Features

- Full Wave Current Sensing
- Compensated Mains Supply Variations
- Variable Soft Start or Load-current Sensing
- Voltage and Current Synchronization
- Switchable Automatic Retriggering
- Triggering Pulse Typically 125 mA
- Internal Supply-voltage Monitoring
- Current Requirement \leq 3 mA

Applications

- Low-cost Motor Control
- Domestic Appliance

Description

The U2008B is designed as a phase-control circuit in bipolar technology. It enables load-current detection as well as mains-compensated phase control. Motor control with load-current feedback and overload protection are preferred applications.

Figure 1. Block Diagram with Typical Circuit: Load Current Sensing





Low-cost Phase-control IC with Soft Start

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Figure 2. Block Diagram with Typical Circuit: Soft Start



Pin Configuration

Figure 3. Pinning



Pin Description

| Pin | Symbol | Function |
|-----|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | ISENSE | Load current sensing |
| 2 | Cφ | Ramp voltage |
| 3 | CONTROL | Control input/compensation output |
| 4 | GND | Ground |
| 5 | -VS | Supply voltage |
| 6 | Rφ | Ramp current adjustment |
| 7 | VSYNC | Voltage synchronization |
| 8 | OUTPUT | Trigger output |

Mains Supply, Pin 5, Figure 2

The integrated circuit U2008B, which also contains voltage limiting, can be connected via D₁ and R₁ to the mains supply. Supply voltage, between Pin 4 (pos., \perp) and Pin 5, is smoothed by C₁.

The series resistance R1 can be calculated as follows:

$$R_{1max} = 0.85 \times \frac{V_{M} - V_{Smax}}{2 \times I_{tot}}$$

where:

| V _M | = Mains voltage |
|-------------------|---|
| V _{Smax} | = Maximum supply voltage |
| I _{tot} | = I_{Smax} + I_x = Total current compensation |
| I _{Smax} | = Maximum current consumption of the IC |
| I _x | = Current consumption of the external components |
| | |

Operation with externally stabilized DC voltage is not recommended.



| Voltage Monitoring | When the voltage is built up, uncontrolled output pulses are avoided by internal voltage monitoring. Apart from that, all latches of the circuit (phase control, load limit regulation) are reset and the soft start capacitor is short circuited. This guarantees a specified start-up behavior each time the supply voltage is switched on or after short interruptions of the mains supply. Soft start is initiated after the supply voltage has been built up. This behavior guarantees a gentle start-up for the motor and automatically ensures the optimum run-up time. |
|--------------------------|--|
| Phase Control, Pin 6 | The function of the phase control is identical to that of the well-known IC U211B. The phase angle of the trigger pulse is derived by comparing the ramp voltage V ₂ at Pin 2 with the set value on the control input, Pin 3. The slope of the ramp is determined by C ₃ and its charging current I φ . |
| | The charging current can be regulated, changed or altered using R ₈ at Pin 6. The maximum phase angle, α_{max} , (minimum current flow angle ϕ_{min}) can also be adjusted by using R ₈ (see Figure 5). |
| | When the potential on Pin 2 reaches the set point level of Pin 3, a trigger pulse is generated whose pulse width, t_p , is determined from the value of C_3 ($t_p = 9 \ \mu s/nF$, see Figure 7). At the same time, a latch is set with the output pulse, as long as the automatic retriggering has not been activated, then no more pulses can be generated in that half cycle. Control input at Pin 3 (with respect to Pin 4) has an active range from -9 V to -2 V. When $V_3 = -9$ V the phase angle is at its maximum amax, i.e., the current flow angle is minimum. The minimum phase angle amin is set with $V_3 \ge -1$ V. |
| Automatic Retriggering | The current-detector circuit monitors the state of the triac after triggering by measuring the voltage drop at the triac gate. A current flow through the triac is recognized when the voltage drop exceeds a threshold level of typically 40 mV. |
| | If the triac is quenched within the relevant half wave after triggering (for example owing to low load currents before or after the zero crossing of current wave, or for commutator motors, owing to brush lifters), the automatic retriggering circuit ensures immediate retriggering, if necessary with a high repetition rate, t_{pp}/t_p , until the triac remains reliably triggered. |
| Current Synchronization, | Current synchronization fulfils two functions: |
| Pin 8 | • Monitoring the current flow after triggering. In case the triac extinguishes again or it does not switch on, automatic triggering is activated as long as triggering is successful. |
| | • Avoiding triggering due to inductive load. In the case of inductive load operation, the current synchronization ensures that in the new half wave no pulse is enabled as long as there is a current available from the previous half wave, which flows from the opposite polarity to the actual supply voltage. |
| | A special feature of the IC is the realization of current synchronization. The device eval- uates the voltage at the pulse output between the gate and reference electrode of the triac. This results in saving the separate current synchronization input with specified series resistance. |

Voltage Synchronization with Mains Voltage Compensation, Pin 7

The voltage detector synchronizes the reference ramp with the mains supply voltage. At the same time, the mains-dependent input current at Pin 7 is shaped and rectified internally. This current activates automatic retriggering and at the same time is available at Pin 3 (see Figure 9). By suitable dimensioning, it is possible to attain the specified compensation effect. Automatic retriggering and mains voltage compensation are not activated until $|V_7 - V_4|$ increases to 8 V. The resistance $R_{sync.}$ defines the width of the zero voltage cross-over pulse, synchronization current, and hence the mains supply voltage compensation current. If the mains voltage compensation and the automatic retriggering are not required, both functions can be suppressed by limiting $|V_7 - V_4| \le 7$ V (see Figure 4).

Figure 4. Suppression of Automatic Retriggering and Mains Voltage Compensation



A further feature of the IC is the selection between soft start and load-current compensation. Soft start is possible by connecting a capacitor between Pin 1 and Pin 4 (see Figure 8). In the case of load-current compensation, Pin 1 is directly connected with resistance R_6 , which is used for sensing load current.

Load Current Detection, Pin 1 The circuit continuously measures the load current as a voltage drop at resistor R₆. The evaluation and use of both half waves results in a quick reaction to load-current change. Due to voltage at resistor R₆, there is an increase of input current at Pin 1. This current increase controls the internal current source, whose positive current values are available at Pin 3 (see Figure 11). The output current generated at Pin 3 contains the difference from the load-current detection and the mains-voltage compensation (see Figure 9).

The effective control voltage is the final current at Pin 3 together with the desired value network. An increase of mains voltage causes an increase of the control angle α . An increase of load current results in a decrease of the control angle. This avoids a decrease in revolution by increasing the load as well as an increase of revolution by the increment of mains supply voltage.





Absolute Maximum Ratings

 V_{S} = 14 V, reference point Pin 4, unless otherwise specified

| Parameters | Symbol | Symbol Value | | |
|---|--|-----------------------|----------|--|
| Current limitation Pin 5 | -I _S | 30 | mA | |
| $t \le 10 \ \mu s$ | -i _s | 100 | mA | |
| Synchronous currents Pin 7 $t \le 10 \ \mu s$ | ±l _{syncV} ±i _{syncV} | 5 20 | mA mA | |
| Phase Control Pin 3 | Syncv | - | | |
| Control voltage | -V _I | V _s to 0 | V | |
| Input current | ±l | 500 | mA | |
| Charge current Pin 6 | -I _{omax} | 0.5 | mA | |
| Load Current Monitoring/Soft Start, Pir | n1 | | | |
| Input current | I _I | 1 | mA | |
| Input voltage | V | -V _S to +2 | V | |
| Pulse output | | | | |
| Input voltage Pin 8 | +V ₁ -V ₁ | 2 V _S | V V | |
| Storage temperature range | T _{stg} | -40 to +125 | °C | |
| Junction temperature range | Tj | -10 to +125 | °C | |

Thermal Resistance

| Parameters | | Symbol | Value | Unit | |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------|------|--|
| | DIP8 | R _{thJA} | 110 | K/W | |
| Junction ambient | SO8 on p.c. | R _{thJA} | 220 | K/W | |
| | So8 on ceramic | R _{thJA} | 140 | K/W | |

Electrical Characteristics

| Parameters | Test Conditions | Symbol | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Unit |
|--|---|--|------|--------------|---------|----------------|
| Supply (Pin 5) | | | • | • | | • |
| Supply-voltage limitation | -I _S = 3.5 mA | -V _S | 14.5 | | 16.5 | V |
| | -I _S = 30 mA | -V _S | 14.6 | | 16.8 | V |
| Current requirement | Pins 1, 4 and 7 open | -I _S | | | 3.0 | mA |
| Voltage Monitoring (Pin 5) | | | | | | |
| Turn-on threshold | | -V _{TON} | | 11.3 | 12.3 | V |
| Phase Control | | | | | | |
| Input current | Voltage sync. Pin 7 Current sync. Pin 8 | ±I _{syncV} ±I _{syncI} | 3 | 0.15 | 2 30 | mA μA |
| Voltage limitation | $\pm I_L = 2 \text{ mA Pin 7}$ | ±V _{syncV} | 8.0 | 8.5 | 9.0 | V |
| Reference Ramp (see Figure 5) | | | 1 | 1 | | |
| Charge current | Pin 7 | Ι _φ | 1 | | 100 | μA |
| Start voltage | Pin 2 | -V _{max} | 1.85 | 1.95 | 2.05 | V |
| Temperature coefficient of start voltage | Pin 2 | -TC _R | | -0.003 | | %/K |
| R _o - reference voltage | $I_{\omega} = 10 \ \mu A$, Pins 6 to 5 | V _{Rφ} | 0.96 | 1.02 | 1.10 | V |
| Temperature coefficient | $I_{\phi} = 10 \ \mu A$, Pin 6 $I_{\phi} = 1 \ \mu A$ | TC _{VRφ} TC _{VRφ} | | 0.03 0.06 | | %/K %/K |
| Pulse Output (see Figure 6) (Pin | 8) | | 1 | | | |
| Output-pulse current | V ₈ = -1.2, R _{GT} = 0 Ω | Ι _ο | 100 | 125 | 150 | mA |
| Output-pulse width | $C_3 = 3.3 \text{ nF}, V_S = V_{\text{limit}}$ | tp | | 30 | | μs |
| Automatic Retriggering (Pin 8) | | - Г | | | | |
| Turn-on threshold voltage | | ±V _{ION} | 20 | | 60 | mV |
| Repetition rate | I ₇ ≥ 150 μA | t _{pp} | 3 | 5 | 7.5 | t _p |
| Soft Start (see Figure 8) (Pin 1) | | 44 | | | | P |
| Starting current | V ₁₋₄ = 8 V | I ₀ | 5 | 10 | 15 | μA |
| Final current | V ₁₋₄ = -2 V | I ₀ | 15 | 25 | 40 | μA |
| Discharge current | | -I ₀ | 0.5 | | | mA |
| Output current | Pin 3 | -I ₀ | 0.2 | | 2 | mA |
| Mains Voltage Compensation (se | e Figure 9) | | 1 | | | |
| Current transfer gain I7/I3 | Pins 7, Pin 3 Pins 1 and 2 open | G _i | 14 | 17 | 20 | |
| Reverse current | $V_{(R6)} = V_3 = V_7 = 0$, Pin 3 | ±I _R | | | 2 | μA |
| Load-current Detection, $V_7 = 0$ (s | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 |
| Transfer gain | I ₃ /V ₁ | G | 0.28 | 0.32 | 0.37 | µA/mV |
| Offset current | $V_1 = 0, V_3 = -8 V$, Pin 3 | I ₀ | 0 | 3 | 6 | μA |
| Input voltage | Pin 1 | -V ₁ | 300 | | 400 | mV |
| Input offset voltage | Pin 1 | ±V ₀ | | | 6 | mV |





Figure 5. Ramp Control







Figure 7. Output Pulse Width



Figure 8. Option Soft Start



Figure 9. Mains Voltage Compensation



Figure 10. Maximum Resistance of R₁







Figure 11. Load-current Detection







Figure 13. Power Dissipation of R₁ According to Current Consumption



Ordering Information

| Extended Type Number | Package | Remarks |
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