

LTC4260

Positive High Voltage Hot Swap Controller with I²C Compatible Monitoring

The LTC[®]4260 Hot Swap[™] controller allows a board to be

safely inserted and removed from a live backplane. Using

an external N-channel pass transistor, the board supply

voltage can be ramped up at an adjustable rate. An I^2C

interface and onboard ADC allow monitoring of board

The device features adjustable analog foldback current

limit with latch off or automatic restart after the LTC4260

remains in current limit beyond an adjustable time-out

The controller has additional features to interrupt the host when a fault has occurred, notify when output power is

good, detect insertion of a load card and power-up in either

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DESCRIPTION

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current, voltage and fault status.

FEATURES

- Allows Safe Insertion into Live Backplane
- 8-Bit ADC Monitors Current and Voltage
- I²C[™]/SMBus Interface
- Wide Operating Voltage Range: 8.5V to 80V
- High Side Drive for External N-Channel MOSFET
- Input Overvoltage/Undervoltage Protection
- Optional Latchoff or Autoretry After Faults
- Alerts Host After Faults
- Foldback Current Limiting
- Available in 24-Lead SO, 24-Lead Narrow SSOP and 32-Lead (5mm × 5mm) QFN Packages

APPLICATIONS

- Electronic Circuit Breakers
- Live Board Insertion
- Computers, Servers

TYPICAL APPLICATION

3A, 48V Card Resident Application 0.010Ω EDB3632 Vout 48V 48 lŧI 49.9k 10Ω **ξ** 100 3.57 6.8nF 1 74k CONNECTOR 2 CONNECTOR 1 UV V_{DD} SENSE GATE SOURCE OV SDAO BD PRS SDAI SDA LTC4260 SCL SCL ADI ALER ALERT ON GPIC INTV TIMER GND 68nF 0.1u GND PLUG-IN BACKPLANE CARD

Power Up Waveforms



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Notes 1, 2)

Supply Voltages (V _{DD}) –0.3V to 100V Input Voltages
SENSE $V_{DD} - 10V \text{ or } -0.3V \text{ to } V_{DD}$
SOURCE GATE – 5V to GATE + 0.3V
BD_PRST, FB, ON, OV, UV –0.3V to 12V
ADR0-ADR2, TIMER, ADIN0.3V to INTV _{CC} + 0.3V
SCL, SDAI0.3V to 6.5V
Output Voltages
GPI0 –0.3V to 100V
GATE (Note 3)0.3V to 100V

$\overline{\text{ALERT}},$ SDAO	
Operating Temperature Range	
LTC4260C0°C to 70	°C
LTC4260140°C to 85	°C
Storage Temperature Range	
GN, SW Packages –65°C to 150	°C
UH Package	°C
Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec)	
GN, SW Packages Only 300	°C

PACKAGE/ORDER INFORMATION



Consult LTC Marketing for parts specified with wider operating temperature ranges.

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temperature range, otherwise specifications are at $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C. $V_{DD} = 48V$, unless otherwise noted.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	ТҮР	MAX	UNITS
General		·					
V _{DD}	Input Supply Range		•	8.5		80	V
I _{DD}	Input Supply Current		•		2	5	mA
V _{DD(UVL)}	V _{DD} Supply Undervoltage Lockout	V _{DD} Falling	•	7	7.45	7.9	V
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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	ТҮР	MAX	UNITS
INTV _{CC(UVL)}	V _{CC} Supply Undervoltage Lockout	INTV _{CC} Falling		3.4	3.8	4.2	V
INTV _{CC}	Internal Regulator Voltage		•	5	5.5	6	V
Gate Drive		1					
t _D	Turn-On Delay			50	100	150	ms
ΔV _{GATE}	External N-Channel Gate Drive	V _{DD} = 20V to 80V		10	14	18	V
	(V _{GATE} – V _{SOURCE})	$V_{DD} = 8.5V$ to 20V	•	4.5	6	18	V
I _{GATE(UP)}	External N-Channel Pull-Up Current	Gate Drive On, V _{GATE} = 0V	•	-14	-18	-22	μΑ
IGATE(FST)	External N-Channel Fast Pull-Down	Fast Turn Off, V _{GATE} = 48V, V _{SOURCE} = 38V	•	400	600	1000	mA
IGATE(DN)	External N-Channel Pull-Down Current	Gate Drive Off, $V_{GATE} = 58V$, $V_{SOURCE} = 48V$	•	0.7	1	1.4	mA
ISOURCE	SOURCE Pin Input Current	SOURCE = 48V	•	200	400	600	μA
Input Pins							
V _{ON(TH)}	ON Pin Threshold Voltage	V _{ON} Rising		1.19	1.235	1.27	V
$\Delta V_{ON(HYST)}$	ON Pin Hysteresis		•	60	130	200	mV
I _{ON(IN)}	ON Pin Input Current	V _{ON} = 1.2V			0	±1	μA
V _{OV(TH)}	OV Pin Threshold Voltage	V _{OV} Rising		3.43	3.5	3.56	V
ΔV _{OV(HYST)}	OV Pin Hysteresis			70	90	120	mV
I _{OV(IN)}	OV Pin Input Current	V _{OV} = 3.5V			0	±1	μA
V _{UV(TH)}	UV Pin Threshold Voltage	V _{UV} Rising		3.43	3.5	3.56	V
ΔV _{UV(HYST)}	UV Pin Hysteresis			310	380	440	mV
I _{UV(IN)}	UV Pin Input Current	V _{UV} = 3.5V	•		0	±2	μA
V _{UV(RTH)}	UV Pin Reset Threshold Voltage	V _{UV} Falling		1.18	1.235	1.27	V
$\Delta V_{UV(RHYST)}$	UV Pin Reset Threshold Hysteresis		•	80	160	250	mV
$\Delta V_{\text{SENSE(TH)}}$	Current Limit Sense Voltage Threshold	V _{FB} = 3.5V	•	40	50	60	mV
	(V _{DD} – V _{SENSE})	V _{FB} = 0V	•	10	20	30	mV
ISENSE(IN)	SENSE Pin Input Current	V _{SENSE} = 48V		70	100	130	μΑ
V _{FB}	Foldback Pin Power Good Threshold	FB Rising	•	3.43	3.5	3.56	V
$\Delta V_{FB(HYST)}$	FB Pin Power Good Hysteresis		•	80	100	120	mV
I _{FB}	Foldback Pin Input Current	FB = 3.5V			0	±2	μA
$V_{BD_PRST(TH)}$	BD_PRST Input Threshold	V _{BD_PRST} Rising		1.2	1.235	1.27	V
$\Delta V_{\overline{BD}PRST(HYST)}$	BD_PRST Hysteresis			70	130	190	mV
BD_PRST	BD_PRST Pullup Current	$\overline{BD}_{PRST} = OV$		-7	-10	-16	μA
V _{GPIO(TH)}	GPIO Pin Input Threshold	V _{GPI0} Rising	•	1.6	1.8	2	V
ΔV _{GPIO(HYST)}	GPIO Pin Hysteresis				80		mV
V _{GPIO(OL)}	GPIO Pin Output Low Voltage	I _{GPIO} = 2mA			0.25	0.5	V
I _{GPIO(IN)}	GPIO Pin Input Leakage Current	V _{GPI0} = 80V	•		0	±10	μA
R _{ADIN}	ADIN Pin Input Resistance	V _{ADIN} = 1.28V	•	2	10		MΩ
I _{ADIN}	ADIN Pin Input Current	V _{ADIN} = 2.56V	•		0	±1	μΑ
Timer	1		-				
V _{TIMER(H)}	TIMER Pin High Threshold	V _{TIMER} Rising		1.2	1.235	1.28	V
V _{TIMER(L)}	TIMER Pin Low Threshold	V _{TIMER} Falling	•	0.1	0.2	0.3	V
ITIMER(UP)	TIMER Pin Pull-Up Current	V _{TIMER} = 0V	•	-80	-100	-120	μΑ
TIMER(DP)	TIMER Pin Pull-Down Current	V _{TIMER} = 1.3V		1.4	2	2.6	μΑ
TIMER(DN)	TIMER Pin Current Ratio			1.6	2	2.7	%
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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	ТҮР	MAX	UNITS
AC Parameter	S			•			
t _{PLH(GATE)}	Input High (ON) to GATE High Propagation Delay	C _{GATE} = 1pF	•		1	3	μS
t _{PHL(GATE)}	Input High (OV, BD_PRST), Input Low (ON, UV) to GATE Low Propagation Delay	C _{GATE} = 1pF	•		0.5	3	μS
t _{PHL(SENSE)}	$(V_{DD} - SENSE)$ High to GATE Low	$V_{DD} - SENSE = 200mV, C_{GATE} = 10nF$	•		0.4	1	μS
ADC							
	Resolution (No Missing Codes)	(Note 4)	•	8			Bits
	Integral Nonlinearity	V _{DD} – SENSE (Note 5) SOURCE ADIN	•	-2 -1.25 -1.25	0.5 0.2 0.2	2 1.25 1.25	LSB LSB LSB
	Offset Error	V _{DD} – SENSE SOURCE ADIN	•	-1.5 -1 -1		1.5 1 1	LSB LSB LSB
	1LSB Step Size	V _{DD} – SENSE (Note 6) SOURCE ADIN	•	292 392 9.8	300 400 10	308 408 10.2	μV mV mV
	Full-Scale Voltage	V _{DD} – SENSE (Note 7) SOURCE ADIN	•	74.9 100.4 2.51	76.8 102.4 2.560	78.7 104.4 2.61	mV V V
	Conversion Rate				10		Hz
I ² C Interface							
V _{ADR(H)}	ADR0 to ADR2 Input High Voltage Threshold		•	INTV _{CC} - 0.6	INTV _{CC} - 0.45	INTV _{CC} - 0.25	V
V _{ADR(L)}	ADR0 to ADR2 Input Low Voltage Threshold		•	0.25	0.45	0.65	V
I _{ADR(IN)}	ADR0 to ADR2 Input Current	ADR0 to ADR2 = 0V, 5.5V	•	-80		80	μΑ
V _{SDAI,SCL(TH)}	SDAI, SCL Input Threshold			1.6	1.8	2	V
ISDAI, SCL(IN)	SDAI, SCL Input Current	SCL, SDAI = 5V			0	±1	μΑ
V _{SDAO(OL)}	SDAO Output Low Voltage	I _{SDAO} = 5mA			0.2	0.4	V
VALERT(OL)	ALERT Output Low Voltage	I _{ALERT} = 5mA			0.2	0.4	V
ISDAO,ALERT(IN)	SDAO, ALERT Input Current	SDAO, ALERT = 5V			0	±1	μΑ
I ² C Interface 1	iming (Note 4)						
f _{SCL(MAX)}	Maximum SCL Clock Frequency	Operates with $f_{SCL} \leq f_{SCL(MAX)}$		400			kHz
t _{BUF(MIN)}	Minimum Bus Free Time Between Stop/Start Condition				0.12	1.3	μS
t _{su,sta(MIN)}	Minimum Repeated Start Condition Set-Up Time				30	600	ns
t _{hd,sta(min)}	Minimum Hold Time After (Repeated) Start Condition				140	600	ns
t _{SU,STO(MIN)}	Minimum Stop Condition Set-Up Time				30	600	ns
t _{SU,DAT(MIN)}	Minimum Data Set-Up Time Input				30	100	ns
t _{HD,DATI(MIN)}	Minimum Data Hold Time Input				-100	0	ns
t _{HD,DATO(MIN)}	Minimum Data Hold Time Output			300	500	900	ns
t _{SP(MAX)}	Maximum Suppressed Spike Pulse Width			50	110	250	ns
CX	SCL, SDA Input Capacitance	SDAI Tied to SDAO			5	10	pF

Note 1: Absolute Maximum Ratings are those values beyond which the life of the device may be impaired.

Note 2: All currents into pins are positive, all voltages are referenced to GND unless otherwise specified.



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Note 3: Limits on maximum rating is defined as whichever limit occurs first. An internal clamp limits the GATE pin to a minimum of 10V above source. Driving this pin to voltages beyond the clamp may damage the device.

Note 4: Guaranteed by design and not subject to test.

Note 5: Integral nonlinearity is defined as the deviation of a code from a precise analog input voltage. Maximum specifications are limited by the LSB step size and the single shot measurement. Typical specifications are measured from the 1/4, 1/2 and 3/4 areas of the quantization band.

Note 6: 1LSB step size specification is guaranteed by full-scale voltage measurement and by design.

Note 7: Full-scale current sense specification corresponds to code 200. Codes above 200 may be discarded by offset cancellation.

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PIN FUNCTIONS

ADIN: ADC Input. A voltage between 0V and 2.56V applied to this pin can be measured by the onboard ADC. Tie to ground if unused.

ADR0 to ADR2: Serial Bus Address Inputs. Tying these pins to ground, open or $INTV_{CC}$ configures one of 27 possible addresses. See Table 1 in Applications Information.

ALERT: Fault Alert Output. Open-drain logic output that can be pulled to ground when a fault occurs to alert the host controller. A fault alert is enabled by the ALERT register. This device is compatible with SMBus alert protocol. See Applications Information. Tie to ground if unused.

BD_PRST: Board Present Input. Ground this pin to enable the N-channel FET to turn on after 100ms debounce delay. When this pin is high, the FET is off. An internal 10μ A current source pulls up this pin. Transitions on this pin will be recorded in the FAULT register. A high-to-low transition activates the logic to read the state of the ON pin and clear Faults. See Applications Information. **Exposed Pad (Pin 33, UH Package):** Exposed Pad may be left open or connected to device ground.

FB: Foldback and Power Good Input. A resistive divider from the output voltage is tied to this pin. When the voltage at this pin drops below 3.41V, the output power is considered bad and the current limit is reduced. The power bad condition can be indicated with the GPIO pin and a power bad fault can be logged in this condition. See Applications Information.

GATE: Gate Drive for External N-Channel FET. An internal 18μ A current source charges the gate of the external N-channel MOSFET. A resistor and capacitor network from this pin to ground sets the turn-on rate and compensates the active current limit. During turn-off there is a 1mA pull-down current. During a short circuit or undervoltage lockout (V_{DD} or INTV_{CC}), a 600mA pull-down current source between GATE and SOURCE is activated.

GND: Device Ground.



PIN FUNCTIONS

GPIO: General Purpose Input/Output. Open-drain logic output and logic input. Defaults to pull low to indicate power is bad. Configure according to Table 3.

NC: No Connect. Unconnected pins. These pins provide extra distance between high and low voltage pins.

ON: On Control Input. A rising edge turns on the external N-channel FET and a falling edge turns it off. This pin is also used to configure the state of the FET ON bit (and hence the external FET) at power up. For example if the ON pin is tied high, then the FET ON control bit (A3) will go high 100ms after power-up. Likewise if the ON pin is tied low then the part will remain off after power-up until the FET ON control bit is set high using the I²C bus. A high-to-low transition on this pin will clear faults.

OV (GN/UH Packages): Overvoltage Comparator Input. Connect this pin to an external resistive divider from V_{DD} . If the voltage at this pin rises above 3.5V, an overvoltage fault is detected and the switch turns off. Tie to GND if unused.

SCL: Serial Bus Clock Input. Data at the SDA pin is shifted in or out on rising edges of SCL. This is a high impedance pin that is generally driven by an open-collector output from a master controller. An external pull-up resistor or current source is required.

SDAI: Serial Bus Data Input. A high impedance input used for shifting in address, command or data bits. Normally tied to SDAO to form the SDA line.

SDAO: Serial Bus Data Output. Open-drain output used for sending data back to the master controller or acknowledging a write operation. Normally tied to SDAI to form the SDA line. An external pull-up resistor or current source is required.

SENSE: Current Sense Input. Connect this pin to the output of the current sense resistor. The current limit circuit controls the GATE pin to limit the sense voltage between the V_{DD} and SENSE pins to 50mV or less depending on the voltage at the FB pin. This pin is used as an input to the 8-bit ADC.

SOURCE: N-Channel MOSFET Source Connection and ADC Input. Connect this pin to the source of the external N-channel MOSFET switch. This pin also serves as the ADC input to monitor output voltage. The pin provides a return for the gate pull-down circuit and as a supply for the charge pump circuit.

TIMER: Timer Input. Connect a capacitor between this pin and ground to set a $12ms/\mu F$ duration for current limit before the switch is turned off. The duration of the off time is $518ms/\mu F$ when autoretry during current limit is enabled. A minimum value of 0.1nF must be connected to this pin.

UV: Undervoltage Comparator Input. Connect this pin to an external resistive divider from V_{DD} . If the voltage at this pin falls below 3.12V, an undervoltage fault is detected and the switch turns off. Pulling this pin below 1.2V resets all faults and allows the switch to turn back on. Tie to INTV_{CC} if unused.

 V_{DD} : Supply Voltage and Current Sense Input. This pin has an undervoltage lockout threshold of 7.45V.

INTV_{CC}: Internal Low Voltage Supply Decoupling Output. Connect a 0.1μ F capacitor from this pin to ground. This pin can be used to drive the other pins to logic high and has an undervoltage lockout threshold of 3.8V.

 V_{DDK} (UH Package): Same as V_{DD} . Connect this pin to V_{DD} . V_{DDK} tied to V_{DD} internally with 18Ω .



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FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM



TIMING DIAGRAM



OPERATION

The Functional Diagram displays the main functional areas of this device. The LTC4260 is designed to turn a board's supply voltage on and off in a controlled manner, allowing the board to be safely inserted or removed from a live backplane. During normal operation, the charge pump and gate driver turn on the external N-channel pass FET's gate to pass power to the load. The gate driver uses a charge pump that derives its power from the SOURCE pin. When the SOURCE pin is at ground, the charge pump is powered from an internal 12V supply derived from V_{DD}. This results in a 200 μ A current load on the SOURCE pin when the gate is up. Also included in the gate driver is an internal 15V gate-to-source clamp.

The current sense (CS) amplifier monitors the load current using the difference between the V_{DD} and SENSE pin voltage. The CS amplifier limits the current in the load by reducing the GATE-to-SOURCE voltage in an active control loop. The CS amplifier requires 100μ A input bias current from both the V_{DD} and the SENSE pins.

A short circuit on the output to ground causes significant power dissipation during active current limiting. To limit this power, the foldback amplifier reduces the current limit value from 50mV to 20mV (referred to the V_{DD} minus SENSE voltage) in a linear manner as the FB pin drops below 2V (see Typical Performance curves).

If an overcurrent condition persists, the TIMER pin ramps up with a 100μ A current source until the pin voltage exceeds 1.2V (comparator TM2). This indicates to the logic that it is time to turn off the pass FET to prevent overheating. At this point the TIMER pin ramps down using the 2μ A current source until the voltage drops below 0.2V (comparator TM1) which tells the logic that the pass transistor has cooled and it is safe to turn it on again.

The output voltage is monitored using the FB pin and the PG comparator to determine if the power is available for the load. The power good condition is signalled by the GPIO pin using an open-drain pull-down transistor. The GPIO pin can also be used as a general purpose input (GP comparator) or output pin.

The Functional Diagram shows the monitoring blocks of the LTC4260. The group of comparators on the left side includes the UV, OV, RST, BP and ON comparators. These comparators are used to determine if the external conditions are valid prior to turning on the FET. But first the two undervoltage lockout circuits UVLO1 and UVLO2 must validate the input supply and the internally generated 5.5V supply (INTV_{CC}) and generate the power up initialization to the logic circuits.

Included in the LTC4260 is an 8-bit A/D converter. The converter has a 3-input mux to select between the ADIN pin, the SOURCE pin and the V_{DD} – SENSE voltage.

An I^2C interface is provided to read the A/D registers. It also allows the host to poll the device and determine if faults have occurred. If the ALERT line is used as an interrupt, the host can respond to a fault in real time. The typical SDA line is divided into an SDAI (input) and SDAO (output). This simplifies applications using an optoisolator driven directly from the SDAO output. The I^2C device address is decoded using the ADRO, ADR1 and ADR2 pins. These inputs have three states each that decode into a total of 27 device addresses.



The typical LTC4260 application is in a high availability system that uses a positive voltage supply to distribute power to individual cards. The device measures card voltages and currents and records past and present fault conditions. The system queries each LTC4260 over the I²C periodically and reads the stored information.

The basic LTC4260 application circuit is shown in Figure 1. External component selection is discussed in detail in the Design Example section.

Turn-On Sequence

The power supply on a board is controlled by placing an external N-channel pass transistor (Q1) in the power path. Note that sense resistor (R_S) detects current and capacitor C1 controls the GATE slew rate. Resistor R6 compensates the current control loop while R5 prevents high frequency oscillations in Q1. Resistors R1, R2 and R3 provide undervoltage and overvoltage sensing.

Several conditions must be present before the external switch can be turned on. First the external supply V_{DD} must exceed its undervoltage lockout level. Next the internally generated supply $INTV_{CC}$ must cross its 4.5V undervoltage threshold. This generates a $60\mu s$ to $120\mu s$ power-on-reset pulse. During reset the fault registers are

cleared and the control registers are set or cleared as described in the register section.

After the power-on-reset pulse, the LTC4260 will go through the following turn-on sequence. First, the UV and OV pins must indicate that the input power is within the acceptable range and the BD_PRST pin must be pulled low. All of these conditions must be satisfied for duration of 100ms to ensure that any contact bounce during insertion has ended.

When these initial conditions are satisfied, the ON pin is checked. If it is high, the external switch turns on. If it is low, the external switch turns on when the ON pin is brought high or if a serial bus turn-on command is received.

The switch is turned on by charging up the GATE with a 18μ A current source (Figure 2). The voltage at the GATE pin rises with a slope equal to 18μ A/C1 and the supply inrush current is set at:

$$I_{\rm INRUSH} = \frac{C_{\rm L}}{C1} \cdot 18 \,\mu {\rm A}$$

When the GATE voltage reaches the FET threshold voltage, the switch begins to turn on and the SOURCE voltage follows the GATE voltage as it increases.



Figure 1. 5A, 48V Card Resident Application





Figure 2. Supply Turn-On

As the SOURCE voltage rises, so will the FB pin which is monitoring it. If the voltage across the current sense resistor R_S gets too high, the inrush current will then be limited by the internal current limit circuitry. Once the FB pin crosses its 3.5V threshold, the GPIO pin, in its default configuration, will cease to pull low and indicate that the power is now good.

Turn-Off Sequence

The switch can be turned off by a variety of conditions. A normal turn-off is initiated by the ON pin going low or a serial bus turn-off command. Additionally, several fault conditions will turn off the switch. These include an input overvoltage (OV pin), input undervoltage (UV pin), overcurrent circuit breaker (SENSE pin) or BD_PRST going high. Writing a logic one into the UV, OV or overcurrent fault bits will also turn off the switch if their autoretry bits are set to false.

Normally the switch is turned off with a 1mA current pulling down the GATE pin to ground. With the switch turned off, the SOURCE voltage drops and when the FB pin crosses below its threshold, GPIO pulls low to indicate that the output power is no longer good.

If the V_{DD} pin falls below 7.5V for greater than 5µs or INTV_{CC} drops below 3.8V for greater than 1µs, a fast shutdown of the switch is initiated. The GATE pin is pulled down with a 600mA current to the SOURCE pin.

Overcurrent Fault

The LTC4260 features an adjustable current limit with foldback that protects against short circuits or excessive load current. To protect against excessive power dissipation in the switch during active current limit, the available current is reduced as a function of the output voltage sensed by the FB pin. The device also features a variable overcurrent response time. A graph in the Typical Performance curves shows the delay from a voltage step at the SENSE pin until the GATE voltage starts falling, as a function of overdrive.

An overcurrent fault occurs when the current limit circuitry has been engaged for longer than the time-out delay set by the TIMER pin. Current limiting begins when the current sense voltage between the V_{DD} and SENSE pins reaches 20mV to 50mV (depending on the foldback). The GATE pin is then brought down with a 600mA GATE-to-SOURCE current. The voltage on the GATE is regulated in order to limit the current sense voltage to less than 50mV. At this point, a circuit breaker time delay starts by charging the external timing capacitor from the TIMER pin with a 100µA pull-up current. If the TIMER pin reaches its 1.2V threshold, the external switch turns off (with a 1mA current from GATE to ground). The overcurrent present bit, C2, and the overcurrent fault bit, D2, are set at this time.

The circuit breaker time delay is given by:

 $t_{CB} = C_T \bullet 12 \text{ [ms/}\mu\text{F]}$

After the switch is turned off, the TIMER pin begins discharging the timing capacitor with a 2μ A pull-down current. When the TIMER pin reaches its 0.2V threshold, the overcurrent present bit, C2, is cleared, and the switch will be allowed to turn on again if the overcurrent fault has been cleared. However, if the overcurrent autoretry bit, A2, has been set then the switch turns on again automatically (without resetting the overcurrent fault). Use a minimum value of 0.1nF for C_T.

The waveform in Figure 3 shows how the output latches off following a short circuit. The drop across the sense resistor is held at 20mV as the timer ramps up.





Figure 3. Short-Circuit Waveforms

During a short circuit, if the current limit sense voltage exceeds 150mV, the active current limit enters a high current protection mode that immediately turns off the output transistor by pulling the GATE-to-SOURCE voltage to zero. Current in the output transistor drops from tens of amps to zero in a few hundred nanoseconds. The input voltage will drop during the high current and then spike upwards due to parasitic inductances when the FET shuts off (see Supply Transients). Following this event, the part may turn on again after a delay (typically the 100ms normal turn-on delay if the input voltage drops below the UVLO threshold) and enters active current limit before shutting off.

Overvoltage Fault

An overvoltage fault occurs when the OV pin rises above its 3.5V threshold. This shuts off the switch immediately (with a 1mA current from GATE to ground) and sets the overvoltage present bit, CO, and the overvoltage fault bit DO. If the OV pin subsequently falls back below the threshold for 100ms, the switch will be allowed to turn on again unless the overvoltage autoretry has been disabled by clearing bit AO.

Undervoltage Fault

An undervoltage fault occurs when the UV pin falls below its 3.12V threshold. This turns off the switch immediately (with a 1mA current from GATE to ground) and sets the undervoltage present bit, C1, and the undervoltage fault bit D1. If the UV pin subsequently rises above the threshold for 100ms, the switch will turn on again unless the undervoltage autoretry has been disabled by clearing bit A1. When power is applied to the device, if UV is below its 3.12V threshold after $INTV_{CC}$ crosses its 4.5V undervoltage lockout threshold, an undervoltage fault will be logged in the fault register.

Board Present Change of State

Whenever the \overline{BD}_{PRST} pin toggles, bit D4 is set to indicate a change of state. When the \overline{BD}_{PRST} pin goes high, indicating board removal, the switch turns off immediately (with a 1mA current from GATE to ground) and clears the board present bit, C4. If the \overline{BD}_{PRST} pin is pulled low, indicating a board insertion, all fault bits except D4 will be cleared and the board present bit, C4, is set. If the \overline{BD}_{PRST} pin remains low for 100ms the state of the ON pin will be captured in the FET On Control bit A3. This turns the switch on if the ON pin is tied high. There is an internal 10µA pull-up current source on the \overline{BD}_{PRST} pin.

If the system shuts down due to a fault, it may be desirable to restart the system simply by removing and reinserting a load card. In cases where the LTC4260 and the switch reside on a backplane or midplane and the load resides on a plug-in card, the BD_PRST pin can be used to detect when the plug-in card is removed (see Figure 4). Once the plug-in card is reinserted the fault register is cleared (except for D4). After 100ms the state of the ON pin is latched into bit A3 of the control register. At this point the system will start up again.

If a connection sense on the plug-in card is driving the BD_PRST pin, the insertion or removal of the card may cause the pin voltage to bounce. This will result in clearing the fault register when the card is removed. The pin can be debounced using a filter capacitor, C_{BD_PRST} , on the BD_PRST pin as shown in Figure 4. The filter time is given by:

 $t_{FILTER} = C_{\overline{BD}_{PRST}} \bullet 123 \text{ [ms/}\mu\text{F]}$

FET Short Fault

A FET short fault will be reported if the data converter measures a current sense voltage greater than or equal to 2mV while the FET is turned off. This condition sets the FET short present bit, C5, and the FET short fault bit D5.





Figure 4. Plug-In Card Insertion/Removal

Power Bad Fault

A power bad fault will be reported if the FB pin drops below its 3.41V threshold while the FET is on. This pulls the GPIO pin low immediately, when configured as PWRGD, and sets the power bad present bit, C3, and the power bad fault bit D3. A circuit will prevent a power bad fault if the GATEto-SOURCE voltage is low, eliminating false power bad faults during power-up or power-down. If the FB pin subsequently rises back above the threshold, the GPIO pin will return to a high impedance state and bit C3 will be cleared.

Fault Alerts

When any of the fault bits in FAULT register D are set, an optional I^2C bus alert can be generated by setting the appropriate bit in the ALERT register B. This allows only selected faults to generate alerts. At power-up the default state is to not alert on faults. If an alert is enabled, the corresponding fault will cause the ALERT pin to pull low. After the bus master controller broadcasts the Alert Response Address, the LTC4260 responds with its address on the SDA line and releases ALERT as shown in Figure 11. If there is a collision between two LTC4260s responding with their addresses simultaneously, then the device with the lower address wins arbitration and responds first. The ALERT line will also be released if the device is addressed by the bus master.

Once the ALERT signal has been released for one fault, it will not be pulled low again until the FAULT register indicates a different fault has occurred or the original fault is cleared and it occurs again. Note that this means repeated or continuing faults will not generate alerts until the associated FAULT register bit has been cleared.

Resetting Faults

Faults are reset with any of the following conditions. First, a serial bus command writing zeros to the FAULT register D will clear the associated faults. Second, the entire FAULT register is cleared when the switch is turned off by either the ON pin or bit A3 going from high to low, or if the UV pin is brought below its 1.23V reset threshold, or if $INTV_{CC}$ falls below its 3.8V undervoltage lockout threshold. Finally, when BD_PRST is brought from high to low, only FAULT bits D0-D3 and D5 are cleared, the bit D4 that indicates a BD_PRST change of state will be set. Faults that are still present (as indicated in the STATUS Register C) cannot be cleared.

The FAULT register will not be cleared when autoretrying. When autoretry is disabled the existence of a D0, D1 or D2 fault keeps the switch off. As soon as the fault is cleared, the switch will turn on. If autoretry is enabled, then a high value in C0, C1 or C2 will hold the switch off and the FAULT register is ignored. Subsequently, when the C0, C1 and C2 bits are cleared, the switch is allowed to turn on again

Data Converter

The LTC4260 incorporates an 8-bit data converter that continuously monitors three different voltages. The SOURCE pin uses a 1/40 resistive divider to monitor a full-scale voltage of 102.4V with 0.4V resolution (divider converts 102.4V to 2.56V). The ADIN pin is monitored with a 2.56V full scale and 10mV resolution, and the voltage between the V_{DD} and SENSE pins is monitored with a 76.8mV full scale and 300 μ V resolution.

The results from each conversion are stored in registers E, F and G and are updated 10 times per second. Setting CONTROL register bit A5 invokes a test mode that halts the data converter updates so that registers E, F and G can be written to and read from for software testing.



Gate Pin Voltage

A curve of gate drive vs V_{DD} is shown in the Typical Performance curves. At the minimum input supply voltage of 8.5V, the minimum gate drive voltage is 4.5V. When the input supply voltage is higher than 20V, the gate drive is at least 10V and a regular N-FET can be used. In applications over a 8.5V to 20V range, a logic level N-FET must be used to maintain adequate gate enhancement. The GATE pin is clamped at a typical value of 15V above the SOURCE pin.

Configuring the GPIO Pin

Table 3 describes the possible states of the GPIO pin using the control register bits A6 and A7. At power-up, the default state is for the GPIO pin to go high impedance when power is good (FB pin greater than 3.5V). Other uses for the GPIO pin are to pull down when power is good, a general purpose output and a general purpose input.

Compensating the Active Current Loop

The active current limit circuit is compensated using the resistor R6 and the slew rate capacitor C1. The value for C1 is calculated to limit the inrush current. The suggested value for R6 is 100k. This value should work for most pass FETs (Q1). If the gate capacitance of Q1 is very small then the best method to compensate the loop is to add a \approx 10nF capacitor between the GATE and SOURCE terminals.

Supply Transients

The LTC4260 is designed to ride through supply transients caused by load steps. If there is a shorted load and the parasitic inductance back to the supply is greater than 0.5μ H, there is a chance that the supply could collapse before the active current limit circuit brings down the GATE pin. In this case the undervoltage monitors turn off the pass FET. The undervoltage lockout circuit has a 5μ s filter time after V_{DD} drops below 7.5V. The UV pin reacts in 2μ s to shut the GATE off, but it is recommended to add a filter capacitor C_F to prevent unwanted shutdown caused by short transient. Eventually either the UV pin or the undervoltage lockout responds to bring the current under control before the supply completely collapses.

Supply Transient Protection

The LTC4260 is 100% tested and guaranteed to be safe from damage with supply voltages up to 100V. However, spikes above 100V may damage the part. During a shortcircuit condition, the large change in currents flowing through the power supply traces can cause inductive voltage spikes which could exceed 100V. To minimize the spikes, the power trace inductance should be minimized by using wider traces or heavier trace plating. Adding a snubber circuit will dampen the voltage spikes. It is built using a 100 Ω resistor in series with a 0.1µF capacitor between V_{DD} and GND. A surge suppressor, Z1 in Figure 1, at the input will clamp the voltage spikes.

Design Example

As a design example, take the following specifications: $V_{IN} = 48V$, $I_{MAX} = 5A$, $I_{INRUSH} = 1A$, $C_L = 330\mu$ F, $V_{UVON} = 43V$, $V_{UVOFF} = 38.5V$, $V_{OVOFF} = 70V$, $V_{PWRGDUP} = 46V$, $V_{PWRGDDN} = 45V$ and $I^2C_{ADDRESS} = 1010011$. The selection of the sense resistor, R_S , is set by the overcurrent threshold of 50mV:

$$R_S=\frac{50mV}{I_{MAX}}=\frac{50mV}{5A}=0.010\Omega$$

The FET should be sized to handle the power dissipation during the inrush charging of the output capacitor C_{OUT} . The method used to determine the power is the principle:

 E_{C} = Energy in C_{L} = Energy in Q1

Thus:

 $E_{C} = 1/2 \text{ CV}^{2} = 1/2(0.33\text{mF})(48\text{V})^{2} = 0.38\text{J}$

Calculate the time it takes to charge up $\mathsf{C}_{\mathsf{OUT}}$:

$$t_{CHARGUP} = \frac{C_{L} \bullet V_{IN}}{I_{INRUSH}} = \frac{330\mu F \bullet 48V}{1A} = 16ms$$

The average power dissipated in the FET:

$$P_{DISS} = \frac{E_C}{t_{CHARGUP}} = \frac{0.38J}{16ms} \cong 24W$$



The SOA (safe operating area) curves of candidate FETs must be evaluated to ensure that the heat capacity of the package can stand 24W for 16ms. The SOA curves of the Fairchild FDB3632 provide for 1A at 50V (50W) for 10ms, satisfying the requirement.

The inrush current is set to 1A using C1:

$$C1 = C_L \frac{I_{GATE(UP)}}{I_{INRUSH}} = 0.33 \text{mF} \frac{18 \mu \text{A}}{1\text{A}} = 5.9 \text{nF}$$

Default values of R5 = 10Ω and R6 = 100k are chosen as discussed previously.

The power dissipated in the FET during overcurrent must be limited. The active current limit uses a timer to prevent excessive energy dissipation in the FET. The worst-case power occurs when the voltage versus current profile of the foldback current limit is at the maximum. This occurs when the current is 5A and the voltage is 1/2 of the 48V or 24V. See the Current Limit Sense Voltage vs FB Voltage in the Typical Performance curves to view this profile. In order to survive 120W, the FET SOA curve dictates the maximum time at this power level. This particular FET allows 300W at 1ms or less. Therefore, it is acceptable to set the current limit timeout using C_T to be 0.81ms:

$$C_{T} = \frac{0.81 \text{ms}}{12 [\text{ms}/\mu\text{F}]} = 68 \text{nF}$$

Note the minimum value for C_T is 0.1nF.

Choose R1, R2, R3, R7 and R8 for the UV, OV and PG threshold voltages:

 $V_{OVRISING}$ = 71.2V, $V_{OVFALLING}$ = 69.44V (using $V_{OV(TH)}$ = 3.5V rising and 3.41V falling)

 $V_{UVRISING}$ = 43V, $V_{UVFALLING}$ = 38.5V, (using $V_{UV(TH)}$ = 3.5V rising and 3.12V falling)

 $V_{PGRISING}$ = 46.14V, $V_{PGFALLING}$ = 45V, (using V_{FB} = 3.5V rising and 3.411V falling)

In addition a $0.1 \mu F$ ceramic bypass capacitor is placed on the INTV_{CC} pin. The complete circuit is shown in Figure 1.

Layout Considerations

To achieve accurate current sensing, a Kelvin connection is recommended. The minimum trace width for 1oz copper foil is 0.02" per amp to make sure the trace stays at a reasonable temperature. Using 0.03" per amp or wider is recommended. Note that 1oz copper exhibits a sheet resistance of about $530\mu\Omega/\Box$. Small resistances add up quickly in high current applications. To improve noise immunity, put the resistive divider to the UV, OV and FB pins close to the device and keep traces to V_{DD} and GND short. It is also important to put C3, the bypass capacitor for the INTV_{CC} pin, as close as possible between INTV_{CC} and GND. A 0.1µF capacitor from the UV pin (and OV pin through resistor R2) to GND also helps reject supply noise. Figure 5 shows a layout that addresses these issues. Note that a surge suppressor, Z1, is placed between supply and ground using wide traces.



Figure 5. Recommended Layout for R1, R2, R3, R8, C_F, C3, Z1 and R_S



Digital Interface

The LTC4260 communicates with a bus master using a 2-wire interface compatible with the I^2C bus and the SMBus, an I^2C extension for low power devices.

The LTC4260 is a read-write slave device and supports SMBus bus Read Byte, Write Byte, Read Word and Write Word commands. The second word in a Read Word command will be identical to the first word. The second word in a Write Word command is ignored. The data formats for these commands are shown in Figures 7 to 10.

Using Optoisolators with SDA

The LTC4260 separates the SDA line into SDAI and SDAO. If optoisolators are not used then tie SDAI and SDAO together to construct a normal SDA line. When using optoisolators connect the SDAI to the output of the incoming opto and connect the SDAO to the input of the outgoing opto (see Figure 13).

START and STOP Conditions

When the bus is idle, both SCL and SDA must be high. A bus master signals the beginning of a transmission with a START condition by transitioning SDA from high to low while SCL is high. When the master has finished communicating with the slave, it issues a STOP condition by transitioning SDA from low to high while SCL is high. The bus is then free for another transmission.

I²C Device Addressing

Twenty-seven distinct bus address are configurable using the three-state ADRO-ADR2 pins. Table 1 shows the correspondence between pin states and addresses. Note that address bits B7 and B6 are internally configured to 10. In addition, the LTC4260 will respond to two special addresses. Address (1011 111)b is a mass write used to write to all LTC4260, regardless of their individual address settings. The mass write can be masked by setting register bit A4 to zero. Address (0001 100)b is the SMBus Alert <u>Response</u> Address. If the LTC4260 is pulling low on the ALERT pin, it will acknowledge this address using the SMBus Alert Response Protocol.

Acknowledge

The acknowledge signal is used for handshaking between the transmitter and the receiver to indicate that the last byte of data was received. The transmitter always releases the SDA line during the acknowledge clock pulse. When the slave is the receiver, it must pull down the SDA line so that it remains LOW during this pulse to acknowledge receipt of the data. If the slave fails to acknowledge by leaving SDA HIGH, then the master can abort the transmission by generating a STOP condition. When the master is receiving data from the slave, the master must pull down the SDA line during the clock pulse to indicate receipt of the data. After the last byte has been received the master will leave the SDA line HIGH (not acknowledge) and issue a STOP condition to terminate the transmission.

Write Protocol

The master begins communication with a START condition followed by the seven bit slave address and the R/Wbit set to zero. The addressed LTC4260 acknowledges this and then the master sends a command byte which indicates which internal register the master wishes to write. The LTC4260 acknowledges this and then latches the lower three bits of the command byte into its internal Register Address pointer. The master then delivers the data byte and the LTC4260 acknowledges once more and latches the data into its internal register. The transmission is ended when the master sends a STOP condition. If the master continues sending a second data byte, as in a Write Word command, the second data byte will be acknowledged by the LTC4260 but ignored.

Read Protocol

The master begins a read operation with a START condition followed by the seven bit slave address and the R/Wbit set to zero. The addressed LTC4260 acknowledges this and then the master sends a command byte that indicates which internal register the master wishes to read. The LTC4260 acknowledges this and then latches the lower three bits of the command byte into its internal Register Address pointer. The master then sends a repeated START condition followed by the same seven bit address with the

R/W bit now set to one. The LTC4260 acknowledges and sends the contents of the requested register. The transmission is ended when the master sends a STOP condition. If the master acknowledges the transmitted data byte, as in a Read Word command, the LTC4260 will repeat the requested register as the second data byte.

Note that the Register Address pointer is not cleared at the end of the transaction. Thus the Receive Byte protocol can be used to repeatedly read a specific register.

Alert Response Protocol

The LTC4260 implements the SMBus Alert Response Protocol as shown in Figure 11. If enabled to do so through the ALERT register B, the LTC4260 will respond to faults by pulling the ALERT pin low. Multiple LTC4260s can share a common ALERT line and the protocol allows a master to determine which LTC4260s are pulling the line low. The master begins by sending a START bit followed by the special Alert Response Address (0001 100)b with the R/W bit set to one. Any LTC4260 that is pulling its ALERT pin low will acknowledge and begin sending back its individual slave address.

An arbitration scheme ensures that the LTC4260 with the lowest address will have priority; all others will abort their response. The successful responder will then release its <u>ALERT</u> pin while any others will continue to hold their <u>ALERT</u> pins low. Polling may also be used to search for any LTC4260 that have detected faults. Any LTC4260 pulling its <u>ALERT</u> pin low will also release it if it is individually addressed during a read or write transaction.

The ALERT signal will not be pulled low again until the FAULT register indicates a different fault has occurred or the original fault is cleared and it occurs again. Note that this means repeated or continuing faults will not generate alerts until the associated FAULT register bit has been cleared.



Figure 6. Data Transfer Over I²C or SMBus



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S ADDRESS	A W	COMMAND	А	DATA	Α	Ρ
1 0 a4:a0	0 0	X X X X X X b2:b0	0	b7:b0	0	
FROM MAS		IASTER A: R: W S:	NOT REA WR STAI	NOWLEI ACKNO D BIT (H ITE BIT RT CONI P COND	WLE IIGH (LOV DITI	EDGE (HIGH) ł) W) ON IN

Figure 7. LTC4260 Serial Bus SDA Write Byte Protocol

S	ADDRESS	W	А	COMMAND	Α	DATA	Α	DATA	A	Р
	1 0 a4:a0	0	0	X X X X X X b2:b0	0	b7:b0	0	X X X X X X X X X	0	E0.0

Figure 8. LTC4260 Serial Bus SDA Write Word Protocol

S	ADDRESS	W	А	COMMAND	А	S	ADDRESS	R	Α	DATA	Ā	Ρ
	1 0 a4:a0	0	0	X X X X X b2:b0	0		1 0 a4:a0	1	0	b7:b0	1 4260	F09

Figure 9. LTC4260 Serial Bus SDA Read Byte Protocol

S	ADDRESS	\overline{W}	А	COMMAND	А	S	ADDRESS	R	А	DATA	А	DATA	ĀP
	1 0 a4:a0	0	0	X X X X X X b2:b0	0		1 0 a4:a0	1	0	b7:b0	0	b7:b0	1 4260 F1

Figure 10. LTC4260 Serial Bus SDA Read Word Protocol

s	ALERT RESPONSE ADDRESS	R	A	DEVICE ADDRESS	Ā	Ρ
	0001100	1	0	1 0 a4:a0	1 426	0 F11

Figure 11. LTC4260 Serial Bus SDA Alert Response Protocol

Table 1. LTC4260 I²C Device Addressing

DESCRIPTION	HEX DEVICE ADDRESS			BIN	ARY DEV	ICE ADD	RESS				LTC4260 Address Pins	;
	h	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	R/W	ADR2	ADR1	ADRO
Mass Write	BE	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	Х	Х	Х
Alert Response	19	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	Х	Х	Х
0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	Х	L	NC	L
1	82	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	Х	L	Н	NC
2	84	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	Х	L	NC	NC
3	86	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	Х	L	NC	Н
4	88	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	Х	L	L	L
5	8A	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	Х	L	Н	Н
6	8C	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	Х	L	L	NC
7	8E	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	Х	L	L	Н
8	90	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	Х	NC	NC	L
9	92	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	Х	NC	Н	NC
10	94	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	Х	NC	NC	NC
11	96	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	Х	NC	NC	Н
12	98	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	Х	NC	L	L
13	9A	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	Х	NC	Н	Н
14	90	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	Х	NC	L	NC
15	9E	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	Х	NC	L	Н
16	AO	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	Х	Н	NC	L
17	A2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	Х	Н	Н	NC
18	A4	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	Х	Н	NC	NC
19	A6	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	Х	Н	NC	Н
20	A8	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	Х	Н	L	L
21	AA	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	Х	Н	Н	Н
22	AC	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	Х	Н	L	NC
23	AE	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	Х	Н	L	Н
24	BO	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	Х	L	Н	L
25	B2	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	Х	NC	Н	L
26	B4	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	Х	Н	Н	L



Table 2. LTC4260 Register Addresses and Contents

REGISTER NAME	READ/WRITE	DESCRIPTION
CONTROL (A)	R/W	Controls Whether the Part Retries After Faults, Set the Switch State
ALERT (B)	R/W	Controls Whether the ALERT Pin is Pulled Low After a Fault is Logged in the Fault Register
STATUS (C)	R	System Status Information
FAULT (D)	R/W	Fault Log
SENSE (E)	R/W**	ADC Current Sense Voltage Data
SOURCE (F)	R/W**	ADC SOURCE Voltage Data
ADIN (G)	R/W**	ADC ADIN Voltage Data
	NAME CONTROL (A) ALERT (B) STATUS (C) FAULT (D) SENSE (E) SOURCE (F)	NAMEREAD/WRITECONTROL (A)R/WALERT (B)R/WSTATUS (C)RFAULT (D)R/WSENSE (E)R/W**SOURCE (F)R/W**

*Register address MSBs b7-b3 are ignored. **Writable if bit A5 set.

Table 3. CONTROL Register A (00h)—Read/Write

BIT	NAME	OPERATION				
A7:6	GPIO Configure	Configures Behavior of GPIO Pin				
		FUNCTION	A6	A7	GPIO PIN	
		Power Good (Default)	0	0	$GPIO = \overline{C3}$	
		Power Bad	0	1	GPIO = C3	
		General Purpose Output	1	0	GPIO = B6	
		General Purpose Input	1	1	GPIO = Hi-Z	
A5	Test Mode Enable	Test Mode Halts ADC Operation and Enables Writes to ADC Registers 1 = Enable Test Mode, 0 = Disable Test Mode (Default)				
A4	Mass Write Enable	Enables Mass Write Using Address (1011 111)b 1 = Enable Mass Write (Default), 0 = Disable Mass Write				
A3	FET On Control	Turns FET On and Off 1 = Turn FET On, 0 = Turn FET Off. Defaults to ON Pin State at End of Debounce Delay				
A2	Overcurrent Autoretry	Enables Autoretry After an Overcurrent Fault 1 = Retry Enabled, 0 = Retry Disabled (Default)				
A1	Undervoltage Autoretry	Enables Autoretry After an Undervoltage Fault 1 = Retry Enabled (Default), 0 = Retry Disabled				
AO	Overvoltage Autoretry	Enables Autoretry After an Overvoltage Fault 1 = Retry Enabled (Default), 0 = Retry Disabled				



Table 4.	ALERT	Reaister B	(01h)—Read/Write
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BIT	NAME	OPERATION	
B7	Reserved	Not Used	
B6	GPIO Output	Output Data Bit to GPIO Pin When Configured as Output. Defaults to 0	
B5	FET Short Alert	Enables Alert for FET Short Condition 1 = Enable Alert, 0 = Disable Alert (Default)	
B4	BD_PRST State Change Alert	Enables Alert When BD_PRST Changes State 1 = Enable Alert, 0 = Disable Alert (Default)	
B3	Power Bad Alert	Enables Alert when Output Power is Bad 1 = Enable Alert, 0 = Disable Alert (Default)	
B2	Overcurrent Alert	Enables Alert for Overcurrent Condition 1 = Enable Alert, 0 = Disable Alert (Default)	
B1	Undervoltage Alert	Enables Alert for Undervoltage Condition 1 = Enable Alert, 0 = Disable Alert (Default)	
B0	Overvoltage Alert	Enables Alert for Overvoltage Condition 1 = Enable Alert, 0 = Disable Alert (Default)	

Table 5. STATUS Register C (02h)—Read Only

BIT	NAME	OPERATION	
C7	FET On	Indicates State of FET 1 = FET On, 0 = FET Off	
C6	GPIO Input	State of the GPIO Pin 1 = GPIO High, 0 = GPIO Low	
C5	FET Short Present	Indicates Potential FET Short if Current Sense Voltage Exceeds 2mV While FET is Off 1 = FET is Shorted, 0 = FET is Not Shorted	
C4	Board Present	Indicates if a Board is Present When BD_PRST is Low 1 = BD_PRST Pin Low, 0 = BD_PRST Pin High	
C3	Power Bad	Indicates Power is Bad When FB is Low 1 = FB Low, 0 = FB High	
C2	Overcurrent	Indicates Overcurrent Condition During Cool Down Cycle 1 = Overcurrent, 0 = Not Overcurrent	
C1	Undervoltage	Indicates Input Undervoltage When UV is Low 1 = UV Low, 0 = UV High	
CO	Overvoltage	Indicates Input Overvoltage When OV is High 1 = OV High, 0 = OV Low	



BIT	NAME	OPERATION	
D7:6	Reserved		
D5	FET Short Fault Occurred	Indicates Potential FET Short was Detected When Measured Current Sense Voltage Exceeded 2mV While FET was Off 1 = FET was Shorted, 0 = FET is Good	
D4	Board Present Changes State	Indicates that a Board was Inserted or Extracted When BD_PRST Changed State 1 = BD_PRST Changed State, 0 = BD_PRST Unchanged	
D3	Power Bad Fault Occurred	Indicates Power was Bad When FB Went Low 1 = FB was Low, 0 = FB was High	
D2	Overcurrent Fault Occurred	Indicates Overcurrent Fault Occurred 1 = Overcurrent Fault Occurred, 0 = No Overcurrent Faults	
D1	Undervoltage Fault Occurred	Indicates Input Undervoltage Fault Occurred When UV Went Low 1 = UV was Low, 0 = UV was High	
D0	Overvoltage Fault Occurred	Indicates Input Overvoltage Fault Occurred When OV Went High 1 = OV was High, 0 = OV was Low	

Table 6. FAULT Register D (03h)—Read/Write

Table 7. SENSE Register E (04h)—Read/Write

BIT	NAME	OPERATION	
E7:0	SENSE Voltage Data	$V_{DD}\mbox{-}SENSE$ Current Sense Voltage Data. 8-Bit Data with 300 μV LSB and 76.8mV Full Scale	

Table 8. SOURCE Register F (05h)—Read/Write

BIT	NAME	OPERATION
F7:0	SOURCE Voltage Data	SOURCE Pin Voltage Data. 8-Bit Data with 400mV LSB and 102.4V Full Scale

Table 9. ADIN Register G (06h)-Read/Write

BIT	NAME	OPERATION	
G7:0	ADIN Voltage Data	ADIN Pin Voltage Data. 8-Bit Data with 10mV LSB and 2.56V Full Scale	













PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

.045 ±.005 4 .254 MIN .150 - .165 .0165 ±.0015 ->| |--.0250 BSC > RECOMMENDED SOLDER PAD LAYOUT $\frac{.015 \pm .004}{(0.38 \pm 0.10)} \times 45^{\circ}$.0075 - .0098 0° – 8° TYP (0.19 - 0.25).016 – .050 $(\overline{0.406 - 1.270})$ NOTE: 1. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCHES 2. DIMENSIONS ARE IN $\frac{\text{INCHES}}{(\text{MILLIMETERS})}$ 3. DRAWING NOT TO SCALE







*DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH. MOLD FLASH

SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.006" (0.152mm) PER SIDE

**DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE INTERLEAD FLASH. INTERLEAD FLASH SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.010" (0.254mm) PER SIDE

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION



SW Package 24-Lead Plastic Small Outline (Wide .300 Inch) (Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1620)

2. DRAWING NOT TO SCALE

3. PIN 1 IDENT, NOTCH ON TOP AND CAVITIES ON THE BOTTOM OF PACKAGES ARE THE MANUFACTURING OPTIONS.

THE PART MAY BE SUPPLIED WITH OR WITHOUT ANY OF THE OPTIONS

4. THESE DIMENSIONS DO NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS.

MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS SHALL NOT EXCEED .006" (0.15mm)



PACKAGE DESCRIPTION



UH Package 32-Lead Plastic QFN (5mm × 5mm) (Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1693)

TECHNOLOGY

TYPICAL APPLICATION



3A, 48V Backplane Resident Application with Insertion Activated Turn-On

RELATED PARTS

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PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	COMMENTS
LT®1641-1/LT1641-2	Positive High Voltage Hot Swap Controllers	Active Current Limiting, Supplies from 9V to 80V
LTC1921	Dual –48V Supply and Fuse Monitor	Withstands ±200V, Monitors Under-/Overvoltage and External Fuses
LTC2436	16-Bit, 2-Channel Delta-Sigma ADC	800nV _{RMS} Noise, Two Differential Channels with Automatic Channel Selection
LTC4240	CompactPCI [™] Hot Swap Controller with I ² C I/O	3.3V, 5V and ±12V Supplies, Control and Status over I ² C
LT4250	-48V Hot Swap Controller in SO-8	Active Current Limiting, Supplies from –20V to –80V
LTC4252	–48V Hot Swap Controller in MSOP	Fast Active Current Limiting with Drain Accelerated Response, Supplies from $-15V$
LT4256	Positive 48V Hot Swap Controller with Open-Circuit Detect	Foldback Current Limiting, Open-Circuit and Overcurrent Fault Output, Up to 80V Supply
LTC4300A	Hot Swappable 2-Wire Bus Buffer	Provides Capacitive Buffering, SDA and SCL Precharge and Level Shifting
LTC4301	Supply Independent Hot Swappable 2-Wire Bus Buffer	Provides Capacitive Buffering, SDA and SCL Precharge and Level Shifting
LTC4302	Addressable 2-Wire Bus Buffer	Provides Capacitive Buffering, SDA and SCL Precharge and Level Shifting, Enabled by 2-Wire Bus Commands
LTC4350	Hot Swappable Load Share Controller	Output Voltage: 1.2V to 12V, Equal Load Sharing
LT4351	Ideal MOSFET ORing Diode	External N-Channel MOSFETs Replace ORing Diodes, 1.2V to 20V
LTC4354	Negative Voltage Diode-OR Controller	8-Pin DFN and SO Package

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