWM CURRENT CONTROL DURING BRAKE MODE OPERATION

The brake circuit turns OFF both source drivers and turns ON both sink drivers. For dc motor applications, this has the effect of shorting the motor's back-EMF voltage, resulting in current flow that brakes the motor dynamically. However, if the back-EMF voltage is large, and there is no PWM current limiting, then the load current can increase to a value that approaches a locked rotor condition. To limit the current, when the I_{TRIP} level is reached, the PWM circuit disables the conducting sink driver. The energy stored in the motor's inductance is then discharged into the load supply causing the motor current to decay.

As in the case of forward/reverse operation, the drivers are re-enabled after a time given by $t_{off} = R_T \cdot C_T$ (see "RC Fixed OFF Time" below). Depending on the back-EMF voltage (proportional to the motor's decreasing speed), the load current again may increase to I_{TRIP} . If so, the PWM cycle will repeat, limiting the load current to the desired value.

(1) Brake Operation-MODE Input High

During braking, when the MODE input is high, the current limit can be approximated by

$$I_{TRIP} \approx \frac{V_{REF}}{10 \cdot R_S}$$

CAUTION: Because the kinetic energy stored in the motor and load inertia is being converted into current, which charges the V_{BB} supply bulk capacitance (power supply output and decoupling capacitance), care must be taken to ensure the capacitance is sufficient to absorb the energy without exceeding the voltage rating of any devices connected to the motor supply.

(2) Brake Operation-MODE Input Low

During braking, with the MODE input low, the peak current limit defaults internally to a value approximated by

$$I_{TRIP} \approx \frac{1.5V}{R_S}$$

In this mode, the value of R_S determines the I_{TRIP} value independent of V_{REF} . This is useful in applications with differing run and brake currents and no practical method of varying V_{REF} .

Choosing a small value for R_S essentially disables the current limiting during braking. Therefore, care should be taken to ensure that the motor's current does not exceed the absolute maximum ratings of the device. The braking current can be measured by using an oscilloscope with a current probe connected to one of the motor's leads.

(C) RC Fixed OFF Time

The internal PWM current control circuitry uses a one shot to control the time the driver (s) remain (s) OFF. The one shot time, t_{off} (fixed OFF time), is determined by the selection of an external resistor (R_T) and capacitor (C_T) connected in parallel from the RC terminal to ground. The fixed OFF time, over a range of values of $C_T=820pF$ to $1500pF$ and $R_T=12k\Omega$ to $100k\Omega$, is approximated by

$$t_{OFF} \approx R_T \cdot C_T$$

When the PWM latch is reset by the current comparator, the voltage on the RC terminal will begin to decay from approximately 3 volts. When the voltage on the RC terminal reaches approximately 1.1 volt, the PWM latch is set, thereby re-enabling the driver (s).

(D) RC Blanking

In addition to determining the fixed OFF-time of the PWM control circuit, the C_T component sets the comparator blanking time. This function blanks the output of the comparator when the outputs are switched by the internal current control circuitry (or by the PHASE, BRAKE, or ENABLE inputs). The comparator output is blanked to prevent false over-current detections due to reverse recovery currents of the clamp diodes, and/or switching transients related to distributed capacitance in the load.

During internal PWM operation, at the end of the t_{off} time, the comparator's output is blanked and C_T begins to be charged from approximately 1.1V by an internal current source of ap-

proximately 1mA. The comparator output remains blanked until the voltage on C_T reaches approximately 3.0 volts.

Similarly, when a transition of the PHASE input occurs, C_T is discharged to near ground during the crossover delay time (the crossover delay time is present to prevent simultaneous conduction of the source and sink drivers). After the crossover delay, C_T is charged by an internal current source of approximately 1mA. The comparator output remains blanked until the voltage on C_T reaches approximately 3.0 volts.

Similarly, when the device is disabled via the ENABLE input, C_T is discharged to near ground. When the device is re-enabled, C_T is charged by the internal current source. The comparator output remains blanked until the voltage on C_T reaches approximately 3.0V.

For applications that use the internal fast-decay mode PWM operation, the minimum recommended value is $C_T=1200pF \pm 5\%$. For all other applications, the minimum recommended value is $C_T=820pF \pm 5\%$. These values ensure that the blanking time is sufficient to avoid false trips of the comparator under normal operating conditions. For optimal regulation of the load current, the above values for C_T are recommended and the value of R_T can be sized to determine t_{off} . For more information regarding load current regulation, see below.

(E) LOAD CURRENT REGULATION WITH THE INTERNAL PWM CURRENT-CONTROL CIRCUITRY

When the device is operating in slow-decay mode, there is a limit to the lowest level that the PWM current-control circuitry can regulate load current. The limitation is the minimum duty cycle, which is a function of the user-selected value of t_{off} and the maximum value of the minimum ON-time pulse, $t_{on(min)}$, that occurs each time the PWM latch is reset. If the motor is not rotating, as in the case of a stepper motor in hold/detent mode, or a brush dc motor when stalled or at startup, the worst-case value of current regulation can be approximated by

$$I_{(AV)} \equiv \frac{[(V_{BB}-V_{SAT(source+sink)}) \cdot t_{on(min)max}] - [1.05 \cdot (V_{SAT(sink)} + V_D) \cdot t_{off}]}{1.05 \cdot (t_{on(min)max} + t_{off}) \cdot R_{LOAD}}$$

where $t_{off}=R_T \cdot C_T$, R_{LOAD} is the series resistance of the load, V_{BB} is the load/motor supply voltage, and $t_{on(min)max}$ is specified in the electrical characteristics table. When the motor is rotating, the back EMF generated will influence the above relationship. For brush dc motor applications, the current regulation is improved. For stepper motor applications when the motor is rotating, the effect is more complex. A discussion of this subject is included in the section on stepper motors under "Applications".

The following procedure can be used to evaluate the worst-case slow-decay internal PWM load current regulation in the system: Set V_{REF} to 0 volts. With the load connected and the PWM current control operating in slow-decay mode, use an oscilloscope to measure the time the output is low (sink ON) for the output that is chopping. This is the typical minimum ON time ($t_{on(min)typ}$) for the

device. C_T then should be increased until the measured value of $t_{on(min)}$ is equal to $t_{on(min)max}=3.0\mu s$ as specified in the electrical characteristics table. When the new value of C_T has been set, the value of R_T should be decreased so the value for $t_{off}=R_T \cdot C_T$ (with the artificially increased value of C_T) is equal to 105% of the nominal design value. The worst-case load current regulation then can be measured in the system under operating conditions.

In applications utilizing both fast-and slow-decay internal PWM modes, the performance of the slow-decay current regulation should be evaluated per the above procedure and a $t_{on(min)max}$ of $3.8\mu s$. This corresponds to a C_T value of 1200pF, which is required to ensure sufficient blanking during fast-decay internal PWM.

(F) LOAD CURRENT REGULATION WITH EXTERNAL PWM OF THE PHASE AND ENABLE INPUTS

The PHASE and ENABLE inputs can be pulse-width modulated to regulate load current. Typical propagation delays from the PHASE and ENABLE inputs to transitions of the power outputs are specified in the electrical characteristics table. If the internal PWM current control is used, then the comparator blanking function is active during phase and enable transitions. This eliminates false tripping of the over-current comparator caused by switching transients (see “RC Blanking” above).

(1) ENABLE Pulse-Width Modulation

With the MODE input low, toggling the ENABLE input turns ON and OFF the selected source and sink drivers. The corresponding pair of flyback and ground clamp diodes conduct after the drivers are disabled, resulting in fast current decay. When the device is enabled, the internal current control circuitry will be active and can be used to limit the load current in a slow-decay mode.

For applications that PWM the ENABLE input, and desire that the internal current limiting circuit function in the fast-decay mode, the ENABLE input signal should be inverted and connected to the MODE input. This prevents the device from being switched into sleep mode when the ENABLE input is low.

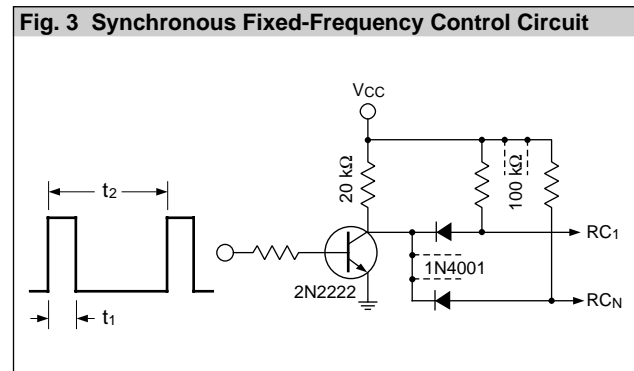
(2) PHASE Pulse-Width Modulation

Toggling the PHASE terminal determines/controls which sink/source pair is enabled, producing a load current that varies with the duty cycle and remains continuous at all times. This can have added benefits in bidirectional brush dc servo motor applications as the transfer function between the duty cycle on the phase input and the average voltage applied to the motor is more linear than in the case of ENABLE PWM control (which produces a discontinuous current at low current levels). See also, “DC Motor Applications” below.

(3) SYNCHRONOUS FIXED-FREQUENCY PWM

The internal PWM current-control circuitry of multiple A3952S-devices can be synchronized by using the simple circuit shown in figure 3. A555IC can be used to generate the reset pulse/

blanking signal (t_1) and the period of the PWM cycle (t_2). The value of t_1 should be a minimum of $1.5\mu s$ in slow-decay mode and $2\mu s$ in fast-decay mode. When used in this configuration, the R_T and C_T components should be omitted. The PHASE and ENABLE inputs should not be PWMed with this circuit configuration due to the absence of a blanking function synchronous with their transitions.



(G) MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

A logic high applied to both the ENABLE and MODE terminals puts the device into a sleep mode to minimize current consumption when not in use.

An internally generated dead time prevents crossover currents that can occur when switching phase or braking.

Thermal protection circuitry turns OFF all drivers should the junction temperature reach $165^{\circ}C$ (typical). This is intended only to protect the device from failures due to excessive junction temperatures and should not imply that output short circuits are permitted. The hysteresis of the thermal shutdown circuit is approximately $15^{\circ}C$.

If the internal current-control circuitry is not used; the V_{REF} terminal should be connected to V_{CC} , the SENSE terminal should be connected to ground, and the RC terminal should be left floating (no connection).

An internal under-voltage lockout circuit prevents simultaneous conduction of the outputs when the device is powered up or powered down.

■ APPLICATION NOTES

(A) Current Sensing

The actual peak load current (I_{OUTP}) will be greater than the calculated value of I_{TRIP} due to delays in the turn OFF of the drivers. The amount of overshoot can be approximated as

$$I_{OUTP} \approx \frac{(V_{BB} - [(I_{TRIP} \cdot R_{LOAD}) + V_{BEMF}]) \cdot t_{pd(pwm)}}{L_{LOAD}}$$

where V_{BB} is the load/motor supply voltage, V_{BEMF} is the back-EMF voltage of the load, R_{LOAD} and L_{LOAD} are the resistance and inductance of the load respectively, and $t_{pd(pwm)}$ is the propagation delay as specified in the electrical characteristics table.

The reference terminal has an equivalent input resistance of $50k\Omega \pm 30\%$. This should be taken into account when determining the impedance of the external circuit that sets the reference voltage value.

To minimize current-sensing inaccuracies caused by ground trace IR drops, the current-sensing resistor should have a separate return to the ground terminal of the device. For low-value sense resistors, the IR drops in the PCB can be significant and should be taken into account. The use of sockets should be avoided as their contact resistance can cause variations in the effective value of R_s .

Larger values of R_s reduce the aforementioned effects but can result in excessive heating and power loss in the sense resistor. The selected value of R_s must not cause the SENSE terminal absolute maximum voltage rating to be exceeded. The recommended value of R_s is in the range of

$$R_s \approx \frac{(0.375 \text{ to } 1.125)}{I_{TRIP}}$$

The current-sensing comparator functions down to ground allowing the device to be used in microstepping, sinusoidal, and other varying current profile applications.

(B) Thermal Considerations

For reliable operation, it is recommended that the maximum junction temperature be kept as low as possible, typically 90°C to 125°C . The junction temperature can be measured by attaching a thermocouple to the power tab/batwing of the device and measuring the tab temperature, T_T . The junction temperature can then be approximated by using the formula

$$T_J \approx T_T + (2V_F I_{OUT} R_{\theta JT})$$

where V_F is the clamp diode forward voltage and can be determined from the electrical specification table for the given level of I_{OUT} . The value for $R_{\theta JT}$ is given in the package thermal resistance table for the appropriate package.

The power dissipation of the batwing packages can be improved by 20 to 30% by adding a section of printed circuit board copper (typically 6 to 18 square centimeters) connected to the batwing terminals of the device.

The thermal performance in applications with high load currents and/or high duty cycles can be improved by adding external diodes in parallel with the internal diodes. In internal PWM slow-decay applications, only the tow top-side (flyback) diodes need be added. For internal fast-decay PWM, or external PHASE or ENABLE input PWM applications, all four external diodes should be added for maximum junction temperature reduction.

(C) PCB Layout

The load supply terminal, V_{BB} , should be decoupled ($>47\mu\text{F}$ electrolytic and $0.1\mu\text{F}$ ceramic capacitors are recommended) as close to the device as is physically practical. To minimize the effect of system ground I·R drops on the logic and reference input signals, the system ground should have a low-resistance return to the load supply voltage.

See also "Current Sensing" and "Thermal Considerations" above.

(D) Fixed Off-Time Selection

With increasing values of t_{off} , switching losses decrease, low-level load-current regulation improves, EMI is reduced, the PWM frequency will decrease, and ripple current will increase. The value of t_{off} can be chosen for optimization of these parameters. For applications where audible noise is a concern, typical values of t_{off} are chosen to be in the range of 15 to $35\mu\text{s}$.

(E) Stepper Motor Applications

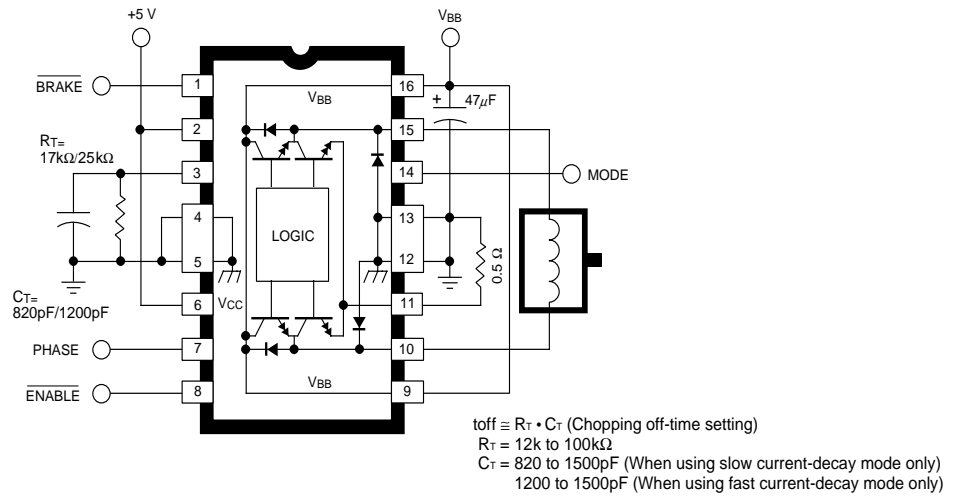
The MODE terminal can be used to optimize the performance of the device in microstepping/sinusoidal stepper motor drive applications. When the average load current is increasing, slow-decay mode is used to limit the switching losses in the device and iron losses in the motor.

This also improves the maximum rate at which the load current can increase (as compared to fast decay) due to the slow rate of decay during t_{off} . When the average load current is decreasing, fast-decay mode is used to regulate the load current to the desired level. This prevents tailing of the current profile caused by the back-EMF voltage of the stepper motor.

In stepper motor applications applying a constant current to the load, slow-decay mode PWM is used typically to limit the switching losses in the device and iron losses in the motor.

(H) Application circuit (DC motor drive)

Fig. 5 Example of DC motor drive



2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver ICs

Allegro MicroSystems product

Features

- Fixed off-time PWM current control
- Internal 1/3 and 2/3 reference divider
- 1-phase/2-phase/W1-2 phase excitation mode with digital input
- Microstepping with reference input
- Low saturation voltage (Sink transistor)
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal crossover-current protection circuitry
- Internal UVLO protection
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance package

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings		Units
			UDN2916B	UDN2916LB	
Motor supply voltage	V_{BB}		45		V
Output current (peak)	$I_{O(peak)}$	$tw \leq 20 \mu s$	± 1.0		A
Output current (continuous)	I_O		± 0.75		A
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}		7.0		V
Logic input voltage range	V_{IN}		-0.3 to +7.0		V
Output emitter voltage	V_E		1.5		V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)		3.12	2.27	W
Operating temperature	T_a		-20 to +85		$^{\circ}C$
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)		+150		$^{\circ}C$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}		-55 to +150		$^{\circ}C$

● Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of 150°C.
 Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using -25mW/°C (UDN2916B) or -18.2mW/°C (UDN2916LB).
 Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

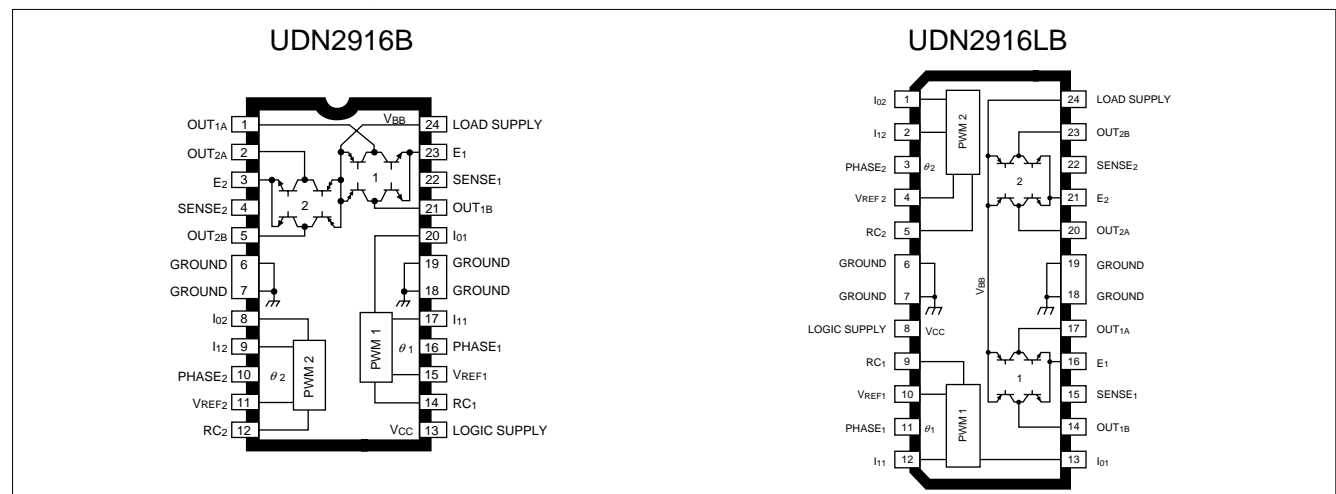
Electrical Characteristics

(Unless specified otherwise, $T_a=25^{\circ}C$, $V_{BB}=45V$, $V_{CC}=4.75V$ to $5.25V$, $V_{REF}=5.0V$)

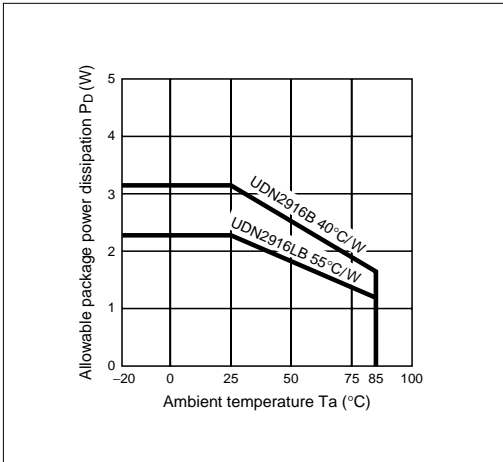
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
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Power outputs (OUT_A or OUT_B)						
Motor supply voltage range	V_{BB}		10		45	V
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	Sink driver, $V_O=V_{BB}$		<1.0	50	μA
		Source driver, $V_O=0V$		<-1.0	-50	μA
Output sustaining voltage	$V_{CE(SUS)}$	$I_O=\pm 750mA$, $L=3.0mH$	45			V
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	Sink driver, $I_O=+500mA$		0.4	0.6	V
		Sink driver, $I_O=+750mA$		1.0	1.2	V
		Source driver, $I_O=-500mA$		1.0	1.2	V
		Source driver, $I_O=-750mA$		1.3	1.5	V
Clamp diode leakage current	I_R	$V_R=45V$		<1.0	50	μA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=750mA$		1.6	2.0	V
Motor supply current	$I_{BB(ON)}$	Both bridges ON, no load		20	25	mA
	$I_{BB(OFF)}$	Both bridges OFF		5.0	10	mA
Control logic						
Input voltage	V_{IH}	All inputs	2.4			V
	V_{IL}	All inputs			0.8	V
Input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IH}=2.4V$		<1.0	20	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IL}=0.8V$		-3.0	-200	μA
Reference voltage range	V_{REF}	Operating	1.5		7.5	V
Current control threshold	V_{REF}/V_{SENSE}	$I_O=I_1=0.8V$	9.5	10.0	10.5	
		$I_O=2.4V$, $I_1=0.8V$	13.5	15.0	16.5	
		$I_O=0.8V$, $I_1=2.4V$	25.5	30.0	34.5	
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_j			170		$^{\circ}C$
Logic supply current	$I_{CC(ON)}$	$I_O=I_1=0.8V$, no load		40	50	mA
	$I_{CC(OFF)}$	$I_O=I_1=2.4V$, no load		10	12	mA

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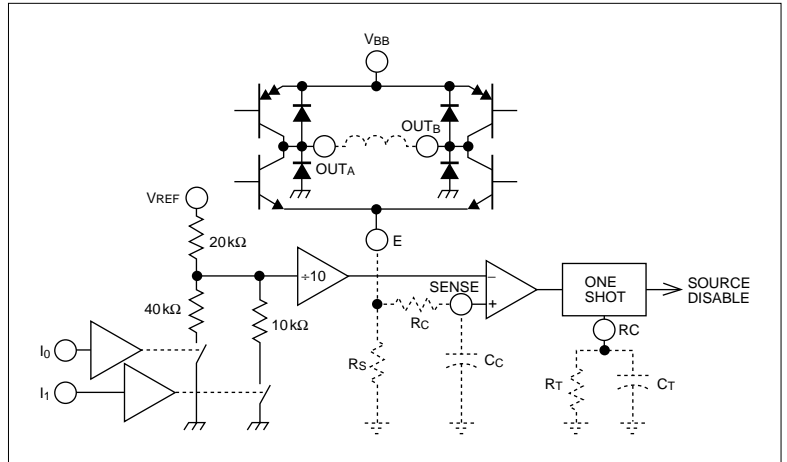
Terminal Connection Diagram



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Internal Block Diagram (1/2 Circuit)

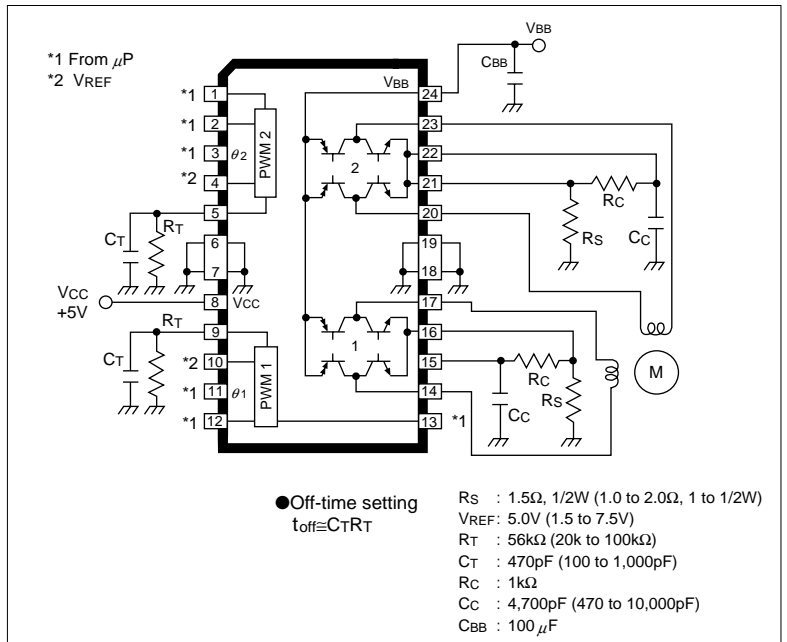


Truth Table

PHASE	OUT _A	OUT _B
H	H	L
L	L	H

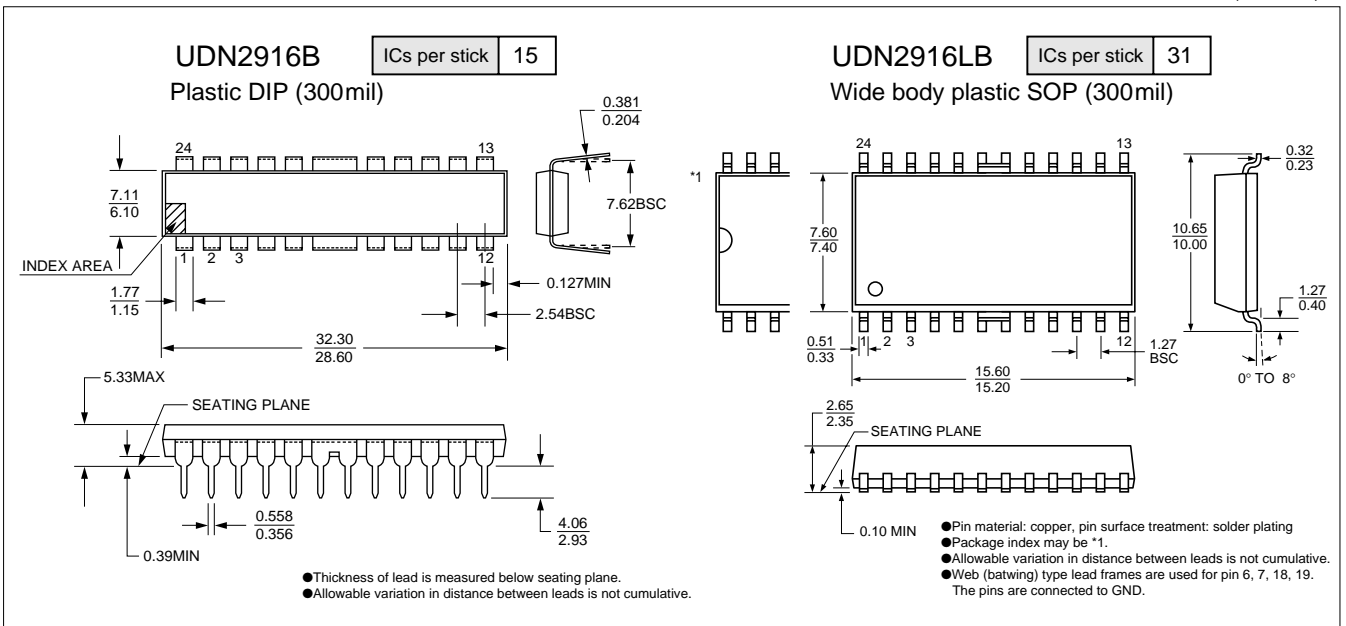
I_0	I_1	Output Current
L	L	$V_{REF} / (10 \times R_s) = I_{TRIP}$
H	L	$V_{REF} / (15 \times R_s) = I_{TRIP} \times 2/3$
L	H	$V_{REF} / (30 \times R_s) = I_{TRIP} \times 1/3$
H	H	0

Application Circuit (UDN2916LB)



External Dimensions

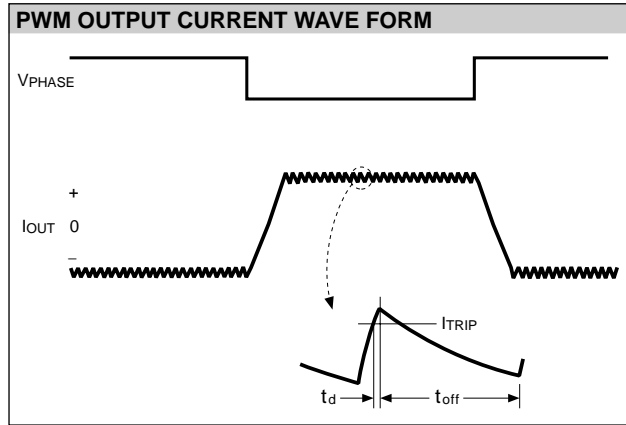
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Application Notes

●PWM CURRENT CONTROL

The UDN2916B/LB dual bridges are designed to drive both windings of a bipolar stepper motor. Output current is sensed and controlled independently in each bridge by an external sense resistor (R_s), internal comparator, and monostable multivibrator.



When the bridge is turned ON, current increases in the motor winding and it is sensed by the external sense resistor until the sense voltage (V_{SENSE}) reaches the level set at the comparator's input:

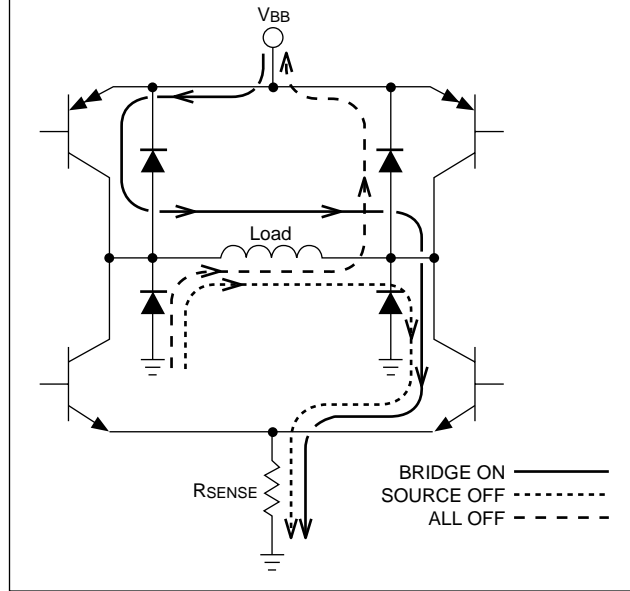
$$I_{TRIP} = V_{REF} / 10R_S$$

The comparator then triggers the monostable which turns OFF the source driver of the bridge. The actual load current peak will be slightly higher than the trip point (especially for low-inductance loads) because of the internal logic and switching delays. This delay (t_d) is typically $2\mu s$. After turn-off, the motor current decays, circulating through the ground-clamp diode and sink transistor. The source driver's OFF time (and therefore the magnitude of the current decrease) is determined by the monostable's external RC timing components, where $t_{off} = R_T C_T$ within the range of $20k\Omega$ to $100k\Omega$ and $100pF$ to $1000pF$.

When the source driver is re-enabled, the winding current (the sense voltage) is again allowed to rise to the comparator's threshold. This cycle repeats itself, maintaining the average motor winding current at the desired level.

Loads with high distributed capacitances may result in high turn-ON current peaks. This peak (appearing across R_s) will attempt to trip the comparator, resulting in erroneous current control or high-frequency oscillations. An external $R_C C_C$ time delay should be used to further delay the action of the comparator. Depending on load type, many applications will not require these external components (SENSE connected to E.)

Load-Current Paths



●LOGIC CONTROL OF OUTPUT CURRENT

Two logic level inputs (I_0 and I_1) allow digital selection of the motor winding current at 100%, 67%, 33%, or 0% of the maximum level per the table. The 0% output current condition turns OFF all drivers in the bridge and can be used as an OUTPUT ENABLE function.

These logic level inputs greatly enhance the implementation of μP -controlled drive formats.

During half-step operations, the I_0 and I_1 allow the μP to control the motor at a constant torque between all positions in an eight-step sequence. This is accomplished by digitally selecting 100% drive current when only one phase is ON and 67% drive current when two phases are ON. Logic highs on both I_0 and I_1 turn OFF all drivers to allow rapid current decay when switching phases. This helps to ensure proper motor operation at high step rates.

The logic control inputs can also be used to select a reduced current level (and reduced power dissipation) for 'hold' conditions and/or increased current (and available torque) for start-up conditions.

●SWITCHING THE EXCITATION CURRENT DIRECTION

The PHASE input to each bridge determines the direction motor winding current flows. An internally generated deadtime (approximately $2\mu s$) prevents crossover currents that can occur when switching the PHASE input.

●REDUCTION AND DISPERSION OF POWER LOSS

The thermal performance can be improved by adding four external Schottky barrier diodes (AK03 or other) between each output terminal and ground. In most applications, the chopping ON time is shorter than the chopping OFF time (small ON duty). Therefore, a great part of the power loss of the driver IC is attributable to the motor regenerative current during the chopping OFF period. The regenerative current from the motor flows through the current sensing resistor and ground clamp diode and returns to the motor. The voltage drop across this path causes the power loss. On this path, the forward voltage V_F of ground clamp diode shows the greatest drop. This means that adding Schottky barrier diodes will improve the thermal performance if their V_F characteristic is smaller than that of the internal ground clamp diode.

The external diodes also disperse the loss (a source of heat) and reduce the package power dissipation P_D of the driver IC. Consequently, a greater output current can be obtained.

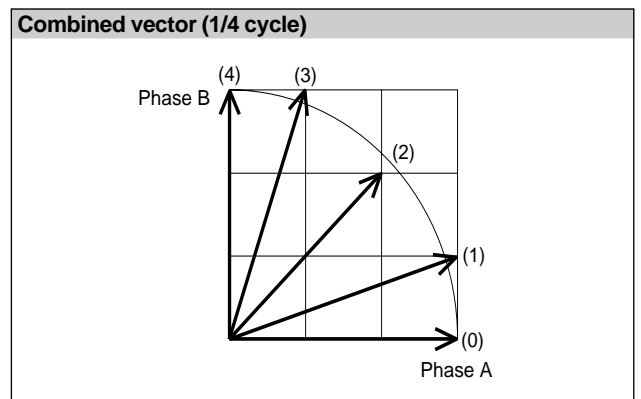
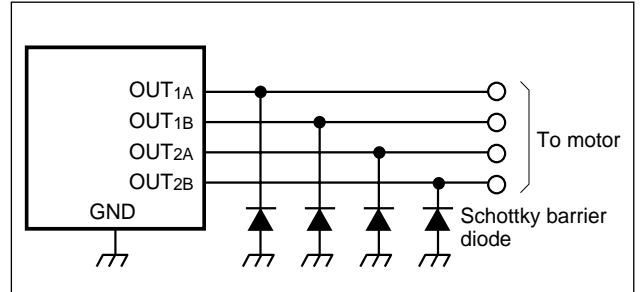
●CONTROL SEQUENCE OF 1-2 OR W1-2 PHASE EXCITATION

To reduce vibration when the stepper motor is rotating, the UDN2916B/LB can provide 1-2 or W1-2 phase excitation for the control sequence without varying the V_{REF} terminal voltage. The step angle is

1/2 step : 1-2 excitation

About 1/4 step : W1-2 excitation

The control sequence is as shown below. (This sequence uses threshold signal terminals I_0 and I_1 for PWM current control.)



Control sequence (1-2/W1-2 phase)

(TABLE 1= ENABLE2= 0)

Sequence No.	Phase A				Phase B				1-2 phase excitation	W1-2 phase excitation
	PH1	I11	I01	Current ratio	PH2	I12	I02	Current ratio		
0	0	0	0	1	X	1	1	0	*	*
1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1/3		*
2	0	0	1	2/3	0	0	1	2/3	*	*
3	0	1	0	1/3	0	0	0	1		*
4	X	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	*	*
5	1	1	0	1/3	0	0	0	1		*
6	1	0	1	2/3	0	0	1	2/3	*	*
7	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1/3		*
8	1	0	0	1	X	1	1	0	*	*
9	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1/3		*
10	1	0	1	2/3	1	0	1	2/3	*	*
11	1	1	0	1/3	1	0	0	1		*
12	X	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	*	*
13	0	1	0	1/3	1	0	0	1		*
14	0	0	1	2/3	1	0	1	2/3	*	*
15	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1/3		*

Note: When the sequence no. is 0, 4, 8, or 12, power-down can be set as follows
 I11=1, I01=0: Sequence No. 0 or 8
 I12=1, I02=0: Sequence No. 4 or 12
 If power-down is necessary for a sequence other than 0, 4, 8, or 12, lower the V_{REF} terminal voltage. However, do not set the voltage lower than the lower limit of the setting range.

●MICROSTEPPING (1/8 STEP) CONTROL SEQUENCE

Varying the V_{REF} terminal voltage in steps provides 1/8

microstepping and reduces motor vibration greatly. The microstepping control sequence is as follows:

Control sequence (microstepping)

Sequence No.	Phase A					Phase B				
	PH1	V_{REF1} (V)	I_{11}	I_{01}	Current ratio (%)	PH2	V_{REF2} (V)	I_{12}	I_{02}	Current ratio (%)
0	0	7.5	0	0	100	X	1.5	1	1	0
1	0	7.4	0	0	98	0	1.5	0	0	20
2	0	6.9	0	0	92	0	2.9	0	0	38
3	0	6.2	0	0	83	0	4.2	0	0	56
4	0	5.3	0	0	71	0	5.3	0	0	71
5	0	4.2	0	0	56	0	6.2	0	0	83
6	0	2.9	0	0	38	0	6.9	0	0	92
7	0	1.5	0	0	20	0	7.4	0	0	98
8	X	1.5	1	1	0	0	7.5	0	0	100
9	1	1.5	0	0	20	0	7.4	0	0	98
10	1	2.9	0	0	38	0	6.9	0	0	92
11	1	4.2	0	0	56	0	6.2	0	0	83
12	1	5.3	0	0	71	0	5.3	0	0	71
13	1	6.2	0	0	83	0	4.2	0	0	56
14	1	6.9	0	0	92	0	2.9	0	0	38
15	1	7.4	0	0	98	0	1.5	0	0	20
16	1	7.5	0	0	100	X	1.5	1	1	0
17	1	7.4	0	0	98	1	1.5	0	0	20
18	1	6.9	0	0	92	1	2.9	0	0	38
19	1	6.2	0	0	83	1	4.2	0	0	56
20	1	5.3	0	0	71	1	5.3	0	0	71
21	1	4.2	0	0	56	1	6.2	0	0	83
22	1	2.9	0	0	38	1	6.9	0	0	92
23	1	1.5	0	0	20	1	7.4	0	0	98
24	X	1.5	1	1	0	1	7.5	0	0	100
25	0	1.5	0	0	20	1	7.4	0	0	98
26	0	2.9	0	0	38	1	6.9	0	0	92
27	0	4.2	0	0	56	1	6.2	0	0	83
28	0	5.3	0	0	71	1	5.3	0	0	71
29	0	6.2	0	0	83	1	4.2	0	0	56
30	0	6.9	0	0	92	1	2.9	0	0	38
31	0	7.4	0	0	98	1	1.5	0	0	20

Note: The V_{REF} terminal voltage cannot be set to 0 V. To make the output current ratio 0%, set $I_{0X}=I_{1X}=1$.

When the sequence is 0, 8, 16, or 24, power-down can be set as follows:

$I_{11}=1, I_{01}=0$: Sequence No. 0 or 16

$I_{12}=1, I_{02}=0$: Sequence No. 8 or 24

● V_{REF} terminal

V_{REF} is the reference voltage input terminal for PWM constant current control. To realize stable ensure a stable signal, make sure noise is not applied to the terminal.

● V_{BB} terminal

To prevent voltage spikes on the load power supply terminal (V_{BB}), connect a large capacitor ($\geq 22\mu\text{F}$) between the V_{BB} terminal and ground as close to the device as possible. Make sure the load supply voltage does not exceed 45 V.

●Thermal protection

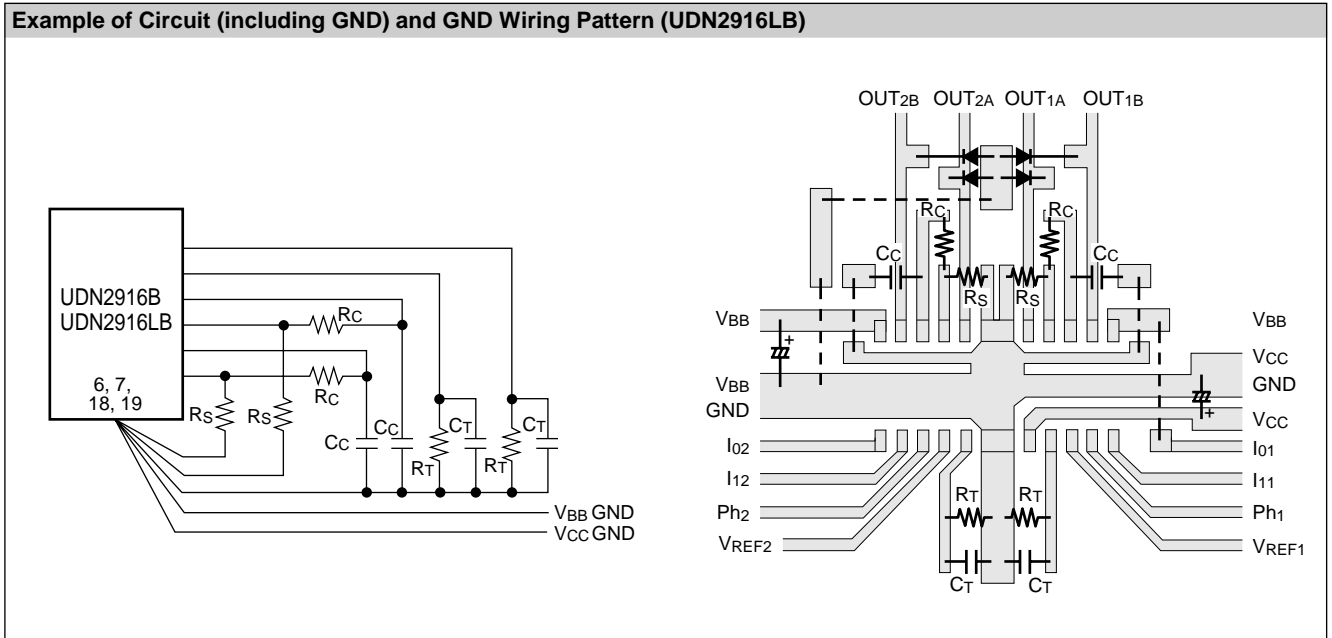
Thermal protection circuitry turns OFF all drivers when the junction temperature reaches $+170^\circ\text{C}$. It is only intended to protect the device from failures due to excessive junction temperature and should not imply that output short circuits are permitted. The output drivers are re-enabled when the junction temperature cools to $+145^\circ\text{C}$.

●Around the ground

Since the UDN2916B/LB is a chopping type power driver IC, take great care around the ground when mounting. Separate

the power system and the small signal (analog) system. Provide a single-point connection to the GND terminal or a solid pattern of low enough impedance.

Example of Circuit (including GND) and GND Wiring Pattern (UDN2916LB)



2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver IC

Allegro MicroSystems product

■Features

- Fixed off-time PWM current control
- Internal 1/3 and 2/3 reference divider
- 1-phase/2-phase/W1-2 phase excitation mode with digital input
- Microstepping with reference input
- Low saturation voltage (Sink transistor)
- Internal thermal shutdown circuitry
- Internal crossover-current protection circuitry
- Internal UVLO protection
- Internal transient-suppression diodes
- Low thermal resistance 44-pin PLCC

■Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings	Units
Motor supply voltage	V _{BB}		45	V
Output current (peak)	I _{O (peak)}	tw≤20μs	±1.75	A
Output current (continuous)	I _O		±1.5	A
Logic supply voltage	V _{CC}		7.0	V
Logic input voltage range	V _{IN}		-0.3 to +7.0	V
Output emitter voltage	V _E		1.0	V
Package power dissipation	P _D (Note1)		4.16	W
Operating temperature	T _a		-20 to +85	°C
Junction temperature	T _J (Note2)		+150	°C
Storage temperature	T _{stg}		-55 to +150	°C

●Output current rating may be limited by duty cycle, ambient temperature, and heat sinking. Under any set of conditions, do not exceed the specified current rating or a junction temperature of 150°C.

Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25°C or over, derate using -33.3mW/°C.

Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_J) exceeds 150°C will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

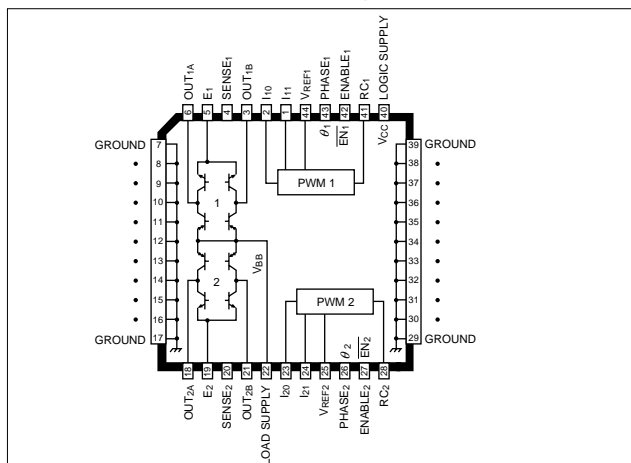
■Electrical Characteristics

(Unless specified otherwise, T_a=25°C, V_{BB}=45V, V_{CC}=5.0V, V_{REF}=5.0V)

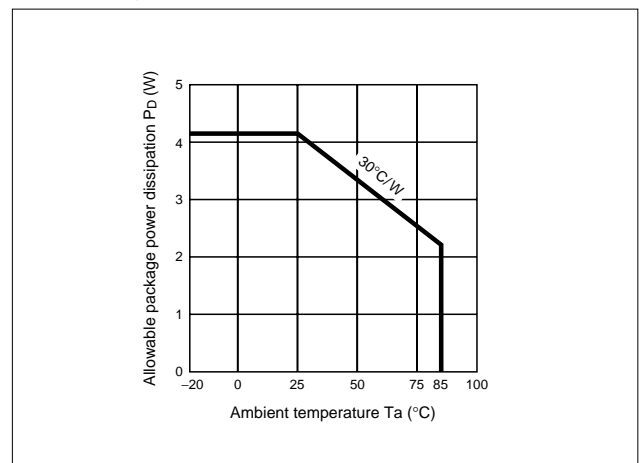
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
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Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Motor supply voltage range	V _{BB}		10		45	V
Output leakage current	I _{CEx}	Sink driver, V _O =V _{BB}		<1.0	50	μA
		Source driver, V _O =0V		<-1.0	-50	μA
Output sustaining voltage	V _{CE (SUS)}	I _O =±1.5A, L=3.5mH	45			V
Output saturation voltage	V _{CE (SAT)}	Sink driver, I _O =+1.0A		0.5	0.7	V
		Sink driver, I _O =+1.5A		0.8	1.0	V
		Source driver, I _O =-1.0A		1.8	1.9	V
		Source driver, I _O =-1.5A		1.9	2.1	V
		Clamp diode leakage current	I _R	V _R =45V		<1.0
Clamp diode forward voltage	V _F	I _F =1.5A		1.6	2.0	V
Motor supply current	I _{BB (ON)}	Both bridges ON, no load		9.0	12	mA
	I _{BB (OFF)}	Both bridges OFF		4.0	6.0	mA
Control logic						
Logic supply voltage	V _{CC}	Operating	4.75	5.0	5.25	V
Input voltage	V _{IH}	All inputs	2.4			V
	V _{IL}	All inputs			0.8	V
Input current	I _{IH}	V _{IH} =2.4V		<1.0	20	μA
	I _{IL}	V _{IL} =0.8V		-3.0	-200	μA
Reference voltage range	V _{REF}	Operating	1.5		7.5	V
Current control threshold	V _{REF} /V _{SENSE}	I _O =I _I =0.8V	9.5	10.0	10.5	
		I _O =2.4V, I _I =0.8V	13.5	15.0	16.5	
		I _O =0.8V, I _I =2.4V	25.5	30.0	34.5	
Thermal shutdown temperature	T _J			170		°C
Logic supply current	I _{CC (ON)}	I _O =I _I =V _{EN} =0.8V, no load		90	105	mA
	I _{CC (OFF)}	I _O =I _I =2.4V, no load		10	12	mA

●"typ" values are for reference.

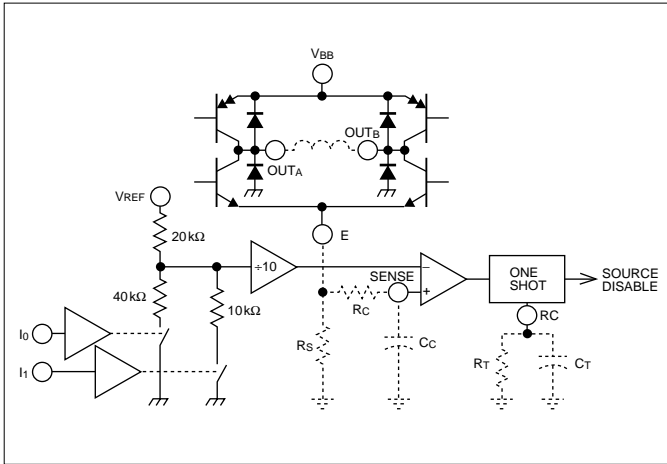
■Terminal Connection Diagram



■Derating



Internal Block Diagram (1/2 Circuit)



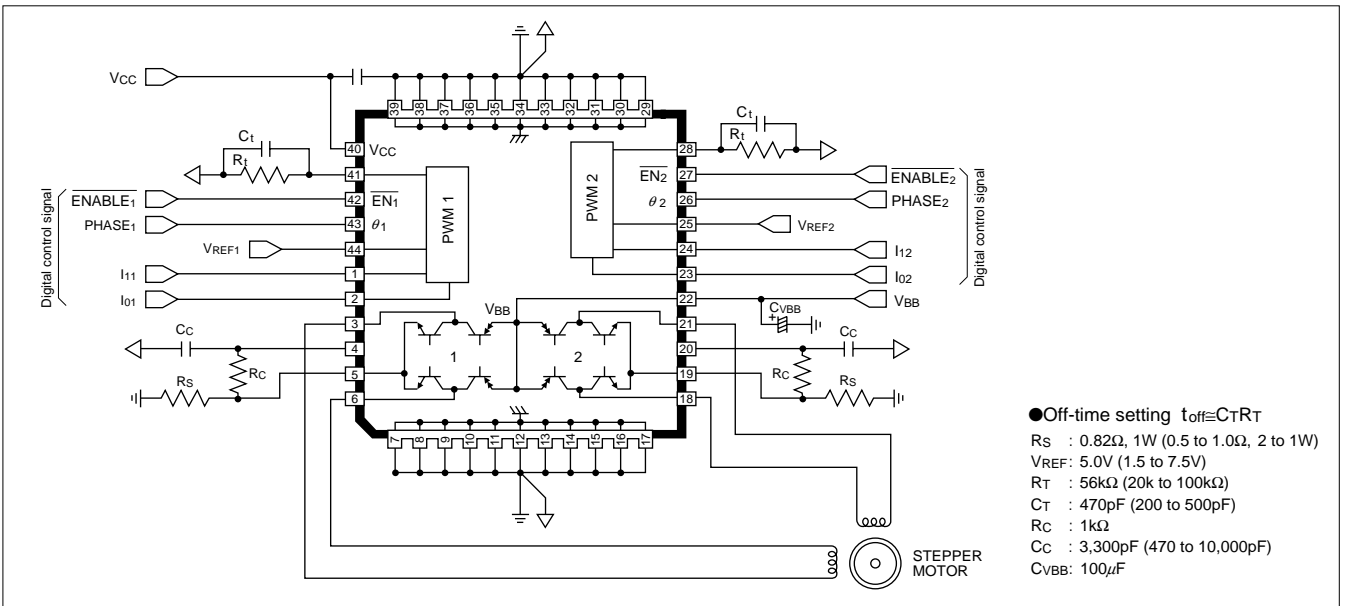
Truth Table

ENABLE	PHASE	OUTA	OUTB
L	H	H	L
L	L	L	H
H	X	Z	Z

X=Don't Care Z=High impedance

I0	I1	Output Current
L	L	$V_{REF} / (10 \times R_s) = I_{TRIP}$
H	L	$V_{REF} / (15 \times R_s) = I_{TRIP} \times 2/3$
L	H	$V_{REF} / (30 \times R_s) = I_{TRIP} \times 1/3$
H	H	0

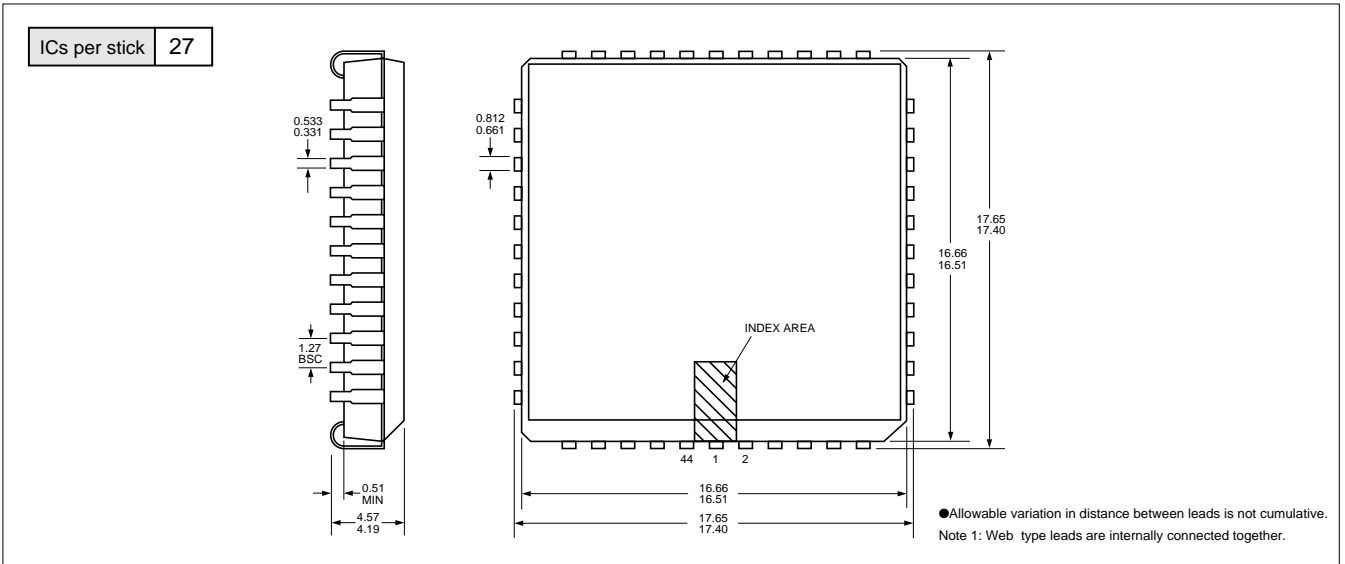
Application Circuit



- Off-time setting $t_{off} \approx C_t R_t$
- Rs : 0.82Ω, 1W (0.5 to 1.0Ω, 2 to 1W)
- VREF: 5.0V (1.5 to 7.5V)
- Rt : 56kΩ (20k to 100kΩ)
- Ct : 470pF (200 to 500pF)
- Rc : 1kΩ
- Cc : 3,300pF (470 to 10,000pF)
- CvBB: 100μF

External Dimensions Plastic PLCC

(Unit: mm)



● Allowable variation in distance between leads is not cumulative.
Note 1: Web type leads are internally connected together.

Application Notes

●REDUCTION AND DISPERSION OF POWER LOSS

The thermal performance can be improved by adding four external Schottky barrier diodes (EK13 or other) between each output terminal and ground. In most applications, the chopping ON time is shorter than the chopping OFF time (small ON duty). Therefore, a great part of the power loss of the driver IC is attributable to the motor regenerative current during the chopping OFF period. The regenerative current from the motor flows through the current sensing resistor and ground clamp diode and returns to the motor. The voltage drop across this path causes the power loss. On this path, the forward voltage V_F of ground clamp diode shows the greatest drop. This means that adding Schottky barrier diodes will improve the thermal performance if their V_F characteristic is smaller than that of the internal ground clamp diode.

The external diodes also disperse the loss (a source of heat) and reduce the package power dissipation P_D of the driver IC. Consequently, a greater output current can be obtained.

●CONTROL SEQUENCE OF 1-2 OR W1-2 PHASE EXCITATION

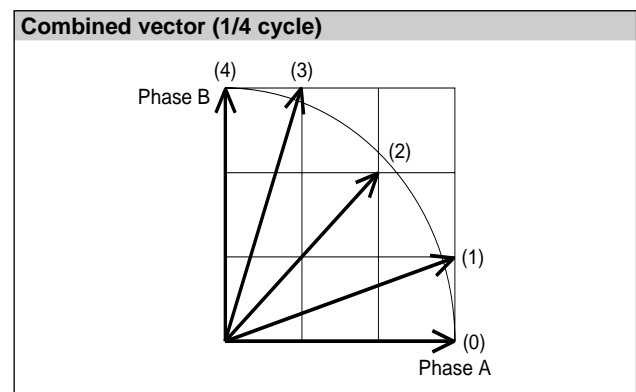
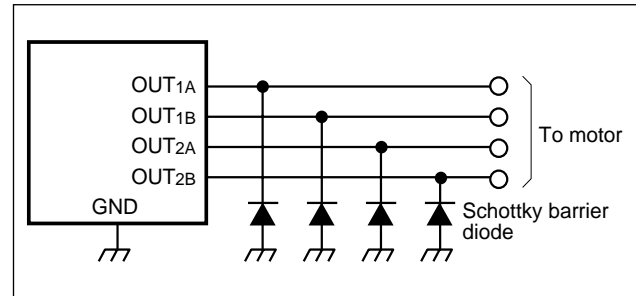
To reduce vibration when the stepper motor is rotating, the UDN2917EB can provide 1-2 or W1-2 phase excitation for the control sequence without varying the V_{REF} terminal voltage.

The step angle is

1/2 step : 1-2 excitation

About 1/4 step : W1-2 excitation

The control sequence is as shown below. (This sequence uses threshold signal terminals I_0 and I_1 for PWM current control.)



Control sequence (1-2/W1-2 phase)

(ENABLE 1= ENABLE 2=0)

Sequence No.	Phase A				Phase B				1-2 phase excitation	W1-2 phase excitation
	PH ₁	I ₁₁	I ₀₁	Current ratio	PH ₂	I ₁₂	I ₀₂	Current ratio		
0	0	0	0	1	X	1	1	0	*	*
1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1/3	*	*
2	0	0	1	2/3	0	0	1	2/3	*	*
3	0	1	0	1/3	0	0	0	1	*	*
4	X	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	*	*
5	1	1	0	1/3	0	0	0	1	*	*
6	1	0	1	2/3	0	0	1	2/3	*	*
7	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1/3	*	*
8	1	0	0	1	X	1	1	0	*	*
9	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1/3	*	*
10	1	0	1	2/3	1	0	1	2/3	*	*
11	1	1	0	1/3	1	0	0	1	*	*
12	X	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	*	*
13	0	1	0	1/3	1	0	0	1	*	*
14	0	0	1	2/3	1	0	1	2/3	*	*
15	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1/3	*	*

Note: When the sequence no. is 0, 4, 8, or 12, power-down can be set as follows

I₁₁=1, I₀₁=0: Sequence No. 0 or 8

I₁₂=1, I₀₂=0: Sequence No. 4 or 12

If power-down is necessary for a sequence other than 0, 4, 8, or 12, lower the

V_{REF} terminal voltage. However, do not set the voltage lower than the lower limit of the setting range.

●MICROSTEPPING (1/8 STEP) CONTROL SEQUENCE

Varying the V_{REF} terminal voltage in steps provides 1/8

microstepping and reduces motor vibration greatly. The microstepping control sequence is as follows:

Control sequence (microstepping)										
Sequence No.	Phase A					Phase B				
	PH1	V_{REF1} (V)	I_{11}	I_{01}	Current ratio (%)	PH2	V_{REF2} (V)	I_{12}	I_{02}	Current ratio (%)
0	0	7.5	0	0	100	X	1.5	1	1	0
1	0	7.4	0	0	98	0	1.5	0	0	20
2	0	6.9	0	0	92	0	2.9	0	0	38
3	0	6.2	0	0	83	0	4.2	0	0	56
4	0	5.3	0	0	71	0	5.3	0	0	71
5	0	4.2	0	0	56	0	6.2	0	0	83
6	0	2.9	0	0	38	0	6.9	0	0	92
7	0	1.5	0	0	20	0	7.4	0	0	98
8	X	1.5	1	1	0	0	7.5	0	0	100
9	1	1.5	0	0	20	0	7.4	0	0	98
10	1	2.9	0	0	38	0	6.9	0	0	92
11	1	4.2	0	0	56	0	6.2	0	0	83
12	1	5.3	0	0	71	0	5.3	0	0	71
13	1	6.2	0	0	83	0	4.2	0	0	56
14	1	6.9	0	0	92	0	2.9	0	0	38
15	1	7.4	0	0	98	0	1.5	0	0	20
16	1	7.5	0	0	100	X	1.5	1	1	0
17	1	7.4	0	0	98	1	1.5	0	0	20
18	1	6.9	0	0	92	1	2.9	0	0	38
19	1	6.2	0	0	83	1	4.2	0	0	56
20	1	5.3	0	0	71	1	5.3	0	0	71
21	1	4.2	0	0	56	1	6.2	0	0	83
22	1	2.9	0	0	38	1	6.9	0	0	92
23	1	1.5	0	0	20	1	7.4	0	0	98
24	X	1.5	1	1	0	1	7.5	0	0	100
25	0	1.5	0	0	20	1	7.4	0	0	98
26	0	2.9	0	0	38	1	6.9	0	0	92
27	0	4.2	0	0	56	1	6.2	0	0	83
28	0	5.3	0	0	71	1	5.3	0	0	71
29	0	6.2	0	0	83	1	4.2	0	0	56
30	0	6.9	0	0	92	1	2.9	0	0	38
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($\overline{ENABLE1} = \overline{ENABLE2} = 0$)

Note: The V_{REF} terminal voltage cannot be set to 0 V. To make the output current ratio 0%, set $I_{0X} = I_{1X} = 1$.
 When the sequence is 0, 8, 16, or 24, power-down can be set as follows:
 $I_{11} = 1, I_{01} = 0$: Sequence No. 0 or 16
 $I_{12} = 1, I_{02} = 0$: Sequence No. 8 or 24

● V_{REF} terminal

V_{REF} is the reference voltage input terminal for PWM constant current control. To realize stable ensure a stable signal, make sure noise is not applied to the terminal.

● V_{BB} terminal

To prevent voltage spikes on the load power supply terminal (V_{BB}), connect a large capacitor ($\geq 47\mu\text{F}$) between the V_{BB} terminal and ground as close to the device as possible. Make sure the load supply voltage does not exceed 45V.

●Thermal protection

Thermal protection circuitry turns OFF all drivers when the junction temperature reaches $+170^\circ\text{C}$. It is only intended to protect the device from failures due to excessive junction temperature and should not imply that output short circuits are permitted. The output drivers are re-enabled when the junction temperature cools to $+145^\circ\text{C}$.

●Around the ground

Since the UDN2917EB is a chopping type power driver IC, take great care around the ground when mounting. Separate the power system and the small signal (analog) system. Provide a single-point connection to the GND terminal or a solid pattern of low enough impedance.

2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver ICs

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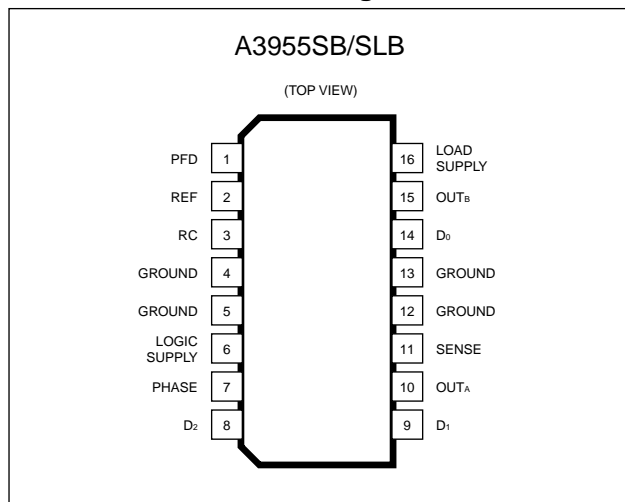
Parameter	Symbol	Ratings		Units
		A3955SB	A3955SLB	
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	50		V
Output current (continuous)	I_o	± 1.5		A
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	7.0		V
Logic/reference input voltage range	V_{IN}	-0.3 to $V_{CC}+0.3$		V
Sense voltage	V_S	1.0		V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)	2.90	1.86	W
Operating temperature	T_a	-20 to +85		$^{\circ}\text{C}$
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)	+150		$^{\circ}\text{C}$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to +150		$^{\circ}\text{C}$

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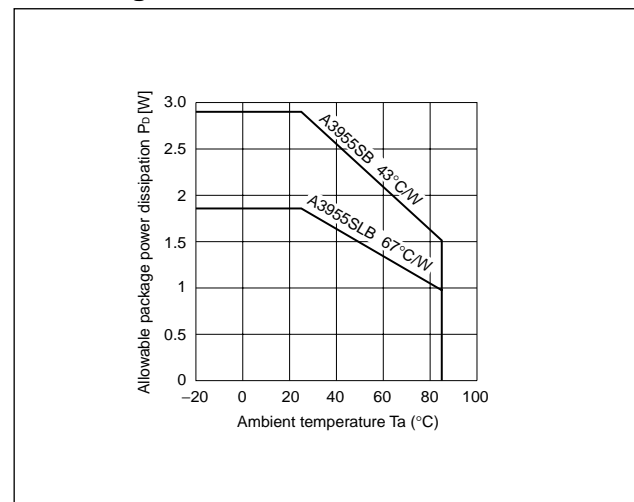
Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ or over, derate using -23.26mW/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ (SB) or -14.93mW/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ (SLB).

Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds 150 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

■ Terminal Connection Diagram



■ Derating



Electrical Characteristics

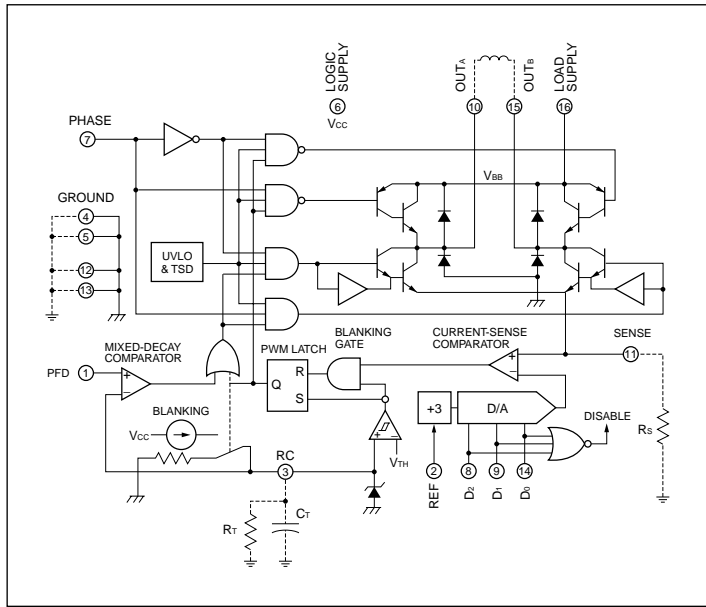
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Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
			min	typ	max	
Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Load supply voltage range	V_{BB}	Operating, $I_o=\pm 1.5\text{A}$, $L=3\text{mH}$	V_{CC}		50	V
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_o=V_{BB}$		<1.0	50	μA
		$V_o=0\text{V}$		<-1.0	-50	μA
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Source Driver, $I_o=-0.85\text{A}$		1.0	1.2	V
		$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Source Driver, $I_o=-1.5\text{A}$		1.3	1.5	V
		$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Sink Driver, $I_o=0.85\text{A}$		0.5	0.6	V
		$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Sink Driver, $I_o=1.5\text{A}$		1.3	1.5	V
Sense current offset	I_{SO}	I_s-I_o , $I_o=0.85\text{A}$, $V_s=0\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=5\text{V}$	20	33	40	mA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=0.85\text{A}$		1.2	1.4	V
		$I_F=1.5\text{A}$		1.4	1.7	V
Motor supply current (No load)	$I_{BB(ON)}$			2.0	4.0	mA
	$I_{BB(OFF)}$	$D_0=D_1=D_2=0.8\text{V}$		1.0	50	μA
Control logic						
Logic supply voltage range	V_{CC}	Operating	4.5	5.0	5.5	V
Reference voltage range	V_{REF}	Operating	0.5		2.5	V
UVLO enable threshold	V_{UVLOen}	$V_{CC}=0\rightarrow 5\text{V}$	3.35	3.70	4.05	V
UVLO hysteresis	$V_{UVLOhys}$		0.30	0.45	0.60	V
Logic supply current	$I_{CC(ON)}$			42	50	mA
	$I_{CC(OFF)}$	$D_0=D_1=D_2=0.8\text{V}$		12	16	mA
Logic input voltage	V_{IH}		2.0			V
	V_{IL}				0.8	V
Logic input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IN}=2.0\text{V}$		<1.0	20	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IN}=0.8\text{V}$		<-2.0	-200	μA
Mixed Decay comparator trip points	V_{PFD}	Slow Decay Mode	3.5			V
		Mixed Decay Mode	1.1		3.1	V
		Fast Decay Mode			0.8	V
Mixed Decay comparator input offset voltage	$V_{IO(PFD)}$			0	± 20	mV
Mixed Decay comparator hysteresis	$\Delta V_{IO(PFD)}$		5	25	55	mV
Reference input current	I_{REF}	$V_{REF}=0\text{V}\sim 2.5\text{V}$			± 5.0	μA
Reference divider ratio	V_{REF}/V_s	at trip, $D_0=D_1=D_2=2\text{V}$		3.0		
DAC accuracy *1	DAC_{ERR}	$V_{REF}=1.0\text{V}\sim 2.5\text{V}$			± 3.0	%
		$V_{REF}=0.5\text{V}\sim 1.0\text{V}$			± 4.0	%
Current-sense comparator input offset voltage *1	$V_{IO(S)}$	$V_{REF}=0\text{V}$			± 5.0	mV
Step reference current ratio	SRCR	$D_0=D_1=D_2=0.8\text{V}$		0		%
		$D_0=2.0\text{V}$, $D_1=D_2=0.8\text{V}$		19.5		%
		$D_0=0.8\text{V}$, $D_1=2\text{V}$, $D_2=0.8\text{V}$		38.2		%
		$D_0=D_1=2\text{V}$, $D_2=0.8\text{V}$		55.5		%
		$D_0=D_1=0.8\text{V}$, $D_2=2\text{V}$		70.7		%
		$D_0=2\text{V}$, $D_1=0.8\text{V}$, $D_2=2\text{V}$		83.1		%
		$D_0=0.8\text{V}$, $D_1=D_2=2\text{V}$		92.4		%
		$D_0=D_1=D_2=2\text{V}$		100		%
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_j			165		$^\circ\text{C}$
Thermal shutdown hysteresis	ΔT_j			15		$^\circ\text{C}$
AC timing						
PWM RC fixed off-time	t_{OFFRC}	$C_T=470\text{pF}$, $R_T=43\text{k}\Omega$	18.2	20.2	22.3	μS
PWM turn-off time	$t_{PWM(OFF)}$	Current-Sense Comparator Trip to Source OFF, $I_o=0.1\text{A}$		1.0	1.5	μS
		Current-Sense Comparator Trip to Source OFF, $I_o=1.5\text{A}$		1.4	2.5	μS
PWM turn-on time	$t_{PWM(ON)}$	I_{RC} Charge ON to Source ON, $I_o=0.1\text{A}$		0.4	0.7	μS
		I_{RC} Charge ON to Source ON, $I_o=1.5\text{A}$		0.55	0.85	μS
PWM minimum on-time	$t_{ON(min)}$	$V_{CC}=5.0\text{V}$, $R_T\geq 43\text{k}\Omega$, $C_T=470\text{pF}$, $I_o=0.1\text{A}$	1.0	1.6	2.2	μS
Crossover dead time	t_{CODT}	1k Ω Load to 25V	0.3	1.5	3.0	μS

*1: The total error for the V_{REF}/V_{SENSE} function is the sum of the D/A error and the current-sense comparator input offset voltage.

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Internal Block Diagram



Truth Table

PHASE

PHASE	OUT _A	OUT _B
H	H	L
L	L	H

DAC

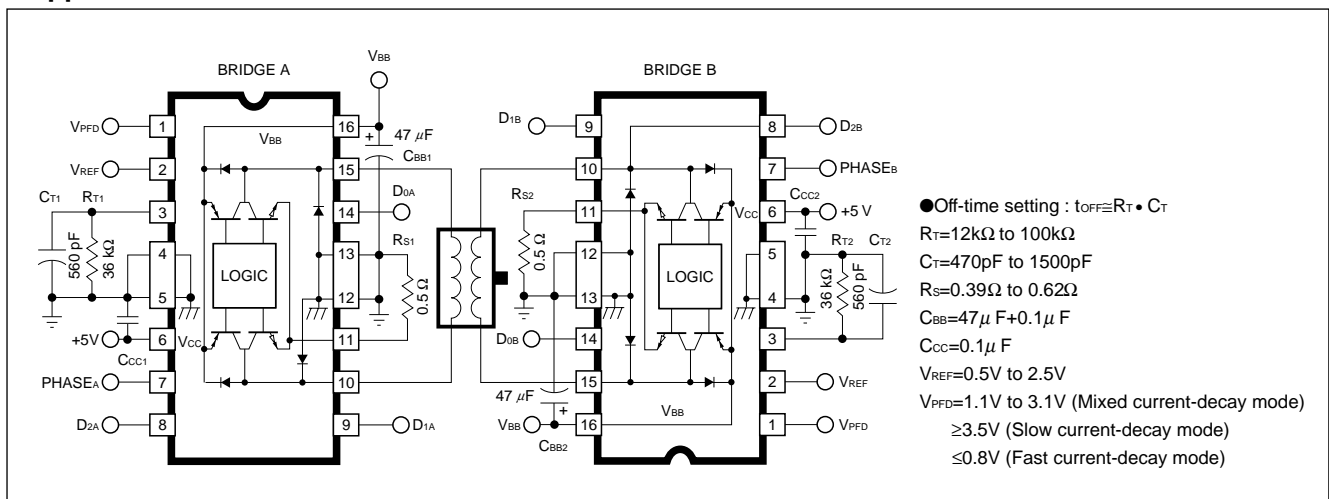
DAC DATA			DAC [%]	V _{REF} /V _S
D ₂	D ₁	D ₀		
H	H	H	100	3.00
H	H	L	92.4	3.25
H	L	H	83.1	3.61
H	L	L	70.7	4.24
L	H	H	55.5	5.41
L	H	L	38.2	7.85
L	L	H	19.5	15.38
L	L	L	All Outputs Disabled	

PFD

V _{PFD}	Operating Mode
≥3.5V	Slow current-decay mode
1.1V to 3.1V	Mixed current-decay mode
≤0.8V	Fast current-decay mode

where $V_S \approx I_{TRIP} \cdot R_s$

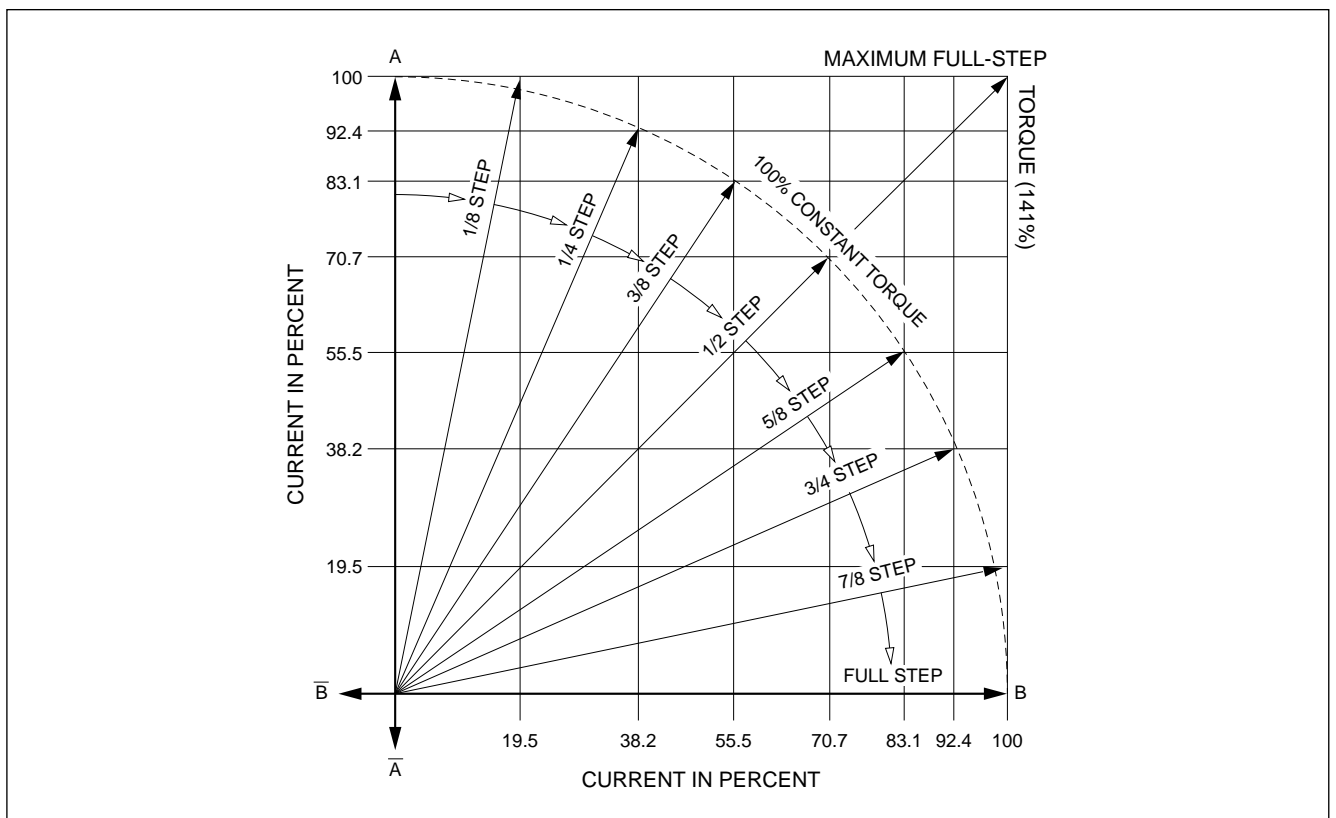
Application Circuit



■ Step Sequence

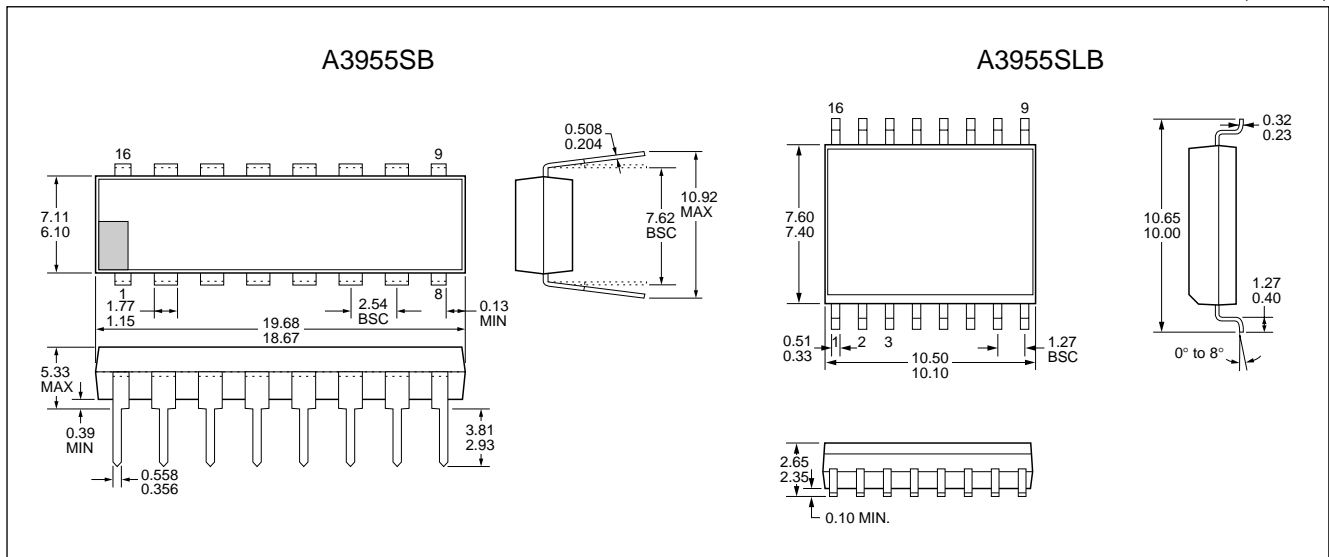
Full Step	Half Step	Quarter Step	Eighth Step	Bridge A					Bridge B					
				PHASE _A	D _{2A}	D _{1A}	D _{0A}	I _{LOADA}	PHASE _B	D _{2B}	D _{1B}	D _{0B}	I _{LOADB}	
1	1	1	1	H	H	L	L	70.7%	H	H	L	L	70.7%	
			2	H	L	H	H	55.5%	H	H	L	H	83.1%	
			3	H	L	H	L	38.2%	H	H	H	L	92.4%	
			4	H	L	L	H	19.5%	H	H	H	H	100%	
	2	3	5	5	X	L	L	L	0%	H	H	H	H	100%
				6	L	L	L	H	-19.5%	H	H	H	H	100%
				7	L	L	H	L	-38.2%	H	H	H	L	92.4%
				8	L	L	H	H	-55.5%	H	H	L	H	83.1%
2	3	5	9	L	H	L	L	-70.7%	H	H	L	L	70.7%	
			10	L	H	L	H	-83.1%	H	L	H	H	55.5%	
			11	L	H	H	L	-92.4%	H	L	H	L	38.2%	
			12	L	H	H	H	-100%	H	L	L	H	19.5%	
	4	7	13	13	L	H	H	H	-100%	X	L	L	L	0%
				14	L	H	H	H	-100%	L	L	L	H	-19.5%
				15	L	H	H	L	-92.4%	L	L	H	L	-38.2%
				16	L	H	L	H	-83.1%	L	L	H	H	-55.5%
3	5	9	17	L	H	L	L	-70.7%	L	H	L	L	-70.7%	
			18	L	L	H	H	-55.5%	L	H	L	H	-83.1%	
			19	L	L	H	L	-38.2%	L	H	H	L	-92.4%	
			20	L	L	L	H	-19.5%	L	H	H	H	-100%	
	6	11	21	21	X	L	L	L	0%	L	H	H	H	-100%
				22	H	L	L	H	19.5%	L	H	H	H	-100%
				23	H	L	H	L	38.2%	L	H	H	L	-92.4%
				24	H	L	H	H	55.5%	L	H	L	H	-83.1%
4	7	13	25	H	H	L	L	70.7%	L	H	L	L	-70.7%	
			26	H	H	L	H	83.1%	L	L	H	H	-55.5%	
			27	H	H	H	L	92.4%	L	L	H	L	-38.2%	
			28	H	H	H	H	100%	L	L	L	H	-19.5%	
	8	15	29	29	H	H	H	H	100%	X	L	L	L	0%
				30	H	H	H	H	100%	H	L	L	H	19.5%
				31	H	H	H	L	92.4%	H	L	H	L	38.2%
				32	H	H	L	H	83.1%	H	L	H	H	55.5%

■ Current Vector Locus



External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



2-Phase Stepper Motor Bipolar Driver IC

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■ Absolute Maximum Ratings

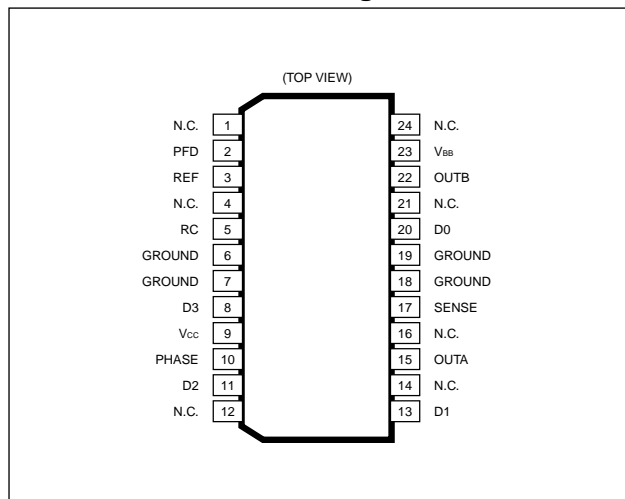
Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	50	V
Output current (continuous)	I_o	± 1.5	A
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	7.0	V
Logic/reference input voltage range	V_{IN}	-0.3 to $V_{CC}+0.3$	V
Sense voltage	V_S	1.0	V
Package power dissipation	P_D (Note1)	2.23	W
Operating temperature	T_a	-20 to +85	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
Junction temperature	T_j (Note2)	+150	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to +150	$^{\circ}\text{C}$

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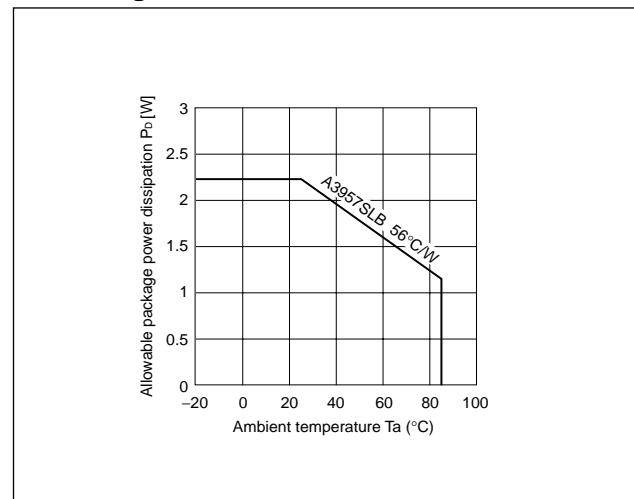
Note 1: When ambient temperature is 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ or over, derate using -17.86mW/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$.

Note 2: Fault conditions where junction temperature (T_j) exceeds 150 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ will activate the device's thermal shutdown circuitry. These conditions can be tolerated but should be avoided.

■ Terminal Connection Diagram



■ Derating



Electrical Characteristics

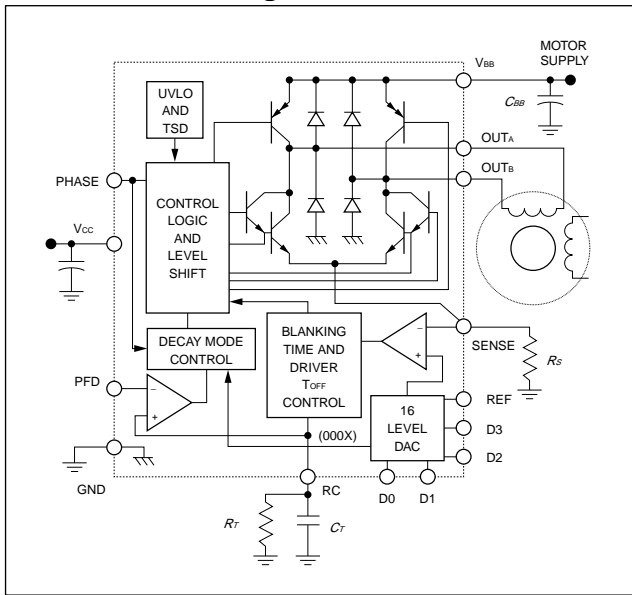
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Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Limits			Units
			min	typ	max	
Power outputs (OUT _A or OUT _B)						
Load supply voltage range	V_{BB}	Operating, $I_o=\pm 1.5\text{A}$, $L=3\text{mH}$	V_{CC}		50	V
Output leakage current	I_{CEX}	$V_o=V_{BB}$		<1.0	50	μA
		$V_o=0\text{V}$		<-1.0	-50	μA
Output saturation voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Source Driver, $I_o=-0.85\text{A}$		1.0	1.2	V
		$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Source Driver, $I_o=-1.5\text{A}$		1.4	1.5	V
		$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Sink Driver, $I_o=0.85\text{A}$		0.5	0.7	V
		$V_{SENSE}=1.0\text{V}$: Sink Driver, $I_o=1.5\text{A}$		1.2	1.5	V
Sense current offset	I_{SO}	I_s-I_o , $I_o=0.85\text{A}$, $V_s=0\text{V}$, $V_{CC}=5\text{V}$	20	30	40	mA
Clamp diode forward voltage	V_F	$I_F=0.85\text{A}$		1.2	1.4	V
		$I_F=1.5\text{A}$		1.5	1.7	V
Motor supply current (No load)	$I_{BB(ON)}$			2.0	4.0	mA
	$I_{BB(OFF)}$	$D_0=D_1=D_2=D_3=0.8\text{V}$		1.0	50	μA
Control logic						
Logic supply voltage range	V_{CC}	Operating	4.5	5.0	5.5	V
Reference voltage range	V_{REF}	Operating	0.5		2.5	V
UVLO enable threshold	V_{UVLOen}	$V_{CC}=0\rightarrow 5\text{V}$	3.35	3.70	4.05	V
UVLO hysteresis	$V_{UVLOhys}$		0.25	0.40	0.55	V
Logic supply current	$I_{CC(ON)}$			42	50	mA
	$I_{CC(OFF)}$	$D_0=D_1=D_2=D_3=0.8\text{V}$		14	17	mA
Logic input voltage	V_{IH}		2.0			V
	V_{IL}				0.8	V
Logic input current	I_{IH}	$V_{IN}=2.0\text{V}$		<1.0	20	μA
	I_{IL}	$V_{IN}=0.8\text{V}$		<-2.0	-200	μA
Mixed Decay comparator trip point	V_{PFD}	Slow Decay Mode	3.5			V
		Mixed Decay Mode	1.2		2.9	V
		Fast Decay Mode			0.8	V
Mixed Decay comparator input offset voltage	$V_{IO(PFD)}$			0	± 20	mV
Mixed Decay comparator hysteresis	$\Delta V_{IO(PFD)}$		5	25	55	mV
Reference input current	I_{REF}	$V_{REF}=0\text{V}$ to 2.5V			± 5.0	μA
Reference divider ratio	V_{REF}/V_s	at trip, $D_0=D_1=D_2=D_3=2\text{V}$		3.0		
DAC accuracy *1	DAC_{ERR}	$V_{REF}=1.0\text{V}$ to 2.5V			± 3.0	%
		$V_{REF}=0.5\text{V}$ to 1.0V			± 4.0	%
Current-sense comparator input offset voltage *1	$V_{IO(S)}$	$V_{REF}=0\text{V}$		-16		mV
Step reference current ratio	SRCR	$D_1=D_2=D_3=0.8\text{V}$		0		%
		$D_0=0.8\text{V}$, $D_1=2.0\text{V}$, $D_2=D_3=0.8\text{V}$		17.4		%
		$D_0=D_1=2.0\text{V}$, $D_2=D_3=0.8\text{V}$		26.1		%
		$D_0=D_1=0.8\text{V}$, $D_2=2\text{V}$, $D_3=0.8\text{V}$		34.8		%
		$D_0=2.0\text{V}$, $D_1=0.8\text{V}$, $D_2=2.0\text{V}$, $D_3=0.8\text{V}$		43.5		%
		$D_0=0.8\text{V}$, $D_1=D_2=2.0\text{V}$, $D_3=0.8\text{V}$		52.2		%
		$D_0=D_1=D_2=2.0\text{V}$, $D_3=0.8\text{V}$		60.9		%
		$D_0=D_1=D_2=0.8\text{V}$, $D_3=2.0\text{V}$		69.6		%
		$D_0=2.0\text{V}$, $D_1=D_2=0.8\text{V}$, $D_3=2.0\text{V}$		73.9		%
		$D_0=0.8\text{V}$, $D_1=2.0\text{V}$, $D_2=0.8\text{V}$, $D_3=2.0\text{V}$		78.3		%
		$D_0=D_1=2.0\text{V}$, $D_2=0.8\text{V}$, $D_3=2.0\text{V}$		82.6		%
		$D_0=D_1=0.8\text{V}$, $D_2=D_3=2.0\text{V}$		87.0		%
		$D_0=2.0\text{V}$, $D_1=0.8\text{V}$, $D_2=D_3=2.0\text{V}$		91.3		%
		$D_0=0.8\text{V}$, $D_1=D_2=D_3=2.0\text{V}$		95.7		%
		$D_0=D_1=D_2=D_3=2.0\text{V}$		100		%
Thermal shutdown temperature	T_j			165		$^\circ\text{C}$
Thermal shutdown hysteresis	ΔT_j			15		$^\circ\text{C}$
AC timing						
PWM RC fixed off-time	t_{OFFRC}	$C_T=470\text{pF}$, $R_T=43\text{k}\Omega$	18.2	20.2	22.3	μS
PWM turn-off time	$t_{PWM(OFF)}$	Current-Sense Comparator Trip to Source OFF, $I_o=0.1\text{A}$		1.0	1.5	μS
		Current-Sense Comparator Trip to Source OFF, $I_o=1.5\text{A}$		1.4	2.5	μS
PWM turn-on time	$t_{PWM(ON)}$	I_{RC} Charge ON to Source ON, $I_o=0.1\text{A}$		0.4	0.7	μS
		I_{RC} Charge ON to Source ON, $I_o=1.5\text{A}$		0.55	0.85	μS
PWM minimum on-time	$t_{ON(min)}$	$V_{CC}=5.0\text{V}$, $R_T\geq 43\text{k}\Omega$, $C_T=470\text{pF}$, $I_o=0.1\text{A}$	1.0	1.6	2.2	μS
Crossover dead time	t_{COTD}	1k Ω Load to 25V	0.3	1.5	3.0	μS

*1: The total error for the V_{REF}/V_{SENSE} function is the sum of the D/A error and the current-sense comparator input offset voltage.

●“typ” values are for reference.

Internal Block Diagram



Truth Table

Power Outputs

D3, D2, D1, D0	PHASE	OUTA	OUTB	PFD	Power Output Operating Mode
0000 or 0001	X	Z	Z	X	Disable
1XXX or X1XX or XX1X	H	H	L	≥3.5V	Forward, slow current-decay mode
				1.2V to 2.9V	Forward, mixed current-decay mode
				≤0.8V	Forward, fast current-decay mode
L	L	H	≥3.5V	Reverse, slow current-decay mode	
			1.2V to 2.9V	Reverse, mixed current-decay mode	
			≤0.8V	Reverse, fast current-decay mode	

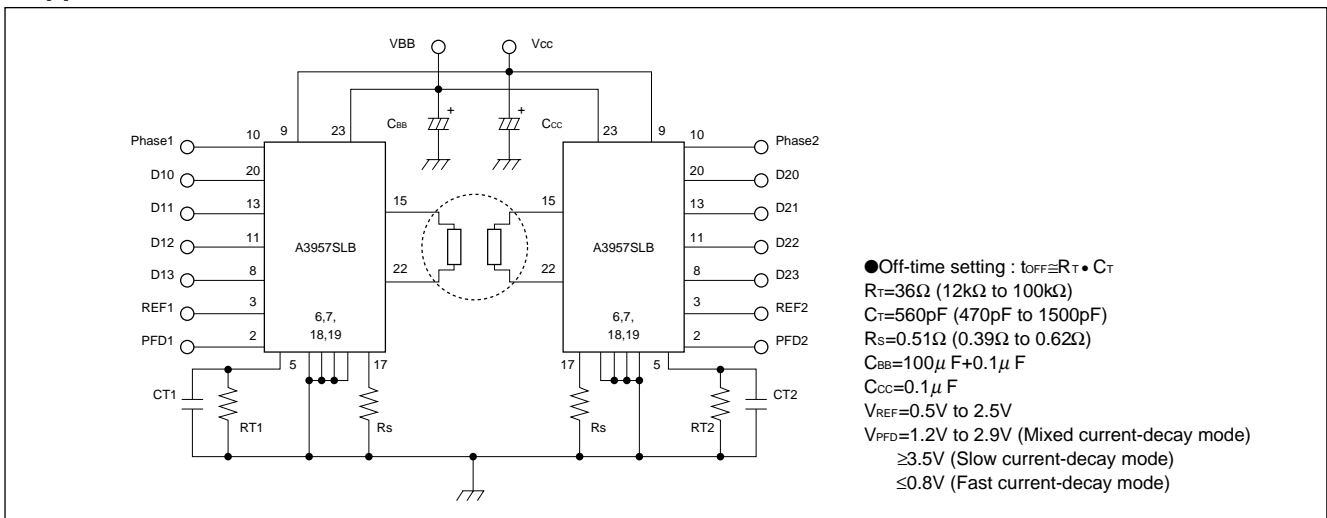
X: Don't care
High impedance (source and sink both OFF)

DAC

D3	D2	D1	D0	DAC [%]
1	1	1	1	100
1	1	1	0	95.7
1	1	0	1	91.3
1	1	0	0	87.0
1	0	1	1	82.6
1	0	1	0	78.3
1	0	0	1	73.9
1	0	0	0	69.6

D3	D2	D1	D0	DAC [%]
0	1	1	1	60.9
0	1	1	0	52.2
0	1	0	1	43.5
0	1	0	0	34.8
0	0	1	1	26.1
0	0	1	0	17.4
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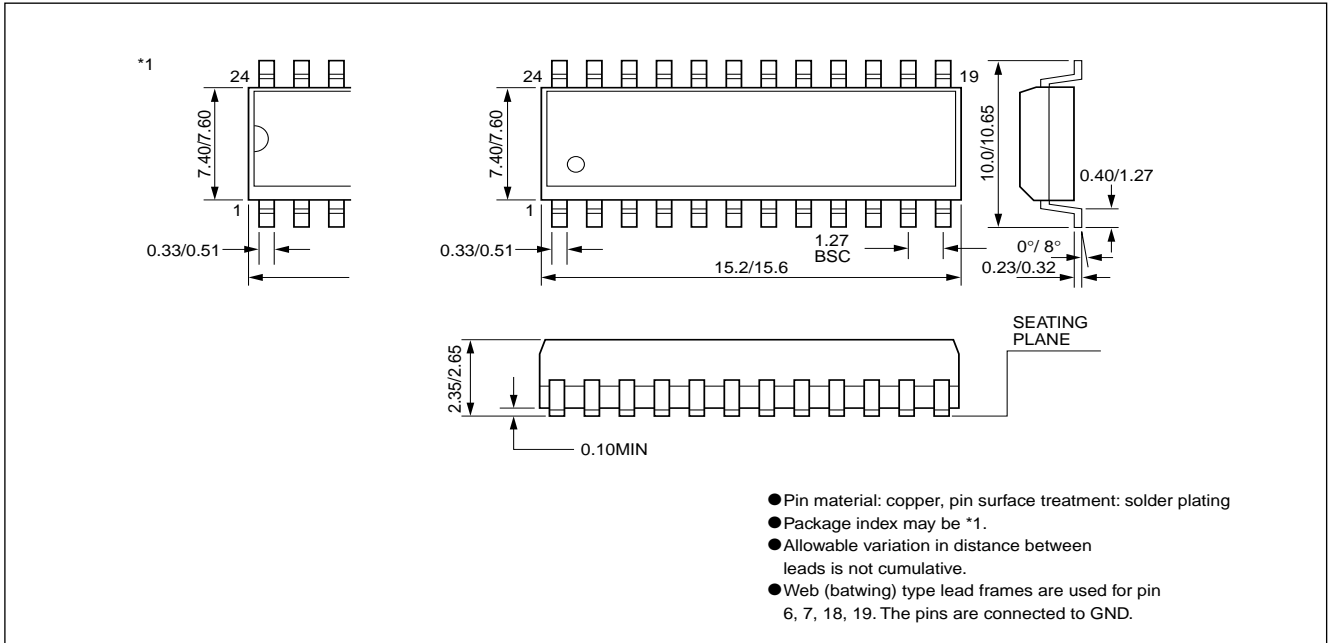
Application Circuit



- Off-time setting : $t_{OFF} = R_T \cdot C_T$
- $R_T = 36\Omega$ (12k Ω to 100k Ω)
- $C_T = 560pF$ (470pF to 1500pF)
- $R_S = 0.51\Omega$ (0.39 Ω to 0.62 Ω)
- $C_{BB} = 100\mu F + 0.1\mu F$
- $C_{CC} = 0.1\mu F$
- $V_{REF} = 0.5V$ to 2.5V
- $V_{PFD} = 1.2V$ to 2.9V (Mixed current-decay mode)
- ≥3.5V (Slow current-decay mode)
- ≤0.8V (Fast current-decay mode)

External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



3-Phase Stepper Motor Driver ICs

■Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	50	V
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	7	V
Input voltage	V_{IN}	-0.3 to V_{CC}	V
Reference input voltage	V_{REF}	-0.3 to V_{CC}	V
Sense voltage	V_{sense}	1.5	V
Package power dissipation	P_D	1	W
Junction temperature	T_j	-20 to +85	°C
Operating temperature	T_{op}	+125	°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to +125	°C

■Recommended Operating Voltage Ranges

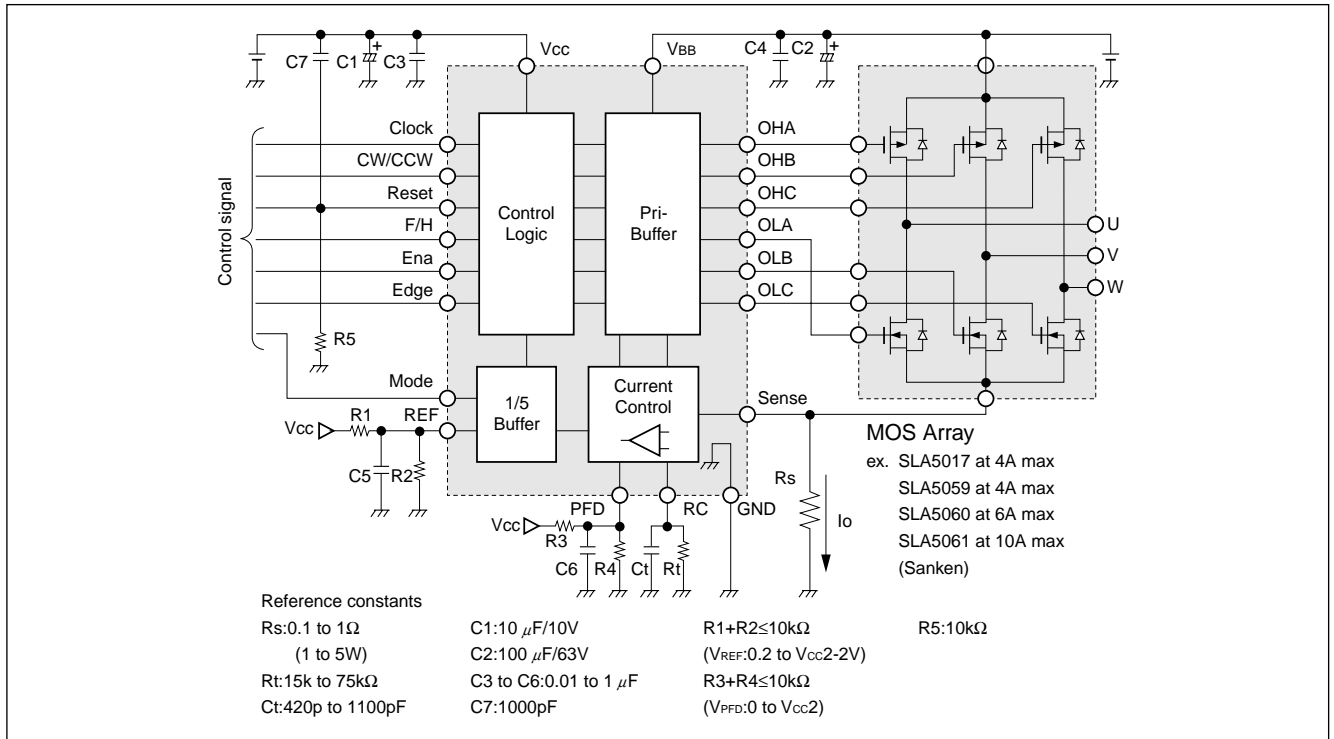
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Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	15 to 45	V
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	3 to 5.5	V
Reference input voltage	V_{REF}	0.2 to $V_{CC}-2$	V

■Electrical Characteristics

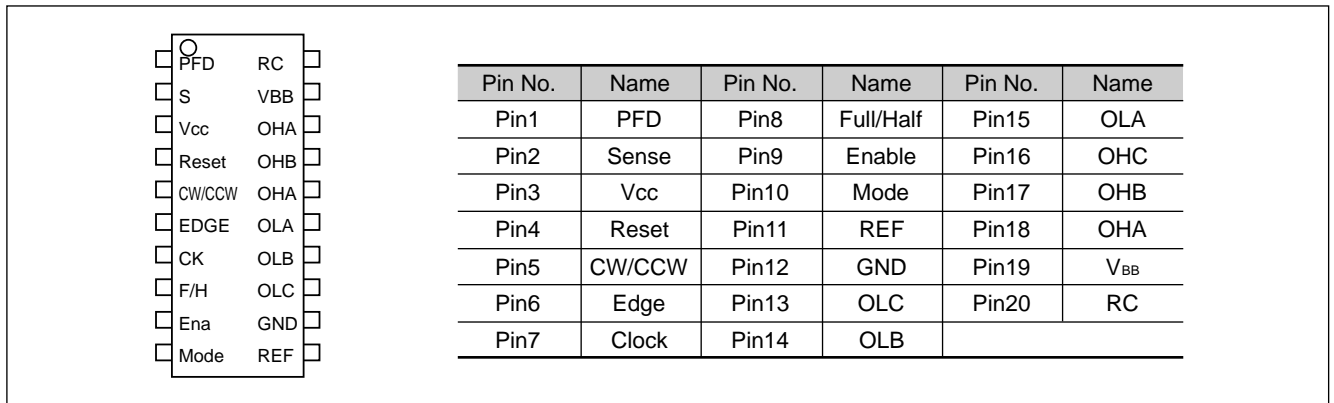
Parameter	Symbol	Ratings			Units	Conditions
		min	typ	max		
Load supply voltage	V_{BB}	15		45	V	
Logic supply voltage	V_{CC}	3.0		5.5	V	
Output voltage	V_{OL1}	8		15	V	
	V_{OL2}	0		1	V	
	V_{OH1}	$V_{BB}-15$		$V_{BB}-8$	V	
	V_{OH2}	$V_{BB}-1$		V_{BB}	V	
Load supply current	I_{BB}			25	mA	$V_{CC}=5.5V$
Logic supply current	I_{CC}			10	mA	$V_{CC}=5.5V$
Logic input voltage	V_{IH}	3.75			V	
	V_{IL}			1.25	V	
Logic input current	I_{IH}			20	μA	$V_{IN}=V_{CC}\times 0.75$
	I_{IL}	-20			μA	$V_{IN}=V_{CC}\times 0.25$
Maximum clock frequency	F	200			kHz	Edge=0V
		100				Edge= V_{CC}
PFD input voltage	V_{Slow}	1.7		V_{CC}	V	
	V_{Mix}	0.7		1.3	V	
	V_{Fast}			0.3	V	
PFD input current	I_{PFD}		±50		μA	
Reference input voltage	V_{REF}	0		$V_{CC}-2$	V	
Reference input current	I_{REF}		±10		μA	$V_{REF}=0\sim V_{CC}-2V$
Sense voltage	V_{S1}		$V_{REF}\times 0.2$		V	Mode= V_{CC} , $V_{REF}=0\sim V_{CC}-2V$
	V_{S2}		$V_{REF}\times 0.17$		V	Mode=0V, $AV_{REF}=0\sim V_{CC}-2V$
RC source current	I_{RC}		220		μA	
Off time	T_{off}		$1.1\times R_t\times C_t$		Sec.	

Internal Block Diagram/Diagram of Standard External Circuit



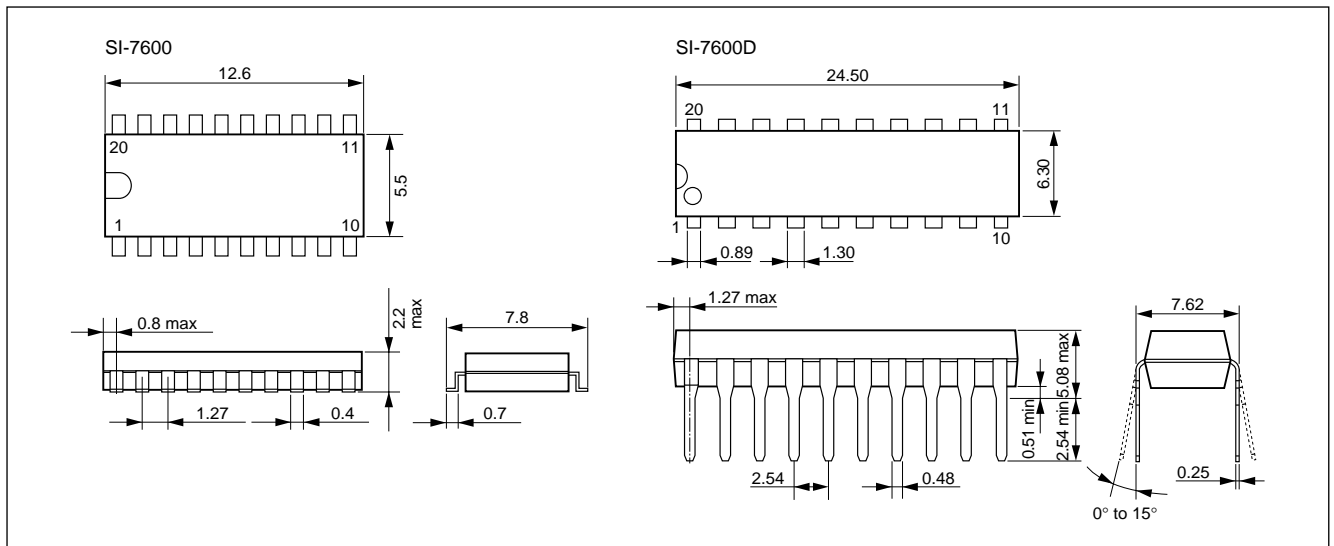
Terminal Connection

The package shapes of SI-7600 and SI-7600D are different, however the terminal connection is the same.



External Dimensions (Unless specified otherwise, all values are typical)

(Units: mm)



Application Notes

1. Outline

The SI-7600/SI-7600D is a control IC used with a power MOS FET array to drive a 3-phase stepper motor. Select the output-stage MOS FET according to the rated current of the motor. The full step is 2-phase excitation when this IC is in a star connection but 3-phase excitation when it is in a delta connection.

2. Features

- Suitable for both star connection drive and delta connection drive
- Maximum load supply voltage $V_{BB}=45V$
- Control logic supply voltage $V_{CC}=3$ to $5.5V$
- Supports star connection (2/2-3phase excitation) and delta connection (3/2-3phase excitation)
- Step switching timing by clock signal input
- Forward/reverse, hold, and motor-free control
- Step switching at the positive edge or positive/negative edge of the clock signal
- Control current automatic switching function for 2-3phase excitation (effective for star connection)
(Current control: 86% for 2-phase excitation, 100% for 3-phase excitation)
- Self-excitation constant-current chopping by external C/R
- Slow Decay, Mixed Decay, or Fast Decay selectable
- Two package lineup: SOP (surface mounting) and DIP (lead insertion)
SOP...SI-7600, DIP...SI-7600D
- Maximum output current depends on the ratings of the MOS FET array used

3. Input Logic Truth Table

Input terminal	Low level	High level
CW/CCW	CW	CCW
Full/Half	2-3phase excitation	2-phase excitation
Enable	Disable	Enable
Mode (Note 1)	Always 100%	2-phase excitation: 85% 3-phase excitation: 100%
Edge (Note 2)	Positive	Positive/negative
Reset (Note 3)	Enable	Internal logic reset output disable

Select CW/CCW, Full/Half, or Edge when the clock level is low.

Note 1: The control current is always 85% for the full step (2-phase excitation) when the Mode terminal level is high. The value of 100% control current is calculated at the $V_{REF}/(5 \times R_S)$ terminal because a 1/5 buffer is built into the reference section.

Note 2: When the Edge terminal level is set high, the internal counter increments both at the rising and falling edges. Therefore, the duty ratio of the input clock should be set at 50%.

Note 3: When the Reset terminal level is set high, the internal

counter is reset. Output remains disabled as long as the Reset terminal level is high.

4. Determining the control current

The control current I_O can be calculated as follows:

When the Mode terminal level is low

$$I_O \cong V_{REF}/(5 \times R_S)$$

When the Mode terminal level is high

$$I_O \cong V_{REF}/(5 \times R_S) \rightarrow \text{3-phase excitation}$$

$$I_O \cong V_{REF}/(5.88 \times R_S) \rightarrow \text{2-phase excitation}$$

The reference voltage can be set within the range of 0.2V to $V_{CC} - 2V$. (When the voltage is less than 0.2V, the accuracy of the reference voltage divider ratio deteriorates.)

5. About the Current Control System (Setting the Constant Ct/Rt)

The SI-7600 uses a current control system of the self-excitation type with a fixed chopping OFF time.

The chopping OFF time is determined by the constant Ct/Rt.

The constant Ct/Rt is calculated by the formula

$$T_{OFF} \cong 1.1 \times C_T \times R_T \dots \dots (1)$$

The recommended range of constant Ct/Rt is as follows:

$$C_T: 420 \text{ to } 1100\text{pF}$$

$$R_T: 15 \text{ to } 75\text{k}\Omega$$

(Slow Decay or Mixed Decay \rightarrow 560pF/47k Ω , Fast Decay \rightarrow 470pF/20k Ω)

Usually, set T_{OFF} to a value where the chopping frequency becomes about 30 to 40kHz.

The mode can be set to Slow Decay, Fast Decay, or Mixed Decay depending on the PFD terminal input potential.

PFD applied voltage and decay mode

PFD applied voltage	Decay mode
0 to 0.3V	Fast Decay
0.7V to 1.3V	Mixed Decay
1.7V to V_{CC}	Slow Decay

In Mixed Decay mode, the Fast/Slow time ratio can be set using the voltage applied to the PFD terminal. The calculated values are summarized below.

In this mode, the point of switching from Fast Decay to Slow Decay is determined by the RC terminal voltage that determines the chopping OFF time and by the PFD input voltage V_{PFD} .

Formula (1) is used to determine the chopping OFF time.

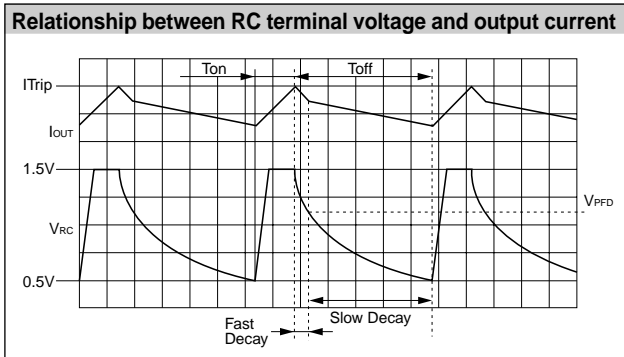
The Fast Decay time is then determined by the RC discharge time from the RC voltage (about 1.5V) to the PFD input voltage (V_{PFD}) when chopping is turned from ON to OFF.

The Fast Decay time is

$$t_{OFFF} \cong -R_T \times C_T \times \ln \left(\frac{V_{PFD}}{1.5} \right) \dots \dots (2)$$

The Slow Decay time (t_{OFFS}) is calculated by subtracting the value of (2) from that of (1).

$$t_{OFFS} \cong T_{OFF} - t_{OFFF} \dots \dots (3)$$



6. Method of Calculating Power Loss of Output MOS FET

The SI-7600 uses a MOS-FET array for output. The power loss of this MOS FET array can be calculated as summarized below. This is an approximate value that does not reflect parameter variations or other factors during use in the actual application. Therefore, heat from the MOS FET array should actually be measured.

● Parameters for calculating power loss

To calculate the power loss of the MOS FET array, the following parameters are needed:

- (1) Control current I_o (max)
- (2) Excitation method
- (3) Chopping ON-OFF time at current control: T_{ON} , T_{OFF} , t_{OFF}
(T_{ON} : ON time, T_{OFF} : OFF time, t_{OFF} : Fast Decay time at OFF)

(4) ON resistance of MOS FET: $R_{DS(ON)}$

(5) Forward voltage of MOS FET body diode: V_{SD}

For (4) and (5), use the maximum values of the MOS FET specifications.

(3) should be confirmed on the actual application.

● Power loss of Pch MOS FETs

The power loss of Pch MOS FETs is caused by the ON resistance and by the chopping-OFF regenerative current flowing through the body diodes in Fast Decay mode.

(In Slow Decay mode, the chopping-OFF regenerative current does not flow the body diodes.)

The losses are

ON resistance loss P1: $P1 = I_M^2 \times R_{DS(ON)}$

Body diode loss P2: $P2 = I_M \times V_{SD}$

With these parameters, the loss P_p per MOS FET is calculated depending on the actual excitation method as follows:

a) 2-phase excitation ($T = T_{ON} + T_{OFF}$)

$$P_p = (P1 \times T_{ON}/T + P2 \times t_{OFF}/T) \times (1/3)$$

b) 2-3 phase excitation ($T = T_{ON} + T_{OFF}$)

$$P_p = (P1 \times T_{ON}/T + P2 \times t_{OFF}/T) \times (1/4) + (0.5 \times P1 \times T_{ON}/T + P2 \times t_{OFF}/T) \times (1/12)$$

● Power loss of Nch MOS FETs

The power loss of Nch MOS FETs is caused by the ON resistance or by the chopping-OFF regenerative current flowing through the body diodes.

(This loss is not related to the current control method, Slow, Mixed, or Fast Decay.)

The losses are

ON resistance loss N1: $N1 = I_M^2 \times R_{DS(ON)}$

Body diode loss N2: $N2 = I_M \times V_{SD}$

With these parameters, the loss P_N per MOS FET is calculated depending on the actual excitation method as follows:

a) 2-phase excitation ($T = T_{ON} + T_{OFF}$)

$$P_N = (N1 + N2 \times T_{OFF}/T) \times (1/3)$$

b) 2-3 phase excitation ($T = T_{ON} + T_{OFF}$)

$$P_N = (N1 + N2 \times T_{OFF}/T) \times (1/4) + (0.5N1 + N2 \times T_{OFF}/T) \times (1/12)$$

● Determining power loss and heatsink when SLA5017 is used

If the SLA5017 is used in an output section, the power losses of a Pch MOS FET and an Nch MOS FET should be multiplied by three and added to determine the total loss P of SLA5017.

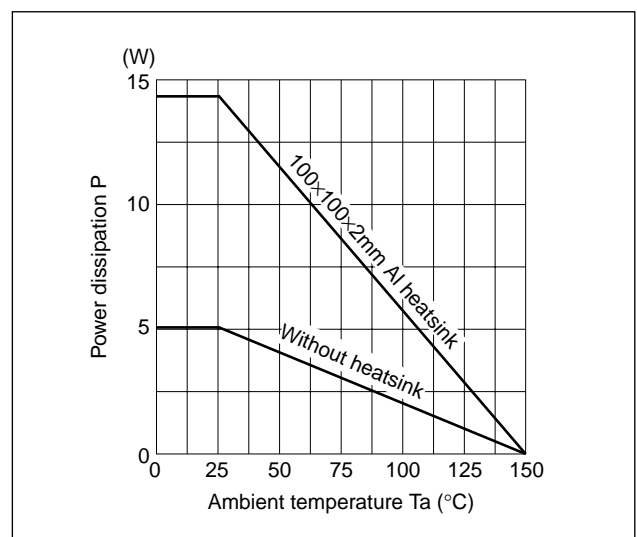
In other words, $P = 3 \times P_p + 3 \times P_N$

The allowable losses of SLA5017 are

Without heatsink: 5W $\theta_j-a = 25^\circ\text{C/W}$

Infinite heatsink: 35W $\theta_j-c = 3.57^\circ\text{C/W}$

Select a heatsink by considering the calculated losses, allowable losses, and following ratings:

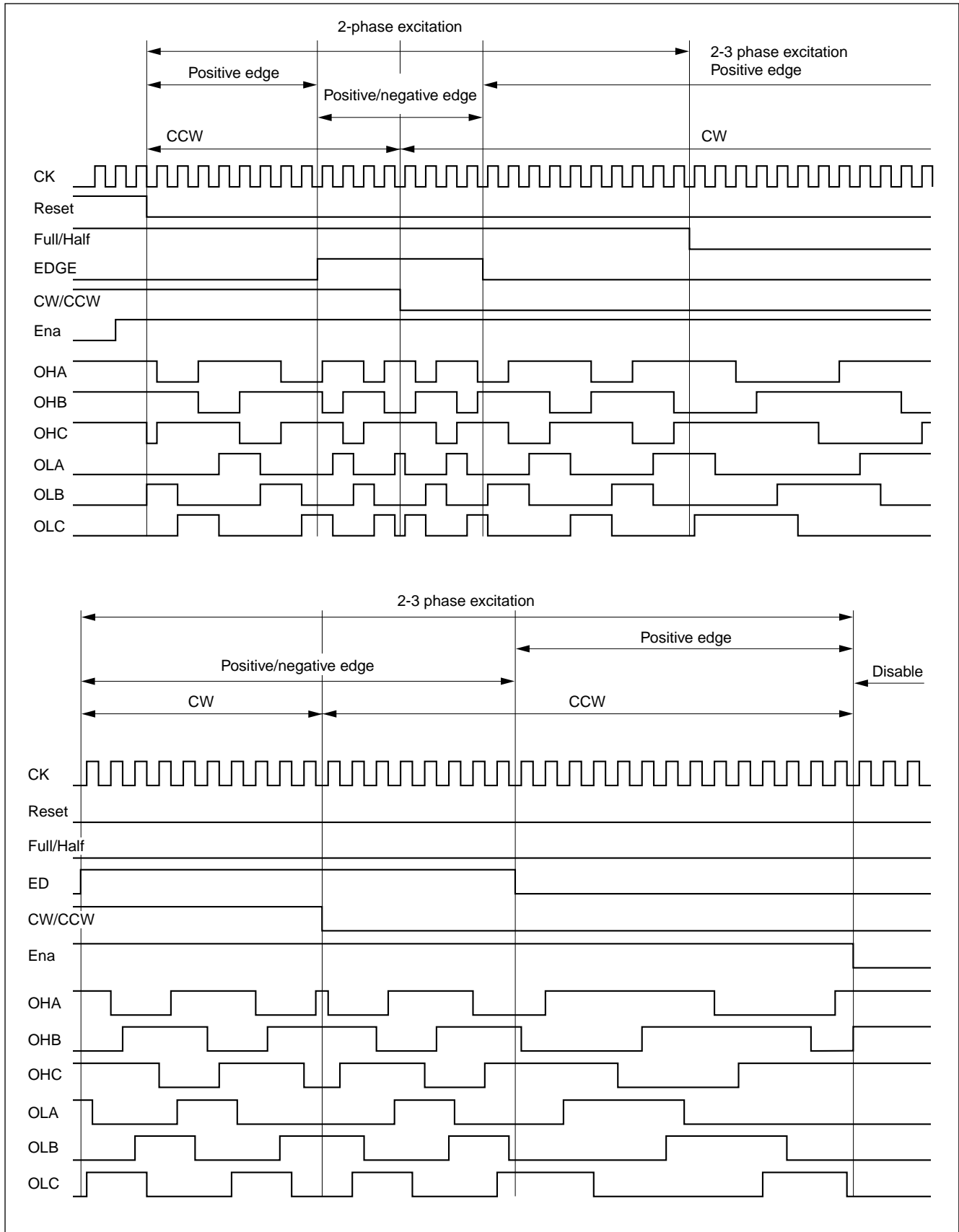


When selecting a heatsink for SLA5017, be sure to check the product temperature when in use in an actual application.

The calculated loss is an approximate value and therefore contains a degree of error.

Select a heatsink so that the surface Al fin temperature of SLA5017 will not exceed 100°C under the worst conditions.

7. I/O Timing Chart



5-Phase Stepper Motor Driver ICs

■Absolute Maximum Ratings

(T_a=25°C)

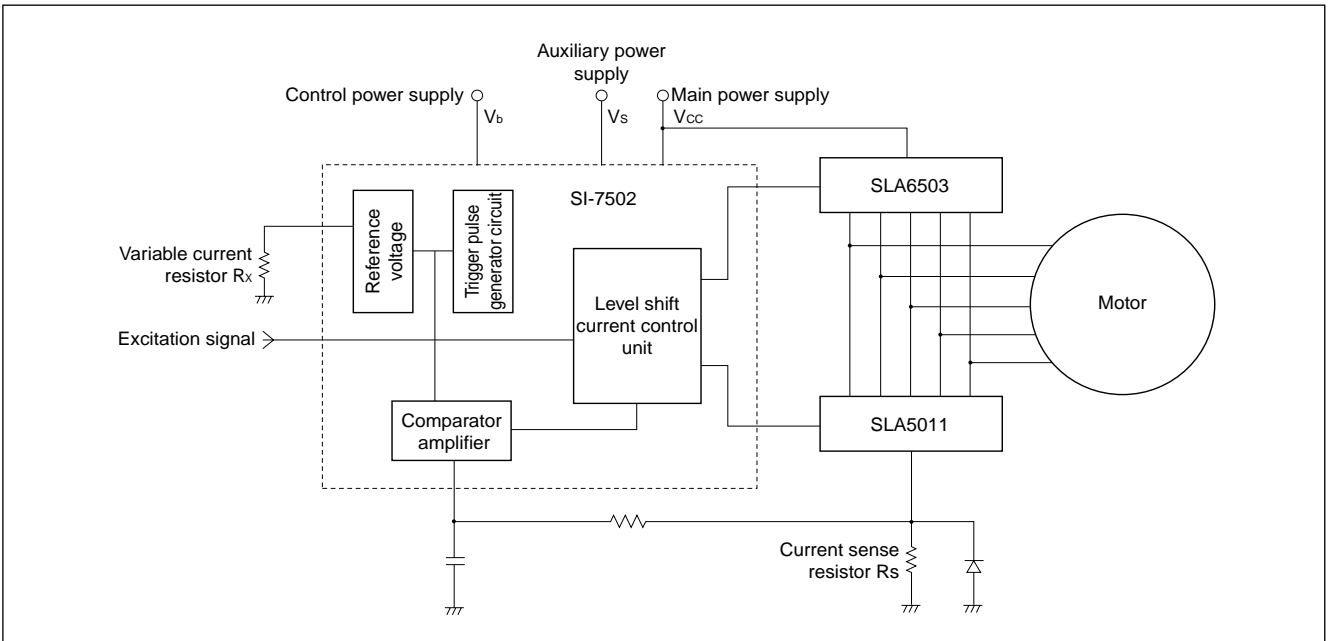
Part No.	Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
SI-7502	Motor supply voltage	V _{CC}	44	V
	Auxiliary supply voltage	V _S	15	V
	Control voltage	V _b	7	V
	Reference voltage	V _{ref}	1.5	V
	Detection voltage	V _{RS}	5	V
	Power dissipation	P _D	1	W
	Ambient operating temperature	T _{OP}	0 to +65	°C
SLA5011	Drain -Source voltage	V _{DSS}	60	V
	Drain current	I _D	±5	A
	Avalanche energy capability (Single pulse)	E _{AS}	2	mJ
	Power dissipation	P _T	35	W
	Channel temperature	T _{ch}	150	°C
	Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +150	°C
SLA6503	Collector-Base voltage	V _{CBO}	-60	V
	Collector-Emitter voltage	V _{CEO}	-60	V
	Emitter-Base voltage	V _{EBO}	-6	V
	Collector current	I _C	-3	A
	Collector current (Pulse)	I _{C (pulse)}	-6	A
	Base current	I _B	-1	A
	Power dissipation	P _T	35	W
	Junction temperature	T _J	150	°C
	Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +150	°C

■Electrical Characteristics

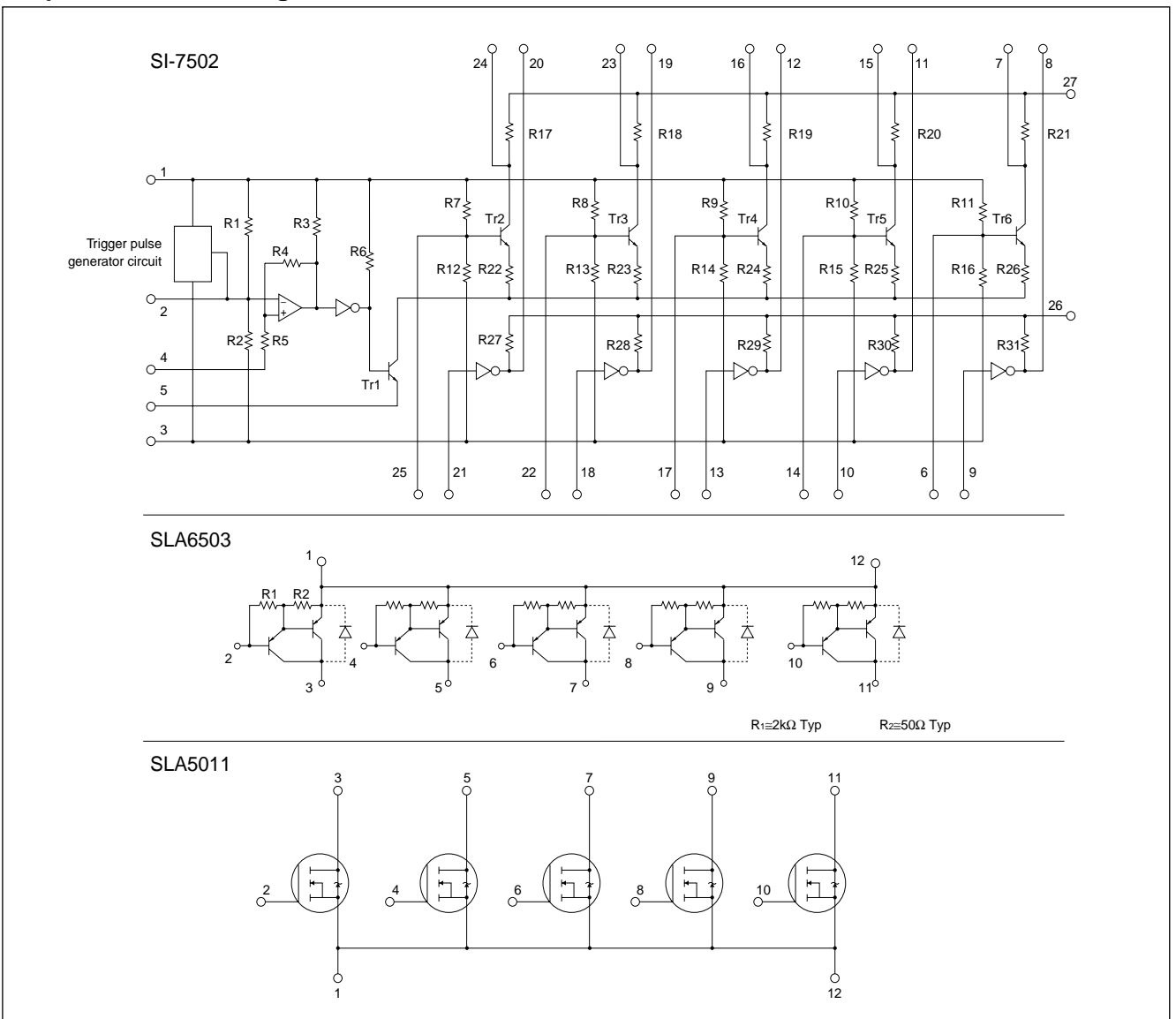
(T_a=25°C)

Part No.	Parameter	Symbol	Limits			Units	Conditions
			min	typ	max		
SI-7502	Supply current	I _{CC}			40	mA	V _{CC} =42V, V _b =5.5V
		I _S			12.5	mA	V _S =12.5V
		I _b			50	mA	V _b =5.5V
	Input current	I _{IU-L} , I _{IL-L}			1.6	mA	V _{IU} =V _{IL} =0.4V
	Upper drive circuit drive current	I _{OU-on}	8		11	mA	V _b =5V, AIU to EIU pin open
		I _{OU-off}			10	μA	V _b =5V
	Lower drive circuit voltage	V _{OL-on}	V _S -1.5			V	V _b =5V, AIL to EIL pin open
		V _{OL-off}			1.5	V	V _b =5V
Oscillation frequency	F	20		30	kHz	V _b =5V	
Detection voltage	V _{RS}	0.8		1.05	V	V _b =5V, V _{REF} pin open	
SLA5011	Gate threshold voltage	V _{TH}	2.0		4.0	V	V _{DSS} =10V, I _D =250μA
	Forward Transconductance	R _{e (yts)}	2.2	3.3		S	V _{DSS} =10V, I _D =5A
	DC ON-resistance	R _{DS (ON)}		0.17	0.22	Ω	V _{GS} =10V, I _D =5A
	Input capacitance	C _{ISS}		300		pF	V _{DSS} =25V, f=1.0MHz, V _{GS} =0V
	Output capacitance	C _{OSS}		160		pF	
	Di forward voltage between source and drain	V _{SD}		1.1	1.5	V	I _{SD} =5A
Di reverse recovery time between source and drain	t _{rr}		150		ns	I _{SD} =±100mA	
SLA6503	Collector cut-off current	I _{CBO}			-10	μA	V _{CB} =-60V
	Collector-emitter voltage	V _{CEO}	-60			V	I _C =-10mA
	DC current gain	h _{FE}	2000				V _{CE} =-4V, I _C =-3A
	Collector emitter saturation voltage	V _{CE (sat)}			1.5	V	I _C =-3A, I _B =-6mA

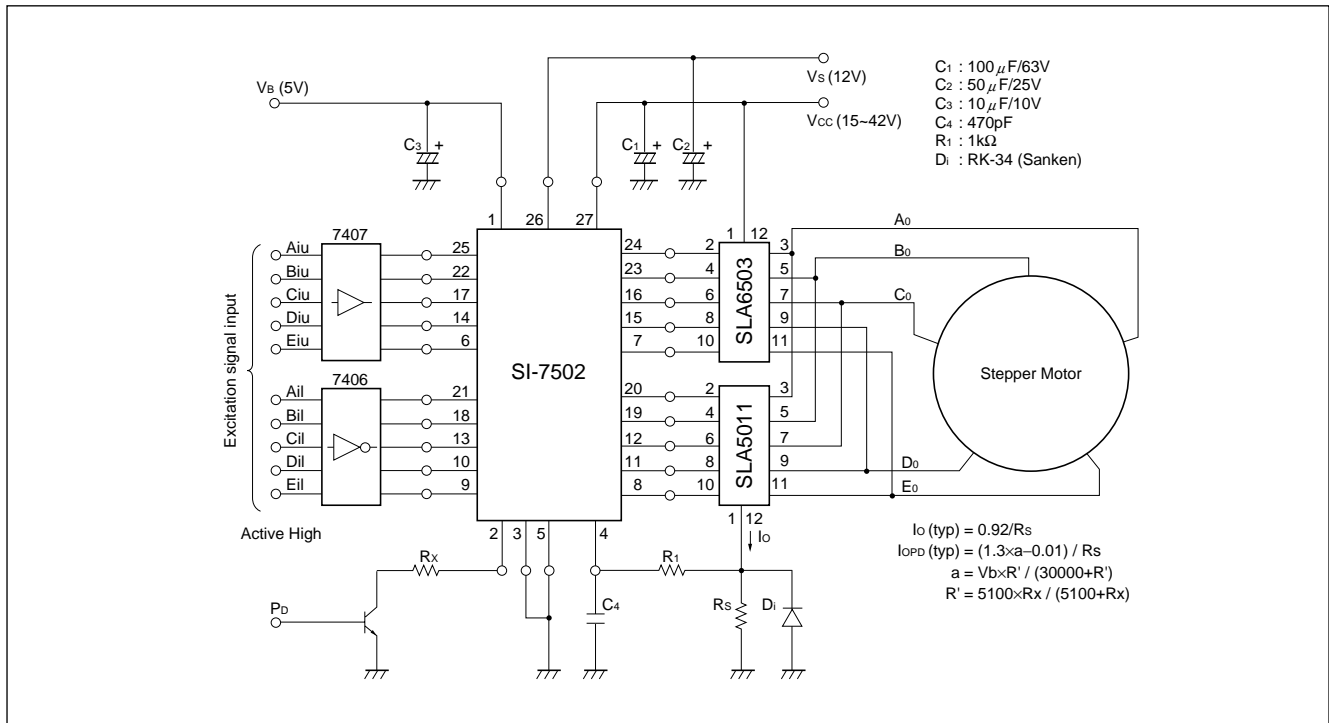
Internal Block Diagram (Dotted Line)



Equivalent Circuit Diagram

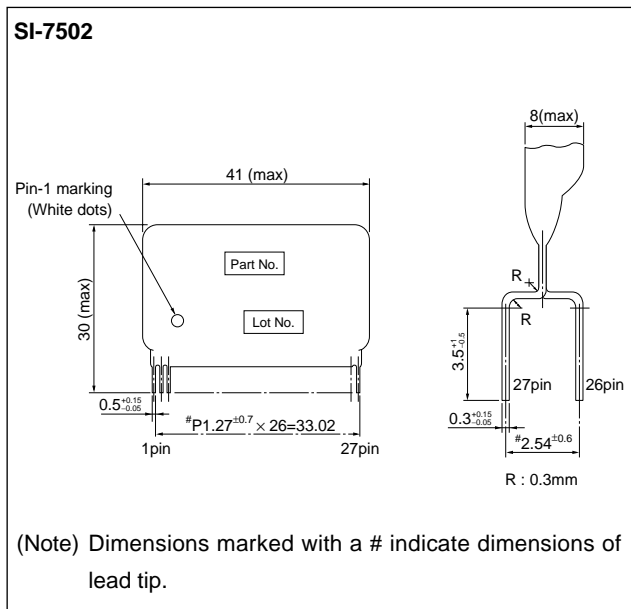


■Diagram of Standard External Circuit



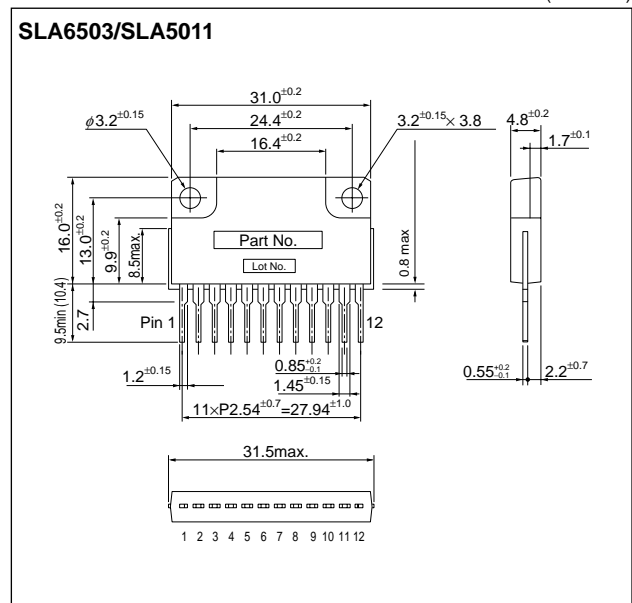
■External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



■External Dimensions

(Unit: mm)



Application Notes

■Determining the Output Current I_o (Control Current)

The main factors that determine the output current are current sense resistor R_s , supply voltage V_b , and variable current resistor R_x .

(1) Normal mode

To operate a motor at the maximum current level, set R_x to infinity (open).

From Fig. A, when the maximum current ripple is designated as I_{OH} , its value will be,

$$I_{OH} = \frac{V_{RSH}}{R_s} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

V_{RSH} can be calculated as follows:

$$V_{RSH} = 0.19 \times V_b - 0.03 \text{ (center value)} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

From equations (1) and (2), the output current I_{OH} can be calculated as follows:

$$I_{OH} = \frac{1}{R_s} (0.19 \times V_b - 0.03)$$

The relationship between I_{OH} and R_s is shown in Fig. B.

(2) Power down mode

When an external resistor R_x is connected, V_{RSH} changes as shown in Fig. C even when R_s is retained. Obtain a power down output current I_{OHPD} from Fig. C and equation (1).

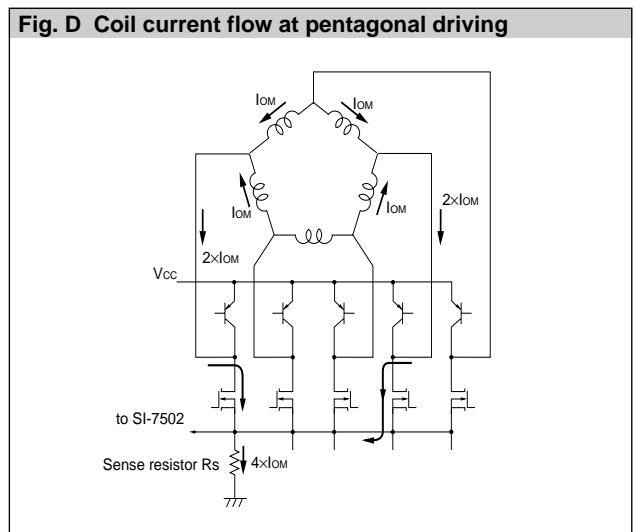
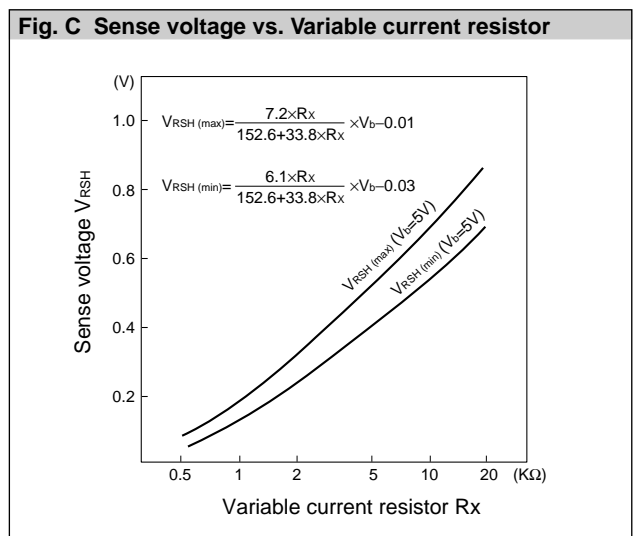
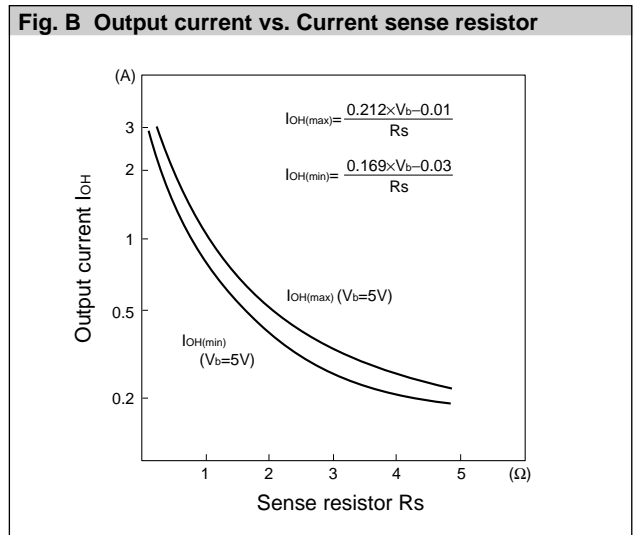
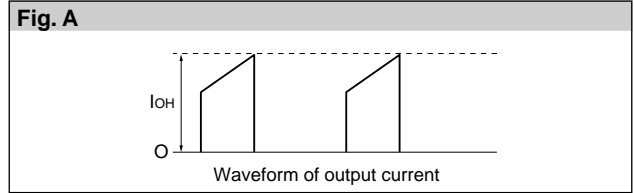
■Relation between Output Current I_o (Control Current) and Motor Winding Current I_{OM}

The SI-7502 uses the total current control system; therefore, the output current I_o is different from the motor winding current. In a general pentagonal driving system, the current flows as shown in Figure D. The relation between I_o and I_{OM} is as follows:

$$I_o = 4 \times I_{OM}$$

With some driving systems, the relation can also be as follows:

$$I_o = 2 \times I_{OM}$$



■Motor Connection

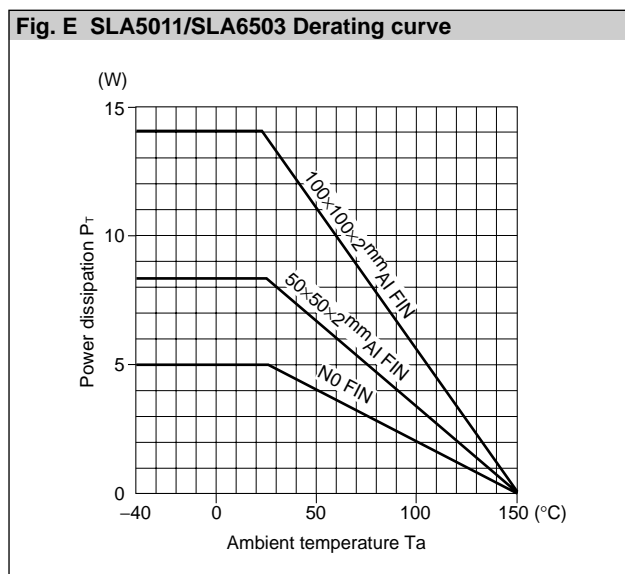
The 5-phase stepper motor supports various driving systems and the motor connection varies depending on the driving system used.

Use of the motor with some driving systems may be restricted by patents. Therefore, be sure to ask the motor manufacturer about the motor connection and driving system to be used.

■Thermal design

The driver (SLA5011/SLA6503) dissipation varies depending on a driving system used even if the output currents (control current) are the same. Therefore, measure the temperature rise of the driver under the actual operating conditions to determine the size of the heatsink.

Figure E shows an SLA5011/SLA6503 derating curve. This derating curve indicates $T_j=150^{\circ}\text{C}$; however, when using this device, allow sufficient margin when selecting a heatsink so that $T_c \leq 100^{\circ}\text{C}$ (Al FIN temperature on the back of the SLA) is obtained.



SI-7502

■Handling Precautions

Refer to the product specifications.

Solvents- Do not use the following solvents:

Substances that can dissolve the package	Chlorine-based solvents: Trichloroethylene, Trichloroethane, etc. Aromatic hydrogen compounds: Benzene, Toluene, Xylene, etc. Keton and Acetone group solvents
Substances that can weaken the package	Gasoline, Benzine, Kerosene, etc.

List of Discontinued Products

■Discontinued Products

Part No.	Substitute
SI-7200E	-
SI-7201A	-
SI-7202A	-
SI-7230E	-
SI-7235E	-
SDK01M	SDK03M
SMA7022M	SMA7022MU
SLA7022M	SLA7022MU
SLA7027M	SLA7027MU

■Not for new design

Part No.	Substitute
SI-7115B	SLA7032M
SI-7300A	SLA7032M
SI-7330A	SLA7033M
SI-7200M	A2918SW
SI-7230M	-
SI-7500A	-



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