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A3916GESTR-T-1

Allegro MicroSystems, LLC IC MOTOR DRIVER PAR 20QFN

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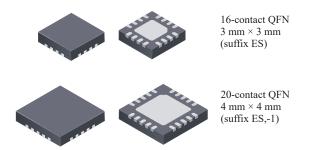


Dual DMOS Full-Bridge Motor Driver

FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- Wide, 2.7 to 15 V input voltage operating range
- Dual DMOS full-bridges: drive two DC motors or one stepper motor
- Low R_{DS(ON)} outputs
- · Synchronous rectification for reduced power dissipation
- · Low-current sleep mode
- Overcurrent protection
- Internal UVLO and thermal shutdown circuitry
- Integrated charge pump
- Pin-to-pin compatible with A3906

PACKAGES:



Not to scale

DESCRIPTION

Designed for pulse-width-modulated (PWM) control of low-voltage stepper motors and single and dual DC motors, the A3916 is capable of output currents up to 1 A per channel and operating voltages from 2.7 to 15 V.

The A3916 has an internal fixed off-time PWM timer that sets a peak current based on the selection of a current sense resistor. An output fault flag is provided that notifies the user of a TSD or overcurrent protection event.

The A3916 is supplied in a low-profile 3×3 mm 16-terminal QFN (suffix "ES") and a low-profile 4×4 mm 20-terminal QFN (suffixes "ES, -1") both with exposed power tabs for enhanced thermal dissipation.

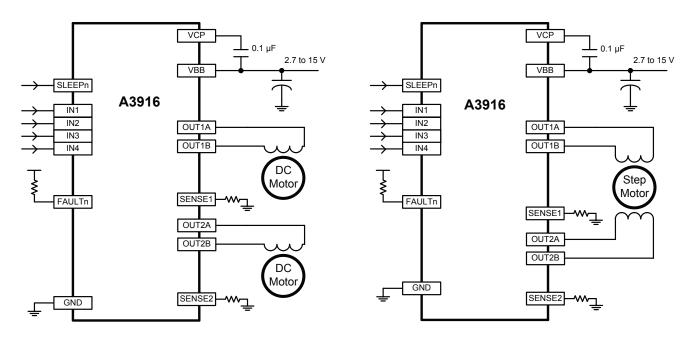


Figure 1: Typical Applications

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SPECIFICATIONS

SELECTION GUIDE

Part Number	Packaging	Packing
A3916GESTR-T	3 × 3 mm 16-contact QFN package	1500 pieces per 7-inch reel
A3916GESTR-T-1	4 × 4 mm 20-contact QFN package	1500 pieces per 7-inch reel



ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Characteristic	Symbol	Notes	Rating	Unit
Supply Voltage	V _{BB}		15	V
Output Current	I _{OUT}	Continuous	1.0	Α
Output Current (parallel mode)	I _{OUT(PAR)}	Continuous	1.8	Α
Sanga Valtaga	V _{SENSEx}	Continuous	0.5	٧
Sense Voltage		Pulsed, t _w < 1 µs	2.5	٧
Logic Input Voltage Range	V _{IO}		-0.3 to 5.5	٧
Junction Temperature	T _{J(MAX)}		150	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T _{stg}		-55 to 150	°C
Operating Temperature Range	T _A	Range G	-40 to 105	°C

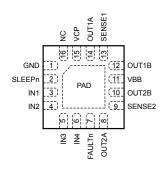
THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS: May require derating at maximum conditions; see application information

Characteristic	Symbol	Test Conditions*	Value	Unit
3 × 3 mm ES package	Bola	4-layer PCB based on JEDEC standard	47	°C/W
4 × 4 mm ES-1 package	RθJA	4-layer PCB based on JEDEC standard	37	°C/W

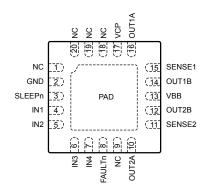
 $^{{}^\}star\! Additional$ thermal information available on the Allegro website.



PINOUT DIAGRAMS AND TERMINAL LIST TABLE



16-Contact QFN (ES) Package

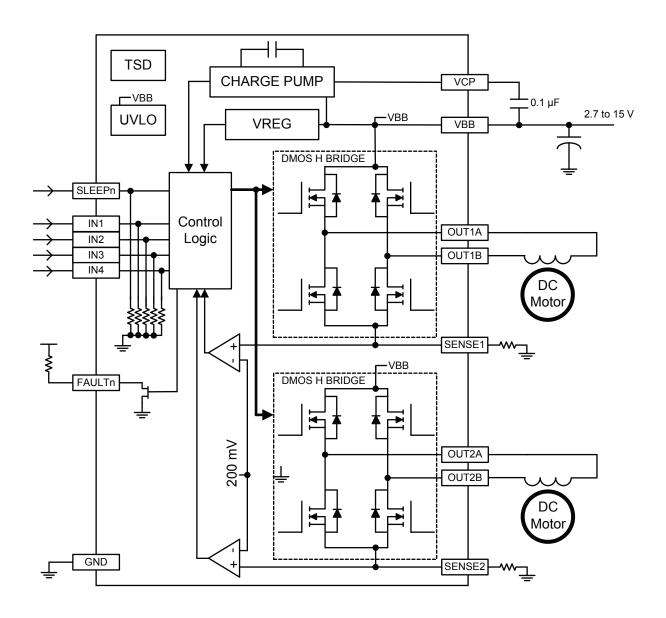


20-Contact QFN (ES, -1) Package

Terminal List Table

Number		Name	Function				
ES	ES, -1	Name	Function				
1	2	GND	Ground				
2	3	SLEEPn	Active-Low Sleep Input				
3	4	IN1	Control Input				
4	5	IN2	Control Input				
5	6	IN3	Control Input				
6	7	IN4	Control Input				
7	8	FAULTn	Open-Drain Logic Output				
8	10	OUT2A	DMOS H-Bridge 2, Output A				
9	11	SENSE2	Sense Resistor Terminal, Bridge 2				
10	12	OUT2B	DMOS H-Bridge 2, Output B				
11	13	VBB	Motor Supply Voltage				
12	14	OUT1B	DMOS H-Bridge 1, Output B				
13	15	SENSE1	Sense Resistor Terminal, Bridge 1				
14	16	OUT1A	DMOS H-Bridge 1, Output A				
15	17	VCP	Charge Pump Capacitor				
16	1,9,18,19,20	NC	No Internal Connection				
_	_	PAD	Exposed Pad for Enhanced Thermal Performance				

FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM





ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS [1][2]: Valid at T_J = 25°C, V_{BB} = 2.7 to 15 V, unless noted otherwise

Characteristics	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
GENERAL			·			
Load Supply Voltage Range	V _{BB}	Operating	2.7	_	15	V
		T _J = 25°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 5 V	_	335	450	mΩ
		T _J = 25°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 2.7 V	_	335	450	mΩ
	R _{DS(ON,HS)}	T _J = 85°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 5 V	_	410	_	mΩ
Outruit On Besistance		T _J = 85°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 2.7 V	_	410	_	mΩ
Output On Resistance		T _J = 25°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 5 V	_	375	525	mΩ
		T _J = 25°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 2.7 V	_	375	525	mΩ
	R _{DS(ON,LS)}	T _J = 85°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 5 V	_	455	-	mΩ
		T _J = 85°C, 500 mA, V _{BB} = 2.7 V	_	455	_	mΩ
Diode Forward Voltage	V _F	I = 500 mA	_	0.85	1.0	V
	I _{BB(2p7V)}	Outputs disabled, V _{BB} = 2.7 V	_	2.2	4.5	mA
VBB Supply Current	I _{BB(15V)}	Outputs disabled, V _{BB} = 15 V	_	3.1	4.5	mA
	I _{BB(SLEEP)}	Sleep Mode	_	-	0.5	μA
CONTROL LOGIC						
Logic Input Voltage, INx	V _{IN(1)}		2.0	-	-	V
	V _{IN(0)}		_	-	0.8	V
Logic Input Voltage, SLEEPn	V _{IN(1)}		2.0	_	_	V
	V _{IN(0)}		_	_	0.4	V
Logic Input Hysteresis	V _{HYS}		100	_	500	mV
Logic Input Current	I _{IN}	V_{IN} = 3.3 V, pulldown = 100 k Ω	_	33	50	μA
Fault Output Voltage	V _{FAULTn}	Flag asserted, I _{FAULTn} = 1 mA	_	-	200	mV
Fault Output Leakage Current	I _{FAULTn}	V _{FAULTn} = 5 V	_	_	1.0	μΑ
V _{SENSE} Blank time	t _{BLANK}		2.1	3.1	4.1	μs
V _{SENSE} Trip Voltage	V _{TRIP}		170	205	240	mV
Fixed Off-Time	t _{OFF}		20	30	40	μs
PROTECTION CIRCUITS						
Crossover Delay	t _{OCD}		200	550	1000	ns
VBB Undervoltage Lockout	V _{BB(UVLO)}	V _{BB} rising	_	2.55	2.65	V
VBB Hysteresis	V _{BB(UVLO,HYS)}		_	125	_	mV
Thermal Shutdown Temperature	T _{J1}		150	165	180	°C
Thermal Shutdown Hysteresis	ΔT _{J1}		_	20	_	°C

^[1] Typical data is for design information only.



^[2] Specified limits are tested at a single temperature and assured over operating temperature range by design and characterization.

CONTROL LOGIC

Table 1: DC Motor Operation

IN1	IN2	OUT1A	OUT1B	Function
0	0	Off	Off	Disabled
1	0	High	Low	Forward
0	1	Low	High	Reverse
1	1	Low	Low	Brake

IN3	IN4	OUT2A OUT2B		Function
0	0	Off	Off	Disabled
1	0	High	Low	Forward
0	1	Low	High	Reverse
1	1	Low	Low	Brake

Table 2: Stepper Motor Operation

IN1	IN2	IN3	IN4	OUT1A	OUT1B	OUT2A	OUT2B	Function	
0	0	0	0	Off	Off	Off	Off	Disabled	Disabled
1	0	1	0	High	Low	High	Low	Full Step 1	½ Step 1
0	0	1	0	Off	Off	High	Low	_	½ Step 2
0	1	1	0	Low	High	High	Low	Full Step 2	½ Step 3
0	1	0	0	Low	High	Off	Off	_	½ Step 4
0	1	0	1	Low	High	Low	High	Full Step 3	½ Step 5
0	0	0	1	Off	Off	Low	High	_	½ Step 6
1	0	0	1	High	Low	Low	High	Full Step 4	½ Step 7
1	0	0	0	High	Low	Off	Off	_	½ Step 8



FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

Device Operation

The A3916 is a dual full-bridge motor driver capable of operating one stepper motor, two DC motors, or one high-current DC motor. MOSFET output stages substantially reduce the voltage drop and the power dissipation of the A3916 outputs, compared to typical drivers with bipolar transistors.

Output current can be regulated by pulse-width modulating (PWM) the inputs. In addition to supporting external PWM of the driver, the A3916 limits the peak current by internally PWMing the source driver when the current in the winding exceeds the peak current, as determined by a sense resistor. If internal current limiting is not needed, the sense pin should be shorted to ground.

Internal circuit protection includes thermal shutdown with hysteresis, undervoltage lockout, internal clamp diodes, crossover current protection, and overcurrent protection.

External PWM

Output current regulation can be achieved by pulse-width modulating the inputs. Slow decay mode is selected by holding one input high while PWMing the other input. Holding one input low and PWMing the other input results in fast decay.

Blanking

This function blanks the output of the current sense comparator when the outputs are switched. The comparator output is blanked to prevent false current limit detections due to reverse recovery currents of the clamp diodes or to switching transients related to the capacitance of the load. The blank time, $t_{\rm BLANK}$, is approximately 3 μs .

Sleep Mode

An active-low control input used to minimize power consumption when the A3916 is not in use. This disables much of the internal circuitry including the output drivers, internal regulator, and charge pump. A logic high allows normal operation. When coming out of sleep mode, wait 1.5 ms before issuing a command to allow the internal regulator and charge pump to stabilize.

Enable

When all logic inputs are pulled to logic low, the outputs of the bridges are disabled. The charge pump and internal circuitry continue to run when the outputs are disabled.

Thermal Shutdown

The A3916 will disable the outputs if the junction temperature reaches 165°C. When the junction temperature drops 20°C, the outputs will be enabled.

Brake Mode

When driving DC motors, the A3916 goes into brake mode (turns on both sink drivers) when both of its inputs are high (IN1 and IN2, or IN3 and IN4). There is no current limiting during braking, so care must be taken to ensure that the peak current during braking does not exceed the absolute maximum current.

Internal PWM Current Control

Each full-bridge is controlled by a fixed off-time PWM current control circuit that limits the load current to a desired value, I_{TRIP} . Initially, a diagonal pair of source and sink DMOS outputs are enabled and current flows through the motor winding and the current sense resistor, R_{SENSEx} . When the voltage across R_{SENSEx} equals the internal reference voltage, the current sense comparator resets the PWM latch, which turns off the source driver.

The maximum value of current limiting, $I_{TRIP(max)}$, is set by the selection of the sense resistor, R_{SENSEx} , and is approximated by a transconductance function:

$$I_{TRIP(max)} = 0.2 \div R_{SENSEx}$$

It is critical to ensure the maximum rating on SENSEx pins (0.5 V) is not exceeded.

Synchronous Rectification

When a PWM off-cycle is triggered by an internal fixed off-time cycle, load current recirculates in slow decay SR mode. During slow decay, current recirculates through the sink-side FET and the sink-side body diode. The SR feature enables the sink-side FET, effectively shorting out the body diode. The sink driver is



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not enabled until the source driver is turned off and the crossover delay has expired. This feature helps lower the voltage drop during current recirculation, lowering power dissipation in the bridge.

OCP

The voltage across enabled output drivers is monitored to protect against short circuits. If an overcurrent protection event occurs, both motor bridges are disabled until either SLEEPn is brought low or the VBB supply is cycled.

FAULTn

This is an open-drain output that is pulled low during a TSD or overcurrent protection event. For a TSD event, The output is released when the die temperature falls below the TSD level minus the hysteresis. For an over-current event, the output is held low until either SLEEPn is brought low or the VBB supply is cycled.

Parallel Operation

The A3916 can be paralleled for applications that require higher output currents. In paralleled mode, the driver can source 1.8 A continuous. The A3916 has two completely independent bridges with separate internal current limit latches. This allows the device to supply two separate loads, and as a result, when paralleled, it is imperative that the internal current control is disabled by shorting the sense pins to ground.

Because the internal current limit trip threshold is internally fixed at 0.2 V, the trace resistance must be kept small so the internal current latch is not triggered prematurely. With acceptable margin, the voltage drop across the trace resistance should be under 0.1 V. At a peak current of 2.5 A, the trace resistance should be kept below 40 m Ω to prevent false tripping of the overcurrent latch.

Each bridge has some variation in propagation delay. During this time, it is possible that one bridge will have to support the full load current for a very short period of time. Propagation delays are characterized and guard banded to protect the driver from damage during these events.



PACKAGE OUTLINE DRAWINGS

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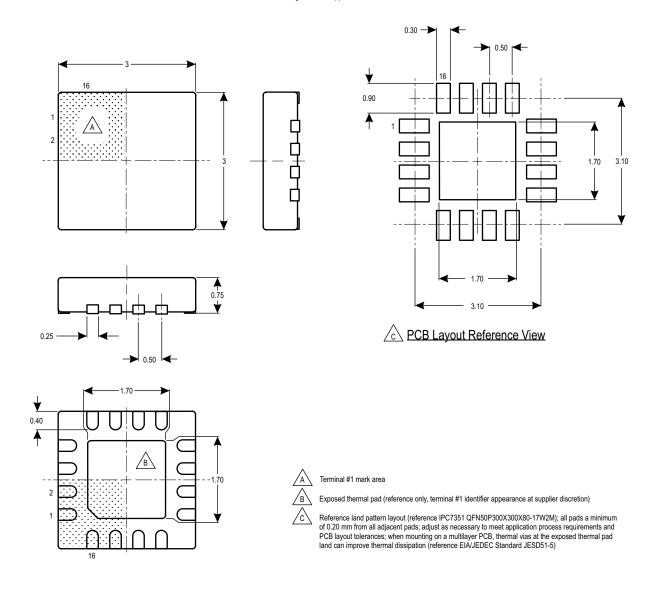


Figure 2: 16-contact 3 mm × 3 mm QFN package (Suffix ES)



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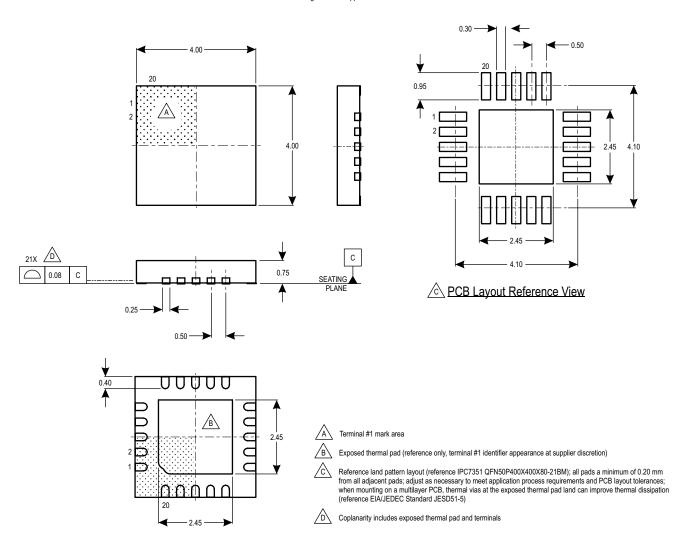


Figure 3: 20-contact 4 mm × 4 mm QFN package (Suffix ES, -1)



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Revision History

Number	Date	Description
_	September 21, 2016	Initial release
1	October 7, 2016	Updated Features and Benefits (page 1) and Output On Resistance (page 5); corrected Selection Guide (page 2).
2	January 18, 2017	Corrected VBB Hysteresis units (page 5).
3	January 19, 2018	Updated Blanking (page 7), OCP, Faultn, and Parallel Operations sections (page 8).
4	January 27, 2019	Minor editorial updates
5	February 3, 2020	Minor editorial updates

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