# TLE8242-2

8 Channel Fixed Frequency Constant Current Control With Current Profile Detection

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# 1 Overview

# 1.1 Features

- · Low side constant current control pre-driver integrated circuit
- · Eight independent channels
- Output current programmable with 11 bit resolution
  - Current range = 0 to 1.2A (typ) with a 0.2  $\Omega$  sense resistor
  - Resolution = 0.78125 mA/bit (typ) with a 0.2  $\Omega$  sense resistor
  - +/- 2% full scale error over temperature when autozero is used
- Programmable PWM frequency via SPI from approximately 10 Hz to 4 kHz (typ)
- Programmable KP and KI coefficients for the PI controller for each channel
- Programmable superimposed dither
  - Dither programmed by setting a dither step size and the number of PWM periods in each dither period
  - Programmed via the SPI interface
  - The dither for each channel can be programmed independently
- Programmable synchronization of the PWM control signals
  - Phase delay time set via the SPI interface
  - Synchronization initiated via signal at the PHASE\_SYNC input pin
  - Channels within one device and between multiple devices can be synchronized
- · Each channel can be configured to for constant current control or for direct PWM control via SPI
- In Direct PWM mode, a current profile detection function is engaged
  - Verifies solenoid armature movement
  - Profile characteristics programmed via SPI
  - Pass / Fail Status can be read via SPI
- Interface and Control
  - 32 Bit SPI (Serial Peripheral Interface) Slave only
  - ENABLE pin to disable all channels or freeze all channels
  - Active low RESET\_B pin resets internal registers to their default state and disables all channels
  - Open drain FAULT pin can be programmed to transition low when various faults are detected
  - 5.0V and 3.3V logic compatible I/O
- Protection
  - Over current shutdown monitored at POSx pin
  - Programmable over current threshold
  - Programmable over current delay time
  - Programmable over current retry time
  - Battery pin (BAT) overvoltage shutdown

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TLE8242-2	PG-LQFP-64	TLE8242-2L

PG-LQFP-64



- Diagnostics
  - Over current
  - Open load in on state
  - Open load in off state
  - Short to ground
  - Test complete bit indicates that fault detection test has completed
- · Control loop monitor capabilities
  - The average current measurement over the last completed dither cycle for a selected channel can be accessed via SPI
  - The minimum and maximum current measurements over the last completed dither cycle for a selected channel can be accessed via SPI. This data can be used to measure the achieved dither amplitude
  - The duty cycle of each channel can be accessed via SPI
  - The auto zero values used to cancel the offsets of the input amplifiers can be accessed via SPI
- · Required External Components:
  - N-Channel Logic level (5V) MOSFET transistor with typical Ron ≤ 100 mΩ (e.g. SPD15N06S2L-64)
  - Recirculation diode (ultrafast)
  - Sense resistor (0.2 $\Omega$  for 1.2A average output current range)
- Green Product (RoHS compliant)
- AEC Qualified

# 1.2 Applications

- Variable Force Solenoids (e.g. automatic transmission solenoids)
- · Other constant current solenoids
  - Idle Air Control
  - Exhaust Gas Recirculation
  - Vapor Management Valve
  - Suspension Control

# 1.3 General Description

The TLE8242G IC is an eight channel low-side constant current control predriver IC. Each channel can be configured to function either in direct PWM mode or in constant current mode by setting the appropriate CM bit in SPI message #1.

# 1.3.1 Direct PWM Mode Operation

For Direct PWM operation, the POSx and NEGx pins must be connected to the circuit in either of the configurations shown in **Figure 1**. If the sense resistor is included, the load current can be monitored by the microcontroller via a SPI command. The open load in on state fault detection feature is disabled in direct PWM mode.

Note: An external flyback clamp is required in this configuration otherwise the IC may be damaged.



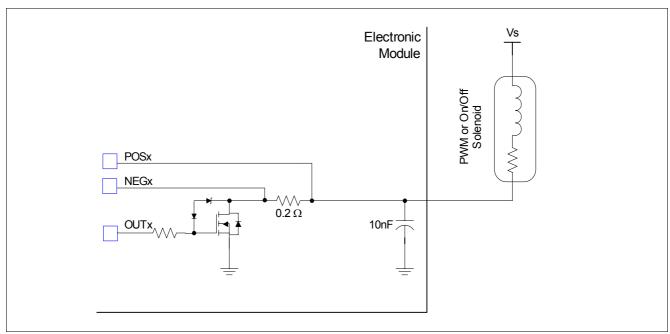


Figure 1 External Circuit Diagram for Direct PWM Mode Operation

# 1.3.2 Constant Current Mode Operation

During constant current operation, the POSx and NEGx pins must be connected to the circuit in the configuration shown in **Figure 2**.

Note: An external recirculation diode is required in this configuration otherwise the IC may be damaged.

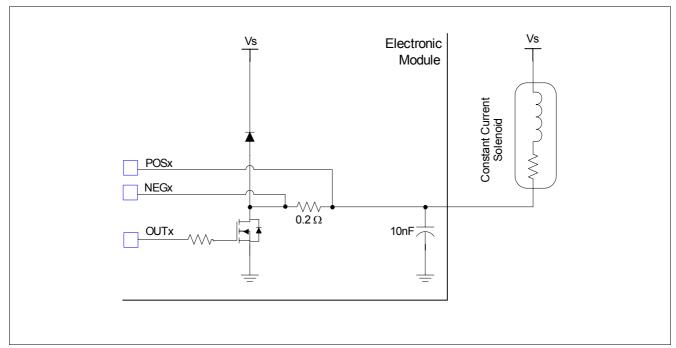


Figure 2 External Circuit Diagram for Constant Current Mode Operation

During constant current operation, the PWM control signal driven at the OUTx pin is controlled by the control loop shown in **Figure 3**. The PWM Frequency is programmed via the SPI message # 8. In this message the main period



divider, N, can be set to any value between 79 and 2<sup>14</sup> -1 and the divider M can be set to 32, 64, or 128. In direct PWM mode, the value M can also be set to 512. The equation for calculating the PWM frequency is:

$$F_{\text{PWM}} = \frac{F_{\text{CLK}}}{M * N}$$

In constant current mode, the value of M is the number of A/D samples within one PWM period. Setting the SAM bit in SPI Message #8 to a "1" will cause the ADC samples immediately following a change in the state of the OUTx pin to be discarded. If the SAM bit is set to '0', all M A/D samples are used in the average calculation.

The 11 bit Current Set Point is programmed via the SPI message #10. The equation for calculating the current setpoint is:

CurrentSetpoint[mA]=
$$\frac{\text{setpoint}(11\text{bit})}{2^{11}}*\frac{320[\text{mV}]}{R_{\text{SENSE}}[\text{ohm}]}$$

The Proportional coefficient (KP) and the Integral coefficient (KI) of the control loop are programmed in SPI message #9. The KP and KI values should be set to values that result in the desired transient response of the control loop. The duty cycle of the OUTx pin can be calculated from the difference equations:

$$DutyCycle(k) = KP * \frac{Rsense[Ohm]}{0.04 * M * N} * error(k-1)[A] + INT(k)$$
$$INT(k) = KI * \frac{Rsense[Ohm]}{0.04 * M * N} * error(k-1)[A] + INT(k-1)$$

where error is the difference between the commanded average current and measured average current in units of Amps.

where k indicates the integer number of PWM periods that have elapsed since current regulation was initiated.



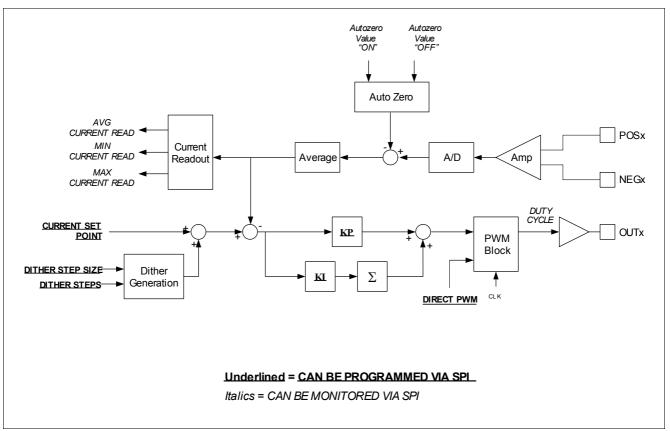


Figure 3 Control Loop - Simplified Diagram

Table 1 describes the effect on the integrator of the PI controller of several events.

Table 1 Control Loop Integrator Control

Condition	Action to Integrator
Reset Active	Cleared
V5D undervoltage	Cleared
V5Ax undervoltage	Cleared
ENABLE pin low (SPI message #10 bit EN = 0)	Cleared
ENABLE pin low (SPI message #10 bit EN = 1)	Remains Operational
VBAT overvoltage	Held at current value
Short to BAT	Cleared
Phase_Sync Transition	Remains Operational Integrator value for first PWM cycle = value from end of last complete PWM cycle.
Average Current set to 0	Cleared
Control Mode set to Direct PWM	Cleared
Main Period Set (N, M) Changed	Remains Operational
KP, KI settings Changed	Remains Operational



#### Auto Zero

The TLE8242 includes an autozero feature for each channel. When the setpoint of a channel is set to 0 mA and the autozero is triggered by an SPI command, the offset of the amplifiers and analog to digital converters are measured. The time required for the autozero sequence is calculated according to the formula:

$$T_{AZ} = \frac{4 * M * N}{F_{CLK}}$$

The measured offsets can be read via SPI message #14. these offsets will be subtracted from the A/D converter output as shown in **Figure 3** when the current set point is greater than 0.

#### Dither

A triangular dither waveform can be superimposed on the current set point by setting the amplitude and frequency parameters of the dither waveform via SPI messages #10 and #11. See the SPI message section for details.

The first programmed value is the step size of the dither waveform which is the number of bits added or subtracted from the setpoint per PWM period. One LSb of the dither step size is 1/4<sup>th</sup> the magnitude of the nominal setpoint current value. The second programmed value is the number of steps in one quarter of the dither waveform.

When dither is enabled, a new average current set point will not be activated until the current dither cycle has completed. The dither cycle is completed on the positive zero crossing of the dither waveform. A new dither amplitude setting or a new dither frequency setting will also not be activated until the current dither cycle has completed. See **Figure 4**.

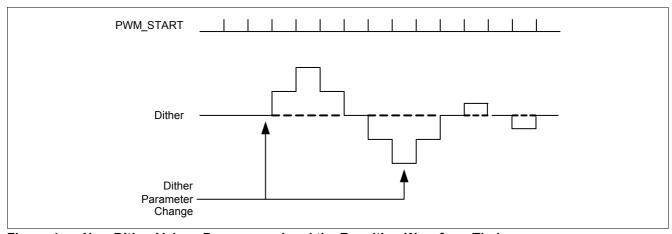


Figure 4 New Dither Values Programmed and the Resulting Waveform Timing

*Note:* The actual measured dither waveform is attenuated and phase shifted according to the frequency response of the control loop.



**Block Diagram** 

# 2 Block Diagram

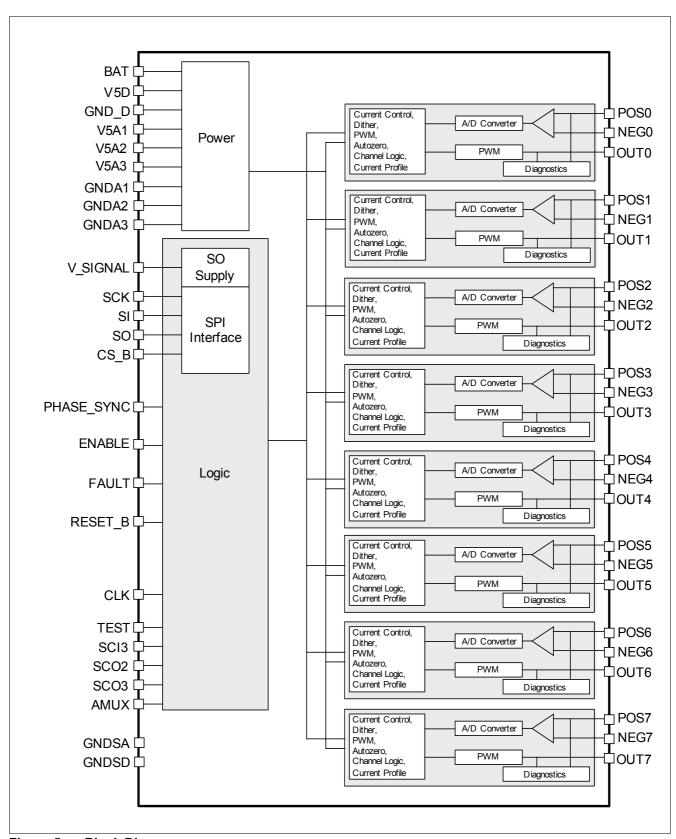


Figure 5 Block Diagram



# 3 Pin Configuration

# 3.1 Pin Assignment

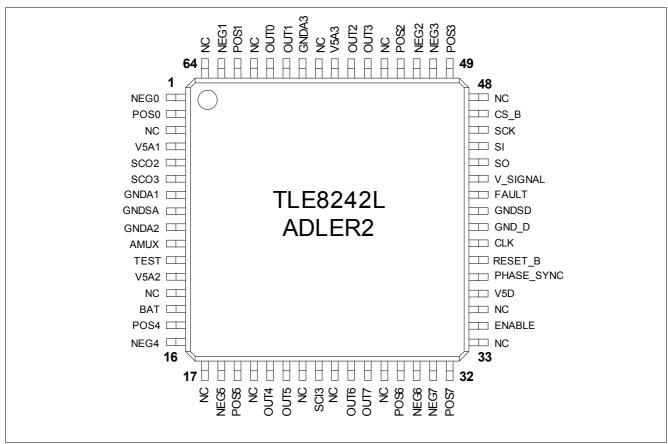


Figure 6 Pin Configuration

# 3.2 Pin Definitions and Functions

Pin	Symbol	Function
1	NEG0	Channel #0 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor
2	POS0	Channel #0 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor
3	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
4	V5A1	<b>Supply Voltage</b> ; 5V input for analog circuits. An external capacitor is to be connected between this pin and GND_A near this pin
5	(T) SCO2	<b>Test Pin</b> ; Used for IC test. Must be connected to GND_D for specified operation of the IC
6	(T) SCO3	<b>Test Pin</b> ; Used for IC test. Must be connected to GND_D for specified operation of the IC
7	GND_A1	Ground; ground pin for analog circuits
8	GNDSA	Ground; ground pin for substrate connection near analog circuits



Pin	Symbol	Function
9	GND_A2	Ground; ground pin for analog circuits
10	(T) AMUX	<b>Test Pin;</b> Used for IC test. Must be connected to GND_D for specified operation of the IC
11	(T) TEST	<b>Test Pin;</b> Used for IC test. Must be connected to GND_D for specified operation of the IC
12	V5A2	<b>Supply Voltage</b> ; 5V input for analog. An external capacitor is to be connected between this pin and GND_A near this pin
13	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
14	BAT	<b>Battery Sense Input</b> ; for over-voltage detection. Connect through a series resistor (e.g. 1 K ohm) to the solenoid supply voltage. A large electrolytic capacitor (e.g. 47uF) should be placed between the BAT supply and ground
15	POS4	Channel #4 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor
16	NEG4	Channel #4 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor
17	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
18	NEG5	Channel #5 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor
19	POS5	Channel #5 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor
20	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
21	OUT4	Gate driver output for channel #4; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET
22	OUT5	Gate driver output for channel #5; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET
23	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
24	(T) SCI3	<b>Test Pin</b> ; Used for IC test. Must be connected to GND_D for specified operation of the IC
25	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
26	OUT6	Gate driver output for channel #6; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET
27	OUT7	Gate driver output for channel #7; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET
28	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
29	POS6	Channel #6 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor
30	NEG6	Channel #6 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor
31	NEG7	Channel #7 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor
32	POS7	Channel #7 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor
33	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
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Pin	Symbol	Function					
34	ENABLE	<b>ENABLE logic input</b> ; When this input pin is low all channels are turned off (zero current) or remain in their last state, depending on how the channel is programmed to respond					
35	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal					
36	V5D	<b>Supply Voltage</b> ; 5V input for digital circuits. An external capacitor is to be connected between this pin and GND_D near this pin					
37	PHASE_SYNC	<b>Phase Synchronization Input:</b> Used to synchronize the rising edges of the PWM signal on the OUTx pins for each channel					
38	RESET_B	Reset Input; When this input pin is low all channels are turned off and all internal registers are reset to the default state. The part must be held in reset by an external source until all supplies are stable and within tolerance					
39	CLK	<b>CLOCK</b> ; Main clock input for the chip. A clock input of 20 MHz to 40 MHz is required					
40	GND_D	Ground; ground pin for digital circuits					
41	GNDSD	Ground; ground pin for substrate connection near digital circuits					
42	FAULT	Fault Output Pin; Open drain output pin is pulled low when a fault condition is detected. Certain faults can be masked via SPI					
43	V_SIGNAL	<b>Supply Voltage</b> ; Supply pin for the SPI SO output and the pull-up current sources of the digital inputs CS_B and RESET_B. An external capacitor must be connected between this pin and GND_D near this pin					
44	SO	SPI Serial Data Out					
45	SI	SPI Serial Data In					
46	SCK	SPI Serial Clock Input					
47	CS_B	SPI Chip Select Bar; active low signal					
48	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal					
49	POS3	<b>Channel #3 Positive sense pin</b> ; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor					
50	NEG3	<b>Channel #3 Negative sense pin</b> ; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor					
51	NEG2	Channel #2 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor					
52	POS2	Channel #2 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor					
53	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal					
54	OUT3	Gate driver output for channel #3; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET					
55	OUT2	Gate driver output for channel #2; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET					
56	V5A3	<b>Supply Voltage</b> ;5V input for analog. An external capacitor is to be connected between this pin and GND_A near this pin.					
57	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal					
58	GND_A3	Ground; ground pin for analog circuits					
59	OUT1	Gate driver output for channel #1; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET					



Pin	Symbol	Function
60	OUT0	Gate driver output for channel #0; Connect to the gate of the external MOSFET
61	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal
62	POS1	Channel #1 Positive sense pin; Connect to the "load" side of the external sense resistor
63	NEG1	Channel #1 Negative sense pin; Connect to the "FET" side of the external sense resistor
64	NC	Not Connected; do not connect to external supply, ground, or signal



**General Product Characteristics** 

# 4 General Product Characteristics

# 4.1 Maximum Ratings

### Absolute Maximum Ratings 1)

 $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C; all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Lin	nit Values	Unit	Conditions	
			Min.	n. Max.			
Voltage	s	-1	1			-1	
4.1.1	Battery Input (VBAT)	$V_{BAT}$	-13	50	V	_	
4.1.2	Supply Voltage (logic)	$V_{\rm 5D,}V_{\rm 5A1} \\ V_{\rm 5A2,}V_{\rm 5A3} \\ V_{\rm signal}$	-0.3	6.0	V	-	
4.1.3	POSx, NEGx	$V_{pos}, V_{neg}$	-0.3	50	V	_	
4.1.4	POSx-NEGx	$V_{pos-}V_{neg}$	-0.2	13	V	_	
4.1.5	OUTx	$V_{ m out}$	-0.3	min(V <sub>5D</sub> + 0.3; 6)	V	_	
4.1.6	RESET_B, SI, SCK, CS_B, CLK, TEST, PHASE_SYNC, ENABLE	$V_{io}$	-0.3	min(V <sub>5D</sub> + 0.3; 6)	V	_	
4.1.7	SO, FAULT	$V_{io}$	-0.3	min(V <sub>signal</sub> + 0.3; 6)	V	_	
4.1.8	Maximum difference between V5D and V5Ax pins		-500	500	mV	_	
Current	s	1		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
4.1.9	Input Clamp Current ENABLE, PHASE_SYNC, RESET_B, SI, SCK, CS_B, CLK	$I_{CLAMP}$	5	-5	mA	2)	
Temper	atures						
4.1.10	Storage Temperature	$T_{stg}$	-65	150	°C	_	
4.1.11	Junction Temperature	$T_{j}$	-40	150	°C	_	
ESD Su	sceptibility	<u> </u>			•	·	
4.1.12	НВМ		-2	2	kV	3)	
4.1.13	CDM all pins		-500	500	V	4)	
4.1.14	CDM corner pins		-750	750	V	4)	
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- 1) Not subject to production test, specified by design.
- 2) Current needs to be limited only when maximum voltages are exceeded
- 3) ESD Susceptibility HBM according to EIA/JESD 22-A 114B
- 4) ESD Susceptibility CDM according to EIA/JESD22-C101

Note: Stresses above the ones listed here may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

Note: Integrated protection functions are designed to prevent IC destruction under fault conditions described in the data sheet. Fault conditions are considered as "outside" normal operating range. Protection functions are not designed for continuous repetitive operation.



#### **General Product Characteristics**

# 4.2 Functional Range

 $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C; all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Lir	Limit Values		Conditions
			Min.	Max.		
4.2.1	Supply Voltage Range for Normal Operation - VBAT	$V_{BAT}$	5.5	42	V	-
4.2.2	Supply Voltage Range for Normal Operation - V5D, V5A1, V5A2, V5A3	$V_{\rm V5D} \\ V_{\rm V5A1}, \\ V_{\rm V5A2}, \\ V_{\rm V5A3}$	4.75	5.25	V	_
4.2.3	Supply Voltage Range for Normal Operation -V_SIGNAL	$V_{\text{V\_SIGNAL}}$	3.0	5.25	V	-
4.2.4	Clock Frequency	$f_{CLK}$	20	40	MHz	
4.2.5	PWM Frequency for Normal Operation	$f_{PWM}$	10	4000	Hz	
4.2.6	Extended PWM Frequency Range	$f_{PWM}$	10	8000	Hz	Parameter deviations possible
4.2.7	Common Mode Voltage Range for Normal Operation - POSx, NEGx pins.	$V_{ m pos}$ , $V_{ m neg}$	0	30	V	_
4.2.8	Extended Common Mode Voltage Range for Operation - POSx, NEGx pins.	$V_{pos}$ , $V_{neg}$	0	42	V	Parameter deviations possible

Note: Within the functional range the IC operates as described in the circuit description. The electrical characteristics are specified within the conditions given in the related electrical characteristics table.

# 4.3 Thermal Resistance

 $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C; all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
4.3.1	Junction to Ambient <sup>1)</sup>	$R_{thJA}$	_	38	_	K/W	2)

<sup>1)</sup> Not subject to production test, specified by design.

<sup>2)</sup> Specified R<sub>thJA</sub> value is according to Jedec JESD51-2, -7 at natural convection on FR4 2s2p board; The Product (chip + Package) was simulated on a 76.2 x 114.3 x 1.5 mm board with 2 inner copper layers (2 x 70μm, 2 x 35 μm Cu).



# 5 Functional Description and Electrical Characteristics

Note: The listed characteristics are ensured over the operating range of the integrated circuit.

Typical characteristics specify mean values expected over the production spread. If not otherwise specified, typical characteristics apply at  $T_A = 25$  °C and the given supply voltage.

# 5.1 Supply and Reference

The device includes a power-on reset circuit. This feature will disable the channels and reset the internal registers to their default values when the voltage on V5A1, V5A2, V5A3, and/or V5D are below their respective reset thresholds.

The V5D pin and GND\_D pin are the supply and ground pins for the digital circuit blocks. The current through these pins contain high frequency components. Decoupling with ceramic capacitors and careful PCB layout are required to obtain good EMC performance.

The V5A1, V5A2, V5A3 pins and GND\_A pin are the supply and ground pins for the analog circuit blocks.

The V\_SIGNAL pin supplies the SPI output pin (SO) and is the source voltage for the pull up currents on the CS\_B and RESET\_B pins. V\_SIGNAL should be connected to the I/O supply of the microcontroller (3.3V or 5.0V).

The BAT pin is an input pin used to detect over voltage faults. This pin is not a power supply input. A series resistor should be connected between this pin and the solenoid supply voltage for transient protection.

#### **Electrical Characteristics:**

V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_j$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol		Limit Val	ues	Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.1.1	Undervoltage reset (internally generated) V5A1, V5A2, and V5A3	$V_{ m V5A1}, \ V_{ m V5A2}, \ V_{ m V5A3}$	3.5	_	4.5	V	Internal reset occurs if V5A1 V5A2, or V5A3 is below the undervoltage limit
5.1.2	Undervoltage reset (internally generated) V5D	$V_{ m V5D}$	1.0	_	4.5	V	Internal reset occurs if V5D is under the undervoltage limit
5.1.3	V5D supply current	$I_{ m V5D}$	_	_	75 40	mA mA	$f_{\rm CLK}$ =40MHz $f_{\rm CLK}$ =20MHz
5.1.4	V5A1 supply current	$I_{ m V5A1}$	_	_	20	mA	
5.1.5	V5A2 supply current	$I_{ m V5A2}$	_	_	20	mA	
5.1.6	V5A3 supply current	$I_{ m V5A3}$	_	_	5	mA	
5.1.7	V_SIGNAL supply current	$I_{V\_{SIGNAL}}$	-	-	300	μΑ	V <sub>SIGNAL</sub> =5.25V SO = Hi-Z state
5.1.8	VBAT current	$I_{VBAT}$	_	_	80	μΑ	full operating range
5.1.9	VBAT current - unpowered	$I_{VBAT}$	_	-	5	μΑ	V5D=V5Ax=0V, BAT=14V

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# 5.2 Input / Output

All digital inputs are compatible with 3.3 V and 5 V I/O logic levels. The supply voltage for the SPI output SO is the V\_SIGNAL pin. All digital inputs are pulled to a known state by a weak internal current source or current sink when not connected. However, unused digital input pins should be connected to ground or to V\_SIGNAL (according to the desired functionality) by an external connection or resistor. All input pin weak internal current sources are supplied by the V\_SIGNAL pin.

The RESET\_B pin is an active low input pin. When this pin is low, all channels are off, and all internal registers are reset to their default states. The device must be held in reset by an external source until all the power supplies have stabilized. The IC contains an internal power on and undervoltage reset which becomes active when V5D, V5A1, V5A2, or V5A3 fall below the undervoltage reset thresholds.

The ENABLE pin is an active high input pin which must be held high for normal operation of the device. When this pin is held low all channels are either turned off or will remain in the last state, depending on how the enable behavior of the channel is programmed via SPI Message #10. The default condition is that all channels are turned off when the ENABLE pin is low.

The CLK pin is the main clock input for the device. The input thresholds are compatible with 3.3 V and 5.0 V logic levels. No synchronization is required between the clock signal connected to the CLK pin and the SPI clock signal (SCK). All internal clock signals of the TLE8242 (PWM signals, A/D sampling, diagnostics, etc.) are generated from the this clock input. Also, this clock is required for the device to accept and respond to SPI messages.

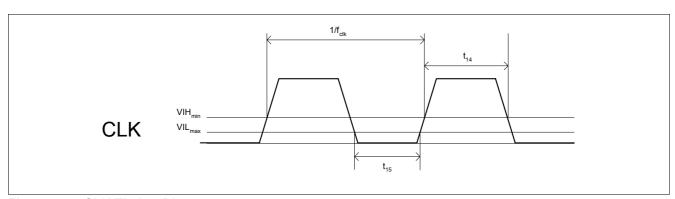


Figure 7 CLK Timing Diagram

The PHASE\_SYNC pin is an input pin that can be used by the microcontroller to synchronize the PWM control signals of multiple channels. The desired phase delay between the rising edge of the signal applied to the PHASE\_SYNC pin and the rising edge of the PWM signal of each channel can be programmed independently via SPI message #6. The equation for calculating the offset is:

$$T_{offset} = \frac{PhaseSynchOffset}{32 * F_{PWM}}$$

Each time a pulse is received on the PHASE\_SYNC pin, the IC will latch a bit which is reported via the response to SPI message #19. (See SPI interface section for bit/message location.) This latch is cleared when the message is read.

Note: The PWM periods are restarted when a rising edge is detected on the PHASE\_SYNC pin. A periodic pulse train on this pin will disturb the current regulation.

Note: After exiting the reset state, a pulse is needed on the PHASE\_SYNC pin in order to synchronize the PWM periods of the channels

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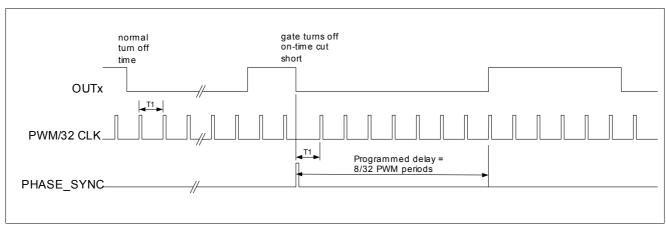


Figure 8 Phase Synchronization Diagram

The TEST, SCI3, SCO2, SCO3, and AMUX pins are used during IC level test. These pins should be connected directly to ground for normal device operation.

The FAULT pin is an open drain output pin. This pin will be pulled low by the device when an unmasked fault has been detected. The fault masks are programmed via SPI message #1.

#### **Electrical Characteristics:**

V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.2.1	Logic input low voltage	$V_{ILMAX}$	_	_	0.8	V	
5.2.2	Logic input high voltage	$V_{IHMIN}$	2.0	_	_	V	
5.2.3	Logic output low voltage	$V_{OLMAX}$	_	_	0.2	V	<i>I</i> <sub>L</sub> =200μA
5.2.4	Logic output high voltage	$V_{OHMIN}$	0.8*V_ SIGNAL	_	-	V	<i>I</i> <sub>L</sub> =-200μA
5.2.5	Pull down digital input (SI, CLK, SCK, PHASE_SYNC, ENABLE)	$I_{ m pd}$	10	_	50	μΑ	V <sub>in</sub> =V_SIGNAL
5.2.6	Pull up digital input (CS_B, RESET_B)	$I_{pu}$	-50	_	-10	μА	$V_{\rm in}$ =0V (Current drain from V_SIGNAL)
5.2.7	Fault pin voltage	$V_{fault.low}$	-	_	0.4	V	Active state; $I_{\text{fault}}$ =2mA
5.2.8	Fault pin current	$I_{\mathrm{fault,max}}$	2.0	_		mA	Active state; $V_{\text{fault}}$ =0.4V
5.2.9	CLK high time (rise 2.0V to fall 2.0V)	t <sub>14</sub>	8	_	_	ns	
5.2.10	CLK low time (fall 0.8V to rise 0.8V)	t <sub>15</sub>	8	_	_	ns	

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# 5.3 Diagnostics

The TLE8242 includes both on-state and off-state diagnostics. On-state diagnostics are active when the OUTx pin is driven high and off-state diagnostics are active when the OUTx pin is driven low. A detected fault can be used to activate the open drain FAULT pin on the IC. This pin can be used to interrupt the microcontroller when a fault is detected. Certain faults can be prevented from activating the FAULT pin by setting the fault mask register in SPI message #1.

Once a fault is detected it is latched into the respective fault register. The microcontroller can access the fault registers by SPI messages #4, #5, and #19.

If the RESET\_B line transitions high-to-low, a RB\_L bit is latched into the Generic Flag Bits register. This register is cleared after it is read from the SPI, and the RB\_L bit will not be set again until the next high-to-low transition occurs on the RESET\_B pin.

If the ENABLE pin voltage is low, the EN\_L bit is latched in the Generic Flag Bits register. The ENL bit is cleared when the ENABLE pin returns to a high state and the Generic Flag Bits register is accessed by SPI message #19.

The diagnostic delay timers for the on-state and off-state diagnostic functions are derived from the master clock signal applied to the pin CLK using a programmable predivider. This predivider is programmable by the DIAG\_TMR bits in SPI message #1.

Table 2 Timebase for Diagnostics

DIAG_TMR1	DIAG_TMR0	Pre-divider	nfault min max	Tested Timer an Timer Period.	d Fault Detection	
				f <sub>CLK</sub> =20 MHz	f <sub>CLK</sub> =40 MHz	
0	0	128	10 11	64 μsec	32 μsec	
0	1	192	10 11	96 μsec	48 μsec	
1	0	128	2 3	12.8 µsec	6.4 μsec	
1	1	256	10 11	128 μsec	64 μsec	

$$t_{\text{DIAG\_PERIOD}} = \frac{n_{\text{fault}} * predivider}{F_{\text{CLK}}}$$

Three unique fault types are detected using 4 different fault bits

The fault bit is set to a "1" if the fault is detected.

Table 3 Diagnostic Flags / Bits

Fault Type	Abr.	Gate is ON	Gate is OFF
Short to Ground Fault	SG	OL-ON-F reported (=0 in ON/OFF mode)	Bit SG-F
Short to Battery Fault	SB	Bit SB-F	
Open Load Fault	OL	BIT OL-ON-F (=0 in ON/OFF mode)	Bit OL-OFF-F

Note: In order to differentiate between a Short to Ground Failure and an Open Load Failure, the channel must be turned off (setpoint = 0ma).

#### **Tested Diagnostic Bits**

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The tested bits allow the distinction between a a case when a fault bit is not set because the fault is not detected, and the case when a fault bit is not set because the diagnostic test has not completed. For instance, the calculated duty cycle is too low to complete the short to battery test.

Two fault tested bits are defined:

The tested bit is set to 1 when the fault test has completed successfully.

Table 4 Diagnostics Tested Bits / Flags

Tested Type	OUTx High	OUTx Low
Short to Ground and Open load OFF tested		Bit OFF-T
Short to Battery tested	Bit SB-T	

Each fault type can be described by the two bits: FAULT and TESTED.

Table 5 FAULT vs. TESTED Bits Matrix and Interpretation

FAULT	TESTED	Interpretation by microcontroller
0	0	This fault type has not been tested
0	1	No Fault - The fault type has been tested and no fault is present
1	0	This combination cannot occur
1	1	Fault - This particular fault type has occurred

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#### Divider Select (SPI register) read SPI fault register Predivider Tested timer 1..10 1:128 Masterclock SG-F (Short to Ground Fault) (shared) 1:192 1:256 clea **LOGIC** OFF-T (Short to Ground and Open Load Off Tested) fault filter time (1..10) (shared) ➤ SB-F (Short to Battery Fault) OL-OFF-FD digital filter ➤ SB-T (Short to Battery Tested) SG-FD $V_{POS}$ open load OFF OL-FA (only while OFF) SB-FD ► OL-OFF-F (Open Load Off Fault) OL-ON-F digital filter $V_{POS}$ ► OL-ON-F (Open Load On Fault) short to ground SG-FA (only while OFF) $V_{SG}$ digital filter $V_{POS}$ short to battery SB-FA (only while ON) PWM mode enabled Gate On Counter **PWM Start** 1 64

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Figure 9 Diagnostic Block Diagram

Gate is ON

# 5.3.1 On-State Diagnostics

When the OUTx pin transitions high, the fault timers are cleared to 0 and the tested timer starts. If the tested timer expires, the Bit SB-T (in the SPI registers #4 and #5) is set to 1. If the OUTx pin transitions low, the tested timer is cleared and then used for the off-state diagnostics.

If the analog SB fault signal (SB-FA) changes to 1, the fault filter timer starts. If the fault filter timer expires, the digitally filtered SB fault signal (SB-FD) is set to one. If SB-FA changes to 0, SB-FD changes immediately to 0 and the filter timer is cleared to 0.

A SB-FD=1 and SB-T=1 switches off the OUTx signal and the SB-F bit in the FAULT register will be set. The OUTx pin remains in the off state until the fault retry PWM period counter expires.

If the SPI message #3 or #4 is read, then the SB-F bit and the SB-FT bit in this register are cleared. Also, the tested timer is cleared to 0.

The Short to Battery (SB) detection functions in both direct PWM and constant current mode. The SG-FD and OL-OFF-FD signals are held to 0 while the OUTx pin is high.

If the TLE8242 IC is in direct PWM mode, Open Load ON detection is disabled (OL-ON-F = 0).

If the TLE8242 IC is not in direct PWM mode and the OUTx pin is high for 64 PWM periods, then the open load fault ON mode fault is detected, and the OL-ON-F bit in the diagnostic register is set. This bit will be cleared when SPI message #3 or #4 is read. If the OUTx pin remains in a high state, then the open load - on fault condition is detected again after another 64 PWM cycles.

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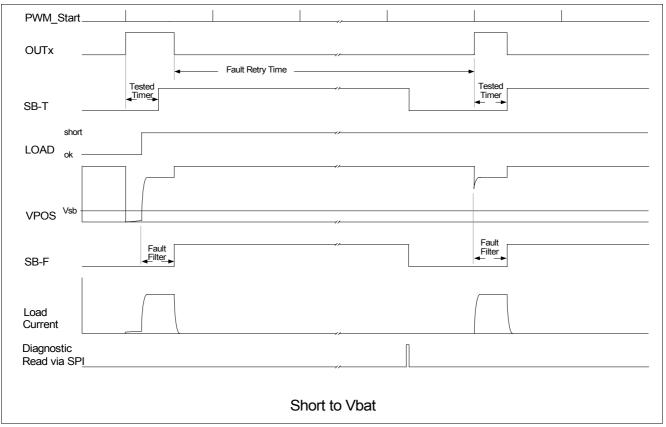


Figure 10 On-State Diagnostic Timing - Short to Vbat



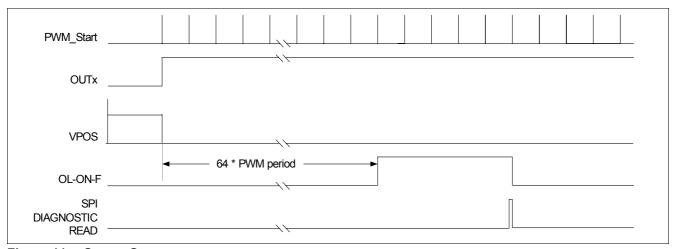


Figure 11 Open - On

# 5.3.2 Off-State Diagnostics

The off-state diagnostics function in both constant current mode and in direct PWM mode.

When the OUTx pin transitions low, the fault timers are cleared to 0 and the tested timer starts to count up. If the tested timer expires, the Bit OFF-T in the Diagnostic register is set. If a SPI diagnostic register read occurs, the tested timer is cleared to 0 and starts again to count up. If the OUTx pin transitions high, the tested-timer is cleared to zero and then used for on-state diagnostics.

If the analog OL fault signal (OL-FA) changes to 1, the fault filter timer starts to count up. If the fault filter timer expires, the digitally filtered OL fault signal (OL-ON-FD) is set to one.

If OL-FA changes to 0, OL-FD changes immediately to 0 and the fault filter timer is cleared to 0.

If the analog SG fault signal (SG-FA) changes to 1, the fault filter timer is cleared to 0 and starts to count up. If the fault filter timer expires, the digitally filtered SG fault signal (SG-FD) is set to one. If SG-FA changes to 0, SG-FD changes immediately to 0 and the fault filter timer is cleared to 0.

If SG-FD = 1 and the tested timer is expired then the SG-F bit in the FAULT register is set and the OL-OFF-F bit in the FAULT register remains unchanged (independently from OL-OFF-FD).

If SG-FD = 0 and OL-OFF-FD = 1 then the OL-F Bit in the FAULT register is set.

If a SPI fault read occurs, the OFF-T Bit, the SG-F Bit and the OL-F Bit in the SPI registers are cleared to zero (and the timers are cleared to 0).

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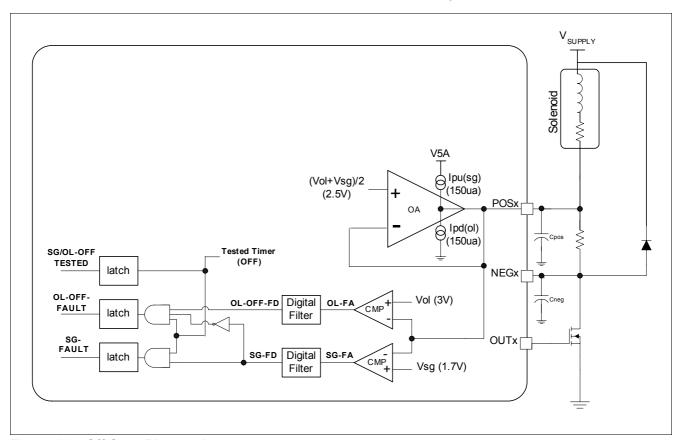


Figure 12 Off-State Diagnostics

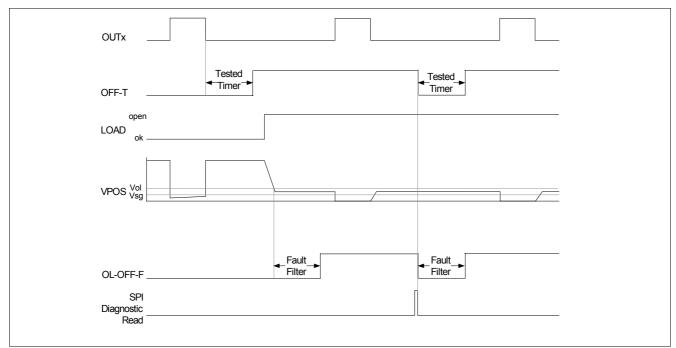


Figure 13 Off-State Diagnostics Timing Diagram - open

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# OFF-T Short to ground LOAD ok VPOS Vsg Fault Filter SPI Diagnostic

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Figure 14 Off-State Diagnostics Timing Diagram - short to ground

# **Over Voltage Shutdown and Diagnostics**

If the voltage at the BAT pin is above VBAT $_{OV}$ , the output drivers set all OUTx pins to low, and a diagnostic bit is set (SPI Message #19 bit OV). During over voltage condition the integrator of the steady state current control is halted (actual value of the duty cycle is not changed during over voltage). All other functions operate normally (e.g. ADC, Dithering, Auto zero, Filters, ...).

#### **Electrical Characteristics:**

V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.3.1	Over voltage shutdown	$V_{BATOV}$	42	-	-	V	Rising voltage on BAT
5.3.2	Open load detection voltage	$V_{POS(OL)}$	V5A-2.5	_	V5A-1.5	V	
5.3.3	POS pin OL pull down current	$I_{PD(OL)}$	90	150	225	μΑ	V5A=5V,
		, ,					$V_{POS} = V_{NEG} = V5A$
5.3.4	Short to GND detection voltage	$V_{POS(SHG)}$	V5A-3.8	_	V5A-2.8	V	
5.3.5	POS pin SG pull-up current	$I_{\rm PU(SHG)}$	-280	-150	-90	μΑ	V5A=5V,
		, ,					V <sub>POS</sub> =V <sub>NEG</sub> =0V
5.3.6	NEG bias current - Low common	$I_{NEG(L)}$	-40	_	10	μΑ	V5A=5V,
	mode	,					$V_{POS} = V_{NEG} = 0V$
5.3.7	NEG bias current - High common	$I_{NEG(H)}$	0	_	60	μΑ	V5A=5V,
	mode	,					V <sub>POS</sub> =V <sub>NEG</sub> =V5A

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V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.3.8	POS Fault Threshold Voltage	$V_{FLT}$	0.6	0.7	0.8	V	POS voltage required to trigger a short to battery fault: config bits = 00
5.3.9	POS Fault Threshold Voltage	$V_{FLT}$	0.8	0.9	1.0	V	POS voltage required to trigger a short to battery fault: config bits = 01
5.3.10	POS Fault Threshold Voltage	$V_{FLT}$	1.0	1.1	1.2	V	POS voltage required to trigger a short to battery fault: config bits = 10
5.3.11	POS Fault Threshold Voltage	$V_{FLT}$	1.2	1.3	1.4	V	POS voltage required to trigger a short to battery fault: config bits = 11
5.3.12	Fault Filter Timer	n <sub>fault</sub>	10		11	clock cycles	DIAG_TMR = 00, 01 and 11
5.3.13	Fault Filter Timer	n <sub>fault</sub>	2		3	clock cycles	DIAG_TMR = 10
5.3.14	Fault Filter Time	$T_{ m ff}$		n <sub>fault</sub> · p	Clock Divider (SPI Message 7) 00, 10- Predivider 128 01 - Predivider 192 11 - Predivider 256		
5.3.15	Tested Timer Time	$T_{tt}$		n <sub>fault</sub> ∙p	Clock Divider (SPI Message 7) 00, 10 - Predivider 128 01 - Predivider 192 11 - Predivider 256		

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# 5.4 Output Driver

The OUTx pins of the device are connected to the gates of the external MOSFET transistors. The OUTx pin driver circuits charge and discharge the MOSFET gate capacitance with a constant current source and sink. The supply for the current source is the V5D pin. Internal resistors to ground are included on the OUTx pins so that the external MOSFET is held in the off state when power is not applied to the device.

An external resistor is typically placed between the OUTx pin and the gate of the external MOSFET in order to set the MOSFET turn-on and turn-off times. The value of the resistor must be chosen such that the turn-on and turn-off times of the MOSFET are no longer than 1/(Fpwm\*32).

#### **Electrical Characteristics:**

V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_j$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.4.1	Passive Gate Pull Down Resistance	$R_{PD}$	50	-	200	kΩ	Internal pull down resistor present at each OUTx pin
5.4.2	OUTx source current	$I_{O\_SRC}$	-30	_	-15	mA	V <sub>OUT</sub> = V5D-2V
5.4.3	OUTx sink current	$I_{O\_SNK}$	15	_	30	mA	V <sub>OUT</sub> = 2V

#### 5.5 Current Control

#### **Electrical Characteristics:**

V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_j$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.5.1	Offset Error Output from Average block in Figure 3. 1 count = 320/Rsense * 2 <sup>-13</sup> mA		0	_	120	counts	Autozero disabled.Vpos- Vneg=0mV Vpos, Vneg ≤ 30V Dither disabled
5.5.2	Gain Error		-2	_	2	%	Autozero Enabled.Vpos- Vneg=300mV Vpos, Vneg ≤ 30V

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# 5.6 Current Feedback Registers

The average current over each PWM cycle is measured resulting in a 13 bit value. The summation of the 13 bit values for all PWM periods in a dither period can be read by accessing SPI message #13. Also, the 11 MSb's of the minimum and maximum 13 bit values within a dither period can be read by accessing SPI message #12.

#### **Average Current Over Dither Period**

When the SPI message #13 is read or written, the 13 bit average current value for each PWM cycle within the dither period is summed beginning with the positive going zero crossing of the dither waveform. The resulting 20 bit value represents the average current over the dither cycle as shown in equation:

Dither Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{Avg Dither Current}}{2^{15} * \text{Dither Steps}} * \frac{320 \text{ [mV]}}{\text{Rsense [Ohm]}}$$

If dither is disabled (Dither Steps = 0 or Dither Amplitude = 0), then the Average Current Feedback value will be updated every PWM period and will be the same as the 13 bit current feedback value used in the PI controller.

The SPI message #13 includes a VALID bit that indicates whether the average current measurement has completed since the last register access. When the register is accessed, the VALID bit is cleared. The VALID bit is set again when the summation is completed and new data has been stored in the register.

The summation process runs continuously on the last selected channel. So if the same channel is repeatedly selected, new data is always available within one dither period after the SPI register is accessed.

If the selected channel is different than the previously selected channel, the summation process does not begin until the beginning of the next dither period. So, new data may not be available until two dither cycles have completed.

The channel selection for the Average Dither Current Feedback Message message will also select the channel for the Minimum and Maximum Current Over Dither Period function.

#### Minimum and Maximum Current Over Dither Period

When the SPI message #12 is read or written, the 13 bit average current value for each PWM cycle within the dither period is monitored beginning with the positive going zero crossing of the dither waveform. The most significant 11 bits of the minimum and the maximum average current values are stored.

If dither is disabled (Dither Steps = 0 or Dither Amplitude = 0), then the Minimum and Maximum values will be updated every PWM period and will be the 11 Msb's of the 13 bit current feedback value used in the PI controller.

The SPI message #12 includes a VALID bit that indicates whether a dither period has completed since the last register access. When the register is accessed, the VALID bit is cleared. The VALID bit is set again when the dither period is completed and new data has been stored in the minimum and maximum registers.

The minimum and maximum detection process runs continuously on the last selected channel. So, if the same channel is repeatedly selected, new data is always available within one dither period after the SPI register is accessed.

If the selected channel is different than the previously selected channel, the detection process does not begin until the beginning of the next dither period. So, new data may not be available until two dither cycles have completed.

The channel selection for the Minimum and Maximum Current Over Dither Period message will also select the channel for the Average Dither Current Feedback function.

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#### 5.7 Direct PWM control

In Direct PWM control mode, the PI control loop is disabled. The integrator in the constant current control logic is cleared and held at 0 while direct PWM mode is active. The frequency and duty cycle of the OUTx pin signal is directly controlled via SPI messages.

# 5.7.1 Selecting the Frequency of Operation

The period of the PWM is programmed in whole numbers of clocks from the CLK input (as in constant current mode). The following formula is applied:

$$T_{PWM} = T_{CLK} * M * N$$

or

$$f_{PWM} = \frac{f_{CLK}}{M*N}$$

The value N is the divider programmed via the SPI interface. The IC will automatically limit the lower value of N to 79. If a value lower than 79 is programmed, the IC shall default N for that channel to 79 and return a value of 79 in the SPI response. The maximum value of N is 2<sup>14</sup>-1 as it is programmed as a 14-bit number via SPI.

If a new value of N is programmed during operation, the new value of N will be returned on the next SPI message, and the new value of N will be used at the beginning of the next PWM cycle. The default value for N is 625.

The value of M is the number of A/D samples in one PWM period. M is programmed with the value 32, 64, 128, or 512 via an SPI message. The default value for M is 32. The PWM frequency multiplied by the value M is the analog to digital converter sample rate. This sample rate must be no greater than 128 KHz.

# 5.7.2 Selecting the Duty Cycle

The duty cycle of the PWM is also programmed in whole numbers of clocks from the CLK input. The following formula is applied:

$$T_{ON} = T_{CLK} * PWM duty cycle * \frac{M}{32}$$

PWM duty cycle is a 19 bit value programmed in SPI message # 15 "PWM duty cycle".

or

Duty Cycle [%] = 
$$\frac{\text{PWM duty cycle}}{32 * \text{N}} * 100\%$$

The maximum duty cycle is clipped to 100%



#### 5.8 Current Profile Detection

The TLE8242 will detect current profiles due to the change in inductance caused by the opening/closing of solenoid valves. Examples of the types of waveforms seen in this instance are shown in **Figure 15** and **Figure 16**. Examples of waveforms that fail the Current Profile Detection test are shown in **Figure 17** and **Figure 18**.

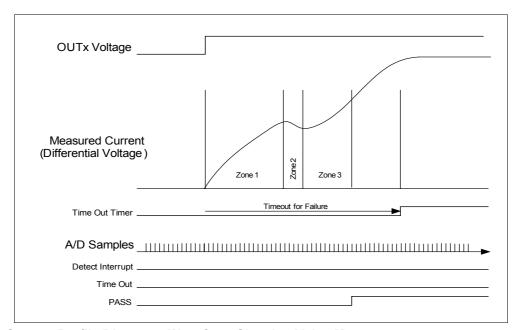


Figure 15 Current Profile Diagram - Waveform Showing Valve Movement

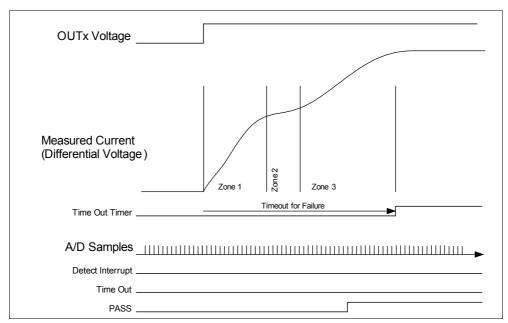


Figure 16 Current Profile Diagram - Waveform Showing Valve Movement with Non-Zero Threshold in Zone 2

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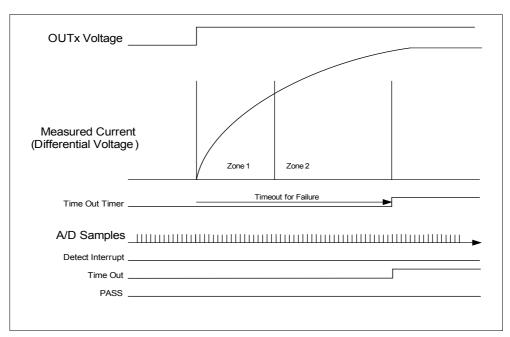


Figure 17 Current Profile Diagram - Time Out Failure

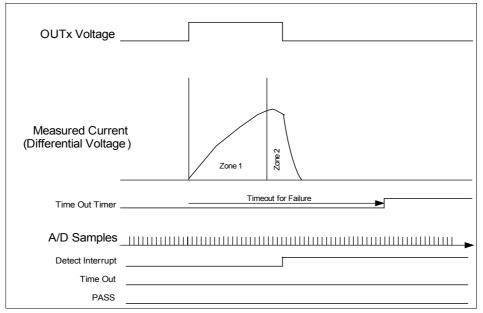


Figure 18 Current Profile Diagram - Detection Interrupted Failure

The Current Profile Detection feature is active only in Direct PWM mode. The method employed is to look for three specific "patterns" of the current in 3 zones. This detection method is generally used for on/off valves. The on/off control of the valve is achieved by selecting the PWM period desired and setting to a 0% or 100% duty cycle via SPI, however the detection may work within a single PWM on-time with a duty cycle less than 100% if the profile completes before the gate turns off.

The PWM period (N and M values) are critical as these values set the A/D sample rate used in the current profile detection. The full 10-bit result of the A/D converter is used for the CPD function. Using a 200 mOhm sense resistor, this translates into a resolution of 1.56 mA.

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#### 5.8.1 Zone 1

When the OUTx pin transitions from low-to-high, zone 1 of the logic is entered. The TLE8242 compares the difference between successive A/D samples and calculates the ADDIFF value. This value is compared with Threshold1 as follows:

- ADDIFF =  $A/D_{m+1}$   $A/D_m$
- IF (ADDIFF > Threshold1) THEN count = count +1

When ADDIFF is greater than Threshold 1 for Count1 out of Count1 + 1 successive comparisons, zone 1 is passed and zone 2 is entered. Note that if one of the tests fails, the actual test performed on the next sample after the single failure is

- ADDIFF =  $A/D_{m+1}$   $A/D_{m-1}$
- IF (ADDIFF > 2 \* Threshold1) THEN count = count +1

This has the effect of filtering out a single noise spike in the A/D measurement.

#### 5.8.2 Zone 2

In zone 2, the TLE8242 compares the difference between successive A/D samples and calculates the ADDIFF value. This value is compared with Threshold2 as follows:

- ADDIFF =  $A/D_{m+1}$   $A/D_m$
- IF (ADDIFF <Threshold2) THEN count = count +1

When ADDIFF is less than Threshold2 for Count2 out of Count2 + 1 successive comparisons, zone 2 is passed and zone 3 is entered. When the thresold2 is set to 0, a negative difference in the A/D samples (negative slope) must be detected. Note that if one of the tests fails, the actual test performed on the next sample after the single failure is

- ADDIFF = A/D<sub>m+1</sub> A/D<sub>m-1</sub>
- IF (ADDIFF <2 \* Threshold2) THEN count = count +1

This has the effect of filtering out a single noise spike in the A/D measurement.

#### 5.8.3 Zone 3

In zone 3, the TLE8242 sample rate for the CPD function can be altered from the sample rate used for zone 1 and zone 2. As in zone 1 and zone 2, the TLE8242 compares the difference between two A/D samples and calculates ADDIFF. The sample rate can be altered in zone 3 such that ADDIFF is calculated as shown in Table 5. This allows for more noise immunity and also allows the programming of a lower effective slope to be detected. When ADDIFF is greater than Threshold3 for Count3 output of Count3 + 1 successive comparisons, the test passes and zone 3 is completed. When zone 3 passes, the current profile is passed.

Table 6 Zone 3 Sample Rate Selection

SPI Bit Values	Samples Used	ADDIFF
00	successive A/D samples	A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-1</sub>
01	every 2nd A/D sample	A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-2</sub>
10	every 3rd A/D sample	A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-3</sub>
11	every 4th A/D sample	A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-4</sub>

Note that if one of the tests fails, the actual test performed on the next sample after the single failure is

- ADDIFF =  $A/D_m$   $A/D_{m-2*a}$  (a=1, 2, 3, 4 depending on the settings in Table 6)
- IF (ADDIFF > 2 \* Threshold3) THEN count = count +1

This has the effect of filtering out a single noise spike in the A/D measurement.



# 5.8.4 Current Profile Time out & Detection Interrupted

If the Current Profile Time out value is achieved before the completion of the test, the current profile test has failed. If this failure occurred, the Current Profile Time out bit in the SPI message is set.

The Current Profile Time out value is programmable and should be set to a value less than the PWM period.

If the OUTx pin is turned off before the completion of the test as in **Figure 18**, the Detection Interrupted SPI Bit is set. Note that the OUTx pin must transition from high to low to set the Detection Interrupted fault bit. The Detection Interrupted fault bit is not set by the expiration of the PWM period if the duty cycle is set to >= 100%.

If the entire CPD test passes (all three zones are passed before the time out), the "Passed Since Last Read" SPI bit is set SPI message # 18.

Each channel of the Adler 2 is individually configurable for the current profile detection patterns.

The thresholds and counts for each zone must not be changed via SPI while a current profile detection sequence is active, otherwise an incorrect detection may occur.

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# 5.9 Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI)

SPI messages for the TLE8242 IC are 32-bit values broken down into the following fields.

Bit 31: Read/Write Bit - 0 = Read 1 = Write

Bits 30-24: Message Identifier

Bits 23-0: Message Data

In cases where multiple channels require the same message structure, bits 24-25 of the Message Identifier represent the channel numbers. The structure follows the following pattern

Bit 31: Read/Write Bit - 0 = Read / 1 = Write

Bits 30-27: Message Identifier Bits 26-24: Channel Number Bits 23-0: Message Data

The message from the microcontroller must be sent MSB first. The data from the SO pin is sent MSB first. The TLE8242 will sample data from the SI pin on the rising edge of SCK and will shift data out of the SO pin on the rising edge of SCK.

All SPI messages must be exactly 32-bits long, otherwise the SPI message is discarded. The response to an invalid message (returned in the next SPI message) is the message with identifier 00000 (Manufacturer ID).

When the ENABLE pin is low, all SPI writes commands are executed as read commands.

When RESET\_B pin is low, the SPI port is disabled. No SPI messages are received and no responses are sent. The SO pin remains in a high impedance state.

There is a one message delay in the response to each message (i.e. the response for message N will be returned during message N+1).

Read/Write operation is referenced from the SPI master. The TLE8242 IC is the slave device.

When bit 31 is = 0 to denote a read operation to the IC, the message data in bits 23-0 of the sent message are ignored, but will contain valid data in the response message.

All response data (either from a read or write operation) is the direct contents of the addressed internal register, and is not an echo of the data sent in the previous SPI message.

The response to the first SPI message after a reset is message #0 (IC Version / Manufacturer).

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# 5.9.1 SPI Signal Description

# **Electrical Characteristics:**

V5D = 4.75V to 5.25V, Vbat = 5.5V to 42V,  $T_{\rm j}$  = -40 °C to +150 °C, all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified). Maximum capacitive load on the SO pin = 200 pF.

Pos.	Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Conditions
			Min.	Тур.	Max.		
5.9.1	Lead Time	<i>t</i> <sub>1</sub>	140	_	_	ns	CS_B falling (0.8V) to SCK rising (0.8V)
5.9.2	Lag Time	<i>t</i> <sub>2</sub>	50	-	-	ns	SCK falling (0.8V) to CS_B rising (0.8V)
5.9.3	Dead time	<i>t</i> <sub>3</sub>	450	_	_	ns	CS_B rise (2.0V) to CS_B fall (2.0V)
5.9.4	1/F <sub>SCK</sub> Period of SCK	$t_4$	100	_	_	ns	SCK rise to rise
5.9.5	SCK to CSB set up time	<i>t</i> <sub>5</sub>	10	_	-	ns	SCK falling (0.8V) to CS_B fall (2.0V)
5.9.6	SCK high time	<i>t</i> <sub>6</sub>	40	_	-	ns	SCK high time (rise 2.0V to fall 2.0V)
5.9.7	SCK low time	<i>t</i> <sub>7</sub>	40	_	_	ns	SCK low time (fall 0.8V to rise 0.8V)
5.9.8	CSB to SCK hold time	<i>t</i> <sub>8</sub>	10	_	_	ns	CS_B rise (2.0V) to SCK rise (0.8V)
5.9.9	SI setup time	<i>t</i> <sub>9</sub>	20	_	_	ns	SI setup time to SCK rise (0.8V)
5.9.10	SI hold time	t <sub>10</sub>	20	_	_	ns	SI hold time after SCK rise (2.0V)
5.9.11	SO enable	t <sub>11</sub>	_	_	110	ns	CS_B fall (2.0V) to SO Bit0 valid
5.9.12	SO valid time	t <sub>12</sub>	_	_	80	ns	SO data valid after SCK rise (2.0V)
5.9.13	SO disable time	t <sub>13</sub>	_	_	110	ns	SO tristate after CS_B rise (2.0V)
5.9.14	Number of clock pulses while CS_B low		32	_	32	cycles	
5.9.15	SO rise time	$T_{SO\_RISE}$	_	_	50	ns	(20% to 80%)
5.9.16	SO fall time	$T_{SO\_FALL}$	_	_	50	ns	(80% to 20%)
5.9.17	Input pin capacitance. CS_B, SI, and SCK	$C_{in}$	-	_	20	pF	
5.9.18	SO pin capacitance	$C_{so}$	_	_	25	pF	Tristate

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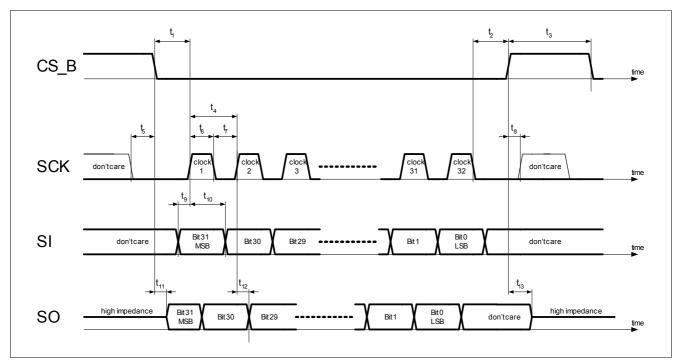


Figure 19 SPI Timing Diagram

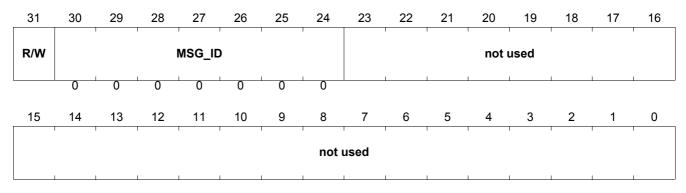


## 5.9.2 SPI Message Structure

## 5.9.2.1 SPI Message #0 - IC Version / Manufacturer

#### **Sent Values:**

#### IC Version / Manufacturer



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0000 = IC Version / Manufacturer

#### Response:

#### IC Version / Manufacturer

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16		
0	0 MSG_ID								IC Manuf ID								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
	1	\ \	/ersion	Numbe	er	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		

Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0000 = IC Version / Manufacturer
IC Manuf ID	23:16	DATA	IC Manufacturer ID Number
			1100 0001= Infineon Technologies
Version	15:8	DATA	Version Number
Number			0000 0010 = B21



## 5.9.2.2 SPI Message #1 - Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration

#### Sent Values:

## **Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R/W		I		MSG_IE	)	I	I	СМО	CM1	CM2	СМЗ	CM4	СМ5	СМ6	CM7
	0	0	0	0	0	0	1								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
FM0	FM1	FM2	FM3	FM4	FM5	FM6	FM7	FMR	FME	DIAG	_TMR		unu	ısed	
										msb	Isb		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	1

Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0001 = Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration
CMx	23:16	DATA	Control Mode for Channel #x
			0 = Current Control (RESET value)
			1 = Direct PWM
FMx	15:8	DATA	Fault Mask for Channel #x
			0 = faults don't trigger FAULT pin (RESET value)
			1 = fault triggers FAULT pin
FMR	7	DATA	Fault Mask for RESET_B pin
			0 = RESET_B=Low doesn't trigger FAULT pin (RESET value)
			1= RESET_B=Low does trigger FAULT pin
FME	6	DATA	Fault Mast for ENABLE pin
			0 = ENABLE=Low doesn't trigger FAULT pin (RESET value)
			1 = ENABLE=Low does trigger FAULT pin
DIAG_TMR	5:4	DATA	Diagnostic Timer
			00 = divide by 128, nfault = 10 11 (RESET value)
			01 = divide by 192, nfault = 10 11
			10 = divide by 128, nfault = 2 3
			11 = divide by 256, nfault = 10 11

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#### Response:

## **Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0			' 	MSG_IE	) )			СМ0	CM1	CM2	СМЗ	CM4	CM5	СМ6	СМ7
	0	0	0	0	0	0	1								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
FM0	FM1	FM2	FM3	FM4	FM5	FM6	FM7	FMR	FME	DIAG	_TMR	0	0	0	0
										msb	lsb				

Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier 000 0001 = Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration
СМх	23:16	DATA	Control Mode of Channel #x 0 = Current Control (RESET value) 1 = direct PWM
FMx	15:8	DATA	Fault Mask of Channel #x 0 = faults don't trigger FAULT pin (RESET value) 1 = fault triggers FAULT pin
FMR	7	DATA	Fault Mask for RESET_B pin  0 = RESET_B=Low doesn't trigger FAULT pin (RESET value)  1 = RESET_B=Low does trigger FAULT pin
FME	6	DATA	Fault Mast for ENABLE pin  0 = ENABLE=Low doesn't trigger FAULT pin (RESET value)  1 = ENABLE=Low does trigger FAULT pin
DIAG_TMR	5:4	DATA	Diagnostic Timer  00 = divide by 128, nfault = 10 11 (RESET value)  01 = divide by 192, nfault = 10 11  10 = divide by 128, nfault = 2 3  11 = divide by 256, nfault = 10 11

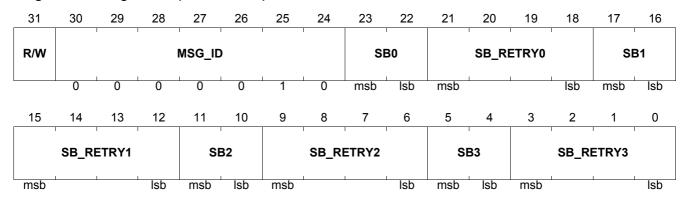
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## 5.9.2.3 SPI Message #2 - Diagnostic Configuration (channel 0-3)

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Diagnostic Configuration (channels 0-3)**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0010 = Diagnostic Configuration (channel 0-3)
SBx	23:22,	DATA	Short To Battery Threshold
	17:16,		00 = 0.7V
	11:10,		01 = 0.9V
	5:4		10 = 1.1V
			11 = 1.3V (RESET value)
SB_RETRYx	21:18,	DATA	Short to Battery Retry Time
_	15:12,		Retry after 16* xxxx periods (RESET Value = 1111b or 240
	9:6,		PWM periods)
	3:0		

#### **Response Values:**

#### **Diagnostic Configuration (channels 0-3)**

•		•		•		•									
31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		1		MSG_IE	)	ı	ı	SI	30		SB_R	ETRY0	1	SI	31
	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	msb	Isb	msb	İ	1	lsb	msb	Isb
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	SB_R	ETRY1		SI	32		SB_R	ETRY2		S	В3		SB_R	ETRY3	
msb	1	1	lsb	msb	lsb	msb	I	1	lsb	msb	lsb	msb	1		lsb
Field		Bits		Туре		Desc	ription								
MSG_	MSG_ID 30:24					age Id	entifier								

000 0010 = Diagnostic Configuration (channel 0-3)



Field	Bits	Type	Description
SBx	23:22,	DATA	Short To Battery Threshold
	17:16,		00 = 0.7V
	11:10,		01 = 0.9V
	5:4		10 = 1.1V
			11 = 1.3V (RESET value)
SB_RETRYx	21:18,	DATA	Short to Battery Retry Time
_	15:12,		Retry after 16* xxxx periods (RESET Value = 1111b or 240
	9:6,		PWM periods)
	3:0		

$$Retry Period = \frac{16*SB\_Retry_x}{f_{PWM}}$$

Equation: Short to Battery Retry Period (1)

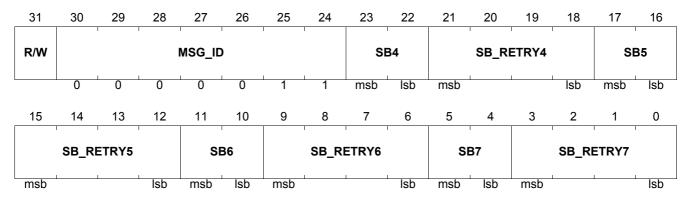
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## 5.9.2.4 SPI Message #3 - Diagnostic Configuration (channel 4-7)

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Diagnostic Configuration (channels 4-7)**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0011 = Diagnostic Configuration (channel 4-7)
SBx	23:22,	DATA	Short To Battery Threshold
	17:16,		00 = 0.7V
	11:10,		01 = 0.9V
	5:4		10 = 1.1V
			11 = 1.3V (RESET value)
SB_RETRYx	21:18,	DATA	Short to Battery Retry Time
_	15:12,		Retry after 16 * xxxx periods (RESET Value = 1111b or 240
	9:6,		PWM periods)
	3:0		

#### **Response Values:**

#### **Diagnostic Configuration (channels 4-7)**

		- Jgu		(0.1.4.11.		.,									
31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0				MSG_I	)			SI	B4		SB_R	ETRY4		SI	35
	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	msb	Isb	msb	1		lsb	msb	Isb
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	SB_RETRY5 SB6						SB_R	ETRY6		SB7 SI				B_RETRY7	
msb			Isb	msb	Isb	msb	1	1	Isb	msb	lsb	msb	1	4	lsb
Field		Bits		Туре		Desc	ription	<u> </u>							
MSG	ID	30.24		ADDE	?	Mess	age Id	entifier							

000 0011 = Diagnostic Configuration (channel 4-7)



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
SBx	23:22,	DATA	Short To Battery Threshold
	17:16,		00 = 0.7V
	11:10,		01 = 0.9V
	5:4		10 = 1.1V
			11 = 1.3V (RESET value)
SB_RETRYx	21:18,	DATA	Short to Battery Retry Time
	15:12,		Retry after 16* xxxx periods (RESET Value = 1111b or 240
	9:6,		PWM periods)
	3:0		

$$Retry Period = \frac{16*SB\_Retry_x}{f_{PWM}}$$

Equation: Short to Battery Retry Period (2)

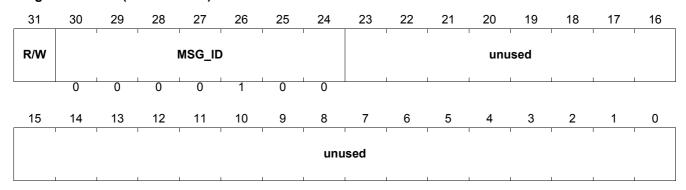
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## 5.9.2.5 SPI Message #4 - Diagnostic Read (channel 0-3)

#### **Sent Values:**

#### Diagnostic Read (channels 0-3)



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write (interpreted as a read)
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0100 = Diagnostic Read (channel 0-3)

#### **Response Values:**

#### Diagnostic Read (channels 0-3)

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0				MSG_IE	)	ı	ı	SG0	OFF- TST0	SB0	SB- TST0	OL- OFF0	OL- ON0	SG1	OFF- TST1
	0	0	0	0	1	0	0								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
SB1	SB- TST1	OL- OFF1	OL- ON1	SG2	OFF- TST2	SB2	SB- TST2	OL- OFF2	OL- ON2	SG3	OFF- TST3	SB3	SB- TST3	OL- OFF3	OL- ON3

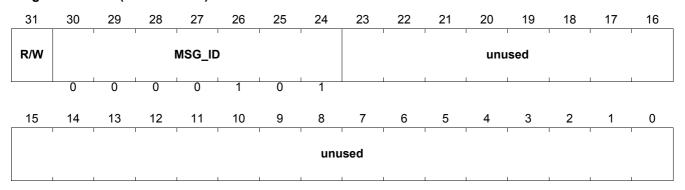
Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier 000 0100 = Diagnostic Read (channel 0-3)
SGx	23, 17, 11, 5	DATA	Short to Ground - Fault (RESET value = 0)
OFF-TSTx	22, 16, 10, 4	DATA	Short to Ground & Open Ld (Gate Off) - Tested (RESET value = 0)
SBx	21, 15, 9, 3	DATA	Short to Battery - Fault (RESET value = 0)
SB-TSTx	20, 14, 8, 2	DATA	Short to Battery - Tested (RESET value = 0)
OL-OFFx	19, 13, 7, 1	DATA	Open Load (Gate Off) - Fault (RESET value = 0)
OL-ONx	18, 12, 6, 0	DATA	Open Load (Gate On) - Fault (RESET value = 0)



## 5.9.2.6 SPI Message #5 - Diagnostic Read (channel 4-7)

#### **Sent Values:**

#### Diagnostic Read (channels 4-7)



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write (interpreted as a read)
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0101 = Diagnostic Read (channel 4-7)

#### **Response Values:**

#### Diagnostic Read (channels 4-7)

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		I	1	MSG_IE	)	I	l	SG4	OFF- TST4	SB4	SB- TST4	OL- OFF4	OL- ON4	SG5	OFF- TST5
	0	0	0	0	1	0	1								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
SB5	SB- TST5	OL- OFF5	OL- ON5	SG6	OFF- TST6	SB6	SB- TST6	OL- OFF6	OL- ON6	SG7	OFF- TST7	SB7	SB- TST7	OL- OFF7	OL- ON7

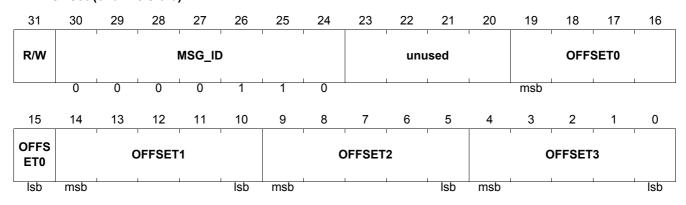
Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier 000 0101 = Diagnostic Read (channel 4-7)
SGx	23, 17, 11, 5	DATA	Short to Ground - Fault (RESET value = 0)
OFF-TSTx	22, 16, 10, 4	DATA	Short to Ground & Open Load (Gate Off) - Tested (RESET value = 0)
SBx	21, 15, 9, 3	DATA	Short to Battery - Fault (RESET value = 0)
SB-TSTx	20, 14, 8, 2	DATA	Short to Battery - Tested (RESET value = 0)
OL-OFFx	19, 13, 7, 1	DATA	Open Load (Gate Off) - Fault (RESET value = 0)
OL-ONx	18, 12, 6, 0	DATA	Open Load (Gate On) - Fault (RESET value = 0)



## 5.9.2.7 SPI Message #6 - PWM Offset (channel 0-3)

#### **Sent Values:**

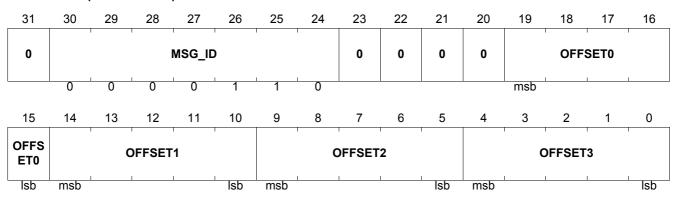
#### **PWM Offset (channels 0-3)**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0110 = PWM Offset (channel 0-3)
OFFSETx	19:15,	DATA	Channelx Pulse Offset
	14:10,		1/32 of PWM period set by N and M values (RESET Value = 0)
	9:5,		note: after exiting reset, a pulse on the PHASE_SYNC pin is needed
	4:0		to synchronize the channels

#### **Response Values:**

#### **PWM Offset (channels 0-3)**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0110 = PWM Offset (channel 0-3)
OFFSETx	19:15,	DATA	Channelx Pulse Offset
	14:10,		1/32 of period set by N value (RESET Value = 0)
	9:5,		
	4:0		



PhaseSynchOffset=
$$\frac{OFFSET_{x}}{32*f_{PWM}}$$

Equation: Phase Sync Offset (3)

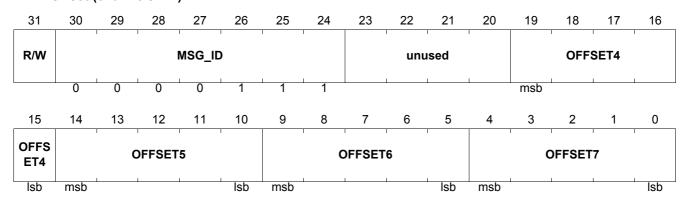
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## 5.9.2.8 SPI Message #7 - PWM Offset (channel 4-7)

#### **Sent Values:**

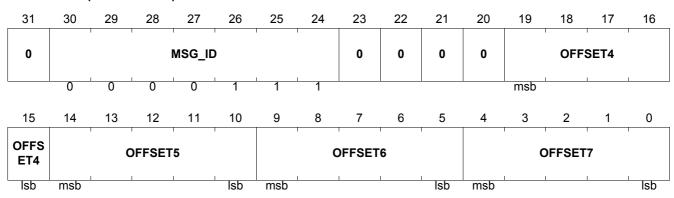
#### **PWM Offset (channels 4-7)**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
_			000 0111 = PWM Offset (channel 4-7)
OFFSETx	19:15,	DATA	Channelx Pulse Offset
	14:10,		1/32 of period set by N value (RESET Value = 0)
	9:5,		note: after exiting reset, a pulse on the PHASE_SYNC pin is needed
	4:0		to synchronize the channels

#### **Response Values:**

#### **PWM Offset (channels 4-7)**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:24	ADDR	Message Identifier
			000 0111 = PWM Offset (channel 4-7)
OFFSETx	19:15,	DATA	Channelx Pulse Offset
	14:10,		1/32 of period set by N value (RESET Value = 0)
	9:5,		
	4:0		



Phase Synch Offset = 
$$\frac{OFFSET_x}{32 * f_{PWM}}$$

Equation: Phase Sync Offset (4)



## 5.9.2.9 SPI Message #8 - Main Period Set

#### Sent Values: Main Period Set

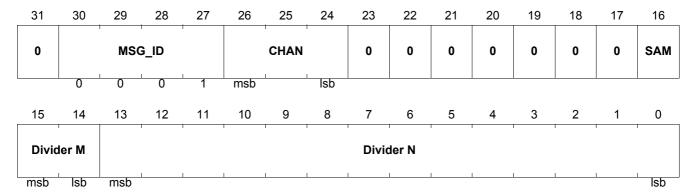
31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R/W		MSC	G_ID		CHAN			unused							SAM
	0	0	0	1	msb	I	lsb		<u>I</u>	1	I	<u> </u>	1	<u>I</u>	
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Divider M						Divider N									
msb	Isb	msb	I.	1	1	L	1	1	1	1	L	ľ	1	ı	Isb

Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0001 = Main Period Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
SAM	16	DATA	Sample Summation Method
			0 = Use all values of samples (RESET Value)
			1 = throw out first ADC samples after an OUTx pin transition and
			use previous sample twice in the average calculation
Divider M	15:14	DATA	Divider M (Number of A/D samples per PWM period)
			00 = 32 (RESET Value)
			01 = 64
			10 = 128
			11 = 512 (Direct PWM) = 128 (Current Control)
Divider N	13:0	DATA	Divider N (Number of main CLK periods between A/D samples)
			(RESET Value = 271 <sub>H</sub> or 625 <sub>D</sub> )
			$T_{PWM} = N*M*T_{CLK} & T_{ADC} = N*T_{CLK}$



#### Response:

#### **Main Period Set**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
_			0001 = Main Period Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
SAM	16	DATA	Sample Summation Method
			0 = Use all values of samples (RESET Value)
			1 = throw out first ADC samples after an OUTx pin transition and
			use previous sample twice in the average calculation
Divider M	15:14	DATA	Divider M (Number of A/D samples per PWM period)
			00 = 32 (RESET value)
			01 = 64
			10 = 128
			11 = 512 (Direct PWM) = 128 (Current Control)
Divider N	13:0	DATA	Divider N (Number of main CLK periods between A/D samples)
			(RESET Value = $271_{H}$ or $625_{D}$ )
			$T_{PWM} = N*M*T_{CLK} \& T_{ADC} = N*T_{CLK}$

PWM Period = 
$$\frac{N * M}{f_{CLK}}$$
 [seconds]

Equation: Main Period Setting (5)

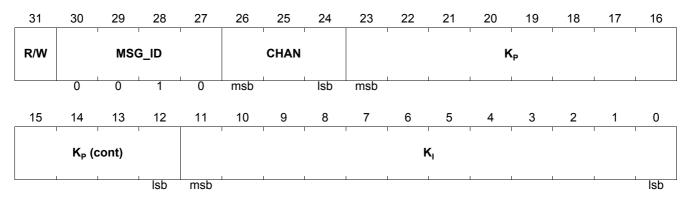
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# 5.9.2.10 SPI Message #9 - Control Variable Set ( $K_P$ and $K_I$ )

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Control Variable Set**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0010 =Control Variable Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
K <sub>P</sub>	23:12		Control Loop Proportional Coefficient (RESET Value = 0)
K <sub>I</sub>	11:0		Control Loop Integral Coefficient (RESET Value = 0)

#### Response:

#### **Control Variable Set**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0	MSG_ID				CHAN			$K_{P}$							,
	0	0	1	0	msb	İ	Isb	msb	İ	İ.	İ.		İ	İ	1
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	K <sub>P</sub> (cont)							I	ŀ	<b>'</b> ( <sub>1</sub>	I		I	I	
	lsb msb											lsb			

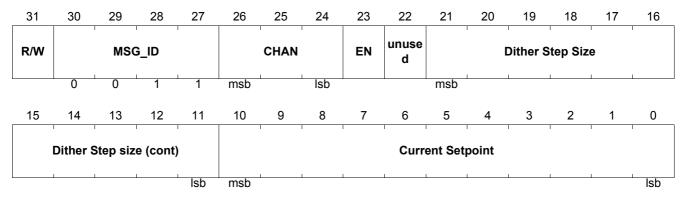
Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0010 =Control Variable Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
K <sub>P</sub>	23:12	DATA	Control Loop Proportional Coefficient (RESET Value = 0)
Kı	11:0	DATA	Control Loop Integral Coefficient (RESET Value = 0)



## 5.9.2.11 SPI Message #10 - Current and Dither Amplitude Set

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Current and Dither Amplitude Set**



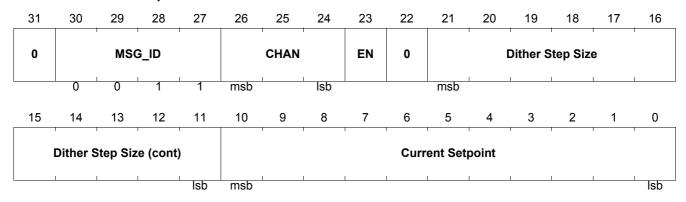
Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0011 =Current and Dither Amplitude Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
EN	23	DATA	Operation during ENABLE deactivation
			0 = disable (RESET Value)
			1 = remain in operation at last setpoint including dither
Dither Step	21:11	DATA	Dither Step Size (LSb's value is 2 <sup>-2</sup> of the current setpoint LSb)
Size			(RESET Value = 0)
			Note: A value of 0 will disable the dither function
Current	10:0	DATA	Current Set Point
Setpoint			(RESET Value = 0)

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#### Response:

#### **Current and Dither Amplitude Set**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0011 =Current and Dither Amplitude set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
EN	23	DATA	Operation during ENABLE deactivation
			0 = disable (RESET Value)
			1 = remain in operation at last setpoint including dither
Dither Step	21:11	DATA	Dither Step Size (LSb's value is 2 <sup>-2</sup> of the current setpoint LSb)
Size			(RESET Value = 0)
			Note: A value of 0 will disable the dither function
Current	10:0	DATA	Current Set Point
Setpoint			(RESET Value = 0)

Dither Amplitude [mA pp] = 
$$\frac{2 * \text{Dither Stepsize } * \text{Dither Steps}}{2^{13}} * \frac{320 [\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense [Ohm]}}$$

Equation: Dither Amplitude Setting (6)

Average Current Setting [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{Current Setpoint}}{2^{11}} * \frac{320 [\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense[Ohm]}}$$

Equation: Average Current Setting (7)

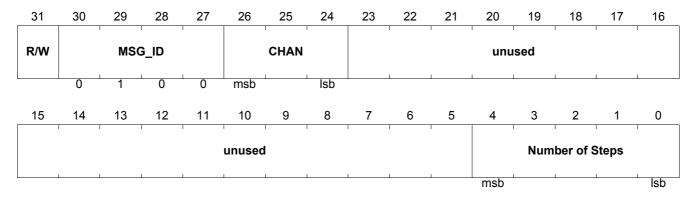
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## 5.9.2.12 SPI Message #11 - Dither Period Set

## Sent Values:

#### **Dither Period Set**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0100 =Dither Period Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
Number of	4:0	DATA	Number of Dither Steps in 1/4 waveform
Steps			(RESET Value = 0)
			Note: A value of 0 will disable the dither function

#### Response:

#### **Dither Period Set**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		MSG	G_ID	ı		CHAN			0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	1	0	0	msb	İ	Isb								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Number of Steps				
msb											lsb				

Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier 0100 = Dither Period Set
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
Number of Steps	4:0	DATA	Number of Dither Steps in 1/4 waveform (RESET Value = 0) Note: A value of 0 will disable the dither function



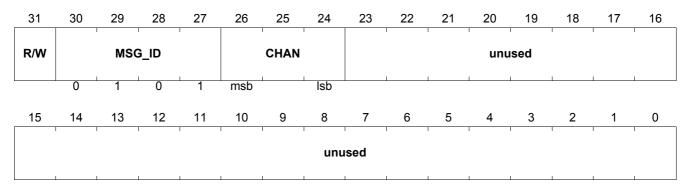
Dither Period = 
$$\frac{4 * \text{Number of Steps}}{f_{\text{PWM}}}$$



## 5.9.2.13 SPI Message #12 - Max / Min Current Read

#### **Sent Values:**

#### Max / Min Current Read



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0101 =Max / Min Current Read
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
			Note: the channel selection for this message will also be the channel
			selected for the Average Current Read over Dither Period.

## Response:

#### Max / Min Current Read

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0	MSG_ID				CHAN 0 VALID					MAX					
	0	1	0	1	msb	1	Isb			msb	1	<u> </u>	1	<u> </u>	_1
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	М	AX (cor	nt)							MIN					
	<u>I</u>	1	<u> </u>	lsb	msb	1	I	l .		<u> </u>	1	<u> </u>	1	<u> </u>	lsb

Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier 0101 =Current Read
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
VALID	22	DATA	VALID  Reset when the register is read or when the channel number is changed (RESET Value = 0)  Set when a new data set is available.



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MAX	21:11	DATA	The largest summation of "M" A/D samples (within one PWM period) during the previous dither cycle. The 11 most significant bits are reported.  Note: return value will be 0 until the first dither cycle is completed - (RESET Value = 0)
MIN	10:0	DATA	The smallest summation of "M" A/D samples (within one PWM period) during the previous dither cycle. The 11 most significant bits are reported.  Note: return value will be 2047until the first dither cycle is completed - (RESET Value = 2047)

Max Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{MAX}{2^{11}} * \frac{320[mV]}{Rsense[Ohm]}$$

**Equation: Maximum Dither Current Feedback** 

Min Current Feedback 
$$[mA] = \frac{MIN}{2^{11}} * \frac{320[mV]}{Rsense[Ohm]}$$

**Equation: Minimum Dither Current Feedback** 

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Note: When the selected channel is different than the previously selected channel (the last time this message was addressed), the new Min and Max data will be available after no more than two dither cycles. When the selected channel is the same as the previously selected channel, the new Min and Max data will be available in no more than one dither cycle.

Note: When M=512 in Direct PWM mode, the following formula applies. The application software must ensure that the register has not overflowed.

Min / Max Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{MIN or MAX}}{2^{13}} * \frac{320 [\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense [Ohm]}}$$

Equation: Min/Max Dither Current Feedback M=512 (11)

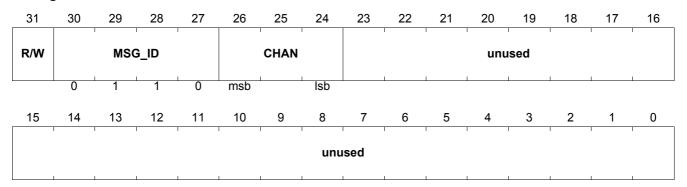
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## 5.9.2.14 SPI Message #13 - Average Current Read Over Dither Period

#### **Sent Values:**

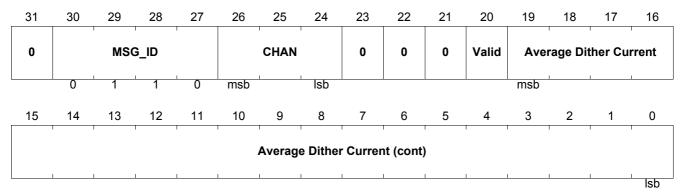
#### **Average Dither Current Read**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0110 =Dither Current Read
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number

#### Response:

#### **Average Dither Current Read**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier 0110 = Dither Current Read
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number  Note: the channel selection for this message will also be the channel selected for the Max / Min Current Read Command.
VALID	20	DATA	VALID BIT  Reset when register is read or when channel number is changed.  Set when new data is available.  (RESET Value = 0)



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
Average	19:0	DATA	20 bit summation of the total current over a dither period.
Dither			(RESET Value = 0)
Current			

Dither Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{Avg Dither Current}}{2^{15} * \text{Dither Steps}} * \frac{320 [\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense [Ohm]}}$$

Equation: Average Dither Current Feedback with Dither enabled

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Dither Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{Avg Dither Current}}{2^{13}} * \frac{320 [\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense [Ohm]}}$$

Equation: Average Dither Current Feedback with Dither disabled

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Note: When the selected channel is different than the previously selected channel (the last time this message was addressed), the new Average Dither Current data will be available after no more than two dither cycles. When the selected channel is the same as the previously selected channel, the new Average Dither Current data will be available in no more than one dither cycle.

Note: When M=512 in Direct PWM mode, the following formula applies. The application software must ensure that the register has not overflowed.

Dither Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{Avg Dither Current}}{2^{17} * \text{Dither Steps}} * \frac{320 [\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense [Ohm]}}$$

Equation: Average Dither Current Feedback M=512 with dither enabled

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Dither Current Feedback [mA] = 
$$\frac{\text{Avg Dither Current}}{2^{15}} * \frac{320[\text{mV}]}{\text{Rsense}[\text{Ohm}]}$$

Equation: Average Dither Current Feedback M=512 with dither disabled (15)

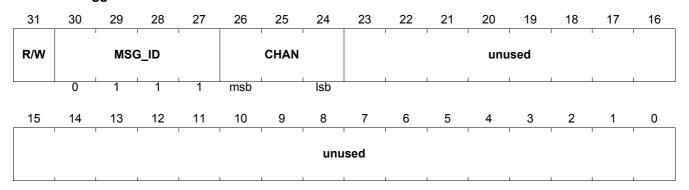
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## 5.9.2.15 SPI Message #14 - Autozero Trigger / Read

#### **Sent Values:**

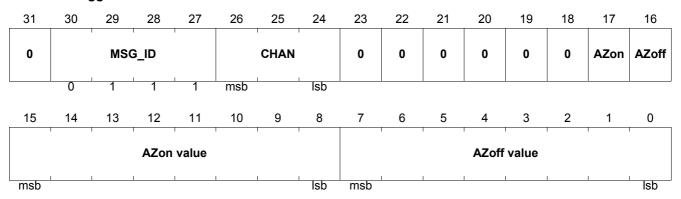
#### **Autozero Trigger Read**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0111 =Autozero Trigger / Read
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number

#### Response:

#### **Autozero Trigger Read**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			0111 =Autozero Trigger / Read
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
AZon	17	DATA	Autozero - Gate on has occurred since last read
			0 = not occurred (RESET Value)
			1 = has occurred
AZoff	16	DATA	Autozero - Gate off has occurred since last read
			0 = not occurred (RESET Value)
			1 = has occurred



Field	Bits	Type	Description
AZ on value	15:8	DATA	Autozero value - Gate On
AZ off value	7:0	DATA	Autozero value - Gate Off

When this register is written an Auto-Zero sequence is initiated for the selected channel, and the AZon and AZoff bits are reset. The AZon and AZoff bits are set after the autozero sequence has completed.

When this register is read, the Auto-Zero sequence is not initiated, but the AZon and AZoff bits are reset.

Note: When a channel transitions from on to off, the autozero sequence for that channel must not be initiated until the recirculation current has fully decayed to 0 mA. Otherwise, the calculated autozero values will be incorrect resulting in inaccurate current regulation when a non-zero setpoint is programmed.

Autozero offset [mA] = 
$$\frac{AZ_value}{2^{11}} * \frac{320[mV]}{Rsense[Ohm]}$$

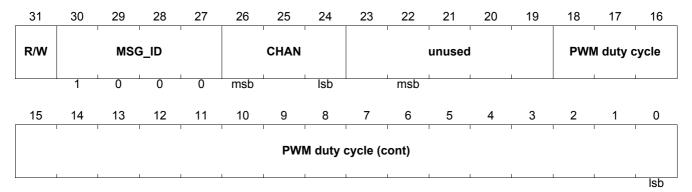
Equation: Auto-zero value (16)

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# 5.9.2.16 SPI Message #15 - PWM Duty Cycle

# Sent Values: PWM Duty Cycle



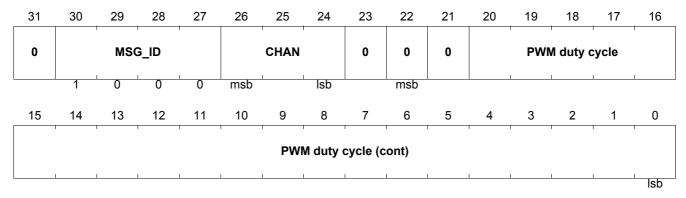
Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1000 =PWM Duty Cycle
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
PWM duty cycle	18:0	DATA	PWM duty cycle This is used when Control Mode is set to "direct PWM". See the "Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration" message. If this message is written when the Control Mode is set to "Current Control" the PWM data will be stored but not used until the control mode is switched to "Direct PWM". (RESET Value = 0)

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#### Response:

#### **PWM Duty Cycle**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier 1000 = PWM Duty Cycle
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
PWM duty cycle	20:0	DATA	PWM duty cycle This will report the duty cycle bits in the register. If the channel is set to "Current Control" the feedback will represent the value calculated by the PI controller. If the channel is set to "direct PWM" the feedback will represent the value in the register programmed by a SPI write with bits 11 and 12 always read as 0. See the "Control Method and Fault Mask Configuration" message.  (RESET Value = 0)

Duty Cycle [%] = 
$$\frac{\text{PWM duty cycle}}{\text{N*M}} *100\%$$

Note: The Duty Cycle of 100% can be achieved. Although the above formula may result in duty cycle values greater than 100%, the actual duty cycle is of course limited to 100%.

Equation: PWM duty cycle readout for constant current mode operation (17)

Duty Cycle [%] = 
$$\frac{\text{PWM duty cycle}}{\text{N} * 32} * 100\%$$

Equation: PWM duty cycle readout for direct PWM mode operation

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Note: The Duty Cycle of 100% can be achieved. Although the above formula may result in duty cycle values greater than 100%, the actual duty cycle is of course limited to 100%.

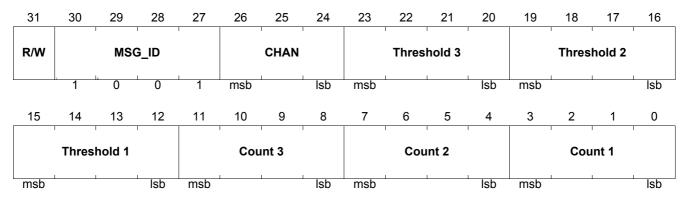
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## 5.9.2.17 SPI Message #16 - Current Profile Detection Setup 1

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Current Profile Detection Setup 1**



Field	Bits	Type	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1001 =Current Profile Setup 1
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
Threshold 3	23:20	DATA	Threshold 3 (Zone 3)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Threshold 2	19:16	DATA	Threshold 2 (Zone 2)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Threshold 1	15:12	DATA	Threshold 1 (Zone 1)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Count 3	11:8	DATA	Count 3 (Zone 3)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Count 2	7:4	DATA	Count 2 (Zone 2
			(RESET Value = 0)
Count 1	3:0	DATA	Count 1 (Zone 1)
			(RESET Value = 0)

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#### Response:

## **Current Profile Detection Setup 1**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		MSC	G_ID	1		CHAN			Thres	hold 3			Thres	hold 2	
	1	0	0	1	msb	1	Isb	msb	İ	1	lsb	msb	İ	İ	lsb
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	Threshold 1			Count 3			Count 2			Count 1					
msb	1	<u>I</u>	Isb	msb	1	1	Isb	msb	<u> </u>		lsb	msb	1	<u>I</u>	Isb

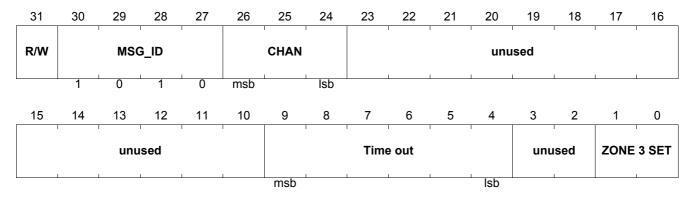
Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1001 =Current Profile Setup 1
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
Threshold 3	23:20	DATA	Threshold 3 (Zone 3)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Threshold 2	19:16	DATA	Threshold 2 (Zone 2)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Threshold 1	15:12	DATA	Threshold 1 (Zone 1)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Count 3	11:8	DATA	Count 3 (Zone 3)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Count 2	7:4	DATA	Count 2 (Zone 2)
			(RESET Value = 0)
Count 1	3:0	DATA	Count 1 (Zone 1)
			(RESET Value = 0)



## 5.9.2.18 SPI Message #17 - Current Profile Detection Setup 2

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Current Profile Detection Setup 2**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
_			1010 =Current Profile Setup 2
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
Time out	9:4	DATA	Current Profile Time out
			1 lsb = 16 ADC sample periods (RESET Value = 0)
Zone 3 Set	1:0	DATA	Zone 3 A/D setup
			00: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-1</sub>
			01: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-2</sub>
			10: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-3</sub>
			11: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-4</sub>

#### Response:

#### **Current Profile Detection Setup 2**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		MSC	G_ID	1		CHAN		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	0	1	0	msb	1	lsb								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	Time out					0	0	ZONE	3 SET	
	1	ı	l .	I	l .	msb		1			lsb	1	1	I	

Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1010 =Current Profile Setup 2
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number



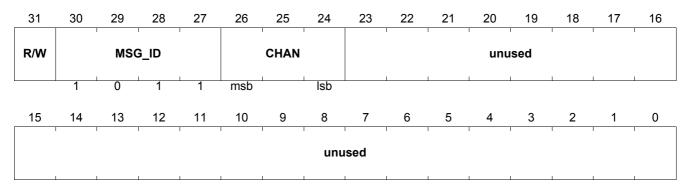
Field	Bits	Type	Description
Time out	9:4	DATA	Current Profile Time out 1 lsb = 16 ADC sample periods (RESET Value = 0)
Zone 3 Set	1:0	DATA	Zone 3 A/D setup  00: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-1</sub> 01: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-2</sub> 10: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-3</sub> 11: ADDIFF=A/D <sub>m</sub> - A/D <sub>m-4</sub>



## 5.9.2.19 SPI Message #18 - Current Profile Detection Feedback

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Current Profile Detection Feedback**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description	
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit	
			0 = Read	
			1 = Write	
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier	
_			1011 =Current Profile Detection Feedback	
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number	

#### Response:

#### **Current Profile Detection Feedback**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		MSC	G_ID	I		CHAN		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	0	1	1	msb	1	lsb								
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Detect Intrpt	Time- out	PASS

Field	Bits	Type	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1011 =Current Profile Detection Feedback
CHAN	26:24	ADDR	Channel Number
Detection	2	DATA	Detect Interrupt Bit (RESET Value = 0)
Interrupted			Reset when this register is read.
			Set when the gate of the external FET is commanded off before the current profile detection sequence has completed.

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Field	Bits	Type	Description
Time out	1	DATA	Current Profile Timeout (RESET Value = 0) Reset when this register is read. Set when the programmable time-out timer expires before the Current Profile Detection sequence has completed.
PASS	0	DATA	Passed Since Last Read (RESET Value = 0) Reset when this register is read. Set when the Current Profile Detection sequence has completed before the programmed time-out timer expired and before the gate is turned off.

Table 7 Interpretation of bits 2 to 0

Detect Interrupt Bit	<b>Current Profile Timeout</b>	Passed Since Last Read	Meaning
0	0	0	A current profile sequence has not completed since the last read of this register
Х	Х	1	At least one current profile sequence has completed successfully since the last read of this register
X	1	X	At least one time out failure has occurred since the last read of this register
1	X	Х	At least one detect interrupt failure has occurred since the last read of this register.

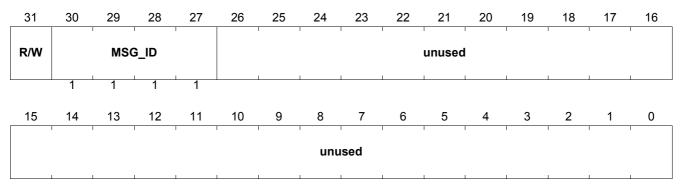
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## 5.9.2.20 SPI Message #19 - Read Generic Flag Bits

#### **Sent Values:**

#### **Read Generic Flag Bits**



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
R/W	31		Read / Write Bit
			0 = Read
			1 = Write
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1111 = Read Generic Flag Bits

#### Response:

#### **Read Generic Flag Bits**

31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
0		MSC	G_ID	I	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	1	1	1										1	
15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ov	PS	EN_L	RB_L

Field	Bits	Туре	Description
MSG_ID	30:27	ADDR	Message Identifier
			1111 = Read Generic Flag Bits
OV	3	DATA	Overvoltage has occurred since last read
			0 = not occurred (RESET Value)
			1 = has occurred
PS	2	DATA	Phase Synch has occurred since last read
			0 = not occurred (RESET Value)
			1 = has occurred
EN_L	1	DATA	Enable Latch bit (RESET Value = 1)
			Set to 0 when this register is read and ENABLE pin is High
			Set to 1 when the ENABLE pin is Low



Field	Bits	Туре	Description
RB_L	0	DATA	RESET_B Latch bit (RESET Value = 1) Set to 0 when this register is read. Set to 1 when the a High to Low transition occurs on the RESET_B pin

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## 6 Application Information

Note: The following information is given as a hint for the implementation of the device only and shall not be regarded as a description or warranty of a certain functionality, condition or quality of the device.

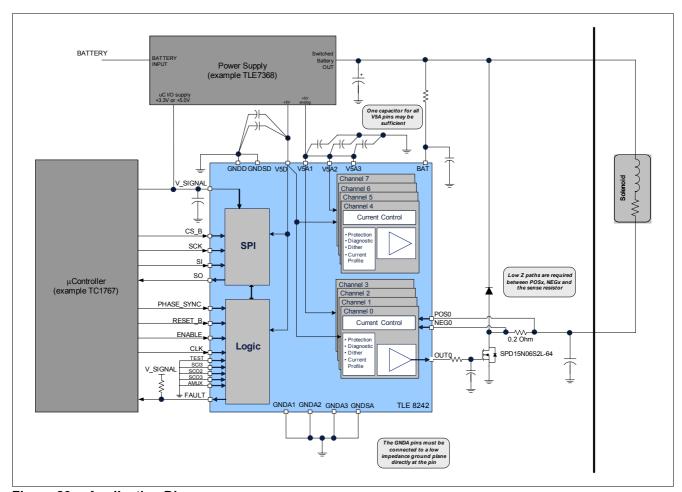


Figure 20 Application Diagram

Note: This is a very simplified example of an application circuit. The function must be verified in the real application.

#### 6.1 Further Application Information

- · Please contact us to get the Pin FMEA
- For further information you may contact <a href="http://www.infineon.com/">http://www.infineon.com/</a>



**Package Outlines** 

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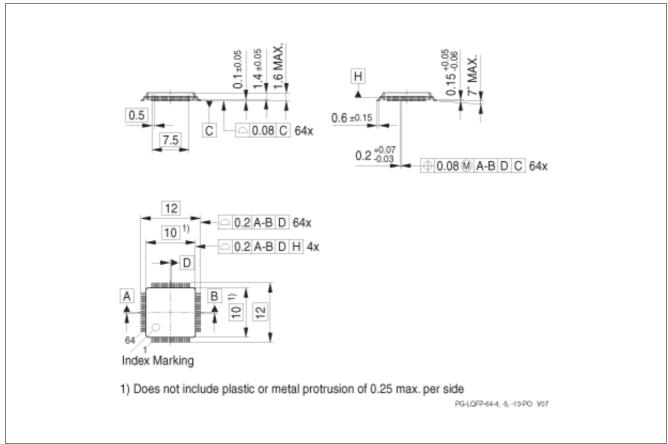


Figure 21 PG-LQFP-64

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**Package Outlines** 



**Revision History** 

# 8 Revision History

Revision	Date	Changes	
1.0	2009-02-24	Page 6, Figures 1 and 2 : improved figure quality	
		Page 7, improved description of SAM bit functionality	
		Pages 24 to 26, Figures 10, 11, 13, and 14: improved figure quality	
		Pages 51 and 52: improved description of SAM bit functionality	
		Pages 72: corrected the name of the register in the MSG_ID descriptions	
		Page 74, Figure 21 : updated the package outline drawing	
1.0	2009-12-09	Changes from TLE8242L Rev 1.0 datasheet	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 1.3.2, equation for duty-cycle: revised equation to include the M variable. M is the # of ADC samples per PWM period. revised equation for calculating the duration of the autozero procedure	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.3, added new filter times to table 2	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.3.2, electrical table, parameters 5.3.12 through 5.3.15 revised with new filter times	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.9.2.1, revised IC version number	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.9.2.2, added new filter times.	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.9.2.14, added equations for current feedback value when dither is disabled	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.9.2.14, added equation for autozero offset value	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.9.2.7 and 5.9.2.8, added note that a pulse is needed on the phase_sy pin to synchronize the channels after exiting the reset state.	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.7.1, added maximum value of analog to digital converter sample rate	
1.0	2009-12-09	Section 5.2, added note that a pulse is needed on the PHASE_SYNC pin in order to synchronize the PWM periods of the channels after exiting the reset state	

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