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Design

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TLC592x 16-Channel Constant-Current LED Sink Drivers

Technical

Documents

1 Features

- 16 Constant-Current Output Channels
- Output Current Adjusted By External Resistor
- Constant Output Current Range: 5 mA to 120 mA
- Constant Output Current Invariant to Load Voltage
 Change
- Open-Load and Shorted-Load Detection
- 256-Step Programmable Global Current Gain
- Excellent Output Current Accuracy:
 - Between Channels: < ±6% (Max), 10 mA to 50 mA
 - Between ICs: < ±6% (Max), 10 mA to 50 mA
- 30-MHz Maximum Clock Frequency
- Schmitt-Trigger Input
- 3.3-V or 5-V Supply Voltage
- Thermal Shutdown for Overtemperature
 Protection

2 Applications

- General LED Lighting Applications
- LED Display Systems
- LED Signage
- Automotive LED Lighting
- White Goods

3 Description

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The TLC592x is designed for LED displays and LED lighting applications with open-load, shorted-load, and overtemperature detection, and constant-current control. The TLC592x contains a 16-bit shift register and data latches, which convert serial input data into parallel output format. At the TLC592x output stage, 16 regulated-current ports provide uniform and constant current for driving LEDs within a wide range of V_F (forward voltage) variations. Used in systems designed for LED display applications (for example, LED panels), TLC592x provides great flexibility and device performance. Users can adjust the output current from 5 mA to 120 mA through an external resistor, Rext, which gives flexibility in controlling the light intensity of LEDs. The TLC592x is designed for up to 17 V at the output port. The high clock frequency, 30 MHz, also satisfies the system requirements of high-volume data transmission.

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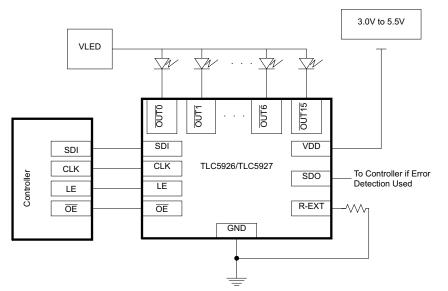
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| Device Information." | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|--------------------|--|--|--|
| PART NUMBER | PACKAGE | BODY SIZE (NOM) | | | |
| TLC5926 | SSOP (24) | 8.65 mm × 3.90 mm | | | |
| | SOIC (24) | 15.40 mm × 7.50 mm | | | |
| | HTSSOP (24) | 7.80 mm × 4.40 mm | | | |
| | SSOP (24) | 8.65 mm × 3.90 mm | | | |
| TLC5927 | SOIC (24) | 15.40 mm × 7.50 mm | | | |
| | HTSSOP (24) | 7.80 mm × 4.40 mm | | | |

Device Information⁽¹⁾

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the datasheet.

Single Implementation of TLC592x Device



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4 Revision History

Changes from Revision A (June 2009) to Revision B

Added Pin Configuration and Functions section, ESD Ratings table, Feature Description section, Device Functional Modes, Application and Implementation section, Power Supply Recommendations section, Layout section, Device

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5 Device Comparison Table

| DEVICE ⁽¹⁾ | OPEN-LOAD DETECTION | SHORT TO GND DETECTION | SHORT TO V _{LED} DETECTION |
|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| TLC5926 | х | х | |
| TLC5927 | х | х | х |

(1) The device has one single error register for all these conditions (one error bit per channe.I)

6 Pin Configuration and Functions

| 24-PIN DBQ, DW, OR PWP PACKAGE (TOP VIEW) | | | | |
|---|----|-----------------|---------|--|
| GND | 1 | J ₂₄ |] VDD | |
| SDI [| 2 | 23 | R-EXT | |
| CLK [| 3 | 22 | SDO | |
| LE(ED1) | 4 | 21 | OE(ED2) | |
| Ουτο [| 5 | 20 | OUT15 | |
| OUT1 | 6 | 19 | OUT14 | |
| OUT2 | 7 | 18 | OUT13 | |
| OUT3 | 8 | 17 | OUT12 | |
| OUT4 | 9 | 16 | OUT11 | |
| Ουτ5 [| 10 | 15 | OUT10 | |
| OUT6 | 11 | 14 | OUT9 | |
| Ουτ7 [| 12 | 13 |] OUT8 | |

Pin Functions

| PIN | | 1/0 | DESCRIPTION | | |
|----------------|------|-----|--|--|--|
| NAME | NO. | 1/0 | DESCRIPTION | | |
| CLK | 3 | I | Clock input pin for data shift on rising edge | | |
| GND | 1 | _ | Ground pin for control logic and current sink | | |
| LE(ED1) | 4 | I | Data strobe input pn Serial data is transferred to the respective latch when LE(ED1) is high. The data is latched when LE(ED1) goes low. Also, a control signal input for an Error Detection mode and Current Adjust mode. LE(ED1) has an internal pulldown. | | |
| OE(ED2) | 21 | I | Output enable pin. When $\overline{\text{OE}}$ (ED2)(active) is low, the output drivers are enabled; when $\overline{\text{OE}}$ (ED2) is high, all output drivers are turned OFF (blanked). Also, a control signal input for an Error Detection mode and Current Adjust mode). $\overline{\text{OE}}$ (ED2) has an internal pullup. | | |
| OUT0–OUT1 5 | 5-20 | 0 | Constant-current output pins | | |
| R-EXT | 23 | I | Input pin used to connect an external resistor for setting up all output currents | | |
| SDI | 2 | I | Serial-data input to the Shift register | | |
| SDO | 22 | 0 | Serial-data output to the following SDI of next driver IC or to the microcontroller | | |
| VDD | 24 | I | Supply voltage pin | | |
| Thermal Pad | - | - | Thermal pad (exposed center pad) to alleviate thermal stress. Tie to GND. See Layout Guidelines for more information. (PWP package only) | | |

7 Specifications

7.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

| | | MIN | MAX | UNIT |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|------|-----------------------|------|
| V _{DD} | Supply voltage | 0 | 7 | V |
| VI | Input voltage | -0.4 | V _{DD} + 0.4 | V |
| Vo | Output voltage | -0.5 | 20 | V |
| I _{OUT} | Output current | | 120 | mA |
| I _{GND} | GND terminal current | | 1920 | mA |
| T _A | Free-air operating temperature range | -40 | 125 | °C |
| TJ | Operating junction temperature range | -40 | 150 | °C |
| T _{stg} | Storage temperature range | -55 | 150 | °C |

7.2 ESD Ratings

| | | | VALUE | UNIT |
|--------------------|-------------------------|---|-------|------|
| | | Human-body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 ⁽¹⁾ | ±2000 | |
| V _(ESD) | Electrostatic discharge | Charged-device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 $^{\left(2\right) }$ | ±500 | V |

(1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

(2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

7.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

| | | TEST | CONDITIONS | MIN | MAX | UNIT |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------|
| V_{DD} | Supply voltage | | | 3 | 5.5 | V |
| Vo | Supply voltage to the output pins | OUT0-OUT15 | | | 17 | V |
| | | DC toot circuit | V _O ≥ 0.6 V | 5 | | A |
| I _O | Output current | DC test circuit | V _O ≥1 V | | 120 | mA |
| I _{OH} | High-level output current | SDO | | | -1 | mA |
| I _{OL} | Low-level output current | SDO | SDO | | 1 | mA |
| VIH | High-level input voltage | CLK, OE(ED2), LE(ED1), and SDI | | $0.7 \times V_{DD}$ | V_{DD} | V |
| VIL | Low-level input voltage | CLK, OE(ED2), LE(ED1 | I), and SDI | 0 | $0.3 \times V_{DD}$ | V |

7.4 Thermal Information

| | | Т | LC5926, TLC592 | 27 | |
|-----------------------|---|------|----------------|------|-------|
| | THERMAL METRIC ⁽¹⁾ | DBQ | DW | PWP | UNIT |
| | | | 24 PINS | | |
| | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance (Mounted on JEDEC 1- layer board (JESD 51-3), No airflow) | 99.8 | 80.5 | 63.9 | |
| $R_{	extsf{	heta}JA}$ | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance (Mounted on JEDEC 4- layer board (JESD 51-7), No airflow) | 61 | 45.5 | 42.7 | |
| | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance (Mounted on JEDEC 4- layer board (JESD 51-5), No airflow) | - | - | 34.5 | °C/W |
| R _{0JC(top)} | Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance | 49.6 | 40.8 | 23.9 | °C/vv |
| $R_{\theta JB}$ | Junction-to-board thermal resistance | 38 | 40.5 | 21.6 | |
| Ψ _{JT} | Junction-to-top characterization parameter | 13.5 | 18 | 0.8 | |
| ψ_{JB} | Junction-to-board characterization parameter | 37.7 | 40.2 | 21.4 | |
| $R_{\theta JC(bot)}$ | Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance | - | - | 5.5 | |

(1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the IC Package Thermal Metrics application report, SPRA953.

7.5 Electrical Characteristics: $V_{DD} = 3 V$

 $V_{DD} = 3 \text{ V}, \text{ } \text{T}_{\text{J}} = -40^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ to } 125^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ (unless otherwise noted)}$

| | PARAMETER | TEST CO | NDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|---|--|---|---|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| Vo | Supply voltage to the output pins | | | | | 17 | V |
| I _O | Output current | V _O ≥ 0.6 V V _O ≥ 1 V | | 5 | | 120 | mA |
| V _{IH} | High-level input voltage | V0 = 1 V | | 0.7 × V _{DD} | | V _{DD} | |
| V _{IL} | Low-level input voltage | | | GND | | 0.3 × V _{DD} | V |
| • IL | | | T _J = 25°C | OND | | 0.5 | |
| l _{leak} | Output leakage current | $V_{OU} = 1/V$ | $T_{\rm J} = 23^{\circ}{\rm C}$ $T_{\rm J} = 125^{\circ}{\rm C}$ | | | 1 | μA |
| V _{OH} | High-level output voltage | SDO, $I_{OL} = -1 \text{ mA}$ | | $V_{DD} - 0.4$ | | | V |
| V _{OL} | Low-level output voltage | SDO, $I_{OH} = 1 \text{ mA}$ | | | | 0.4 | V |
| | Output current 1 | V _{OUT} = 0.6 V, R _{ext} CG = 0.992 | = 720 Ω, | | 26 | | mA |
| I _{O(1)} | Output current error, die-die | $I_{OL} = 26 \text{ mA}, V_O = R_{ext} = 720 \Omega, T_J =$ | | | | ±6% | |
| | Output current error, channel-to- channel | I_{OL} = 26 mA, V _O = R _{ext} = 720 Ω, T _J = | | | | ±6% | |
| | Output current 2 | $V_{O} = 0.8 V, R_{ext} = CG = 0.992$ | | | 52 | | mA |
| I _{O(2)} | Output current error, die-die | $I_{OL} = 52 \text{ mA}, V_O = R_{ext} = 360 \Omega, T_J =$ | | | | ±6% | |
| | Output current error, channel-to- channel | | $I_{\text{ext}} = 52 \text{ mA}, V_0 = 0.8 \text{ V},$ $R_{\text{ext}} = 360 \Omega, T_J = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ | | | ±6% | |
| I _{OUT} vs V _{OUT} | Output current vs output voltage regulation | $V_0 = 1 V \text{ to } 3 V, I_0 = 26 \text{ mA}$ | | | ±0.1 | | 0/ 0/ |
| I _{OUT} vs V _{DD} | Output current vs supply voltage | $V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V to } 5.5 \text{ V},$ $I_{O} = 26 \text{ mA}/120 \text{ mA}$ | | | ±1 | | %/V |
| | Pullup resistance | OE(ED2) | | 250 | 500 | 800 | kΩ |
| | Pulldown resistance | LE(ED1) | | 250 | 500 | 800 | kΩ |
| T _{sd} | Overtemperature shutdown ⁽¹⁾ | | | 150 | 175 | 200 | °C |
| T _{hys} | Restart temperature hysteresis | | | | 15 | | °C |
| I _{OUT,Th} | Threshold current for open error detection | I _{OUT,target} = 5 mA t | o 120 mA | | 0.5% × I _{target} | | |
| V _{OUT,TTh} | Trigger threshold voltage for short-error detection (TLC5927 only) | I _{OUT,target} = 5 mA t | o 120 mA | 2.4 | 2.6 | 3.1 | V |
| V _{OUT, RTh} | Return threshold voltage for short-error detection (TLC5927 only) | I _{OUT,target} = 5 mA t | o 120 mA | 2.2 | | | V |
| | | OUT0-OUT15 = c = V _{IH} | off, $R_{ext} = Open, \overline{OE}$ | | | 10 | |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IH}$ | off, $R_{ext} = 720 \Omega$, | | | 14 | |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IH}$ | off, $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega$, | | | 18 | |
| I _{DD} | Supply current | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IH}$ | off, $R_{ext} = 180 \Omega$, | | | 20 | mA |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IL}$ | on, $R_{ext} = 720 \Omega$, | | | 14 | |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IL}$ | on, $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega$, | | | 18 | |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IL}$ | on, R _{ext} = 180 Ω, | | | 20 | |

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7.6 Electrical Characteristics: $V_{DD} = 5.5 V$

 V_{DD} = 5.5 V, T_{J} = –40°C to 125°C (unless otherwise noted)

| | PARAMETER | TEST CON | DITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|---|--|--|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------|
| Vo | Supply voltage to the output pins | | | | | 17 | V |
| 1 | | $V_{O} \ge 0.6 V$ | | 5 | | | m ^ |
| I _O | Output current | $V_O \ge 1 V$ | | | | 120 | mA |
| V _{IH} | High-level input voltage | | | $0.7 \times V_{DD}$ | | V_{DD} | V |
| V _{IL} | Low-level input voltage | | | GND | | $03 \times V_{DD}$ | v |
| 1 | Output leakage current | V _{OH} = 17 V | = 25°C | | | 0.5 | |
| leak | Output leakage current | V _{OH} = 17 V T _J | = 125°C | | | 1 | μA |
| V _{OH} | High-level output voltage | SDO, $I_{OL} = -1 \text{ mA}$ | | $V_{DD} - 0.4$ | | | V |
| V _{OL} | Low-level output voltage | SDO, I _{OH} = 1 mA | | | | 0.4 | V |
| | Output current 1 | V _{OUT} = 0.6 V, R _{ext} = CG = 0.992 | 720 Ω, | | 26 | | mA |
| I _{O(1)} | Output current error, die-die | $I_{OL} = 26 \text{ mA}, V_O = 0$ $R_{ext} = 720 \Omega, T_J = 28$ | | | | ±6% | |
| | Output current error, channel-to- channel | $I_{OL} = 26 \text{ mA}, V_O = 0$ $R_{ext} = 720 \Omega, T_J = 28$ | .6 V, | | | ±6% | |
| | Output current 2 | $V_0 = 0.8 \text{ V}, R_{ext} = 36$ CG = 0.992 | | | 52 | | mA |
| I _{O(2)} | Output current error, die-die | $I_{OL} = 52 \text{ mA}, V_O = 0$ $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega, T_{-1} = 23$ | | | | ±6% | |
| | Output current error, channel-to- channel | $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega, T_J = 25^{\circ}C$ $OL = 52 \text{ mA}, V_O = 0.8 \text{ V},$ $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega, T_J = 25^{\circ}C$ | | | | ±6% | |
| I _{OUT} vs V _{OUT} | Output current vs output voltage regulation | $V_{O} = 1 V \text{ to } 3 V \text{, } I_{O} = 26 \text{ mA}$ | | | ±0.1 | | |
| I _{OUT} vs V _{DD} | Output current vs supply voltage | V _{DD} = 3.0 V to 5.5 V, I _O = 26 mA/120 mA | | | ±1 | | %/V |
| | Pullup resistance | OE(ED2), | | 250 | 500 | 800 | kΩ |
| | Pulldown resistance | LE(ED1), | | 250 | 500 | 800 | kΩ |
| T _{sd} | Overtemperature shutdown ⁽¹⁾ | | | 150 | 175 | 200 | °C |
| T _{hys} | Restart temperature hysteresis | | | | 15 | | °C |
| I _{OUT,Th} | Threshold current for open error detection | I _{OUT,target} = 5 mA to | 120 mA | | 0.5% × I _{target} | | |
| V _{OUT,TTh} | Trigger threshold voltage for short-error detection (TLC5927 only) | I _{OUT,target} = 5 mA to | 120 mA | 2.4 | 2.6 | 3.1 | V |
| V _{OUT, RTh} | Return threshold voltage for short-error detection (TLC5927 only) | I _{OUT,target} = 5 mA to | 120 mA | 2.2 | | | V |
| | | OUT0–OUT15 = off, = V _{IH} | $R_{ext} = Open, \overline{OE}$ | | | 11 | |
| | | $\frac{OU}{OE} = V_{IH}$ | R _{ext} = 720 Ω, | | | 17 | |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IH}$ | R _{ext} = 360 Ω, | | | 18 | |
| I _{DD} | Supply current | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15 = off, R_{ext} = 180 \Omega,}{OE = V_{IH}}$ | | | | 25 | mA |
| | | $\frac{OU}{OE} = V_{IL}$ | R _{ext} = 720 Ω, | | | 17 | |
| | | $\frac{OUT0-OUT15}{OE} = V_{IL}$ | $R_{ext} = 360 \ \Omega,$ | | | 18 | |
| | | $\frac{OU}{OE} = V_{IL}$ | R _{ext} = 180 Ω, | | | 25 | |

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7.7 Timing Recommendations

 $V_{DD} = 3 V$ to 5.5 V (unless otherwise noted)

| | | | MIN | MAX | UNIT |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|---|------|-----|------|
| t _{w(L)} | LE(ED1) pulse duration | Normal mode | 20 | | ns |
| t _{w(CLK)} | CLK pulse duration | Normal mode | 20 | | ns |
| t _{w(OE)} | OE(ED2) pulse duration | Normal mode | 1000 | | ns |
| t _{su(D)} | Setup time for SDI | Normal mode | 7 | | ns |
| t _{h(D)} | Hold time for SDI | Normal mode | 3 | | ns |
| t _{su(L)} | Setup time for LE(ED1) | Normal mode | 18 | | ns |
| t _{h(L)} | Hold time for LE(ED1) | Normal mode | 18 | | ns |
| t _{w(CLK)} | CLK pulse duration | Error Detection mode | 20 | | ns |
| t _{w(ED2)} | OE(ED2) pulse duration | Error Detection mode | 2000 | | ns |
| t _{su(ED1)} | Setup time for LE(ED1) | Error Detection mode | 7 | | ns |
| t _{h(ED1)} | Hold time for LE(ED1) | Error Detection mode | 10 | | ns |
| t _{su(ED2)} | Setup time for OE(ED2) | Error Detection mode | 7 | | ns |
| t _{h(ED2)} | Hold time for $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ | Error Detection mode | 10 | | ns |
| f _{CLK} | Clock frequency | Cascade operation, V _{DD} = 3 V to 5.5 V | | 30 | MHz |

7.8 Switching Characteristics: V_{DD} = 3 V

 V_{DD} = 3 V, T_{J} = –40°C to 125°C (unless otherwise noted)

| | PARAMETER | TEST CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|----------------------------|--|--|------|-----|-----|------|
| t _{PLH1} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, CLK to OUTn | | 35 | 65 | 105 | ns |
| t _{PLH2} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, LE(ED1) to OUTn | | 35 | 65 | 105 | ns |
| t _{PLH3} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, $\overline{\text{OE}}(\text{ED2})$ to OUTn | | 35 | 65 | 105 | ns |
| t _{PLH4} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, CLK to SDO | | | 20 | 45 | ns |
| t _{PHL1} | High-to-low propagation delay time, CLK to OUTn | | 200 | 300 | 470 | ns |
| t _{PHL2} | High-to-low propagation delay time, LE(ED1) to OUTn | | 200 | 300 | 470 | ns |
| t _{PHL3} | High-to-low propagation delay time, $\overline{\text{OE}}(\text{ED2})$ to OUTn | | 200 | 300 | 470 | ns |
| t _{PHL4} | High-to-low propagation delay time, CLK to SDO | | | 20 | 40 | ns |
| t _{w(CLK)} | Pulse duration, CLK | | 20 | | | ns |
| t _{w(L)} | Pulse duration LE(ED1) | $V_{IH} = V_{DD}, V_{IL} = GND,$ | 20 | | | ns |
| t _{w(OE)} | Pulse duration, $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ | $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega, V_L = 4 V,$ R _L = 44 Ω, C _L = 70 pF, | 1000 | | | ns |
| t _{w(ED2)} | Pulse duration, $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ in Error Detection mode | CG = 0.992 | 2 | | | μs |
| t _{h(ED1,ED2)} | Hold time, LE(ED1), and $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ | | 10 | | | ns |
| t _{h(D)} | Hold time, SDI | | 5 | | | ns |
| t _{su(D,ED1,ED2)} | Setup time, SDI, LE(ED1), and OE(ED2) | | 7 | | | ns |
| t _{h(L)} | Hold time, LE(ED1), Normal mode | | 18 | | | ns |
| t _{su(L)} | Setup time, LE(ED1), Normal mode | | 18 | | | ns |
| t _r | Rise time, CLK ⁽¹⁾ | | | | 500 | ns |
| t _f | Fall time, CLK ⁽¹⁾ | | | | 500 | ns |
| t _{or} | Rise time, outputs (off) | | | | 245 | ns |
| t _{of} | Rise time, outputs (on) | | | | 600 | ns |
| f _{CLK} | Clock frequency | Cascade operation | | | 30 | MHz |

(1) If the devices are connected in cascade and t_r or t_f is large, it may be critical to achieve the timing required for data transfer between two cascaded devices.

7.9 Switching Characteristics: $V_{DD} = 5.5 V$

 V_{DD} = 5.5 V, T_{J} = –40 $^{\circ}\underline{C}$ to 125 $^{\circ}\underline{C}$ (unless otherwise noted)

| | PARAMETER | TEST CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|----------------------------|--|---|------|-----|-----|------|
| t _{PLH1} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, CLK to OUTn | | 27 | 65 | 95 | ns |
| t _{PLH2} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, LE(ED1) to OUTn | | 27 | 65 | 95 | ns |
| t _{PLH3} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, $\overline{\text{OE}}(\text{ED2})$ to OUTn | | 27 | 65 | 95 | ns |
| t _{PLH4} | Low-to-high propagation delay time, CLK to SDO | | | 20 | 30 | ns |
| t _{PHL1} | High-to-low propagation delay time, CLK to OUTn | | 180 | 300 | 445 | ns |
| t _{PHL2} | High-to-low propagation delay time, LE(ED1) to OUTn | | 180 | 300 | 445 | ns |
| t _{PHL3} | High-to-low propagation delay time, $\overline{\text{OE}}(\text{ED2})$ to OUTn | | 180 | 300 | 445 | ns |
| t _{PHL4} | High-to-low propagation delay time, CLK to SDO | | | 20 | 30 | ns |
| t _{w(CLK)} | Pulse duration, CLK | | 20 | | | ns |
| t _{w(L)} | Pulse duration LE(ED1) | $V_{IH} = V_{DD}, V_{IL} = GND,$ | 20 | | | ns |
| t _{w(OE)} | Pulse duration, $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ | $R_{ext} = 360 \Omega, V_L = 4 V,$ $R_L = 44 \Omega, C_L = 70 pF,$ | 1000 | | | ns |
| t _{w(ED2)} | Pulse duration, $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ in Error Detection mode | CG = 0.992 | 2 | | | μs |
| t _{h(ED1,ED2)} | Hold time, LE(ED1), and $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ | | 10 | | | ns |
| t _{h(D)} | Hold time, SDI | | 3 | | | ns |
| t _{su(D,ED1,ED2)} | Setup time, SDI, LE(ED1), and OE(ED2) | | 4 | | | ns |
| t _{h(L)} | Hold time, LE(ED1), Normal mode | | 15 | | | ns |
| t _{su(L)} | Setup time, LE(ED1), Normal mode | | 15 | | | ns |
| t _r | Rise time, CLK ⁽¹⁾ | | | | 500 | ns |
| t _f | Fall time, CLK ⁽¹⁾ | | | | 500 | ns |
| t _{or} | Rise time, outputs (off) | | | | 245 | ns |
| t _{of} | Rise time, outputs (on) | | | | 570 | ns |
| f _{CLK} | Clock frequency | Cascade operation | | | 30 | MHz |

(1) If the devices are connected in cascade and t_r or t_f is large, it may be critical to achieve the timing required for data transfer between two cascaded devices.

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7.10 Typical Characteristics

Figure 1: At low voltage levels (V_0), the output current (I_0) may be limited. Figure 1 shows the dependency of the output current on the output voltage.

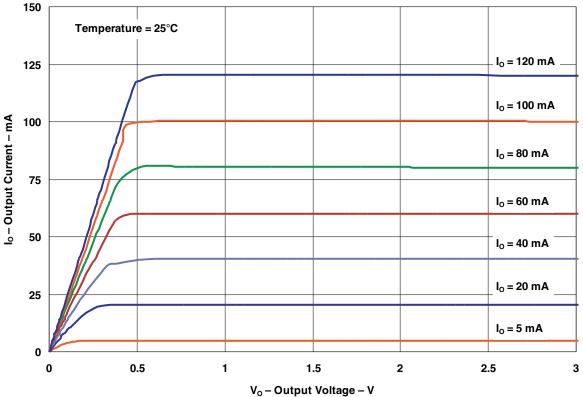
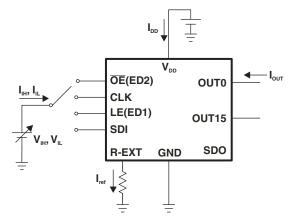


Figure 1. Output Current vs Output Voltage



8 Parameter Measurement Information





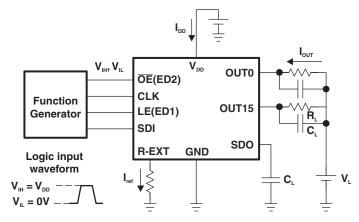
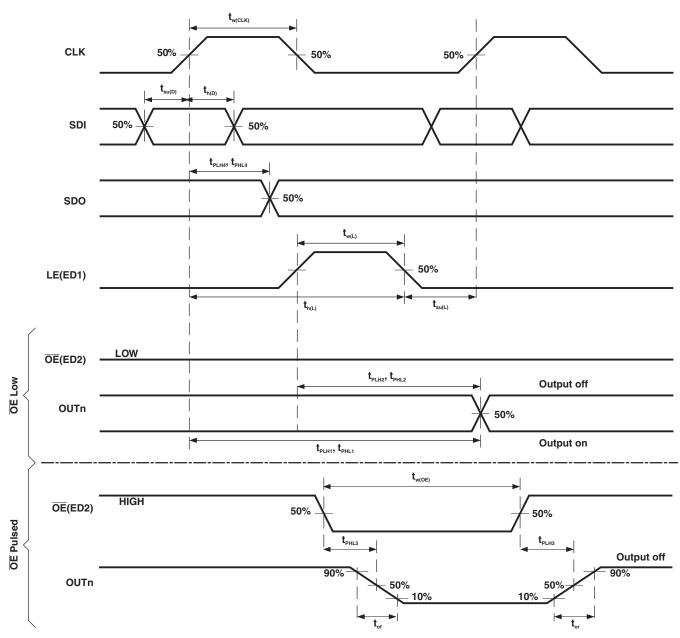


Figure 3. Test Circuit for Switching Characteristics



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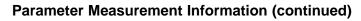


Parameter Measurement Information (continued)

Figure 4. Normal Mode Timing Waveforms

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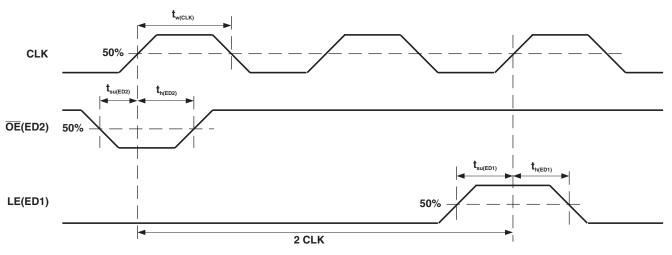


Figure 5. Switching to Special Mode Timing Waveforms

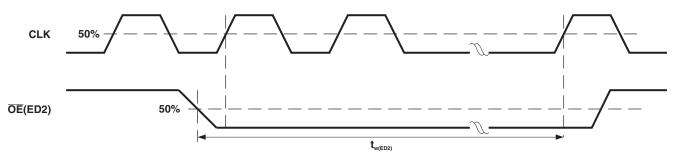


Figure 6. Reading Error Status Code Timing Waveforms

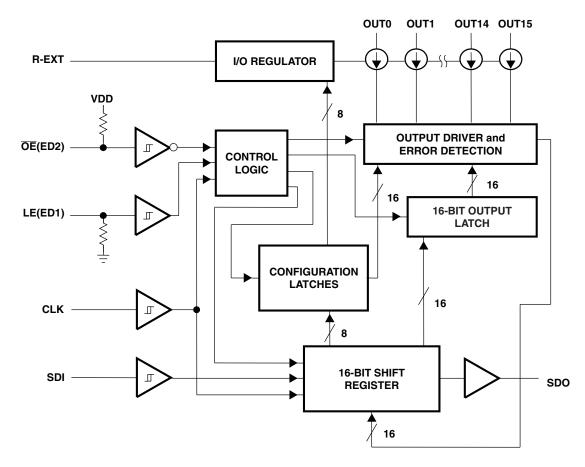


9 Detailed Description

9.1 Overview

The TLC592x is designed for LED displays and LED lighting applications with open-load, shorted-load, and overtemperature detection, and constant-current control. The TLC592x contains a 16-bit shift register and data latches, which convert serial input data into parallel output format. At the TLC592x output stage, 16 regulated-current ports provide uniform and constant current for driving LEDs within a wide range of VF (Forward Voltage) variations. Used in systems designed for LED display applications (e.g., LED panels), TLC592x provides great flexibility and device performance. Users can adjust the output current from 5 mA to 120 mA through an external resistor, R_{ext} , which gives flexibility in controlling the light intensity of LEDs. TLC592x is designed for up to 17 V at the output port. The high clock frequency, 30 MHz, also satisfies the system requirements of high-volume data transmission.

9.2 Functional Block Diagram



9.3 Feature Description

9.3.1 Open-Circuit Detection Principle

The LED Open-Circuit Detection compares the effective current level I_{OUT} with the open load detection threshold current $I_{OUT,Th}$. If I_{OUT} is below the $I_{OUT,Th}$ threshold, the TLC592x detects an open-load condition. This error status can be read as an error status code in the Special mode. For open-circuit error detection, a channel must be on.

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Feature Description (continued)

| STATE OF OUTPUT PORT | CONDITION OF OUTPUT CURRENT | ERROR STATUS CODE | MEANING |
|----------------------|---|-------------------|------------------------|
| Off | I _{OUT} = 0 mA | 0 | Detection not possible |
| 0.7 | I _{OUT} < I _{OUT,Th} ⁽¹⁾ | 0 | Open circuit |
| On | I _{OUT} ≥ I _{OUT,Th} ⁽¹⁾ | 1 | Normal |

Table 1. Open-Circuit Detection

(1) $I_{OUT,Th} = 0.5 \times I_{OUT,target}$ (typical)

9.3.2 Short-Circuit Detection Principle (TLC5927 Only)

The LED short-circuit detection compares the effective voltage level V_{OUT} with the shorted-load detection threshold voltages $V_{OUT,TTh}$ and $V_{OUT,RTh}$. If V_{OUT} is above the $V_{OUT,TTh}$ threshold, the TLC5927 detects a shorted-load condition. If the V_{OUT} is below $V_{OUT,RTh}$ threshold, no error is detected and the error bit is reset. This error status can be read as an error status code in the Special mode. For short-circuit error detection, a channel must be on.

Table 2. Short-Circuit Detection

| STATE OF OUTPUT PORT | CONDITION OF OUTPUT VOLTAGE | ERROR STATUS CODE | MEANING |
|----------------------|---|-------------------|------------------------|
| Off | I _{OUT} = 0 mA | 0 | Detection not possible |
| 0- | V _{OUT} ≥ V _{OUT,TTh} | 0 | Short circuit |
| On | V _{OUT} < V _{OUT,RTh} | 1 | Normal |

9.3.3 Overtemperature Detection and Shutdown

The TLC592x is equipped with a global overtemperature sensor and 16 individual, channel-specific overtemperature sensors.

- When the global sensor reaches the trip temperature, all output channels are shutdown, and the error status is stored in the internal Error Status register of every channel. After shutdown, the channels automatically restart after cooling down, if the control signal (output latch) remains on. The stored error status is not reset after cooling down and can be read out as the error status code in the Special mode.
- When one of the channel-specific sensors reaches trip temperature, only the affected output channel is shut down, and the error status is stored only in the internal Error Status register of the affected channel. After shutdown, the channel automatically restarts after cooling down, if the control signal (output latch) remains on. The stored error status is not reset after cooling down and can be read out as error status code in the Special mode.

For channel-specific overtemperature error detection, a channel must be on.

The error status code is reset when the TLC592x returns to Normal mode.

| STATE OF OUTPUT PORT | CONDITION | ERROR STATUS CODE | MEANING |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Off | I _{OUT} = 0 mA | 0 | |
| On | T _j < T _{j,trip} global | 1 | Normal |
| $On \rightarrow all channels$ | $T_j > T_{j,trip}$ global | All error status bits = 0 | Global overtemperature |
| On | T _j < T _{j,trip} channel n | 1 | Normal |
| $On \rightarrow Off$ | T _j > T _{j,trip} channel n | Channel n error status bit = 0 | Channel n overtemperature |

Table 3. Overtemperature Detection⁽¹⁾

(1) The global shutdown threshold temperature is approximately 170°C.



9.4 Device Functional Modes

The TLC592x provides a Special Mode in which two functions are included, Error Detection and Current Gain Control. In the TLC592x there are two operation modes and three phases: Normal Mode phase, Mode Switching transition phase, and Special mode phase. The signal on the multiple-function pin $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ is monitored, and when a one-clock-wide short pulse appears on $\overline{OE}(ED2)$, TLC592x enters the Mode Switching phase. At this time, the voltage level on LE(ED1) determines the next mode into which the TLC592x switches.

In the Normal Mode phase, the serial data is transferred into TLC592x via SDI, shifted in the shift register, and transferred out via SDO. LE(ED1) can latch the serial data in the shift register to the output latch. OE(ED2) enables the output drivers to sink current.

In the Special Mode phase, the low-voltage-level signal $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ can enable output channels and detect the status of the output current, to tell if the driving current level is enough or not. The detected error status is loaded into the 16-bit shift register and shifted out via SDO, along with the CLK signal. The system controller can read the error status to determine whether or not the LEDs are properly lit. In the Special Mode phase, TLC592x also allows users to adjust the output current level by setting a runtime-programmable Configuration Code. The code is sent into TLC592x via SDI. The positive pulse of LE(ED1) latches the code in the shift register into a built-in 8-bit configuration latch, instead of the output latch. The code affects the voltage at R-EXT and controls the output current regulator. The output current can be adjusted finely by a gain ranging from 1/12 to 127/128 in 256 steps. Therefore, the current skew between ICs can be compensated within less than 1%, and this feature is suitable for white balancing in LED color-display panels.

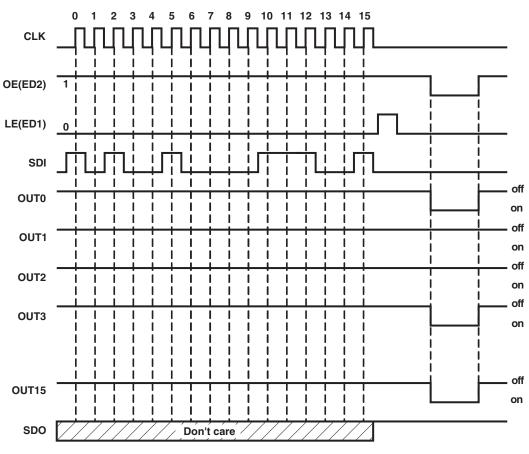


Figure 7. Normal Mode

Table 4. Truth Table in Normal Mode

| CLK | LE(ED1) | OE(ED2) | SDI | OUT0OUT15 | SDO |
|-----|---------|---------|-----|-----------------|---------|
| 1 | Н | L | Dn | DnDn – 7Dn – 15 | Dn – 15 |

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Device Functional Modes (continued)

| CLK | LE(ED1) | OE(ED2) | SDI | OUT0OUT15 | SDO |
|--------------|---------|---------|--------|---------------------|---------|
| ↑ | L | L | Dn + 1 | No change | Dn – 14 |
| ↑ | Н | L | Dn + 2 | Dn + 2Dn – 5Dn – 13 | Dn – 13 |
| Ļ | Х | L | Dn + 3 | Dn + 2Dn – 5Dn – 13 | Dn – 13 |
| \downarrow | Х | Н | Dn + 3 | off | Dn – 13 |

Table 4. Truth Table in Normal Mode (continued)

The signal sequence shown in Figure 8 makes the TLC592x enter Current Adjust and Error Detection mode.

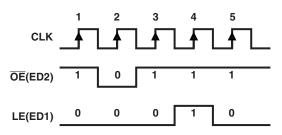


Figure 8. Switching to Special Mode

In the Current Adjust mode, sending the positive pulse of LE(ED1), the content of the shift register (a current adjust code) is written to the 16-bit configuration latch (see Figure 9).

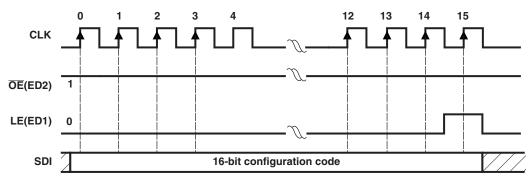


Figure 9. Writing Configuration Code

When the TLC592x is in the error detection mode, the signal sequence shown in Figure 10 enables a system controller to read error status codes through SDO.

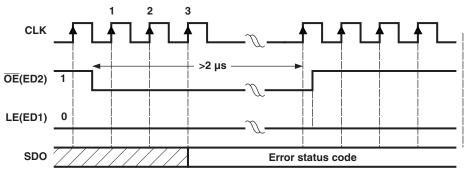


Figure 10. Reading Error Status Code

The signal sequence shown in Figure 11 makes TLC592x resume the Normal mode. Switching to Normal mode resets all internal Error Status registers. \overrightarrow{OE} (ED2) always enables the output port, whether the TLC592x enters current adjust mode or not.



CLK CLK OE(ED2) 1 0 1 1

LE(ED1) 0 0 0 0

Figure 11. Switching to Normal Mode

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9.4.1 Operation Mode Switching

In <u>order</u> to switch between its two modes, TLC592x monitors the signal $\overline{OE}(ED2)$. When a one-clock-wide pulse of $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ appears, TLC592x enters the two-clock-period transition phase, the Mode Switching phase. After power on, the default operation mode is the Normal Mode (see Figure 12).

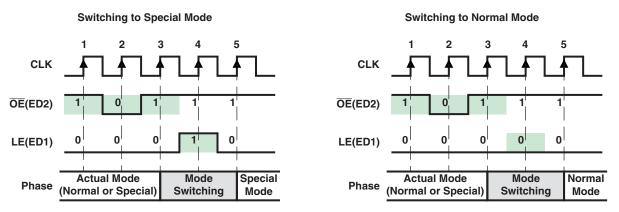


Figure 12. Mode Switching

As shown in Figure 12, once a one-clock-wide short pulse (101) of $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ appears, TLC592x enters the Mode Switching phase. At the fourth rising edge of CLK, if LE(ED1) is sampled as voltage high, TLC592x switches to Special mode; otherwise, it switches to Normal mode. The signal LE(ED1) between the third and the fifth rising edges of CLK cannot latch any data. Its level is used only to determine into which mode to switch. However, the short pulse of $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ can still enable the output ports. During mode switching, the serial data can still be transferred through SDI and shifted out from SDO.

NOTES:

- 1. The signal sequence for the mode switching may be used frequently to ensure that the TLC592x is in the proper mode.
- 2. The 1 and 0 on the LE(ED1) signal are sampled at the rising edge of CLK. The X means its level does not affect the result of mode switching mechanism.
- 3. After power on, the default operation mode is Normal mode.

9.4.2 Normal Mode Phase

Serial data is transferred into TLC592x through SDI, shifted in the Shift Register, and output through SDO. LE(ED1) can latch the serial data in the Shift Register to the Output Latch. OE(ED2) enables the output drivers to sink current. These functions differ only as described in Operation Mode Switching, in which case, a short pulse triggers TLC592x to switch the operation mode. However, as long as LE(ED1) is high in the Mode Switching phase, TLC592x remains in the Normal mode, as if no mode switching occurred.

9.4.3 Special Mode Phase

In the Special mode, as long as $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ is not low, the serial data is shifted to the Shift Register through SDI and shifted out through SDO, as in the Normal mode. However, there are two differences between the Special Mode and the Normal Mode, as shown in the following sections.

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9.4.3.1 Reading Error Status Code in Special Mode

When $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ is pulled low while in Special mode, error detection and load error status codes are loaded into the Shift Register, in addition to enabling output ports to sink current. Figure 13 shows the timing sequence for error detection. The 0 and 1 signal levels are sampled at the rising edge of each CLK. At least three zeros must be sampled at the voltage low signal $\overline{OE}(ED2)$. Immediately after the second 0 is sampled, the data input source of the Shift Register changes to the 16-bit parallel Error Status Code register, instead of from the serial data on SDI. Normally, the error status codes are generated at least 2 µs after the falling edge of $\overline{OE}(ED2)$. The occurrence of the third or later 0 saves the detected error status codes into the Shift Register. Therefore, when $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ is low, the serial data cannot be shifted into TLC592x through SDI. When $\overline{OE}(ED2)$ is pulled high, the data input source of the Shift Register is changed back to SDI. At the same time, the output ports are disabled and the error detection is completed. Then, the error status codes saved in the Shift Register can be shifted out through SDO bit-by-bit along with CLK. Additionally, the new serial data can be shifted into TLC592x through SDI.

While in Special mode, the TLC592x cannot simultaneously transfer serial data and detect LED load error status.

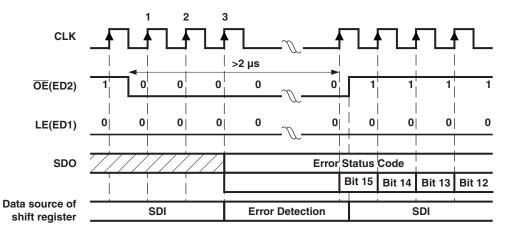
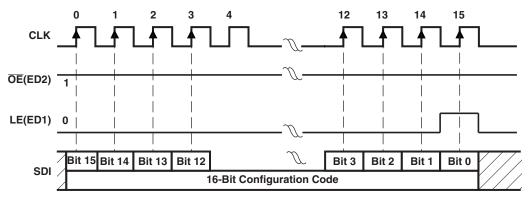


Figure 13. Reading Error Status Code

9.4.4 Writing Configuration Code in Special Mode

When in Special mode, the active high signal LE(ED1) latches the serial data in the Shift Register to the Configuration Latch, instead of the Output Latch. The latched serial data is used as the Configuration Code.

The code is stored until power off or the Configuration Latch is rewritten. As shown in Figure 14, the timing for writing the Configuration Code is the same as the timing in the Normal Mode to latching output channel data. Both the Configuration Code and Error Status Code are transferred in the common 16-bit Shift Register. Users must pay attention to the sequence of error detection and current adjustment to avoid the the Error Status Code overwriting the Configuration Code.







10 Application and Implementation

NOTE

Information in the following applications sections is not part of the TI component specification, and TI does not warrant its accuracy or completeness. TI's customers are responsible for determining suitability of components for their purposes. Customers should validate and test their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

10.1 Application Information

10.1.1 Constant Current

In LED display applications, TLC592x provides nearly no current variations from channel to channel and from IC to IC. While $I_{OUT} \le 50$ mA, the maximum current skew between channels is less than ±6% and between ICs is less than ±6%.

10.1.2 Adjusting Output Current

TLC592x scales up the reference current, I_{ref} , set by the external resistor R_{ext} to sink a current, I_{out} , at each output port. Users can follow Equation 1, Equation 2, and Equation 3 to calculate the target output current $I_{OUT,target}$ in the saturation region:

$$V_{R-EXT} = 1.26 V \times VG$$

$$I_{ref} = V_{R-EXT}/R_{ext}, \text{ if another end of the external resistor } R_{ext} \text{ is connected to ground.}$$

$$I_{OUT,target} = I_{ref} \times 15 \times 3^{CM-1}$$
(3)

Where R_{ext} is the resistance of the external resistor connected to the R-EXT terminal, and V_{R-EXT} is the voltage of R-EXT, which is controlled by the programmable voltage gain (VG), which is defined by the Configuration Code. The Current Multiplier (CM) determines that the ratio $I_{OUT,target}/I_{ref}$ is 15 or 5. After power on, the default value of VG is 127/128 = 0.992, and the default value of CM is 1, so that the ratio $I_{OUT,target}/I_{ref}$ = 15. Based on the default VG and CM.

Therefore, the default current is approximately 52 mA at 360 Ω and 26 mA at 720 Ω . The default relationship after power on between I_{OUT,target} and R_{ext} is shown in Figure 15.

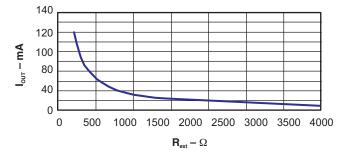


Figure 15. Default Relationship Curve Between IOUT, target and Rext

10.1.3 16-Bit Configuration Code and Current Gain

Table 5 lists bit definition of the Configuration Code in the Configuration Latch.

| | Bit 0 | Bit 1 | Bit 2 | Bit 3 | Bit 4 | Bit 5 | Bit 6 | Bit 7 | Bit 8–15 |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|
| Meaning | СМ | HC | CC0 | CC1 | CC2 | CC3 | CC4 | CC5 | Don't care |
| Default | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Х |

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Bit 7 is first sent into TLC592x through SDI. Bits 1 to 7 {HC, CC[0:5]} determine the voltage gain (VG) that affects the voltage at R-EXT and indirectly affects the reference current, I_{ref} , flowing through the external resistor at R-EXT. Bit 0 is the Current Multiplier (CM) that determines the ratio $I_{OUT,target}/I_{ref}$. Each combination of VG and CM gives a specific Current Gain (CG).

- VG: the relationship between {HC,CC[0:5]} and the voltage gain is calculated as shown in Equation 6 and Equation 7:
 - $VG = (1 + HC) \times (1 + D/64) / 4$

 $D = CC0 \times 2^{5} + CC1 \times 2^{4} + CC2 \times 2^{3} + CC3 \times 2^{2} + CC4 \times 2^{1} + CC5 \times 2^{0}$

Where HC is 1 or 0, and D is the binary value of CC[0:5]. So, the VG could be regarded as a floating-point number with 1-bit exponent HC and 6-bit mantissa CC[0:5]. {HC,CC[0:5]} divides the programmable voltage gain VG into 128 steps and two subbands:

Low voltage subband (HC = 0): VG = $1/4 \sim 127/256$, linearly divided into 64 steps

High voltage subband (HC = 1): VG = $1/2 \sim 127/128$, linearly divided into 64 steps

- CM: In addition to determining the ratio I_{OUT,target}/I_{ref}, CM limits the output current range. High Current Multiplier (CM = 1): I_{OUT,target}/I_{ref} = 15, suitable for output current range I_{OUT} = 10 mA to 120 mA. Low Current Multiplier (CM = 0): I_{OUT,target}/I_{ref} = 5, suitable for output current range I_{OUT} = 5 mA to 40 mA
- CG: The total Current Gain is defined as Equation 8, Equation 9, Equation 10, and Equation 11.

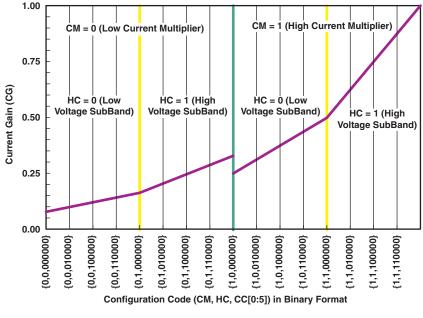
 $V_{R-EXT} = 1.26 V \times VG$ $I_{ref} = V_{R-EXT}/R_{ext}, \text{ if the external resistor, } R_{ext}, \text{ is connected to ground.}$ $I_{OUT,target} = I_{ref} \times 15 \times 3^{CM-1} = 1.26 V/R_{ext} \times VG \times 15 \times 3^{CM-1} = (1.26 V/R_{ext} \times 15) \times CG$ $CG = VG \times 3^{CM-1}$ (11)

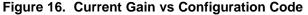
Therefore, CG = (1/12) to (127/128) divided into 256 steps.

Examples

- Configuration Code {CM, HC, CC[0:5]} = {1,1,11111}
 VG = 127/128 = 0.992 and CG = VG × 3⁰ = VG = 0.992
- Configuration Code = {1,1,000000}
 VG = (1 + 1) × (1 + 0/64)/4 = 1/2 = 0.5, and CG = 0.5
- Configuration Code = {0,0,000000}
 VG = (1 + 0) × (1 + 0/64)/4 = 1/4, and CG = (1/4) × 3⁻¹ = 1/12

After power on, the default value of the Configuration Code {CM, HC, CC[0:5]} is $\{1,1,11111\}$. Therefore, VG = CG = 0.992. The relationship between the Configuration Code and the Current Gain is shown in Figure 16.





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10.2 Typical Application

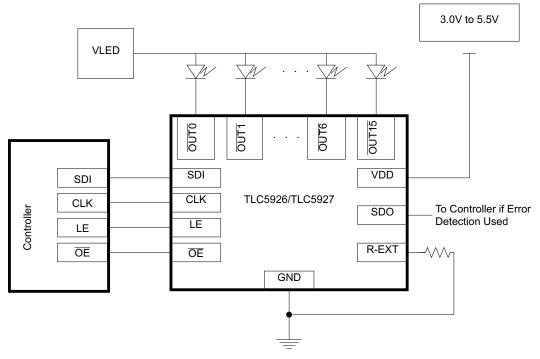


Figure 17. Single Implementation of TLC592x Device

10.2.1 Design Requirements

For this design example, use the parameters listed in Table 6. The purpose of this design procedure is to calculate the power dissipation in the device and the operating junction temperature.

| Table 6. | Design | Parameters |
|----------|--------|------------|
|----------|--------|------------|

| DESIGN PARAMETERS | EXAMPLE VALUES |
|---|----------------|
| No. of LED strings | 16 |
| No. of LEDs per string | 3 |
| LED current (mA) | 20 |
| Forward voltage of each LED (V) | 3.5 |
| Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance (°C/W) | 40 |
| Ambient temperature of application (°C) | 115 |
| V _{DD} (V) | 5 |
| I _{DD} (mA) | 17 |
| Max operating junction temperature (°C) | 150 |

10.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

 $T_{J} = T_{A} + \theta_{JA} \times P_{D_TOT}$

where

- T_J is the junction temperature
- T_A is the ambient temperature
- θ_{JA} is the junction-to-ambient thermal resistance
- $P_{D \text{ TOT}}$ is the total power dissipation in the IC

(12)

 $\mathsf{P}_{\mathsf{D_TOT}} = \mathsf{P}_{\mathsf{D_CS}} + \mathsf{I}_{\mathsf{DD}} \times \mathsf{V}_{\mathsf{DD}}$

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where

| P_{D_CS} is the power dissipation in the LED current sinks I_{DD} is the IC supply current V_{DD} is the IC supply voltage | (13) |
|--|------|
| $P_{D_{-}CS} = I_{O} \times V_{O} \times n_{CH}$ | |
| where | |
| • I _o is the LED current | |
| V_o is the voltage at the output pin | |
| n _{CH} is the number of LED strings | (14) |
| $V_{O} = V_{LED} - (n_{LED} \times V_{F})$ | |
| where | |
| V_{LED} is the voltage applied to the LED string | |
| n_{LED} is the number of LEDs in the string | |
| • V _F is the forward voltage of each LED | (15) |
| | |

 V_O should not be too high as this will cause excess power dissipation inside the current sink. However, V_O should also not be loo low as this will not allow the full LED current (refer to the output voltage vs. output current graph). With $V_{LED} = 12$ V:

| $V_0 = 12 V - (3 \times 3.5 V) = 1.5 V$ | (16) |
|---|------|
| P _{D_CS} = 20 mA × 1.5 V × 16 = 0.48 W | (17) |

Using $P_{D CS}$, calculate:

$$P_{D \text{ TOT}} = P_{D \text{ CS}} + I_{DD} \times V_{DD} = 0.48 \text{ W} + 0.017 \text{ A} \times 5 \text{ V} = 0.565 \text{ W}$$
(18)

Using $P_{D_{-}TOT}$, calculate:

$$T_J = T_A + \theta_{JA} \times P_{D \text{ TOT}} = 115^{\circ}\text{C} + 40^{\circ}\text{C/W} \times 0.565 \text{ W} = 137.6^{\circ}\text{C}$$

This design example has demonstrated how to calculate power dissipation in the IC and ensure that the junction temperature is kept below 150°C.

NOTE

This design example assumes that all channels have the same electrical parameters (n_{LED} , I_O , V_F , V_{LED}). If the parameters are unique for each channel, then the power dissipation must be calculated for each current sink separately. Then, each result must be added together to calculate the total power dissipation in the current sinks.

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10.2.3 Application Curve

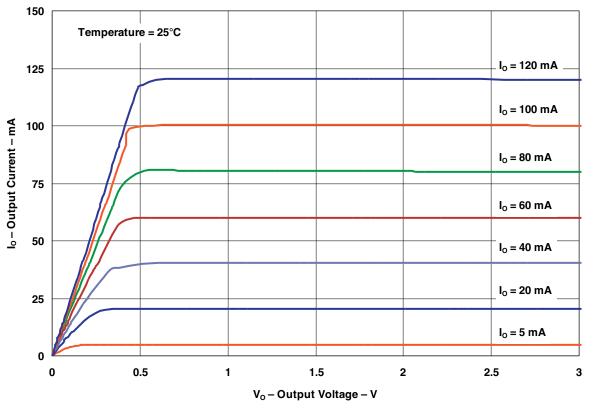


Figure 18. Output Current vs Output Voltage



11 Power Supply Recommendations

The device is designed to operate from a VDD supply between 3 V and 5.5 V. The LED supply voltage should be determined by the number of LEDs in each string and the forward voltage of the LEDs. The maximum recommended supply voltage on the output pins (OUT0-OUT15) is 17V.

12 Layout

12.1 Layout Guidelines

The traces that carry current from the LED cathodes to the OUTx pins must be wide enough to support the default current (up to 120 mA).

The SDI, CLK, LE(ED1), OE(ED2), and SDO pins should be connected to the microcontroller. There are several ways to achieve this, including the following methods:

- Traces may be routed underneath the package on the top layer.
- The signal may travel through a via to another layer.

The thermal pad in the PWP package should be connected to the ground plane through thermal relief vias. This layout technique will improve the thermal performance of the package.

12.2 Layout Example

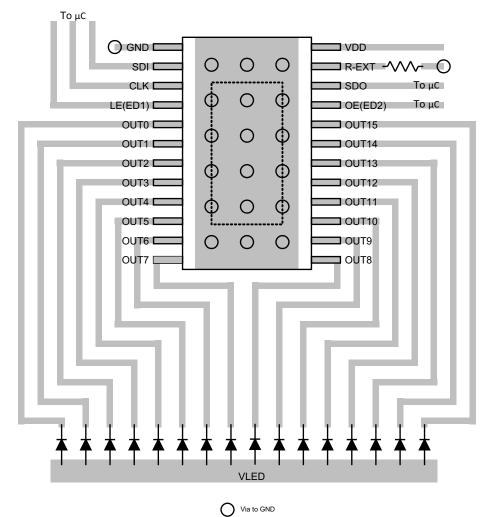
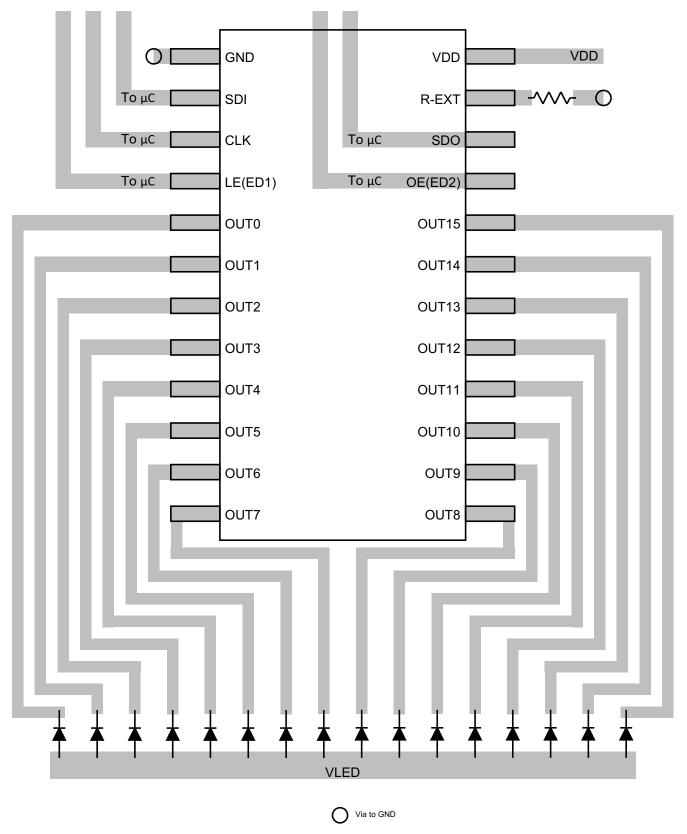


Figure 19. PWP Layout Example

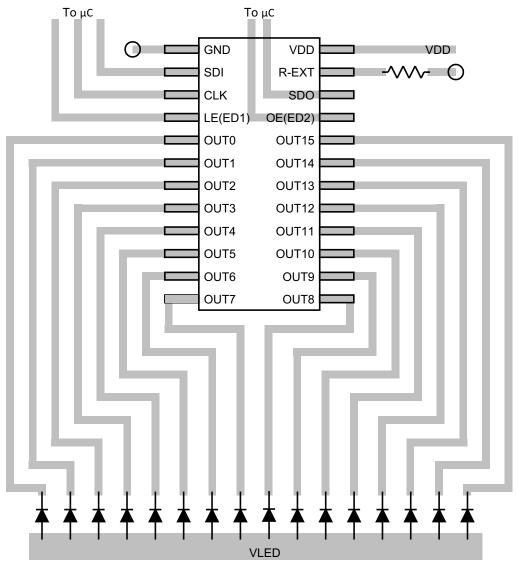


Layout Example (continued)





Layout Example (continued)



Via to GND

Figure 21. DBQ Layout Example



13 Device and Documentation Support

13.1 Related Links

The table below lists quick access links. Categories include technical documents, support and community resources, tools and software, and quick access to sample or buy.

| PARTS | PRODUCT FOLDER | SAMPLE & BUY | TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS | TOOLS & SOFTWARE | SUPPORT & COMMUNITY |
|---------|----------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| TLC5926 | Click here | Click here | Click here | Click here | Click here |
| TLC5927 | Click here | Click here | Click here | Click here | Click here |

Table 7. Related Links

13.2 Trademarks

All trademarks are the property of their respective owners.

13.3 Electrostatic Discharge Caution



These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.

13.4 Glossary

SLYZ022 — TI Glossary.

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

14 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

The following pages include mechanical, packaging, and orderable information. This information is the most current data available for the designated devices. This data is subject to change without notice and revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, refer to the left-hand navigation.



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PACKAGING INFORMATION

| Orderable Device | Status | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | Package Qty | Eco Plan (2) | Lead/Ball Finish | MSL Peak Temp | Op Temp (°C) | Device Marking (4/5) | Samples |
|------------------|--------|--------------|--------------------|------|----------------|----------------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------|
| TLC5926IDBQR | ACTIVE | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | TLC59261 | Samples |
| TLC5926IDWR | ACTIVE | SOIC | DW | 24 | 2000 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-1-260C-UNLIM | -40 to 125 | TLC5926I | Samples |
| TLC5926IPWPR | ACTIVE | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | Y5926 | Samples |
| TLC5926IPWPRG4 | ACTIVE | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | Y5926 | Samples |
| TLC5927IDBQR | ACTIVE | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | TLC59271 | Samples |
| TLC5927IDBQRG4 | ACTIVE | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | TLC59271 | Samples |
| TLC5927IDWR | ACTIVE | SOIC | DW | 24 | 2000 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-1-260C-UNLIM | -40 to 125 | TLC59271 | Samples |
| TLC5927IPWPR | ACTIVE | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | Y5927 | Samples |
| TLC5927IPWPRG4 | ACTIVE | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU | Level-2-260C-1 YEAR | -40 to 125 | Y5927 | Samples |

⁽¹⁾ The marketing status values are defined as follows:

ACTIVE: Product device recommended for new designs.

LIFEBUY: TI has announced that the device will be discontinued, and a lifetime-buy period is in effect.

NRND: Not recommended for new designs. Device is in production to support existing customers, but TI does not recommend using this part in a new design.

PREVIEW: Device has been announced but is not in production. Samples may or may not be available.

OBSOLETE: TI has discontinued the production of the device.

(2) Eco Plan - The planned eco-friendly classification: Pb-Free (RoHS), Pb-Free (RoHS Exempt), or Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) - please check http://www.ti.com/productcontent for the latest availability information and additional product content details.

TBD: The Pb-Free/Green conversion plan has not been defined.

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Pb-Free (RoHS Exempt): This component has a RoHS exemption for either 1) lead-based flip-chip solder bumps used between the die and package, or 2) lead-based die adhesive used between the die and leadframe. The component is otherwise considered Pb-Free (RoHS compatible) as defined above.

Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br): TI defines "Green" to mean Pb-Free (RoHS compatible), and free of Bromine (Br) and Antimony (Sb) based flame retardants (Br or Sb do not exceed 0.1% by weight in homogeneous material)



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(3) MSL, Peak Temp. - The Moisture Sensitivity Level rating according to the JEDEC industry standard classifications, and peak solder temperature.

⁽⁴⁾ There may be additional marking, which relates to the logo, the lot trace code information, or the environmental category on the device.

(5) Multiple Device Markings will be inside parentheses. Only one Device Marking contained in parentheses and separated by a "~" will appear on a device. If a line is indented then it is a continuation of the previous line and the two combined represent the entire Device Marking for that device.

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Automotive: TLC5926-Q1, TLC5927-Q1

NOTE: Qualified Version Definitions:

Automotive - Q100 devices qualified for high-reliability automotive applications targeting zero defects

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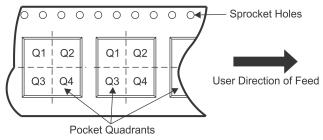
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TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION





QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE



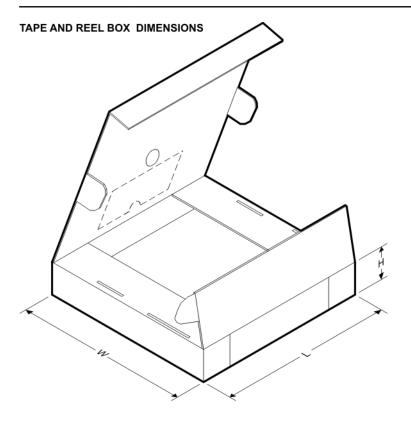
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|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----|------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| Device | Package Type | Package Drawing | | SPQ | Reel Diameter (mm) | Reel Width W1 (mm) | A0 (mm) | B0 (mm) | K0 (mm) | P1 (mm) | W (mm) | Pin1 Quadrant |
| TLC5926IDBQR | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | 330.0 | 16.4 | 6.5 | 9.0 | 2.1 | 8.0 | 16.0 | Q1 |
| TLC5926IDWR | SOIC | DW | 24 | 2000 | 330.0 | 24.4 | 10.75 | 15.7 | 2.7 | 12.0 | 24.0 | Q1 |
| TLC5926IPWPR | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | 330.0 | 16.4 | 6.95 | 8.3 | 1.6 | 8.0 | 16.0 | Q1 |
| TLC5927IDBQR | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | 330.0 | 16.4 | 6.5 | 9.0 | 2.1 | 8.0 | 16.0 | Q1 |
| TLC5927IDWR | SOIC | DW | 24 | 2000 | 330.0 | 24.4 | 10.75 | 15.7 | 2.7 | 12.0 | 24.0 | Q1 |
| TLC5927IPWPR | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | 330.0 | 16.4 | 6.95 | 8.3 | 1.6 | 8.0 | 16.0 | Q1 |

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*All dimensions are nominal

| Device | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ | Length (mm) | Width (mm) | Height (mm) |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| TLC5926IDBQR | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | 367.0 | 367.0 | 38.0 |
| TLC5926IDWR | SOIC | DW | 24 | 2000 | 367.0 | 367.0 | 45.0 |
| TLC5926IPWPR | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | 367.0 | 367.0 | 38.0 |
| TLC5927IDBQR | SSOP | DBQ | 24 | 2500 | 367.0 | 367.0 | 38.0 |
| TLC5927IDWR | SOIC | DW | 24 | 2000 | 367.0 | 367.0 | 45.0 |
| TLC5927IPWPR | HTSSOP | PWP | 24 | 2000 | 367.0 | 367.0 | 38.0 |

DW (R-PDSO-G24)

PLASTIC SMALL OUTLINE



NOTES: A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters). Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M-1994.

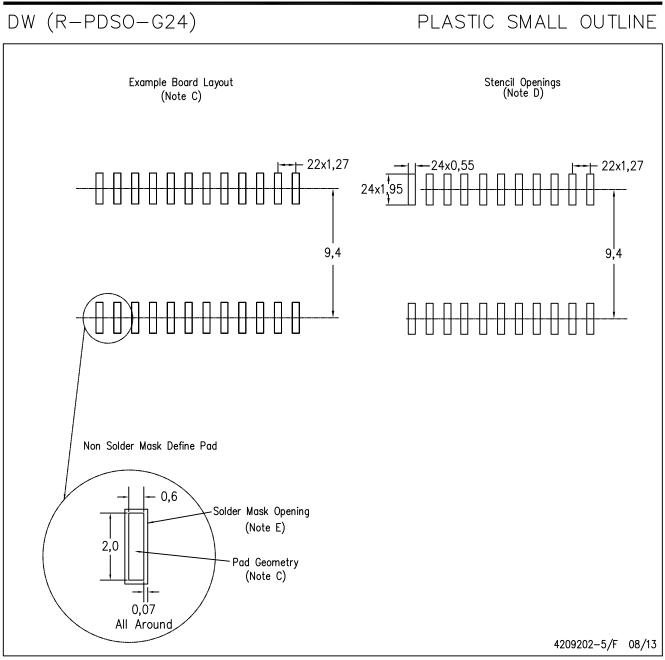
B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.

C. Body dimensions do not include mold flash or protrusion not to exceed 0.006 (0,15).

D. Falls within JEDEC MS-013 variation AD.



LAND PATTERN DATA



NOTES:

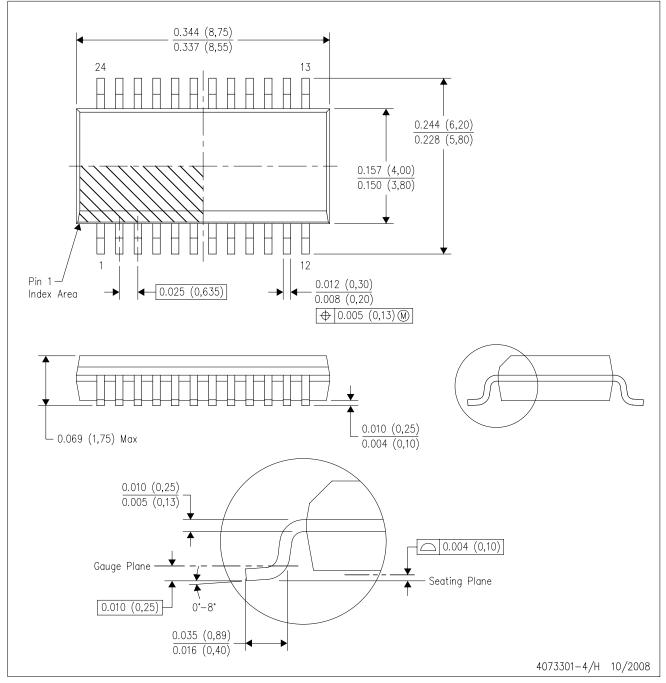
A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters.

- B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- C. Refer to IPC7351 for alternate board design.
- D. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and also rounding corners will offer better paste release. Customers should contact their board assembly site for stencil design recommendations. Refer to IPC-7525
- E. Customers should contact their board fabrication site for solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads.



DBQ (R-PDSO-G24)

PLASTIC SMALL-OUTLINE PACKAGE



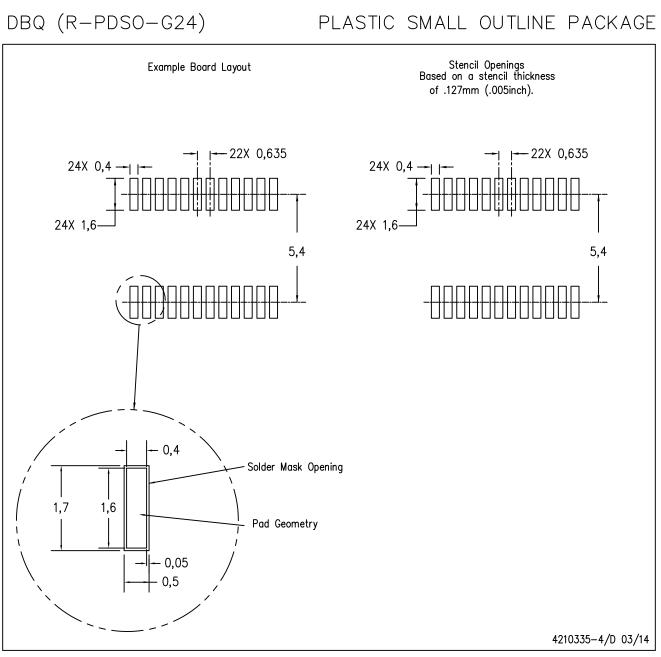
NOTES: A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).

B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.

C. Body dimensions do not include mold flash or protrusion not to exceed 0.006 (0,15) per side.

D. Falls within JEDEC MO-137 variation AE.





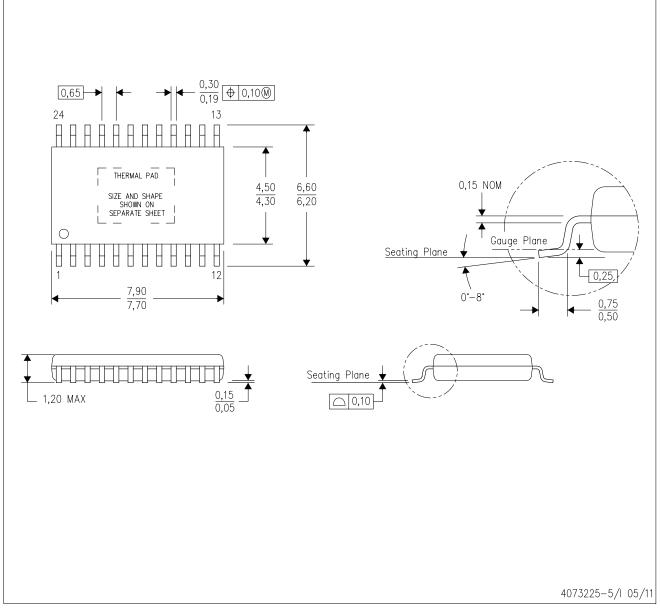
NOTES:

- A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters.
- B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- C. Publication IPC-7351 is recommended for alternate designs.
- D. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and also rounding corners will offer better paste release. Customers should contact their board assembly site for stencil design recommendations. Example stencil design based on a 50% volumetric metal load solder paste. Refer to IPC-7525 for other stencil recommendations.



PWP (R-PDSO-G24)

PowerPAD[™] PLASTIC SMALL OUTLINE

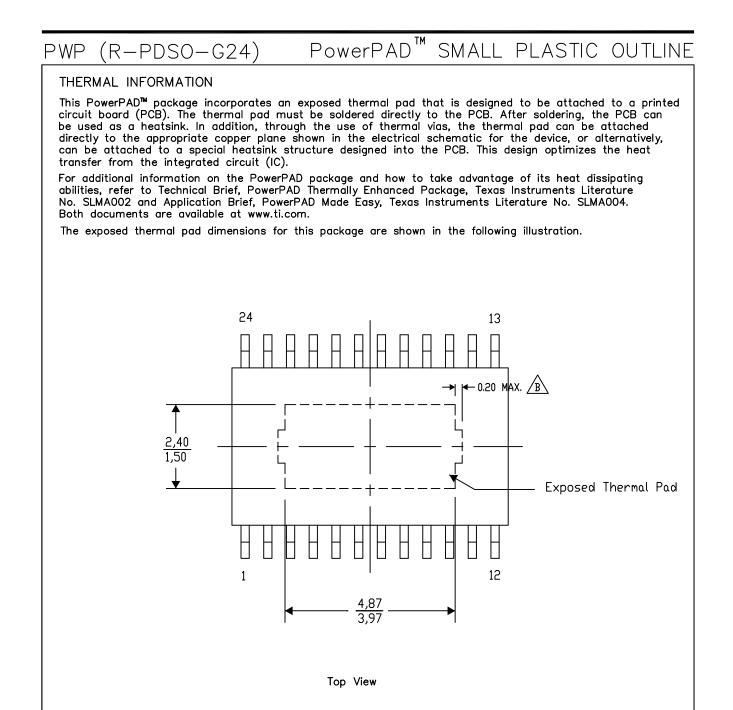


All linear dimensions are in millimeters. NOTES: Α.

- Β. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- Body dimensions do not include mold flash or protrusions. Mold flash and protrusion shall not exceed 0.15 per side. C.
- This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. Refer to Technical Brief, PowerPad D.
- Thermally Enhanced Package, Texas Instruments Literature No. SLMA002 for information regarding recommended board layout. This document is available at www.ti.com http://www.ti.com. E. See the additional figure in the Product Data Sheet for details regarding the exposed thermal pad features and dimensions. E. Falls within JEDEC MO-153

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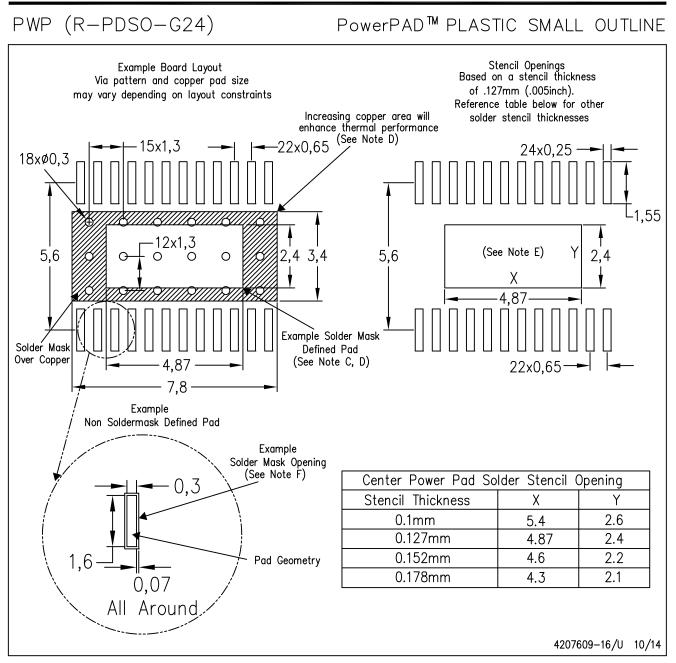
Exposed Thermal Pad Dimensions

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NOTE: A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters B. Exposed tie strap features may not be present.

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NOTES:

Α.

- All linear dimensions are in millimeters. This drawing is subject to change without notice. Β.
- Customers should place a note on the circuit board fabrication drawing not to alter the center solder mask defined pad. C.
- This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. Refer to Technical Brief, PowerPad D. Thermally Enhanced Package, Texas Instruments Literature No. SLMA002, SLMA004, and also the Product Data Sheets for specific thermal information, via requirements, and recommended board layout. These documents are available at www.ti.com <http://www.ti.com>. Publication IPC-7351 is recommended for alternate designs.
- E. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and also rounding corners will offer better paste release. Customers should contact their board assembly site for stencil design recommendations. Example stencil design based on a 50% volumetric metal load solder paste. Refer to IPC-7525 for other stencil recommendations.
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