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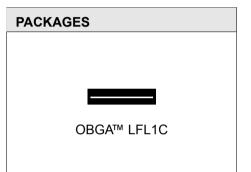
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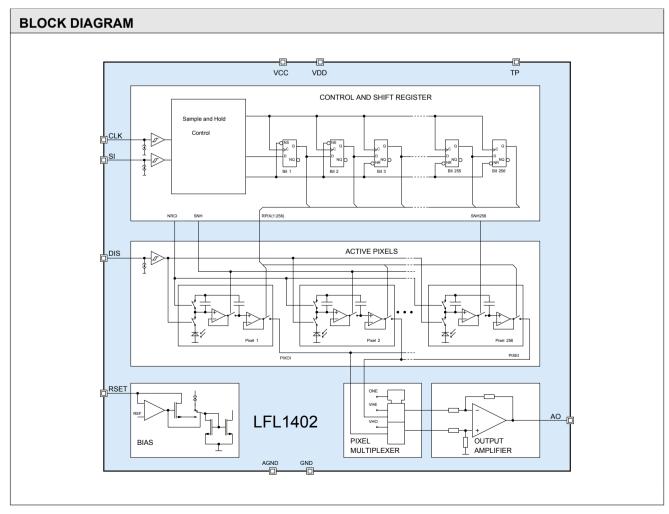
FEATURES

- ◆ 256 active photo pixels of 56 µm at a gap and distortion free pitch of 63.5 µm (400 DPI)
- ♦ Integrating L-V conversion followed by a sample & hold circuit
- ♦ High sensitivity and uniformity over wavelength
- ♦ High clockrates of up to 5 MHz
- ♦ Only 256 clocks required for readout
- ♦ Shutter function enables flexible integration times
- ♦ Glitch-free analogue output
- ♦ Push-pull output amplifier
- ♦ 5 V single supply operation
- ♦ Function equivalent to TSL1402 (serial mode)

APPLICATIONS

- ♦ Optical line sensors
- ♦ CCD substitute





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DESCRIPTION

iC-LFL1402 is an integrating light-to-voltage converter with a single line of 256 pixels pitched at 63.5 μm (center-to-center distance). Due to the monolithical integration there is no pixel-gap or pitch distortion what-soever. Each pixel consists of a 56.4 μm x 200 μm photodiode, an integration capacitor and a sample and hold circuit.

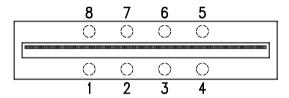
The integrated control logic makes operation very simple, with only a start and clock signal necessary. A third control input enables the integration period to be prematurely terminated at any time (electronic shutter).

When the start signal is given the hold mode is activated for all pixels simultaneously with the next rising clock edge; starting with pixel 1 the hold voltages are switched in sequence to the push-pull output amplifier. The second clock pulse deletes all integration capacitors and the integration period starts again in the background during the output phase. A run is complete after 256 clock pulses.

iC-LFL1402 is suitable for high clock rates of up to 5 MHz.

PACKAGING INFORMATION OBGA™ LFL1C

PIN CONFIGURATION OBGA™ LFL1C



PIN FUNCTIONS

No. Name Function

1 SI Start Integration Input

2 CLK Clock Input

3 AO Analogue Output 4 VCC +5 V Supply Voltage

5 RSET Connect to GND for internal bias

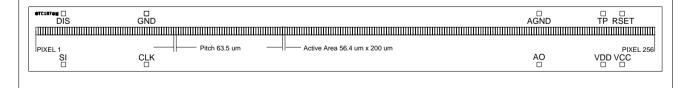
6 AGND Analogue Ground7 GND Digital Ground

8 DIS Disable Integration Input

CHIP-LAYOUT

iC-LFL1402

Chip size: 16.6 mm x 1.7 mm



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Beyond these values damage may occur; device operation is not guaranteed.

| Item | Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | | | Unit |
|------|--------|---------------------------------------|--|------|-----------|------|
| No. | | | | Min. | Max. | |
| G001 | VDD | Digital Supply Voltage | | -0.3 | 6 | V |
| G002 | VCC | Analogue Supply Voltage | | -0.3 | 6 | V |
| G003 | V() | Voltage at SI, CLK, DIS, RSET, TP, AO | | -0.3 | VCC + 0.3 | V |
| G004 | I() | Current in RSET, TP, AO | | -10 | 10 | mA |
| G005 | Vd() | ESD Susceptibility at all pins | HBM, 100 pF/1.5 kΩ | | 2 | kV |
| G006 | Tj | Operating Junction Temperature | | -40 | 125 | °C |
| G007 | Ts | Storage Temperature Range | see package specification OBGA™ LFL1C | | | |

THERMAL DATA

Operating Conditions: VCC = VDD = 5 V ±10%

| Item | Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | | | | Unit |
|------|--------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| No. | | | | Min. | Тур. | Max. | |
| T01 | Та | Operating Ambient Temperature Range | see package specification | | | | |
| | | | OBĠA™ LFL1Ċ | | | | |

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Operating Conditions: VCC = VDD = 5 V ±10%, RSET = GND, Tj = -25...110 °C unless otherwise noted

| Item No. | Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Unit |
|-------------|----------------|--|--|--------------|--------------|------|-----------------|
| Total | Device | 1 | | U. | | J. | <u> </u> |
| 001 | VDD | Digital Supply Voltage Range | | 4.5 | | 5.5 | V |
| 002 | VCC | Analogue Supply Voltage Range | | 4.5 | | 5.5 | V |
| 003 | I(VDD) | Supply Current in VDD | f(CLK) = 1 MHz f(CLK) = 5 MHz | | 0.39 1.85 | | mA mA |
| 004 | I(VCC) | Supply Current in VCC | | | 11.5 | | mA |
| 005 | Vc()hi | Clamp Voltage hi at SI, CLK, DIS, TP, RSET | Vc()hi = V() - V(VCC); I() = 1 mA | 0.3 | | 1.8 | V |
| 006 | Vc()lo | Clamp Voltage Io at SI, CLK, DIS, TP, RSET | Vc()hi = V() - V(AGND); I() = -1 mA | -1.5 | | 0.3 | V |
| 007 | Vc()hi | Clamp Voltage hi at AO | Vc()hi = V(AO) - V(VCC); I(AO) = 1 mA | 0.3 | | 1.5 | V |
| 800 | Vc()lo | Clamp Voltage Io at AO, VCC, VDD, GND | Vc()lo = V() - V(AGND); I() = -1 mA | -1.5 | | -0.3 | V |
| Photo | diode Array | | | " | | | |
| 201 | A() | Radiant Sensitive Area | 200 µm x 56.40 µm per Pixel | | 0.01128 | | mm ² |
| 202 | S(λ)max | Spectral Sensitivity | λ = 680 nm (see Fig. 1) | | 0.5 | | A/W |
| 203 | λ_{ar} | Spectral Application Range | $S(\lambda_{ar}) = 0.25 \times S(\lambda) \text{max (see Fig. 1)}$ | 400 | | 980 | nm |
| Analo | gue Output | AO | | II. | | | |
| 301 | Vs()lo | Saturation Voltage Io | I() = 1 mA | | | 0.6 | V |
| 302 | Vs()hi | Saturation Voltage hi | Vs()hi = VCC - V(), I() = -1 mA | | | 1 | V |
| 303 | K | Sensitivity | λ = 680 nm, package OBGA™ LFL1C | | 2.88 | | V/pWs |
| 304 | V0() | Offset Voltage | integration time 1 ms, no illumination | | 400 | 800 | mV |
| 305 | ΔV0() | Offset Voltage Deviation during integration mode | Δ V0() = V(AO)t1 - V(AO)t2, Δ t = t2 - t1 = 1 ms | -250 | | 100 | mV |
| 306 | ΔV() | Signal Deviation during hold mode | Δ V() = V(AO)t1 - V(AO)t2, Δ t = t2 - t1 = 1 ms | -150 | | 150 | mV |
| 307 | tp(CLK-AO) | Settling Time | CI(AO) = 10 pF, CLK lo \rightarrow hi until V(AO) = 0.98 x V(VCC) | | | 200 | ns |
| Powe | r-On-Reset | | | " | | | |
| 801 | VCCon | Power-On Release by VCC | | | | 4.4 | V |
| 802 | VCCoff | Power-Down Reset by VCC | | 1 | | | V |
| 803 | VCChys | Hysteresis | VCChys = VCCon - VCCoff | 0.4 | 1 | 2 | V |
| Bias (| Current Adju | st RSET | | " | | | |
| 901 | Ibias() | Permissible External Bias Current | | 20 | | 100 | μA |
| 902 | Vref | Reference Voltage | I(RSET) = Ibias | 2.5 | 3 | 3.5 | V |
| Input | Interface SI, | CLK, DIS | | . | | | |
| B01 | Vt()hi | Threshold Voltage hi | | 1.4 | | 1.8 | V |
| B02 | Vt()lo | Threshold Voltage lo | | 0.9 | | 1.2 | V |
| B03 | Vt()hys | Hysteresis | Vt()hys=Vt()hi - Vt()lo | 300 | | 800 | mV |
| B04 | I() | Pull-Down Current | | 10 | 30 | 50 | μΑ |
| B05 | fclk | Permissible Clock Frequency | | | | 5 | MHz |

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OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS: Diagrams

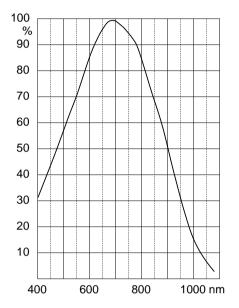


Figure 1: Relative spectral sensitivity

OPERATING REQUIREMENTS: Logic

Operating Conditions: VCC = VDD = $5 \text{ V} \pm 10\%$, Tj = -25... $110 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ input levels lo = 0...0.45 V, hi = 2.4 V...VCC, see Fig. 2 for reference levels

| Item | Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Fig. | | | Unit |
|------|--------|--|------------|------|------|------|------|
| No. | | | | | Min. | Max. | |
| 1001 | tset | Setup Time: SI stable before CLK lo \rightarrow hi | | 3 | 50 | | ns |
| 1002 | thold | Hold Time: SI stable after CLK lo \rightarrow hi | | 3 | 50 | | ns |

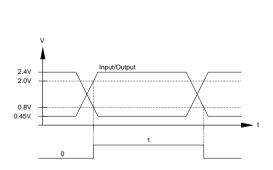


Figure 2: Reference levels

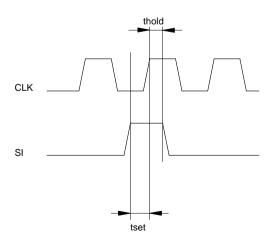


Figure 3: Timing diagram

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DESCRIPTION OF FUNCTIONS

Normal operation

Following an internal power-on reset the integration and hold capacitors are discharged and the sample and hold circuit is set to sample mode. A high signal at SI and a rising edge at CLK triggers a readout cycle and with it a new integration cycle.

In this process the hold capacitors of pixels 1 to 255 are switched to hold mode immediately (SNH = 1), with

pixel 256 (SNH256 = 1) following suit one clock pulse later. This special procedure allows all pixels to be read out with just 256 clock pulses. The integration capacitors are discharged by a one clock long reset signal (NRCI = 0) which occurs between the 2^{nd} and 3^{rd} falling edge of the readout clock pulse (cf. Figure 4). After the 255 pixels have been read out these are again set to sample mode (SNH = 0), likewise for pixel 256 one clock pulse later (SNH256 = 0).

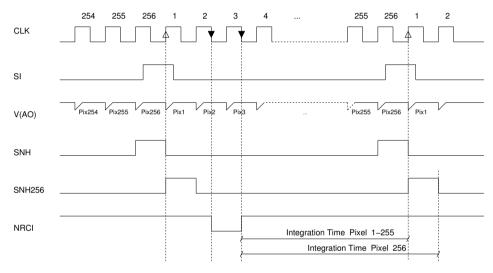


Figure 4: Readout cycle and integration sequence

If prior to the 256th clock pulse a high signal occurs at SI the present readout is halted and immediately reinitiated with pixel 1. In this instance the hold ca-

pacitors retain their old value i.e. hold mode prevails (SNH/SNH256 = 0).

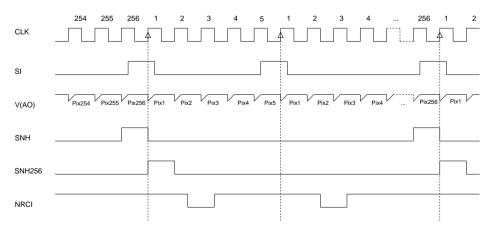


Figure 5: Restarting a readout cycle

With more than 256 clock pulses until the next SI signal, pixel 1 is output without entering hold mode; the out-

put voltage tracks the voltage of the pixel 1 integration capacitor.

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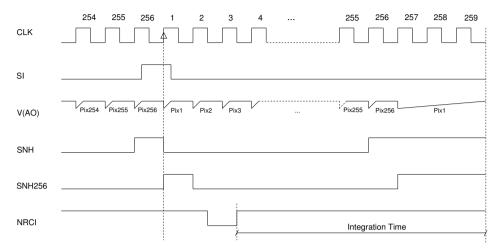


Figure 6: Clock pulse continued without giving a new integration start signal

Operation with the shutter function

Integration can be stopped at any time via pin DIS, i.e. the photodiodes are disconnected from their corresponding integration capacitor when DIS is high and the

current integration capacitor voltages are maintained. If this pin is open or switched to GND the pixel photocurrents are summed up by the integration capacitors until the next successive SI signal follows.

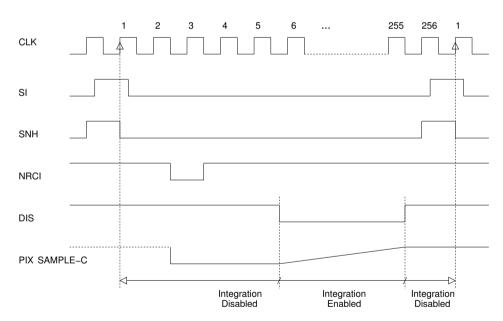


Figure 7: Defining the integration time via shutter input DIS

External bias current setting

In order to reduce the power consumption of the device an external reference current can be supplied to pin RSET which reduces the maximum readout frequency, however. To this end a resistor must be connected from VCC to RSET. If this pin is not used, it should be connected to GND.

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