QUAD CHANNEL, 12-BIT, 125-MSPS ADC WITH SERIAL LVDS INTERFACE

FEATURES

- **Maximum Sample Rate: 125 MSPS**
- **12-Bit Resolution with No Missing Codes**
- **1.65-W Total Power**
- **Simultaneous Sample and Hold**
- **70.3 dBFS SNR at Fin = 50 MHz**
- **83 dBc SFDR at Fin = 50 MHz, 0 dB Gain**
- **79 dBc SFDR at Fin = 170 MHz, 3.5 dB Gain**
- **3.5 dB Coarse Gain and up to 6 dB Programmable Fine Gain for SFDR/SNR Trade-Off**
- **Serialized LVDS Outputs with Programmable Internal Termination Option**
- **Supports Sine, LVCMOS, LVPECL, LVDS Clock Inputs and Amplitude Down to 400 mV_{pp} Differential**
- **Internal Reference with External Reference Support**
- **No External Decoupling Required for References**
- **3.3-V Analog and Digital Supply**
- **64 QFN Package (9 mm × 9 mm)**
- **Pin Compatible 14-Bit Family (ADS644X - SLAS532)**

APPLICATIONS

- **Base-Station IF Receivers**
- **Diversity Receivers**
- **Medical Imaging**
- **Test Equipment**

DESCRIPTION

The ADS6425 is a high performance 12-bit, 125-MSPS quad channel ADC. Serial LVDS data outputs reduce the number of interface lines, resulting in a compact 64-pin QFN package (9 mm × 9 mm) that allows for high system integration density. The device includes a 3.5 dB coarse gain option that can be used to improve SFDR performance with little degradation in SNR. In addition to the coarse gain, fine gain options also exist, programmable in 1dB steps up to 6dB.

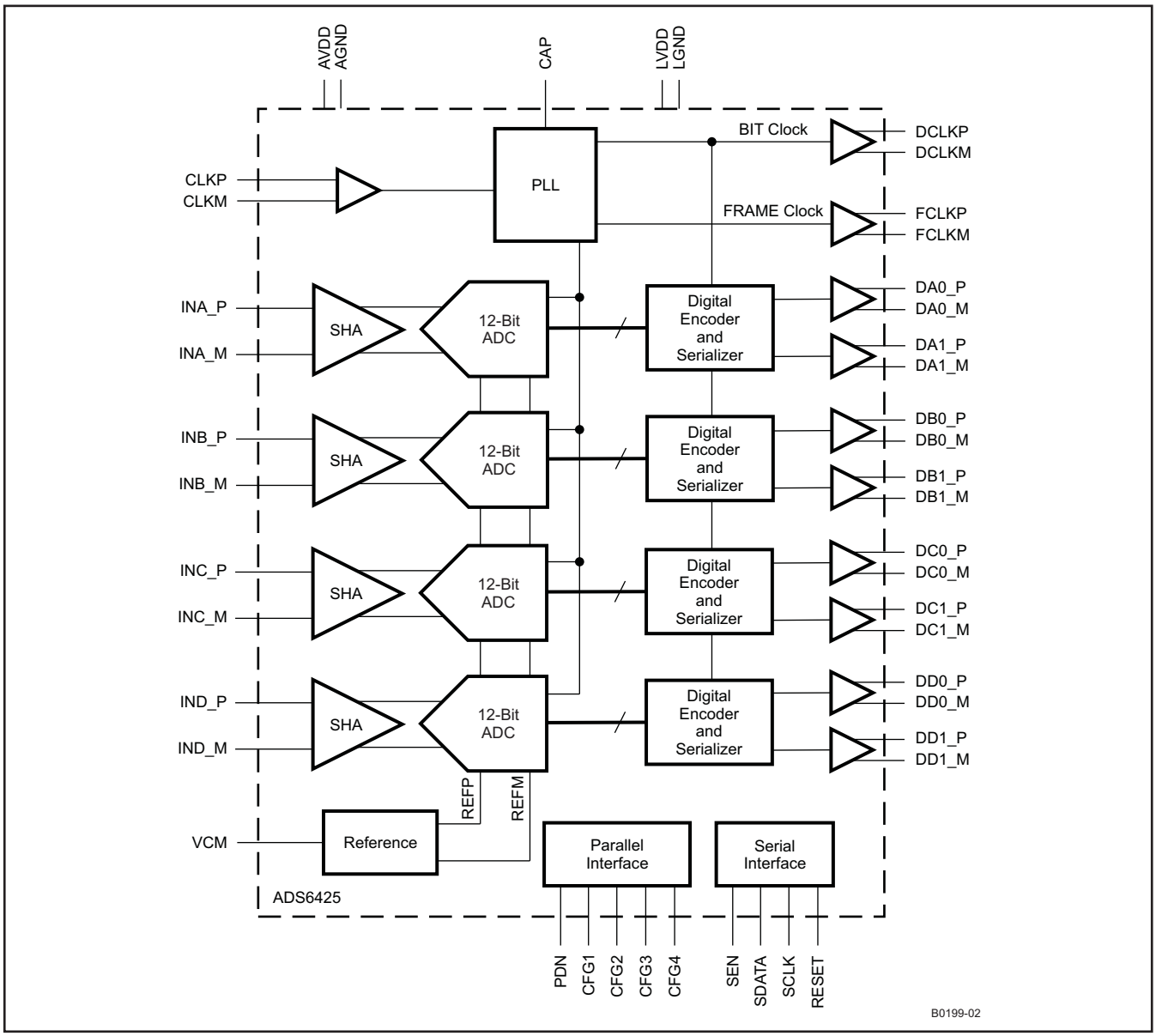
The output interface is 2-wire, where each ADC's data is serialized and output over two LVDS pairs. This makes it possible to halve the serial data rate (compared to a 1-wire interface) and restrict it to less than 1Gbps easing receiver design. The ADS6425 also includes the traditional 1-wire interface that can be used at lower sampling frequencies.

An internal phase locked loop (PLL) multiplies the incoming ADC sampling clock to derive the bit clock. The bit clock is used to serialize the 12-bit data from each channel. In addition to the serial data streams, the frame and bit clocks are also transmitted as LVDS outputs. The LVDS output buffers have features such as programmable LVDS currents, current doubling modes, and internal termination options. These can be used to widen eye-openings and improve signal integrity, easing capture by the receiver.

The ADC channel outputs can be transmitted either as MSB or LSB first and 2s complement or straight binary.

The ADS6425 has internal references, but can also support an external reference mode. The device is specified over the industrial temperature range (–40°C to 85°C).

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.



PACKAGE/ORDERING INFORMATION(1)

PRODUCT	PACKAGE-LEAD	PACKAGE DESIGNATOR	SPECIFIED TEMPERATURE RANGE	PACKAGE MARKING	ORDERING NUMBER	TRANSPORT MEDIA, QUANTITY
ADS6425	QFN-64(2)	RGC	–40°C to 85°C	AZ6425	ADS6425IRGCT	250, Tape/reel
					ADS6425IRGCR	2000, Tape/reel

(1) For the most current package and ordering information, see the Package Option Addendum at the end of this document, or see the TI web site at www.ti.com.

(2) For thermal pad size on the package, see the mechanical drawings at the end of this data sheet. θ_{JA} = 23.17 °C/W (0 LFM air flow), θ_{JC} = 22.1 °C/W when used with 2 oz. copper trace and pad soldered directly to a JEDEC standard four layer 3 in. x 3 in. PCB.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS(1)

		VALUE	UNIT
AVDD	Supply voltage range	–0.3 to 3.9	V
LVDD	Supply voltage range	–0.3 to 3.9	V
	Voltage between AGND and DGND	–0.3 to 0.3	V
	Voltage between AVDD to LVDD	–0.3 to 3.3	V
	Voltage applied to external pin, VCM	–0.3 to 2.0	V
	Voltage applied to analog input pins	–0.3V to minimum (3.6, AVDD + 0.3V)	V
T_A	Operating free-air temperature range	–40 to 85	°C
T_J	Operating junction temperature range	125	°C
T_{stg}	Storage temperature range	–65 to 150	°C
	Lead temperature 1,6 mm (1/16") from the case for 10 seconds	220	°C

(1) Stresses beyond those listed under *absolute maximum ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under *recommended operating conditions* is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

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

			MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
SUPPLIES						
AVDD	Analog supply voltage		3.0	3.3	3.6	V
LVDD	LVDS Buffer supply voltage		3.0	3.3	3.6	V
ANALOG INPUTS						
	Differential input voltage range			2		V_{pp}
	Input common-mode voltage			1.5 ±0.1		V
	Voltage applied on VCM in external reference mode		1.45	1.50	1.55	V
CLOCK INPUT						
	Input clock sample rate		5		125	MSPS
	Input clock amplitude differential ($V_{CLKP} – V_{CLKM}$)	Sine wave, ac-coupled	0.4	1.5		V_{pp}
		LVPECL, ac-coupled		± 0.8		
		LVDS, ac-coupled		± 0.35		
		LVCMOS, ac-coupled		3.3		
	Input Clock duty cycle		35%	50%	65%	
DIGITAL OUTPUTS						
C_{LOAD}	Maximum external load capacitance from each output pin to DGND	Without internal termination		5		pF
		With internal termination		10		
R_{LOAD}	Differential load resistance (external) between the LVDS output pairs			100		Ω
T_A	Operating free-air temperature		–40		85	°C

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Typical values are at 25°C, min and max values are across the full temperature range T_{MIN} = –40°C to T_{MAX} = 85°C, AVDD = LVDD = 3.3V, sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, –1dBFS differential analog input, internal reference mode (unless otherwise noted).

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
RESOLUTION				12		Bits
ANALOG INPUT						
	Differential input voltage range			2.0		V_{pp}
	Differential input capacitance			7		pF
	Analog input bandwidth			500		MHz
	Analog input common mode current (per input pin of each ADC)			155		µA
REFERENCE VOLTAGES						
VREFB	Internal reference bottom voltage			1.0		V
VREFT	Internal reference top voltage			2.0		V
VCM	Common mode output voltage			1.5		V
	VCM Output current capability			±4		mA
DC ACCURACY						
	No missing codes			Assured		
E_O	Offset error		-15	± 2	+15	mV
	Offset error temperature coefficient			0.05		mV/°C
	Offset error temperature coefficient, channel-channel					
	Internal reference error (VREFT-VREFB)		-15	± 5	15	mV
	Internal reference error temperature coefficient			0.25		mV/°C
E_G	Gain error (1)	Does not include gain error caused due to internal reference error	-1	0.3	+1	% FS
	Gain error temperature coefficient			0.005		Δ%/°C
	Gain error temperature coefficient, channel-channel					
DNL	Differential nonlinearity		-0.9	0.5	2.0	LSB
INL	Integral nonlinearity		-2.5	1.0	2.5	LSB
PSRR	DC Power supply rejection ratio			–0.5		mV/V
POWER SUPPLY						
I_{CC}	Total supply current			502		mA
I_{AVDD}	Analog supply current			412		mA
I_{LVDD}	LVDS supply current			90		mA
	Total power			1.65	1.8	W
	Power down	Input clock running		77	150	mW

(1) This is specified by design and characterization. It is not tested in production.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

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PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
DYNAMIC AC CHARACTERISTICS							
SNR	Signal to noise ratio	Fin = 10 MHz			70.9		dBFS
		Fin = 50 MHz		67.5	70.5		
		Fin = 100 MHz			69.9		
		Fin = 170 MHz	0 dB Gain		68.5		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		68.1		
		Fin = 230 MHz	0 dB Gain		67.4		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		67.1		
SINAD	Signal to noise and distortion ratio	Fin = 10 MHz			70.7		dBFS
		Fin = 50 MHz		67	70		
		Fin = 100 MHz			69.7		
		Fin = 170 MHz	0 dB Gain		66.9		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		67.4		
		Fin = 230 MHz	0 dB Gain		66		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		66.5		
	RMS Output noise	Inputs tied to common-mode			0.407		LSB
SFDR	Spurious free dynamic range	Fin = 10 MHz			90		dBc
		Fin = 50 MHz		73	83		
		Fin = 100 MHz			87		
		Fin = 170 MHz	0 dB Gain		75		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		79		
		Fin = 230 MHz	0 dB Gain		74		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		78		
HD2	Second harmonic	Fin = 10 MHz			93		dBc
		Fin = 50 MHz		73	91		
		Fin = 100 MHz			90		
		Fin = 170 MHz	0 dB Gain		85		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		88		
		Fin = 230 MHz	0 dB Gain		82		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		85		
HD3	Third harmonic	Fin = 10 MHz			90		dBc
		Fin = 50 MHz		73	83		
		Fin = 100 MHz			87		
		Fin = 170 MHz	0 dB Gain		75		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		79		
		Fin = 230 MHz	0 dB Gain		74		
			3.5 dB Coarse gain		78		
	Worst harmonic (other than HD2, HD3)	Fin = 10 MHz			95		dBc
		Fin = 50 MHz			94		
		Fin = 100 MHz			91		
		Fin = 170 MHz			88		
		Fin = 230 MHz			86		

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

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PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
THD	Total harmonic distortion	Fin = 10 MHz		88		dBc
		Fin = 50 MHz	70	81		
		Fin = 100 MHz		84		
		Fin = 170 MHz		73		
		Fin = 230 MHz		72		
ENOB	Effective number of bits	Fin = 50 MHz	10.8	11.4		Bits
IMD	Two-tone intermodulation distortion	F1= 46.09 MHz, F2 = 50.09 MHz		90		dBFS
		F1= 185.09 MHz, F2 = 190.09 MHz		82		
	Cross-talk	Near channel, Frequency of interfering signal = 10 MHz		92		dBFS
		Far channel, Frequency of interfering signal = 10 MHz		105		

DIGITAL CHARACTERISTICS

The DC specifications refer to the condition where the digital outputs are not switching, but are permanently at a valid logic level 0 or 1 AVDD = LVDD = 3.3V, I_O = 3.5mA, R_{LOAD} = 100Ω(1).

All LVDS specifications are characterized, but not tested at production.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
DIGITAL INPUTS						
	High-level input voltage		2.4			V
	Low-level input voltage				0.8	V
	High-level input current			10		µA
	Low-level input current			10		µA
	Input capacitance			4		pF
DIGITAL OUTPUTS						
	High-level output voltage			1375		mV
	Low-level output voltage			1025		mV
$\lvert V_{OD} \rvert$	Output differential voltage		250	350	450	mV
V_{OS}	Output offset voltage	Common-mode voltage of OUTP and OUTM		1200		mV
	Output capacitance	Output capacitance inside the device, from either output to ground		2		pF

(1) I_O refers to the LVDS buffer current setting, R_{LOAD} is the external differential load resistance between the LVDS output pair

TIMING SPECIFICATIONS(1)

Typical values are at 25°C, min and max values are across the full temperature range T_{MIN} = –40°C to T_{MAX} = 85°C, AVDD = LVDD = 3.3 V, sampling frequency = 125 MSPS, sine wave input clock, 1.5 V_{PP} clock amplitude, C_L = 5 pF (2), I_O = 3.5 mA, R_L = 100 Ω (3), no internal termination, unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t_J	Aperture jitter	Uncertainty in the sampling instant		250		fs rms
Interface: 2-wire, DDR bit clock, 12x serialization (4)						
t_{su}	Data setup time(5) (6)	Measured from zero crossing of data transitions to zero crossing of bit clock	0.4	0.6		ns
t_h	Data hold time(5) (6)	Measured from zero crossing of bit clock to zero crossing of data transitions	0.5	0.7		ns
t_{pd_clk}	Clock propagation delay(4)	Input clock rising edge cross-over to frame clock rising edge cross-over	3.6	4.4	5.2	ns
	Bit clock cycle-cycle jitter (6)			350		ps pp
	Frame clock cycle-cycle jitter (6)			75		ps pp
Below specifications apply for 5 MSPS ≤ Fs ≤125 MSPS and all interface options.						
t_A	Aperture delay	Delay from rising edge of input clock to the actual sampling instant	1	2	3	ns
	Aperture delay variation, channel-channel	Within the same device	-250		250	ps
	ADC Latency (7)	Time for a sample to propagate to the ADC output Figure 1		12		Clock cycles
	Wake up time	Time to valid data after coming out of global power down			100	µs
		Time to valid data after input clock is re-started			100	µs
		Time to valid data after coming out of channel standby			200	clock cycles
t_{RISE}	Data rise time	Data rise time measured from –100 mV to +100 mV	50	100	200	ps
t_{FALL}	Data fall time	Data fall time measured from +100 mV to –100 mV	50	100	200	ps
t_{RISE}	Bit clock and frame clock rise time	Rise time measured from –100mV to +100mV	50	100	200	ps
t_{FALL}	Bit clock and frame clock fall time	Fall time measured from +100mV to –100mV	50	100	200	ps
	LVDS Bit clock duty cycle		45%	50%	55%	
	LVDS Frame clock duty cycle		47%	50%	53%	

(1) Timing parameters are ensured by design and characterization and not tested in production.
(2) C_L is the external single-ended load capacitance between each output pin and ground.
(3) I_o refers to the LVDS buffer current setting; R_L is the external differential load resistance between the LVDS output pair.
(4) Refer to Output Timings in application section for timings at lower sampling frequencies and other interface options.
(5) Timing parameters are measured at the end of a 2 inch pcb trace (100-Ω characteristic impedance) terminated by $R_L$and C_L.
(6) Setup and hold time specifications take into account the effect of jitter on the output data and clock.
(7) Note that the total latency = ADC latency + internal serializer latency. The serializer latency depends on the interface option selected as shown in Table 25

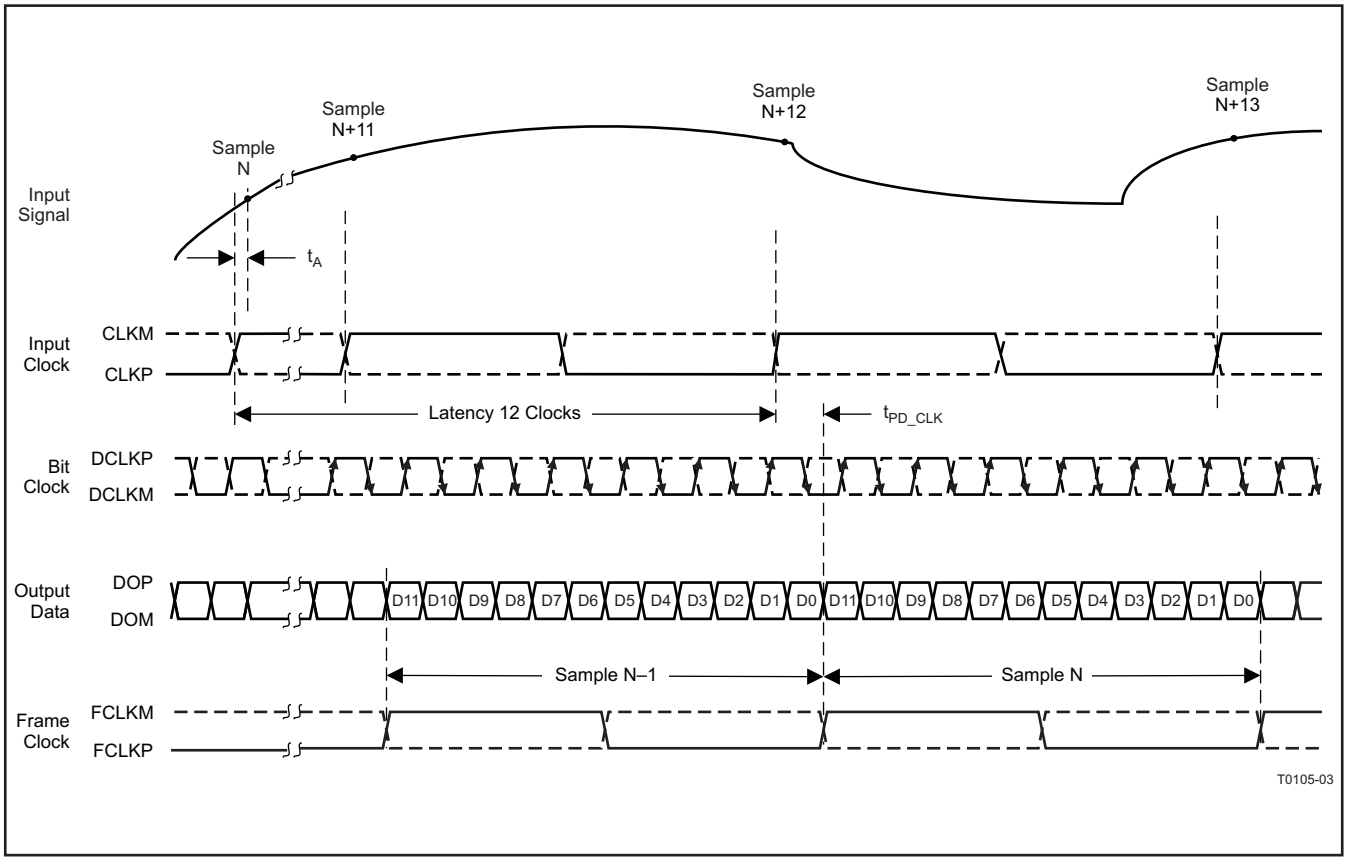

Figure 1. Latency

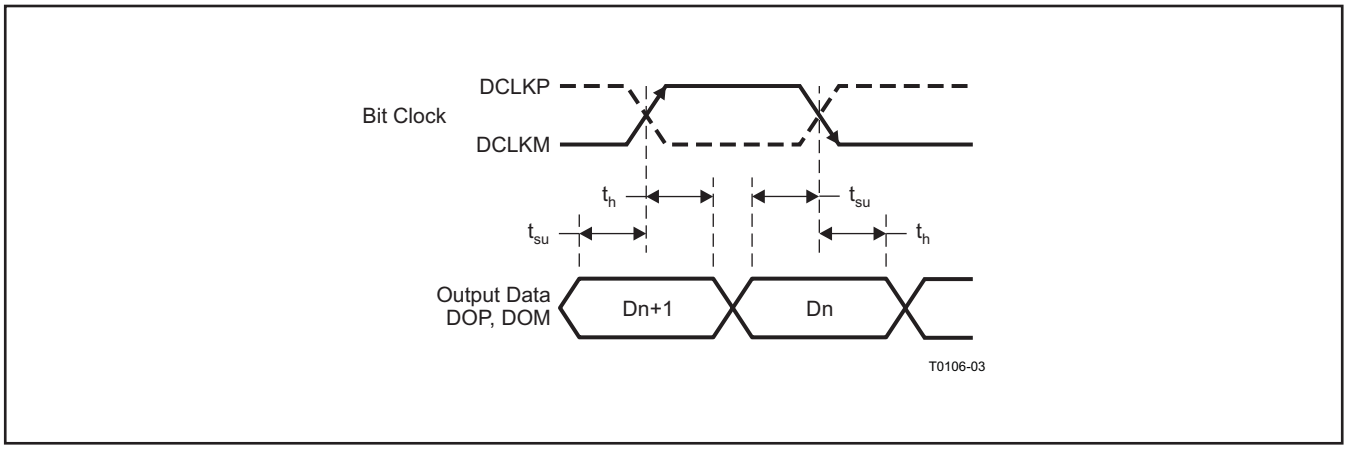

Figure 2. LVDS Timings

DEVICE PROGRAMMING MODES

The ADS6425 offers flexibility with several programmable features that are easily configured.

The device can be configured independently using either parallel interface control or serial interface programming.

In addition, the device supports a third configuration mode, where both the parallel interface and the serial control registers are used. In this mode, the priority between the parallel and serial interfaces is determined by a priority table (Table 2). If this additional level of flexibility is not required, the user can select either the serial interface programming or the parallel interface control.

USING PARALLEL INTERFACE CONTROL ONLY

To control the device using parallel interface, keep RESET tied to ***high*** (LVDD). Pins CFG1, CFG2, CFG3, CFG4, PDN, SEN, SCLK, and SDATA are used to directly control certain functions of the ADC. After power-up, the device will automatically get configured as per the parallel pin voltage settings (Table 3 to Table 6) and no reset is required. In this mode, SEN, SCLK, and SDATA function as parallel interface control pins.

Frequently used functions are controlled in this mode—output data interface and format, power down modes, coarse gain and internal/external reference. The parallel pins can be configured using a simple resistor string as illustrated in Figure 3.

Table 1 briefly describes the modes controlled by the parallel pins.

Table 1. Parallel Pin Definition

PIN	CONTROL FUNCTIONS
SEN	Coarse gain and internal/external reference.
SCLK, SDATA	Sync, deskew patterns and global power down.
PDN	Dedicated pin for global power down
CFG1	1-Wire/2-wire and DDR/SDR bit clock
CFG2	12x/14x Serialization and SDR bit clock capture edge
CFG3	Reserved function. **Tie CFG3 to Ground.**
CFG4	MSB/LSB First and data format.

USING SERIAL INTERFACE PROGRAMMING ONLY

In this mode, SEN, SDATA, and SCLK function as serial interface pins and are used to access the internal registers of ADC. The registers must first be reset to their default values either by applying a pulse on RESET pin or by a ***high*** setting on the <RST> bit (in register). After reset, the RESET pin must be kept **low.**

The Serial Interface section describes the register programming and register reset in more detail.

Since the parallel pins (CFG1-4 and PDN) are not used in this mode, they must be tied to ground. The register override bit <OVRD> - D10 in register 0x0D has to be set ***high*** to disable the control of parallel interface pins in this serial interface control ONLY mode.

USING BOTH THE SERIAL INTERFACE AND PARALLEL CONTROLS

For increased flexibility, a combination of serial interface registers and parallel pin controls (CFG1-4 and PDN) can also be used to configure the device.

The parallel interface control pins CFG1 to CFG4 and PDN are available. After power-up, the device will automatically get configured as per the parallel pin voltage settings (Table 3 to Table 9) and no reset is required. A simple resistor string can be used as illustrated in Figure 3.

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The Serial Interface section describes the register programming and register reset in more detail.

Since some functions are controlled using both the parallel pins and serial registers, the priority between the two is determined by a priority table (Table 2).

Table 2. Priority Between Parallel Pins and Serial Registers

PIN	FUNCTIONS SUPPORTED	PRIORITY
CFG1 to CFG4	As described in Table 6 to Table 9	Register bits can control the modes ONLY if the **<OVRD>** bit is ***high***. If the **<OVRD>** bit is LOW, then the control voltage on these parallel pins determines the function as per Tables
PDN	Global Power Down	D0 bit in register 0x00 controls global power down ONLY if PDN pin is LOW. If PDN is ***high***, device is in global power down mode.
SEN	Serial Interface Enable	3.5 dB coarse gain setting is controlled by bit D5 in register 0x0D ONLY if the <OVRD> bit is ***high***. Else, it is in default setting of 0 dB coarse gain.
		Internal/External reference setting is determined by bit D5 in register 0x00.
SCLK, SDATA	Serial Interface Clock and Serial Interface Data	Bits D5-D7 in register 0x0A control the SYNC and DESKEW output patterns.
		Power down is determined by bit D0 in 0x00 register.

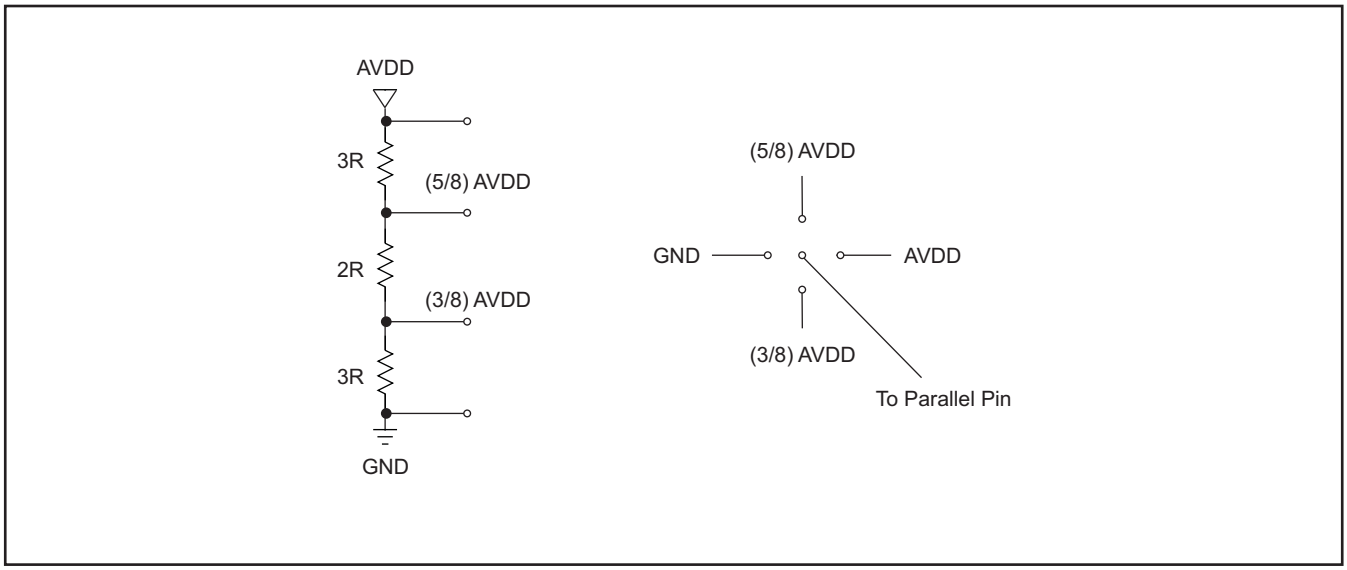


Figure 3. Simple Scheme to Configure Parallel Pins

DESCRIPTION OF PARALLEL PINS

Table 3. SCLK, SDATA Control Pins

SCLK	SDATA	DESCRIPTION
LOW	LOW	NORMAL conversion.
LOW	HIGH	SYNC - ADC outputs sync pattern on all channels. This pattern can be used by the receiver to align the deserialized data to the frame boundary. See Capture Test Patterns for details.
HIGH	LOW	POWER DOWN –Global power down, all channels of the ADC are powered down, including internal references, PLL and output buffers.
HIGH	HIGH	DESKEW - ADC outputs deskew pattern on all channels. This pattern can be used by the receiver to ensure deserializer uses the right clock edge. See Capture Test Patterns for details.

Table 4. SEN Control Pin

SEN	DESCRIPTION
0	External reference and 0 dB coarse gain (full-scale = 2V pp)
(3/8)LVDD	External reference and 3.5 dB coarse gain (full-scale = 1.34V pp)
(5/8)LVDD	Internal reference and 3.5 dB coarse gain (full-scale = 1.34V pp)
LVDD	Internal reference and 0 dB coarse gain (full-scale = 2V pp)

Independent of the programming mode used, after power-up the parallel pins PDN, CFG1 to CFG4 will automatically configure the device as per the voltage applied (Table 5 to Table 9).

Table 5. PDN Control Pin

PDN	DESCRIPTION
0	Normal operation
AVDD	Power down global

Table 6. CFG1 Control Pin

CFG1	DESCRIPTION
0	DDR Bit clock and 1-wire interface
(3/8)LVDD	Not used
(5/8)LVDD	SDR Bit clock and 2-wire interface
LVDD	DDR Bit clock and 2-wire interface

Table 7. CFG2 Control Pin

CFG2	DESCRIPTION
0	12x Serialization and capture at falling edge of bit clock (only with SDR bit clock)
(3/8)LVDD	14x Serialization and capture at falling edge of bit clock (only with SDR bit clock)
(5/8)LVDD	14x Serialization and capture at rising edge of bit clock (only with SDR bit clock)
LVDD	12x Serialization and capture at rising edge of bit clock (only with SDR bit clock)

Table 8. CFG3 Control Pin

CFG3	RESERVED - TIE TO GROUND

Table 9. CFG4 Control Pin

CFG4	DESCRIPTION
0	MSB First and 2s complement
(3/8)LVDD	MSB First and Offset binary
(5/8)LVDD	LSB First and Offset binary
LVDD	LSB First and 2s complement

SERIAL INTERFACE

The ADC has a serial interface formed by pins SEN (serial interface enable), SCLK (serial interface clock), SDATA (serial interface data) and RESET. Serial shift of bits into the device is enabled when SEN is low. Serial data SDATA is latched at every falling edge of SCLK when SEN is active (low). The serial data is loaded into the register at every 16th SCLK falling edge when SEN is low. In case the word length exceeds a multiple of 16 bits, the excess bits are ignored. Data can be loaded in multiple of 16-bit words within a single active SEN pulse. The interface can work with SCLK frequency from 20 MHz down to very low speeds (few hertz) and even with non-50% duty cycle SCLK.

The first 5-bits of the 16-bit word are the address of the register while the next 11 bits are the register data.

Register Reset

After power-up, the internal registers ***must*** be reset to their default values. This can be done in one of two ways:

1. Either by applying a high-going pulse on RESET (of width greater than 10ns) **OR**
2. By applying software reset. Using the serial interface, set the **<RST>** bit in register 0x00 to ***high*** – this resets the registers to their default values and then self-resets the **<RST>** bit to LOW.

When RESET pin is not used, it must be tied to LOW.

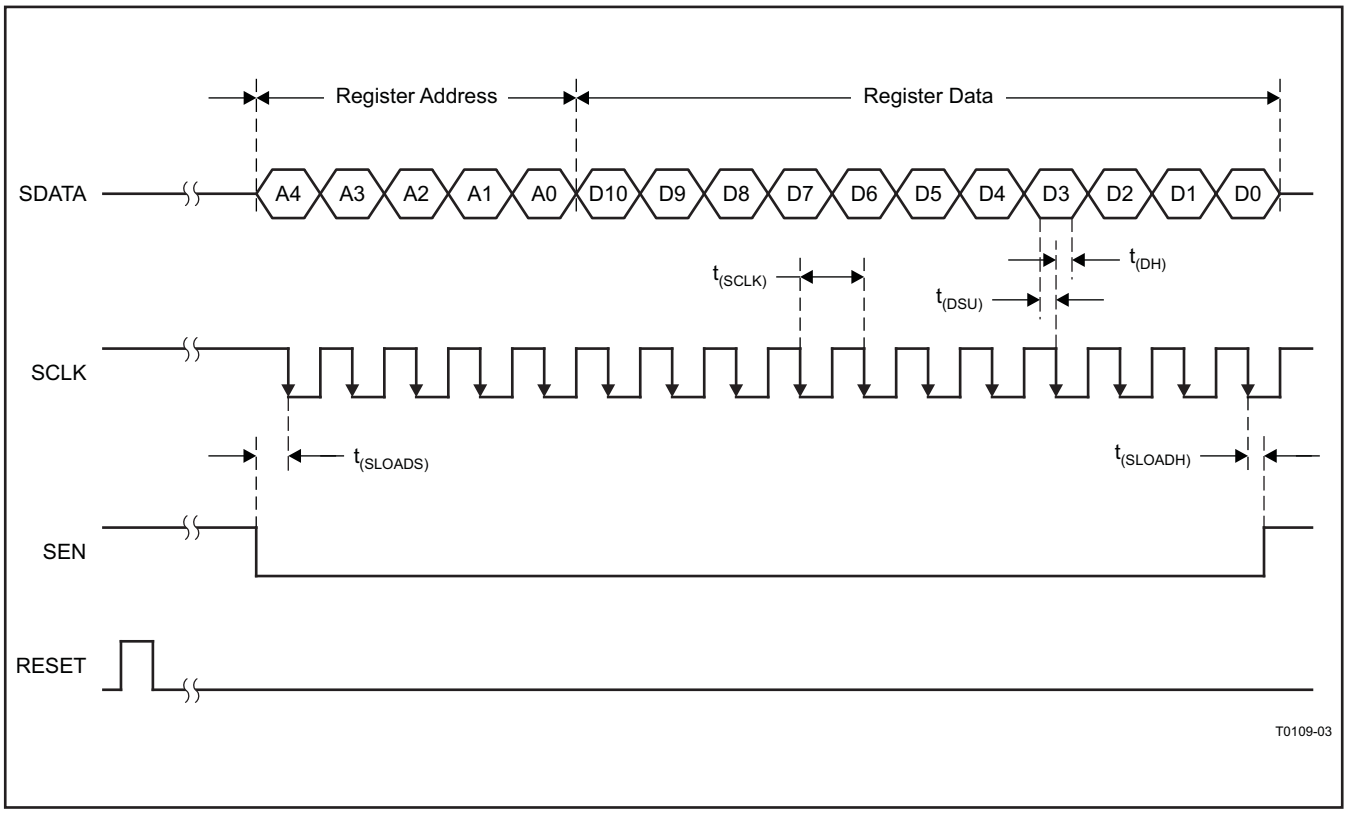


Figure 4. Serial Interface Timing

SERIAL INTERFACE TIMING CHARACTERISTICS

Typical values at 25°C, min and max values across the full temperature range T_{MIN} = –40°C to T_{MAX} = 85°C, AVDD = LVDD = 3.3V, unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETER		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
f_{SCLK}	SCLK Frequency, $f_{SCLK} = 1/t_{SCLK}$	> dc		20	MHz
t_{SLOADS}	SEN to SCLK Setup time		25		ns
t_{SLOADH}	SCLK to SEN Hold time		25		ns
t_{DSU}	SDATA Setup time		25		ns
t_{DH}	SDATA Hold time		25		ns
	Time taken for register write to take effect after 16th SCLK falling edge		100		ns

RESET TIMING

Typical values at 25°C, min and max values across the full temperature range T_{MIN} = –40°C to T_{MAX} = 85°C, AVDD = LVDD = 3.3V, unless otherwise noted.

PARMATER		CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t_1	Power-on delay time	Delay from power-up of AVDD and LVDD to RESET pulse active	5			ms
t_2	Reset pulse width	Pulse width of active RESET signal	10			ns
t_3	Register write delay time	Delay from RESET disable to SEN active	25			ns
t_{PO}	Power-up delay time	Delay from power-up of AVDD and LVDD to output stable		6.5		ms

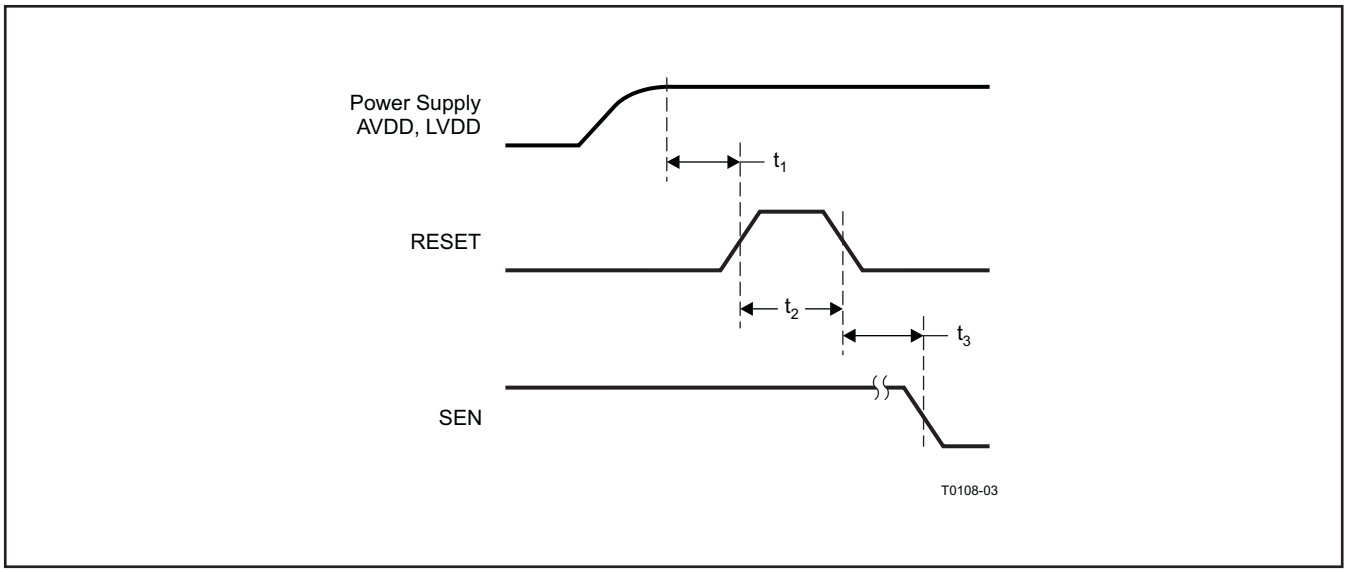


Figure 5. Reset Timing

SERIAL REGISTER MAP

Table 10. Summary of Functions Supported By Serial Interface

REGISTER ADDRESS	REGISTER FUNCTIONS[1][2]										
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
00	**<RST>** S/W RESET	0	0	0	0	**<REF>** INTERNAL OR EXTERNAL	**<PDN CHD>** POWER DOWN CH D	**<PDN CHC>** POWER DOWN CHC	**<PDN CHB>** POWER DOWN CH B	**<PDN CHA>** POWER DOWN CH A	**<PDN GLOBAL>** GLOBAL POWER DOWN
04	0	0	0	0	**<CLKIN GAIN>** INPUT CLOCK BUFFER GAIN CONTROL					0	0
0A	0	**<DF>** DATA FORMAT 2S COMP OR STRAIGHT BINARY	0	**<PATTERNS>** TEST PATTERNS			0	0	0	0	0
0B	**<CUSTOM A>** CUSTOM PATTERN (LOWER 11 BITS)										
0C	**<FINE GAIN>** FINE GAIN CONTROL (1dB to 6 dB)			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**<CUSTOM B>** CUSTOM PATTERN (MSB BIT)
0D	**<OVRD>** OVERRIDE BIT	0	0	BYTE-WISE OR BIT-WISE	MSB OR LSB FIRST	**<COARSE GAIN>** COURSE GAIN ENABLE	FALLING OR RISING BIT CLOCK CAPTURE EDGE	0	12-BIT OR 14-BIT SERIALIZE	DDR OR SDR BIT CLOCK	1-WIRE OR 2-WIRE INTERFACE
10	**<TERM CLK>** LVDS INTERNAL TERMINATION BIT AND WORD CLOCKS					**<LVDS CURR>** LVDS CURRENT SETTINGS				**<CURR DOUBLE>** LVDS CURRENT DOUBLE	
11	WORD-WISE CONTROL		0	0	0	0	**<TERM DATA>** LVDS INTERNAL TERMINATION - DATA OUTPUTS				

(1) The unused bits in each register (shown by blank cells in above table) must be programmed as 0.
(2) Multiple functions in a register can be programmed in a single write operation.

DESCRIPTION OF SERIAL REGISTERS

Table 11. Serial Register A

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS										
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
00	**<RST>** S/W RESET	0	0	0	0	**<REF>** INTERNAL OR EXTERNAL	**<PDN CHD>** POWER DOWN CH D	**<PDN CHC>** POWER DOWN CHC	**<PDN CHB>** POWER DOWN CH B	**<PDN CHA>** POWER DOWN CH A	**<PDN>** GLOBAL POWER DOWN

D0 - D4 Power down modes

D0 **<PDN GLOBAL>**

0 Normal operation

1 Global power down, including all channels ADCs, internal references, internal PLL and output buffers

D1 **<PDN CHA>**

0 CH A Powered up

1 CH A ADC Powered down

D2 **<PDN CHB>**

0 CH B Powered up

1 CH B ADC Powered down

D3 **<PDN CHC>**

0 CH C Powered up

1 CH C ADC Powered down

D4 **<PDN CHD>**

0 CH D Powered up

1 CH D ADC Powered down

D5 **<REF>** Reference

0 Internal reference enabled

1 External reference enabled

D10 **<RST>**

1 Software reset applied – resets all internal registers and self-clears to 0

Table 12. Serial Register B

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS									
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
04	0	0	0	0	<CLKIN GAIN> INPUT CLOCK BUFFER GAIN CONTROL					0	0

D6 - D2	<CLKIN GAIN> Input clock buffer gain control
11000	Gain 0, minimum gain
00000	Gain 1, default gain after reset
01100	Gain 2
01010	Gain 3
01001	Gain 4
01000	Gain 5, maximum gain

Table 13. Serial Register C

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS									
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
00	0	<DF> DATA DORMAT 2S COMP OR STRAIGHT BINARY	0	<PATTERNS> TEST PATTERNS			0	0	0	0	0

D7 - D5	<PATTERNS> Capture test patterns
000	Normal ADC operation
001	Output all zeros
010	Output all ones
011	Output toggle pattern
100	Unused
101	Output custom pattern (contents of CUSTOM pattern registers 0x0B and 0x0C)
110	Output DESKEW pattern (serial stream of 1010..)
111	Output SYNC pattern

D9	<DF> Data format selection
0	2s Complement format
1	Straight binary format

Table 14. Serial Register D

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS										
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
0B	**<CUSTOM A>** CUSTOM PATTERN (LOWER 11 BITS)										

D10 - D0 **<CUSTOM A>** Lower 11 bits of custom pattern <D10>…<D0>

Table 15. Serial Register E

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS									
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
0C	**<FINE GAIN>** FINE GAIN CONTROL (1 dB to 6 dB)			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**<CUSTOM B>** CUSTOM PATTERN (MSB BIT)

D4 - D0 **<CUSTOM B>** MSB bit of custom pattern <D11>

D10-D8	**<FINE GAIN>** Fine gain control
000	0 dB Gain (full-scale range = 2.00 V_{PP})
001	1 dB Gain (full-scale range = 1.78 V_{PP})
010	2 dB Gain (full-scale range = 1.59 V_{PP})
011	3 dB Gain (full-scale range = 1.42 V_{PP})
100	4 dB Gain (full-scale range = 1.26 V_{PP})
101	5 dB Gain (full-scale range = 1.12 V_{PP})
110	6 dB Gain (full-scale range = 1.00 V_{PP})

Table 16. Serial Register F

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS										
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
0D	**<OVRD>** OVER-RIDE BITE	0	0	BYTE-WISE OR BIT-WISE	MSB OR LSB FIRST	**<COARSE GAIN>** COARSE GAIN ENABLE	FALLING OR RISING BIT CLOCK CAPTURE EDGE	0	14-BIT OR 16-BIT SERIALIZE	DDR OR SDR BIT CLOCK	1-WIRE OR 2-WIRE INTERFACE

D0	**Interface selection**
0	1 Wire interface
1	2 Wire interface

D1	**Bit clock selection** (only in 2-wire interface)
0	DDR Bit clock
1	SDR Bit clock

D2	**Serialization selection**
0	12x Serialization
1	14x Serialization

D4	**Bit clock capture edge** (only when SDR bit clock is selected, D1 = 1)
0	Capture data with falling edge of bit clock
1	Capture data with rising edge of bit clock

D5	**<COARSE GAIN>** Coarse gain control
0	0 dB coarse gain
1	3.5dB coarse gain (full-scale range = 1.34 V_{PP})

D6	**MSB or LSB first selection**
0	MSB First
1	LSB First

D7	**Byte/bit wise outputs** (only when 2-wire is selected)
0	Byte wise
1	Bit wise

D10	**<OVRD>** Over-ride bit. All the functions in register 0x0D can also be controlled using the parallel control pins. By setting bit <OVRD> = 1, the contents of register 0x0D will over-ride the settings of the parallel pins.
0	Disable over-ride
1	Enable over-ride

Table 17. Serial Register G

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS										
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
10	<TERM CLK> LVDS INTERNAL TERMINATION BIT AND WORD CLOCKS					<LVDS CURR> LVDS CURRENT SETTINGS				<LVDS DOUBLE> LVDS CURRENT DOUBLE	

D0	**<CURR DOUBLE>** LVDS current double for data outputs
0	Nominal LVDS current, as set by <D5…D2>
1	Double the nominal value

D1	**<CURR DOUBLE>** LVDS current double for bit and word clock outputs
0	Nominal LVDS current, as set by <D5…D2>
1	Double the nominal value

D3-D2	**<LVDS CURR>** LVDS current setting for data outputs
00	3.5 mA
01	4 mA
10	2.5 mA
11	3 mA

D5-D4	**<LVDS CURR>** LVDS current setting for bit and word clock outputs
00	3.5 mA
01	4 mA
10	2.5 mA
11	3 mA

D10-D6	**<TERM CLK>** LVDS internal termination for bit and word clock outputs
00000	No internal termination
00001	166 Ω
00010	200 Ω
00100	250 Ω
01000	333 Ω
10000	500 Ω
	Any combination of above bits can also be programmed, resulting in a parallel combination of the selected values. For example, 00101 is the parallel combination of 166||250 = 100 Ω
00101	100 Ω

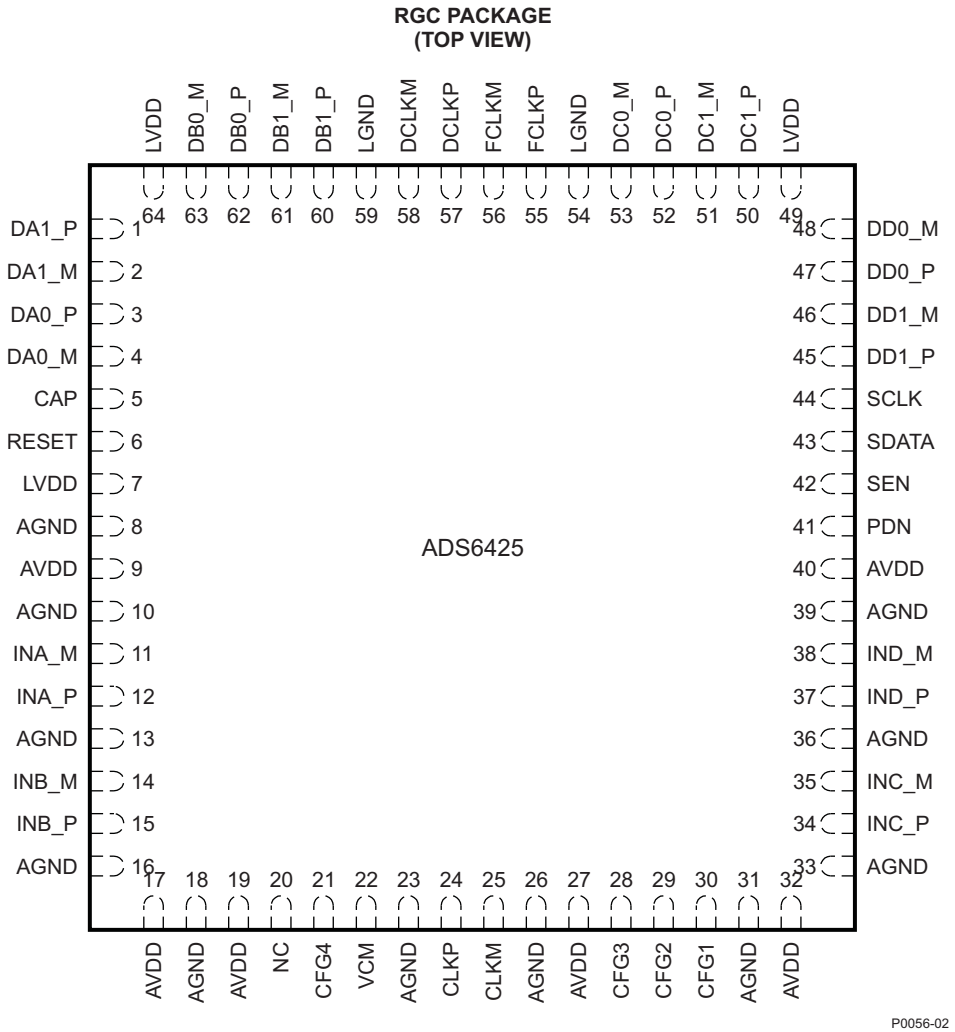
Table 18. Serial Register H

REGISTER ADDRESS	BITS										
A4 - A0	D10	D9	D8	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0
11	WORD-WISE CONTROL		0	0	0	0	**<TERM DATA>** LVDS INTERNAL TERMINATION - DATA OUTPUTS				

D4-D0	**<TERM DATA>** LVDS internal termination for data outputs
00000	No internal termination
00001	166 Ω
00010	200 Ω
00100	250 Ω
01000	333 Ω
10000	500 Ω
	Any combination of above bits can also be programmed, resulting in a parallel combination of the selected values. For example, 00101 is the parallel combination of 166||250 = 100 Ω
00101	100 Ω

D10-D9	**Only when 2-wire interface is selected**
00	Byte-wise or bit-wise output, 1x frame clock
11	Word-wise output enabled, 0.5x frame clock
01,10	Do not use

PIN CONFIGURATION (2-WIRE INTERFACE)



PIN ASSIGNMENTS (2-WIRE INTERFACE)

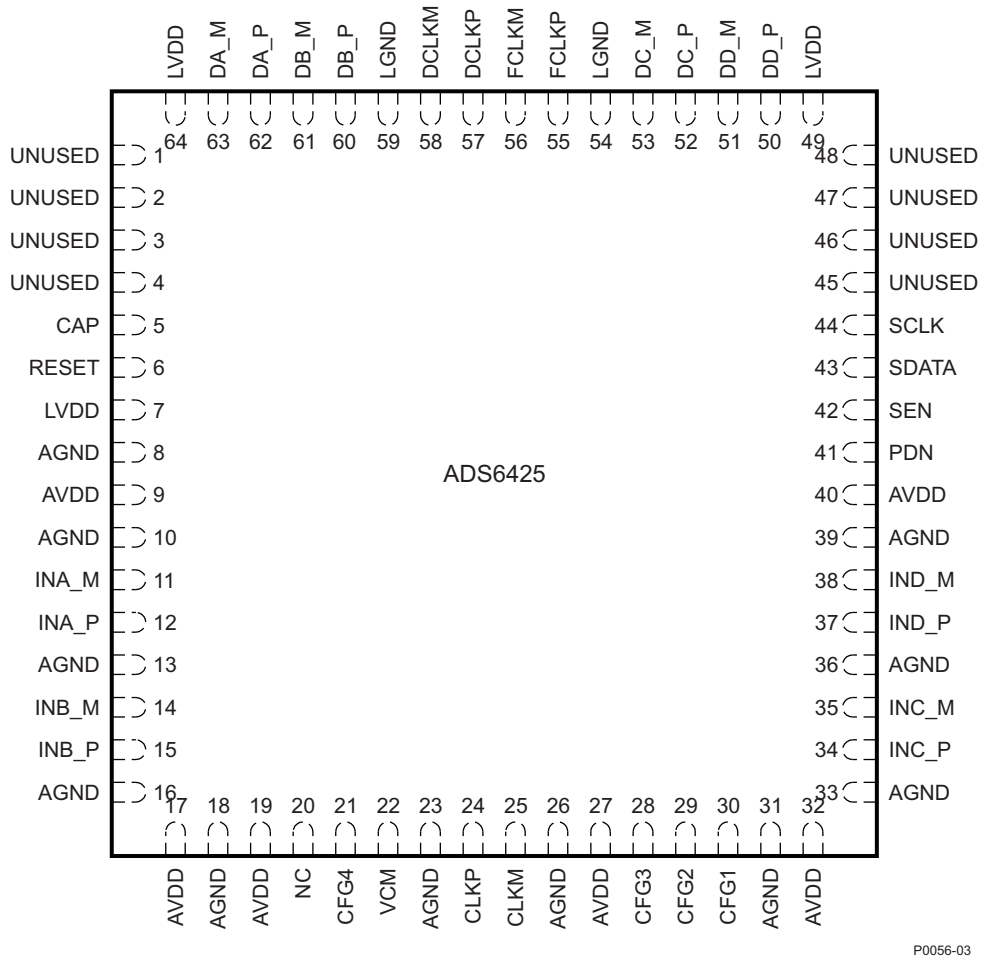
PINS		I/O	NO. OF PINS	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.			
SUPPLY AND GROUND PINS				
AVDD	9,17,19,27,32,40,		6	Analog power supply
AGND	8,10,13,16,18,23,26, 31,33 36,39,		11	Analog ground
LVDD	7,49,64		3	Digital power supply
LGND	54,59		2	Digital ground
INPUT PINS				
CLKP, CLKM	24,25	I	2	Differential input clock pair
INA_P, INA_M	12,11	I	2	Differential input signal pair, channel A. If unused, the pins should be tied to VCM and not floated.

PIN ASSIGNMENTS (2-WIRE INTERFACE) (continued)

PINS		I/O	NO. OF PINS	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.			
INB_P, INB_M	15,14	I	2	Differential input signal pair, channel B. If unused, the pins should be tied to VCM and not floated.
INC_P, INC_M	34,35	I	2	Differential input signal pair, channel C. If unused, the pins should be tied to VCM and not floated.
IND_P, IND_M	37,38	I	2	Differential input signal pair, channel D. If unused, the pins should be tied to VCM and not floated.
CAP	5		1	Connect 2nF capacitor from pin to ground
SCLK	44	I	1	This pin functions as serial interface clock input when RESET is low. When RESET is ***high***, it controls DESKEW, SYNC and global POWER DOWN modes (along with SDATA). See Table 3 for description. This pin has an internal pull-down resistor.
SDATA	43	I	1	This pin functions as serial interface data input when RESET is low. When RESET is ***high***, it controls DESKEW, SYNC and global POWER DOWN modes (along with SCLK). See Table 3 for description. This pin has an internal pull-down resistor.
SEN	42	I	1	This pin functions as serial interface enable input when RESET is low. When RESET is ***high***, it controls coarse gain and internal/external reference modes. See Table 4 for description. This pin has an internal pull-up resistor.
RESET	6	I	1	Serial interface reset input. When using the serial interface mode, the user MUST initialize internal registers through hardware RESET by applying a high-going pulse on this pin or by using software reset option. Refer to the Serial Interface section. In parallel interface mode, tie RESET permanently ***high***. (SCLK, SDATA and SEN function as parallel control pins in this mode). The pin has an internal pull-down resistor to ground.
PDN	41	I	1	Global power down control pin.
CFG1	30	I	1	Parallel input pin. It controls 1-wire or 2-wire interface and DDR or SDR bit clock selection. See Table 6 for description. Tie to AVDD for 2-wire interface with DDR bit clock.
CFG2	29	I	1	Parallel input pin. It controls 12x or 14x serialization and SDR bit clock capture edge. See Table 7 for description. For 12x serialization with DDR bit clock, tie to ground or AVDD.
CFG3	28	I	1	RESERVED pin - **Tie to ground.**
CFG4	21	I	1	Parallel input pin. It controls data format and MSB or LSB first modes. See Table 9 for description.
VCM	22	I/O	1	Internal reference mode – common-mode voltage output External reference mode – reference input. The voltage forced on this pin sets the internal reference.
OUTPUT PINS				
DA0_P,DA0_M	3,4	O	2	Channel A differential LVDS data output pair, wire 0
DA1_P,DA1_M	1,2	O	2	Channel A differential LVDS data output pair, wire 1
DB0_P,DB0_M	62,63	O	2	Channel B differential LVDS data output pair, wire 0
DB1_P,DB1_M	60,61	O	2	Channel B differential LVDS data output pair, wire 1
DC0_P,DC0_M	52,53	O	2	Channel C differential LVDS data output pair, wire 0
DC1_P,DC1_M	50,51	O	2	Channel C differential LVDS data output pair, wire 1
DD0_P,DD0_M	47,48	O	2	Channel D differential LVDS data output pair, wire 0
DD1_P,DD1_M	45,46	O	2	Channel D differential LVDS data output pair, wire 1
DCLKP,DCLKM	57,58	O	2	Differential bit clock output pair
FCLKP,FCLKM	55,56	O	2	Differential frame clock output pair
NC	20		1	Do Not Connect

PIN CONFIGURATION (1-WIRE INTERFACE)

RGC PACKAGE
(TOP VIEW)



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DCLKP,DCLKM	57,58	O	2	Differential bit clock output pair
FCLKP,FCLKM	55,56	O	2	Differential frame clock output pair
UNUSED	1-4,45-48		8	These pins are unused in the 1-wire interface. Do not connect
NC	20		1	Do not connect

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

All plots are at 25°C, AVDD = LVDD = 3.3 V, sampling frequency = 125 MSPS, sine wave input clock, 1.5 V_{PP} differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, –1 dBFS differential analog input, internal reference mode, 0 dB gain (unless otherwise noted)

FFT for 10 MHz INPUT SIGNAL

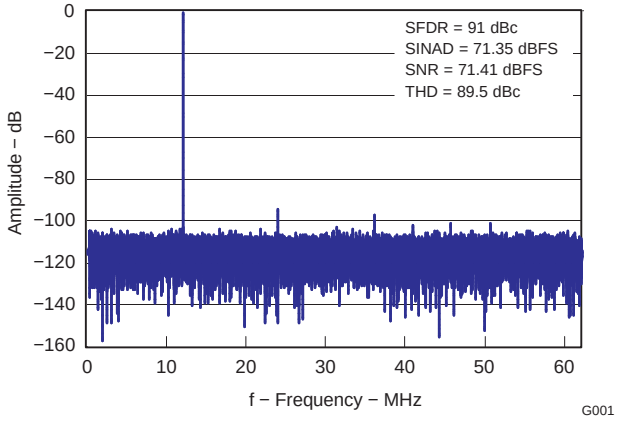
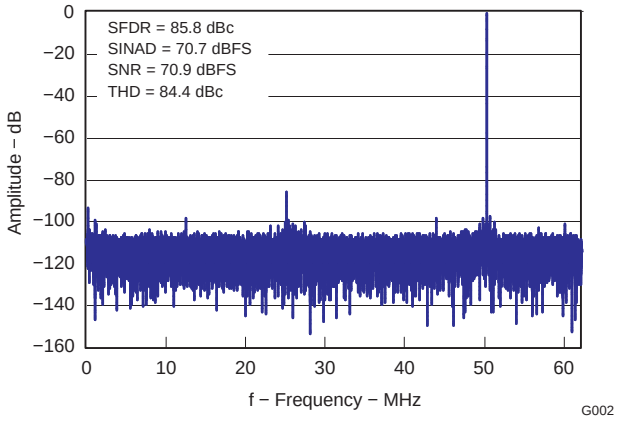


Figure 6.

FFT for 50 MHz INPUT SIGNAL



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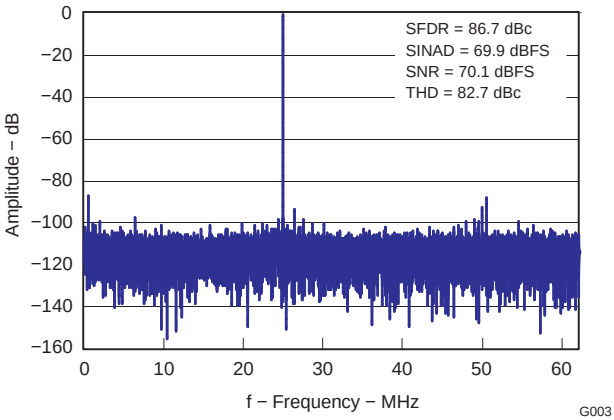

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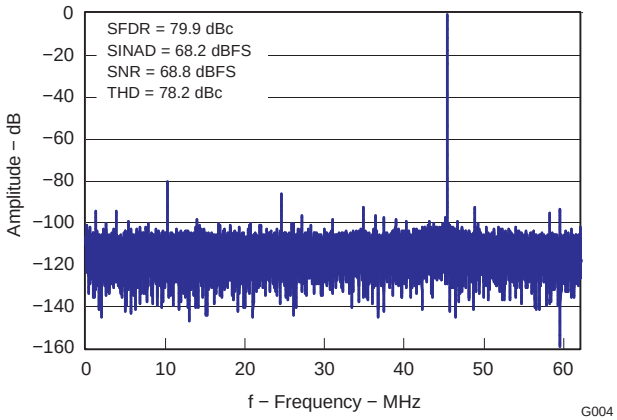

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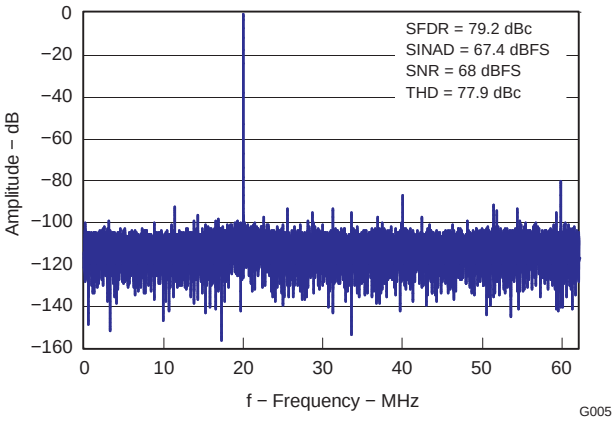

Figure 10.

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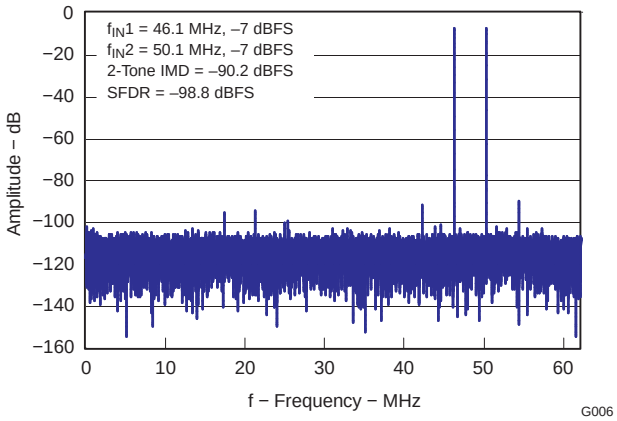

Figure 11.

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

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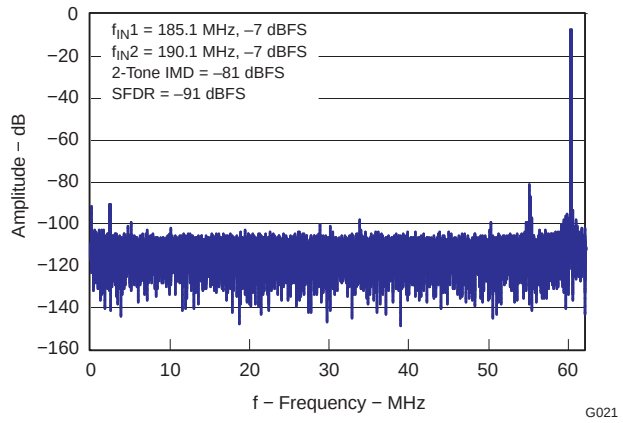
INTERMODULATION DISTORTION (IMD) vs FREQUENCY



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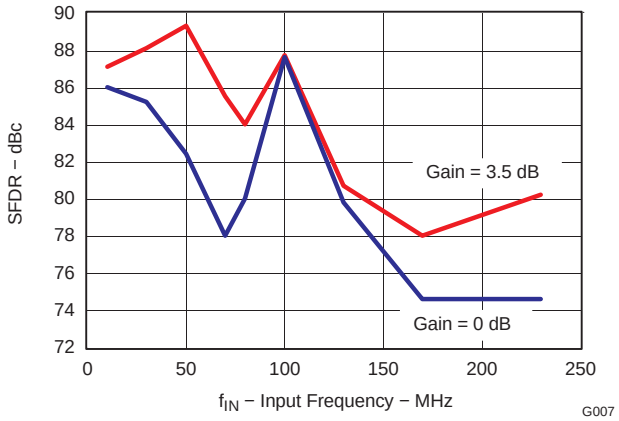
SFDR vs INPUT FREQUENCY



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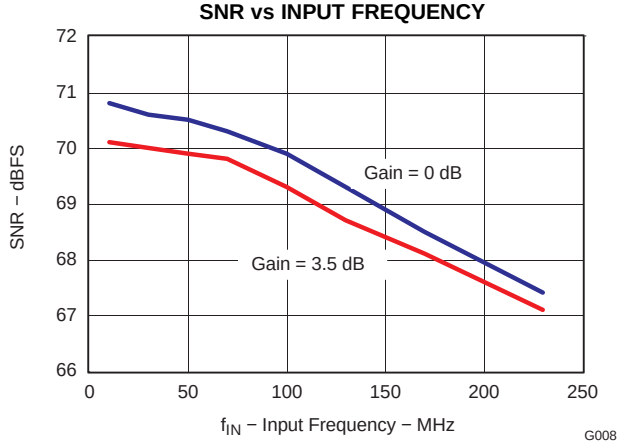
SNR vs INPUT FREQUENCY



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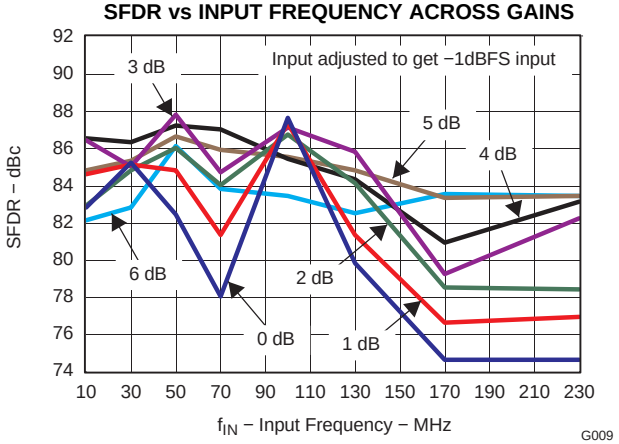
SFDR vs INPUT FREQUENCY ACROSS GAINS



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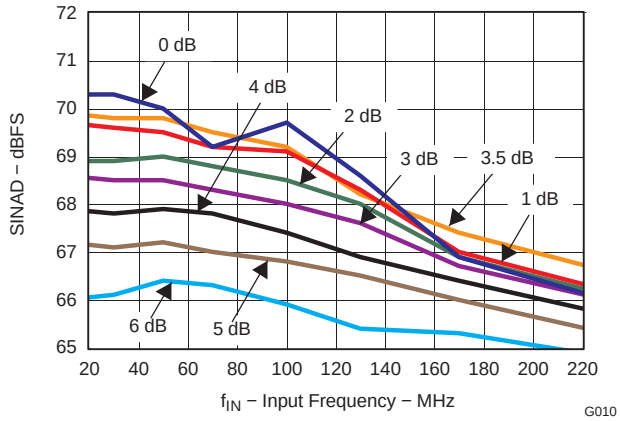
SINAD vs INPUT FREQUENCY ACROSS GAINS



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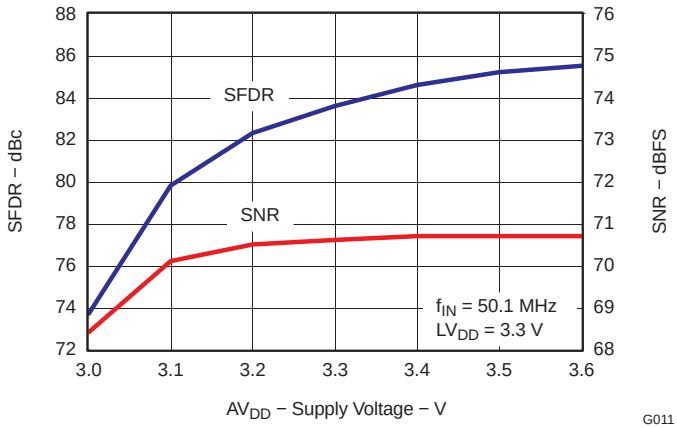
PERFORMANCE vs AVDD



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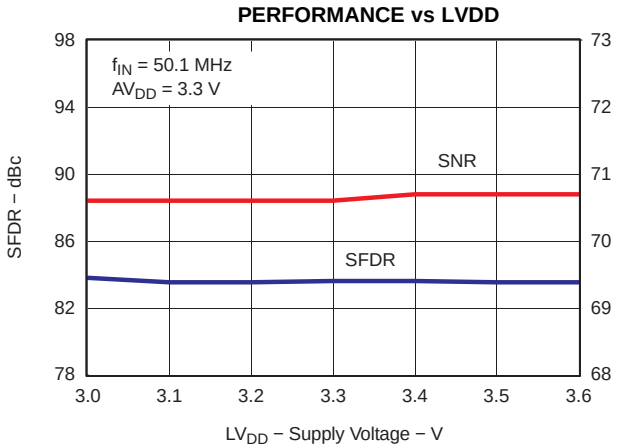

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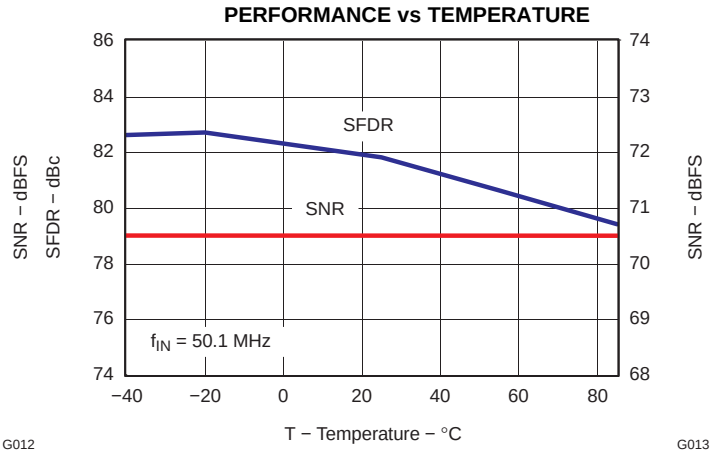

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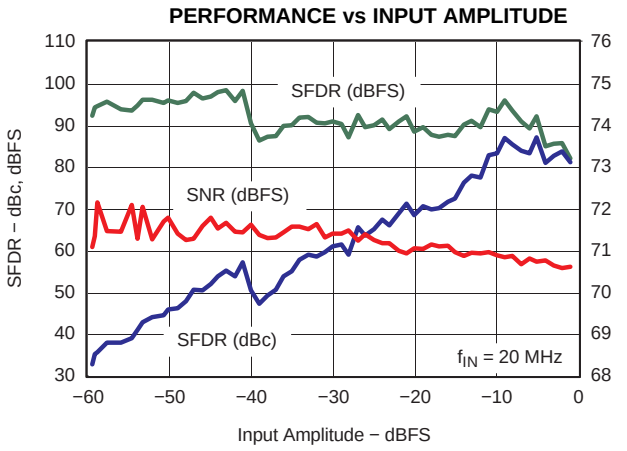

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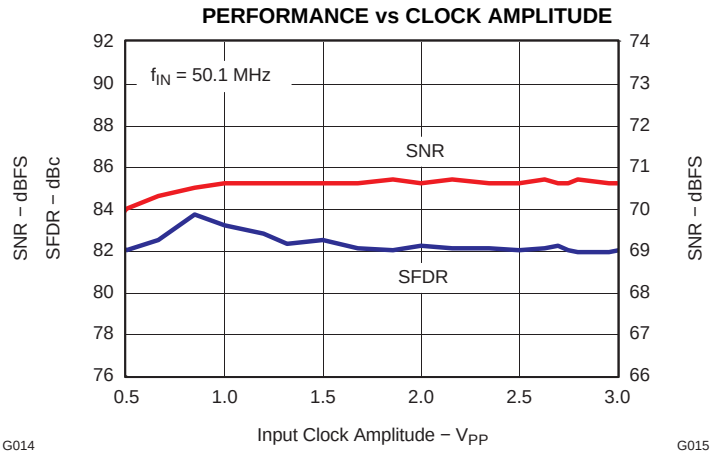

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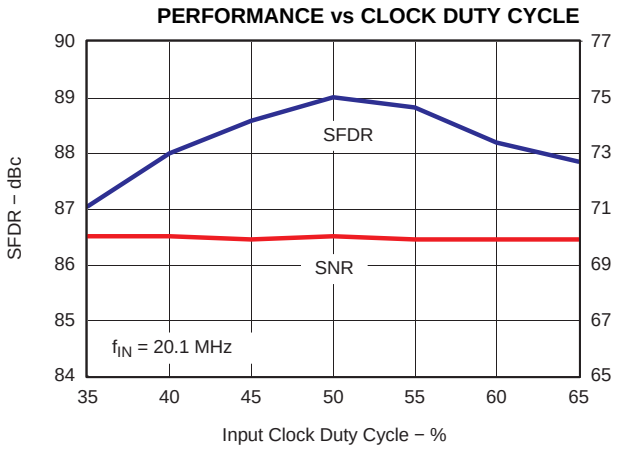

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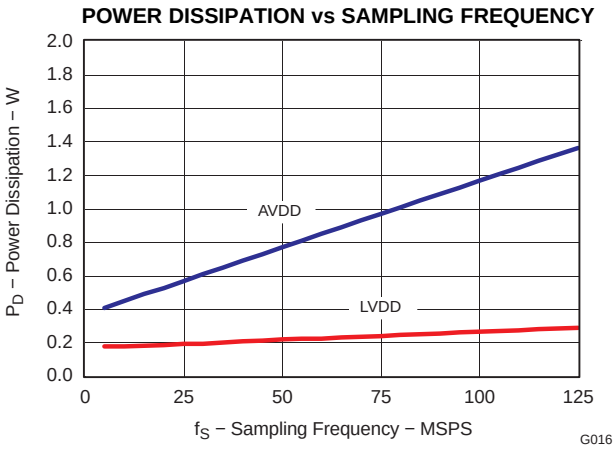

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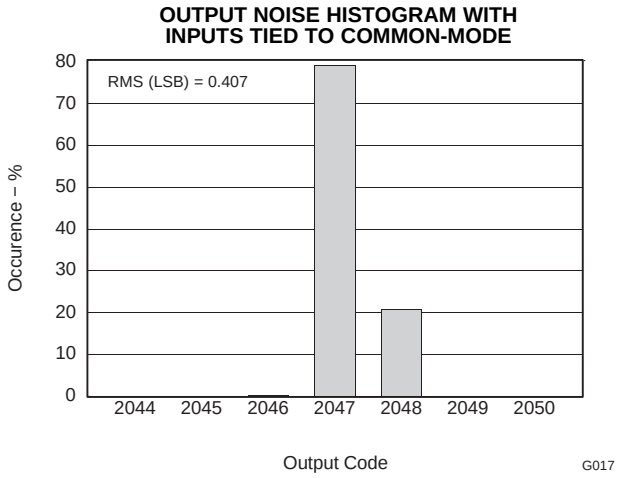

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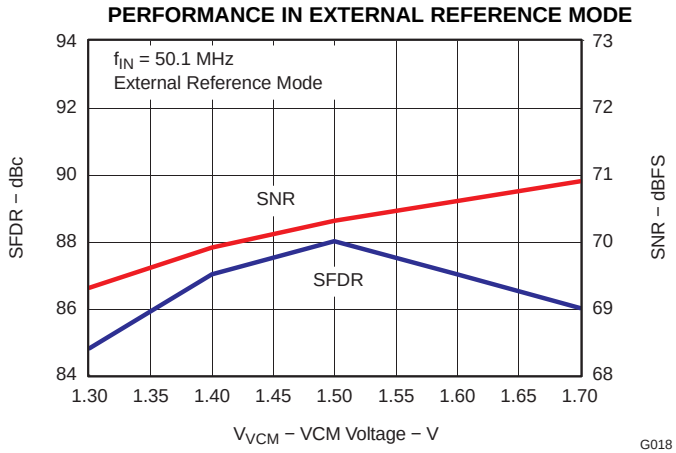

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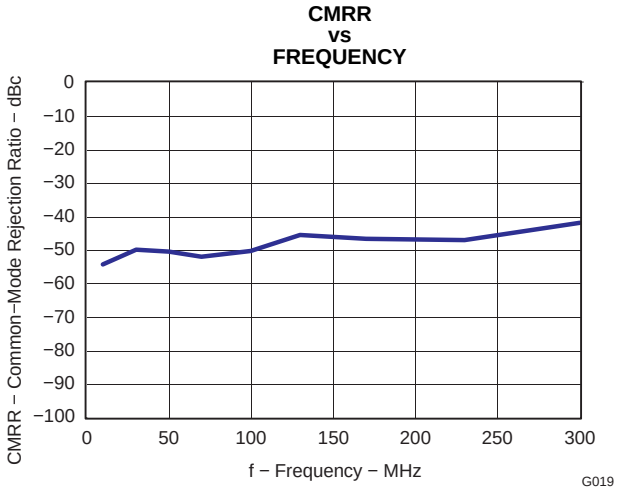

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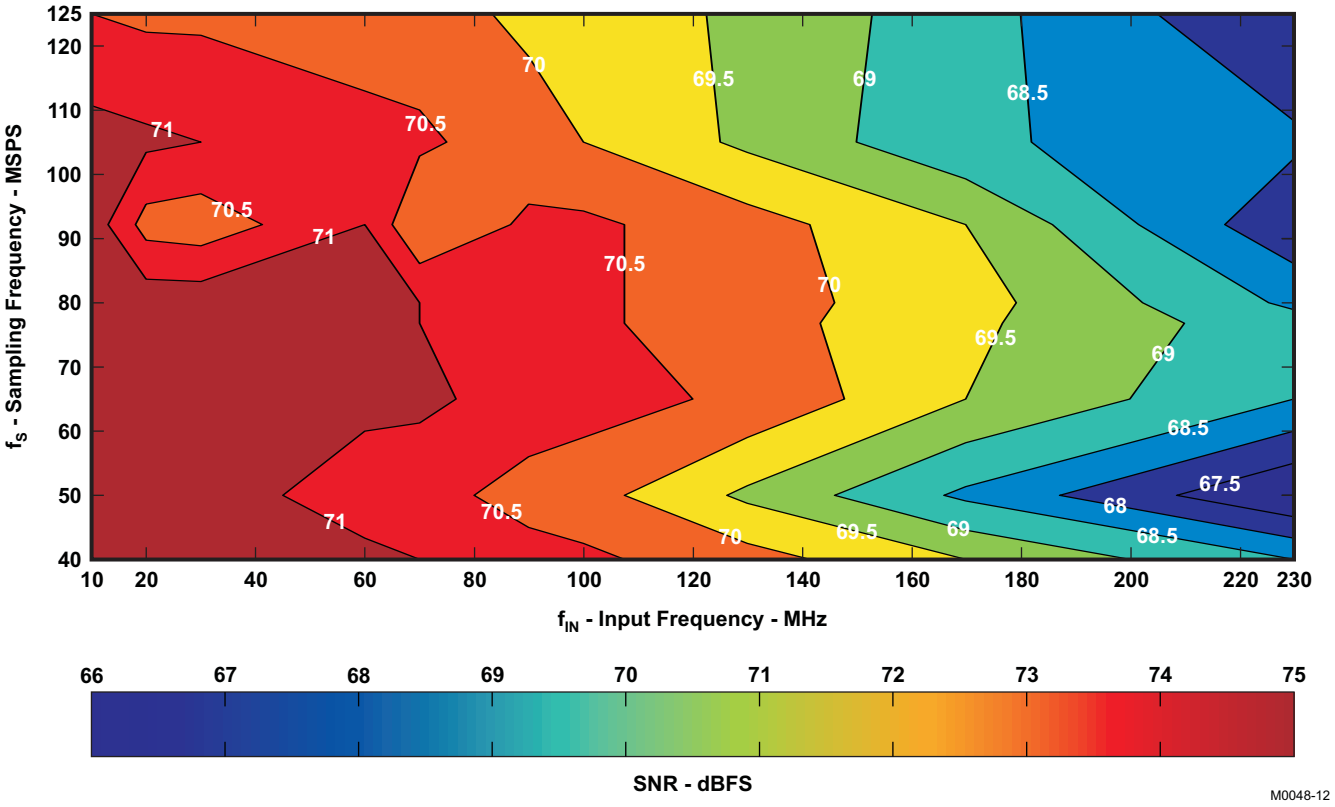

Figure 27. SNR Contour

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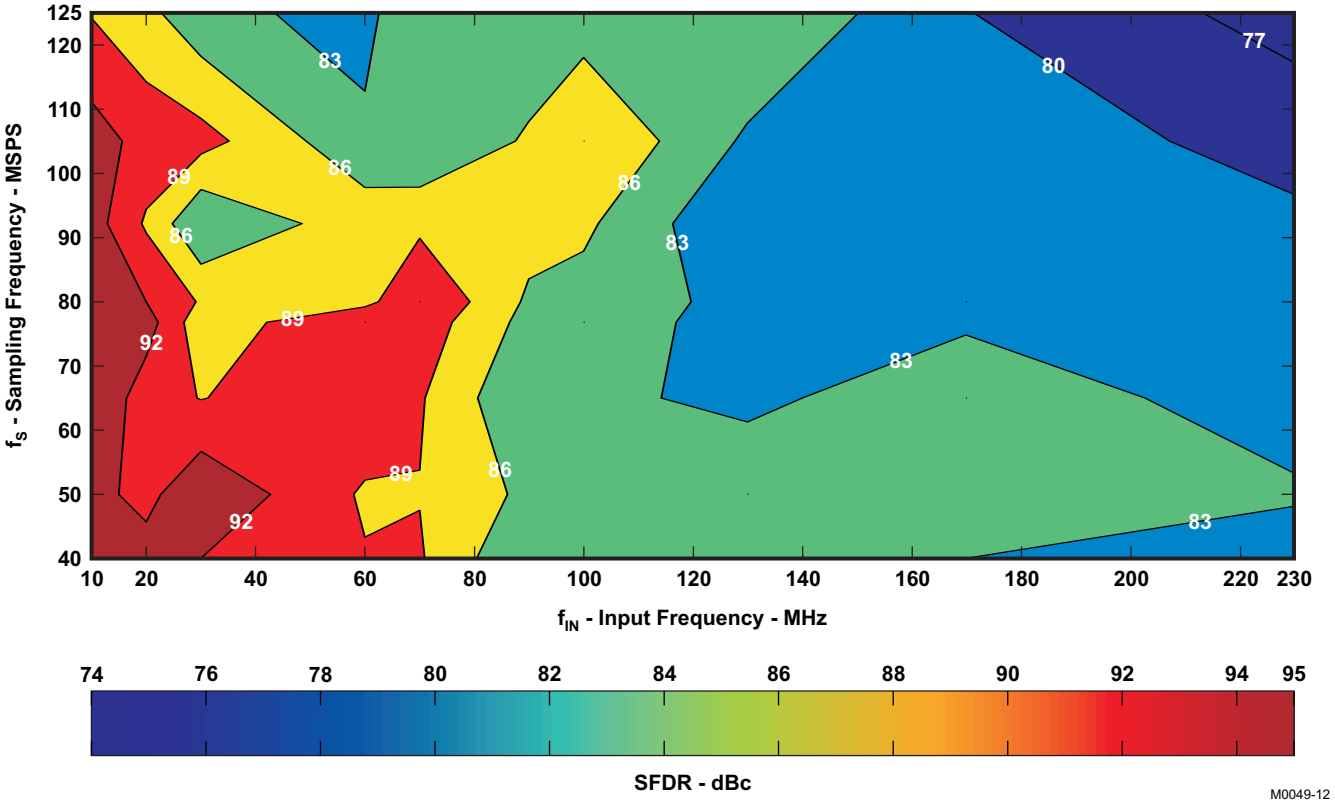

Figure 28. SFDR Contour

APPLICATION INFORMATION

THEORY OF OPERATION

The ADS6425 is a quad channel, 12-bit, 125-MSPS, pipeline ADC, based on switched capacitor architecture in CMOS technology.

The conversion is initiated simultaneously by all the four channels at the rising edge of the external input clock. After the input signals are captured by the sample and hold circuit of each channel, the samples are sequentially converted by a series of low resolution stages. The stage outputs are combined in a digital correction logic block to form the final 12-bit word with a latency of 12 clock cycles. The 12-bit word of each channel is serialized and output as LVDS levels. In addition to the data streams, a bit clock and a frame clock are also output. The frame clock is aligned with the 12-bit word boundary.

ANALOG INPUT

The analog input consists of a switched-capacitor based differential sample and hold architecture, shown in Figure 29. This differential topology results in very good AC performance even for high input frequencies. The INP and INM pins have to be externally biased around a common-mode voltage of 1.5 V, available on VCM pin 13. For a full-scale differential input, each input pin INP, INM has to swing symmetrically between VCM + 0.5 V and VCM – 0.5 V, resulting in a 2-V_{pp} differential input swing. The maximum swing is determined by the internal reference voltages REFP (2.0V nominal) and REFM (1.0 V, nominal). The sampling circuit has a 3 dB bandwidth that extends up to 500 MHz (Figure 30, shown by the transfer function from the analog input pins to the voltage across the sampling capacitors TF_ADC).

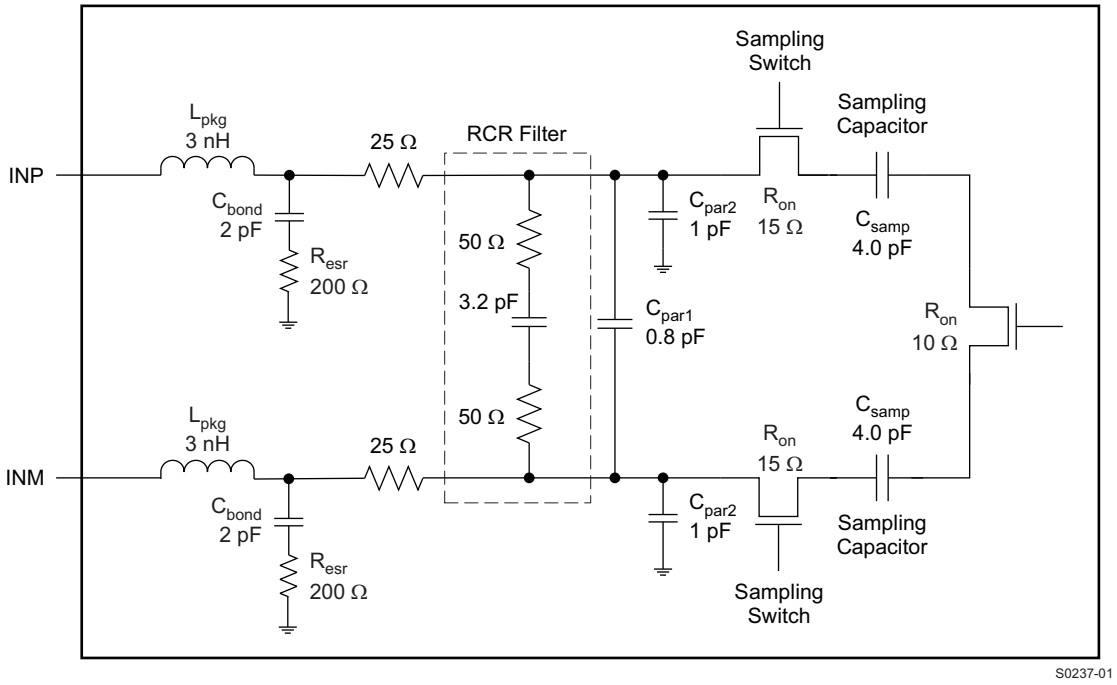

Figure 29. Input Sampling Circuit

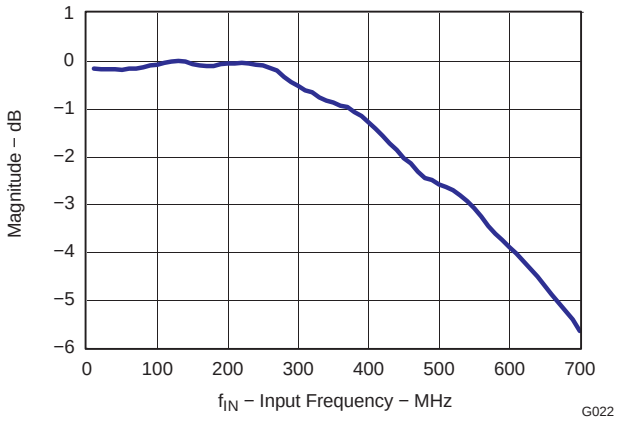

Figure 30. Analog Input Bandwidth (represented by magnitude of TF_ADC, see Figure 31)

Drive Circuit Requirements

For optimum performance, the analog inputs must be driven differentially. This improves the common-mode noise immunity and even order harmonic rejection.

A 5-Ω resistor in series with each input pin is recommended to damp out ringing caused by the package parasitics. It is also necessary to present low impedance (< 50 Ω) for the common mode switching currents. For example, this is achieved by using two resistors from each input terminated to the common mode voltage (VCM).

Using RF-Transformer Based Drive Circuits

Figure 31 shows a configuration using a single 1:1 turns ratio transformer (for example, WBC1-1) that can be used for low input frequencies up to 100MHz.

The single-ended signal is fed to the primary winding of the RF transformer. The transformer is terminated on the secondary side. Putting the termination on the secondary side helps to shield the kickbacks caused by the sampling circuit from the RF transformer's leakage inductances. The termination is accomplished by two resistors connected in series, with the center point connected to the 1.5 V common mode (VCM pin). The value of the termination resistors (connected to common mode) has to be low (< 100 Ω) to provide a low-impedance path for the ADC common-mode switching current.

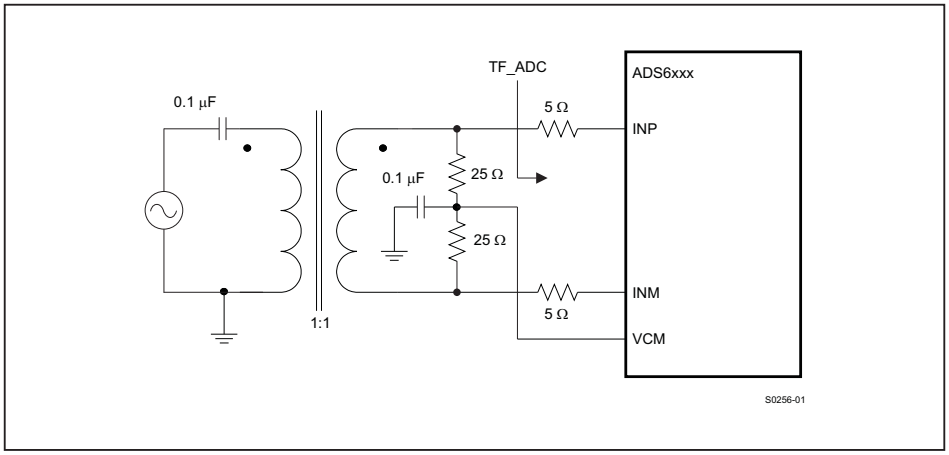

Figure 31. Single Transformer Drive Circuit

At high input frequencies, the mismatch in the transformer parasitic capacitance (between the windings) results

in degraded even-order harmonic performance. Connecting two identical RF transformers back-to-back helps minimize this mismatch, and good performance is obtained for high frequency input signals. Figure 32 shows an example using two transformers (Coilcraft WBC1-1). An additional termination resistor pair (enclosed within the shaded box in Figure 32) may be required between the two transformers to improve the balance between the P and M sides. The center point of this termination must be connected to ground.

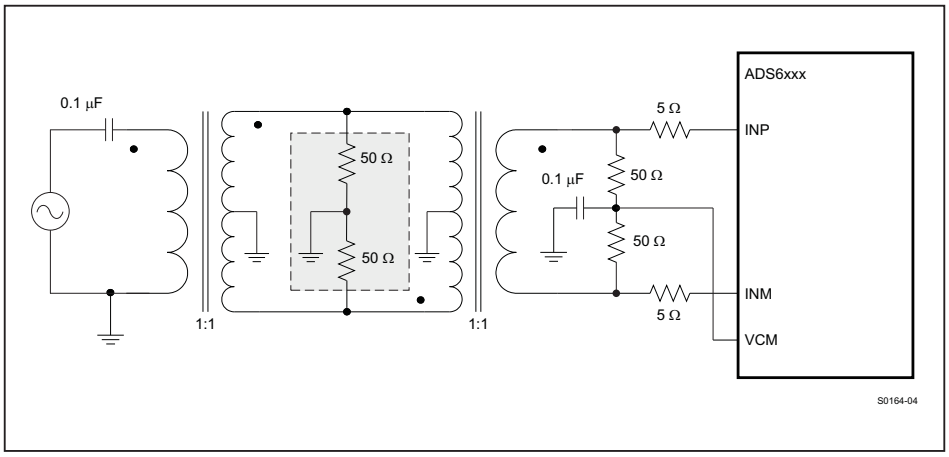

Figure 32. Two Transformer Drive Circuit

INPUT COMMON MODE

To ensure a low-noise common-mode reference, the VCM pin is filtered with a 0.1-µF low-inductance capacitor connected to ground. The VCM pin is designed to directly drive the ADC inputs. The input stage of the ADC sinks a common-mode current in the order of 155 µA at 125 MSPS (per input pin). Equation 1 describes the dependency of the common-mode current and the sampling frequency.

$$\frac{155\ \mu A \times Fs}{125\ MSPS} \quad (1)$$

This equation helps to design the output capability and impedance of the CM driving circuit accordingly.

REFERENCE

The ADS6425 has built-in internal references REFP and REFM, requiring no external components. Design schemes are used to linearize the converter load seen by the references; this and the on-chip integration of the requisite reference capacitors eliminates the need for external decoupling. The full-scale input range of the converter can be controlled in the external reference mode as explained below. The internal or external reference modes can be selected by programming the register bit **<REF>** (Table 11).

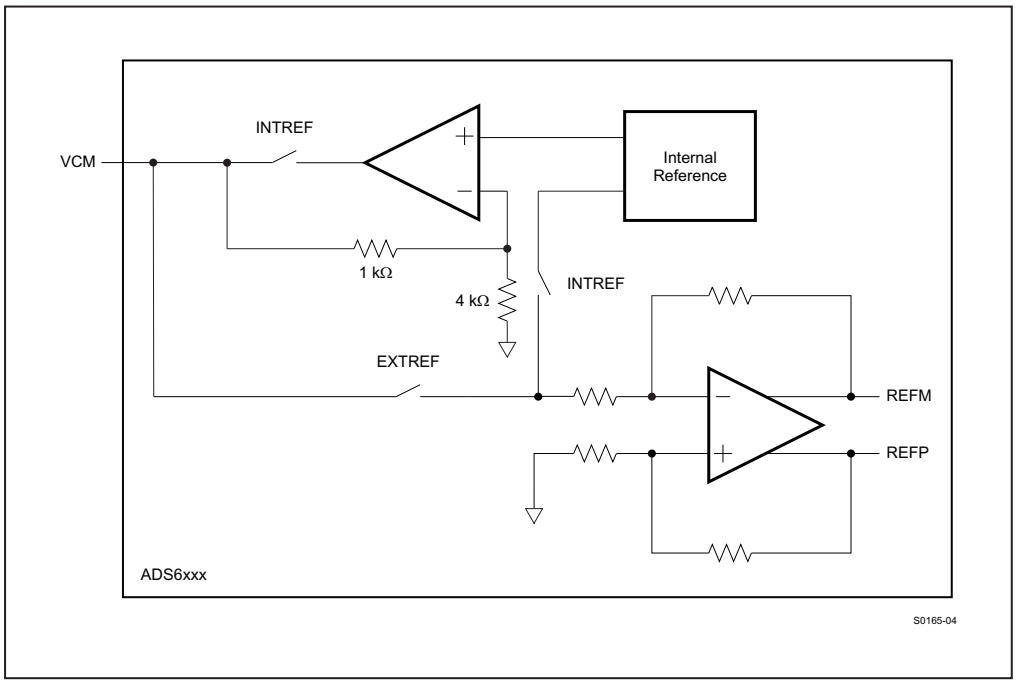

Figure 33. Reference Section

Internal Reference

When the device is in internal reference mode, the REFP and REFM voltages are generated internally. Common-mode voltage (1.5 V nominal) is output on VCM pin, which can be used to externally bias the analog input pins.

External Reference

When the device is in external reference mode, the VCM acts as a reference input pin. The voltage forced on the VCM pin is buffered and gained by 1.33 internally, generating the REFP and REFM voltages. The differential input voltage corresponding to full-scale is given by Equation 2.

$$\text{Full–scale differential input pp} = (\text{Voltage forced on VCM}) \times 1.33 \quad (2)$$

In this mode, the range of voltage applied on VCM pin should be 1.45 to 1.55V. The 1.5-V common-mode voltage to bias the input pins has to be generated externally.

COARSE GAIN AND PROGRAMMABLE FINE GAIN

The ADS6425 includes gain settings that can be used to get improved SFDR performance (compared to 0 dB gain mode). The gain settings are 3.5 dB coarse gain and programmable fine gain from 0 dB to 6 dB. For each gain setting, the analog input full-scale range scales proportionally, as shown in Table 19.

The coarse gain is a fixed setting of 3.5 dB and is designed to improve SFDR with little degradation in SNR (as seen in Figure 13 andFigure 14). The fine gain is programmable in 1 dB steps from 0 to 6 dB. With the fine gain also, SFDR improvement is achieved, but at the expense of SNR (there will be about 1dB SNR degradation for every 1dB of fine gain).

So, the fine gain can be used to trade-off between SFDR and SNR. The coarse gain makes it possible to get best SFDR but without losing SNR significantly. At high input frequencies, the gains are especially useful as the SFDR improvement is significant with marginal degradation in SINAD.

The gains can be programmed using the register bits **<COARSE GAIN>** (Table 16) and **<FINE GAIN>** (Table 15). Note that the default gain after reset is 0 dB.

Table 19. Full-Scale Range Across Gains

GAIN, dB	TYPE	FULL-SCALE, V_{pp}
0	Default (after reset)	2
3.5	Coarse setting (fixed)	1.34
1	Fine setting (programmable)	1.78
2		1.59
3		1.42
4		1.26
5		1.12
6		1.00

CLOCK INPUT

The ADS6425 clock inputs can be driven differentially (SINE, LVPECL or LVDS) or single-ended (LVCMOS), with little or no difference in performance between them. The common-mode voltage of the clock inputs is set to VCM using internal 5-kΩ resistors as shown in Figure 34. This allows using transformer-coupled drive circuits for sine wave clock or ac-coupling for LVPECL, LVDS clock sources (see Figure 35 and Figure 37).

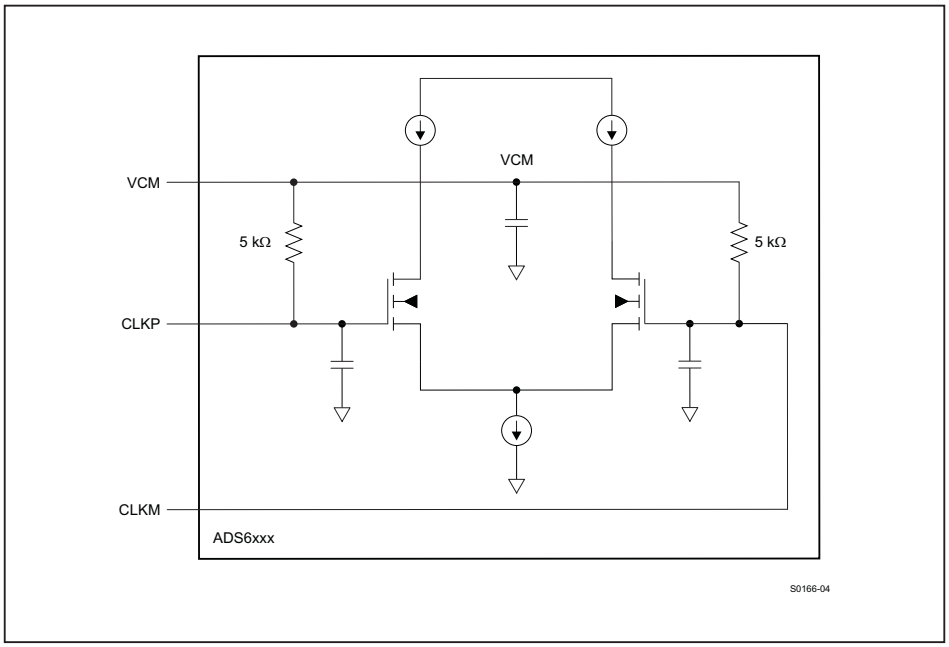

Figure 34. Internal Clock Buffer

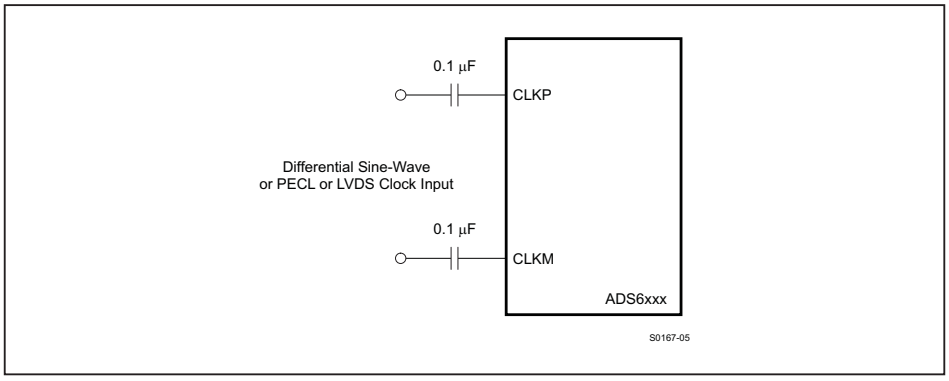

Figure 35. Differential Clock Driving Circuit

Figure 36 shows a typical scheme using PECL clock drive from a CDCM7005 clock driver. SNR performance with this scheme is comparable with that of a low jitter sine wave clock source.

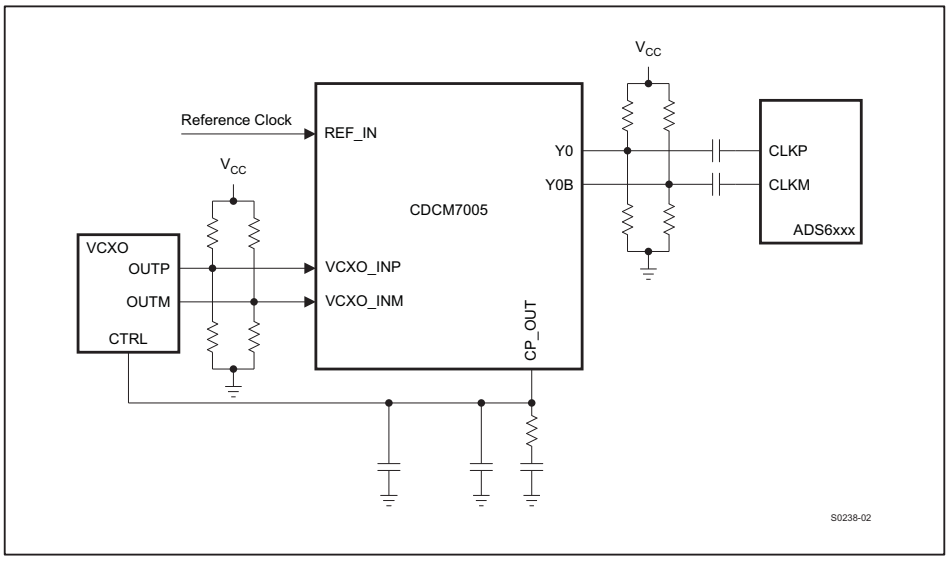

Figure 36. PECL Clock Drive Using CDCM7005

Single-ended CMOS clock can be ac-coupled to the CLKP input, with CLKM (pin) connected to ground with a 0.1-µF capacitor, as shown in Figure 37.

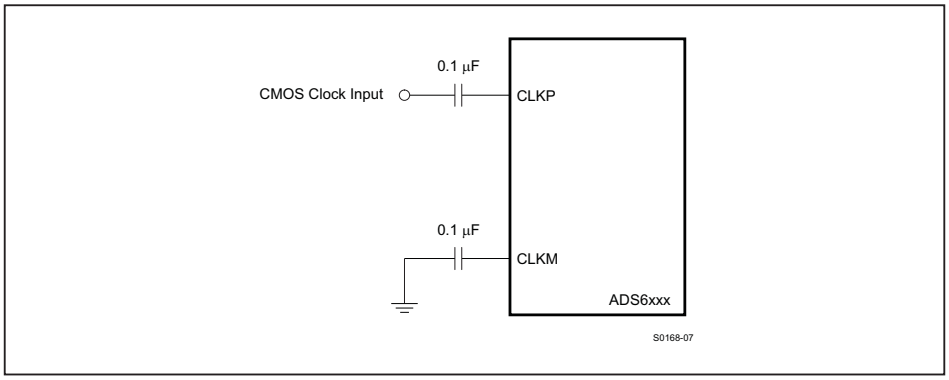

Figure 37. Single-Ended Clock Driving Circuit

For best performance, the clock inputs have to be driven differentially, reducing susceptibility to common-mode noise. For high input frequency sampling, it is recommended to use a clock source with very low jitter. Bandpass filtering of the clock source can help reduce the effect of jitter. There is no change in performance with a non-50% duty cycle clock input.

CLOCK BUFFER GAIN

When using a sinusoidal clock input, the noise contributed by clock jitter improves as the clock amplitude is increased. Hence, it is recommended to use large clock amplitude. As shown by Figure 21, use clock amplitude greater than 1V pp to avoid performance degradation.

In addition, the clock buffer has programmable gain to amplify the input clock to support very low clock amplitude. The gain can be set by programming the register bits **<CLKIN GAIN>** (Table 12) and increases monotonically from Gain 0 to Gain 4 settings. Table 20 shows the minimum clock amplitude supported for each gain setting.

Table 20. Minimum Clock Amplitude Across Gains

CLOCK BUFFER GAIN	MINIMUM CLOCK AMPLITUDE SUPPORTED, mV (pp differential)
Gain 0 (minimum gain)	800
Gain 1 (default gain)	400
Gain 2	300
Gain 3	200
Gain 4 (highest gain)	150

POWER DOWN MODES

The ADS6425 has three power down modes – global power down, channel standby and input clock stop.

Global Power Down

This is a global power down mode in which almost the entire chip is powered down, including the four ADCs, internal references, PLL and LVDS buffers. As a result, the total power dissipation falls to about 77 mW typical (with input clock running). This mode can be initiated by setting the register bit **<PDN GLOBAL>** (Table 11). The output data and clock buffers are in high impedance state.

The wake-up time from this mode to data becoming valid in normal mode is 100 µs.

Channel Standby

In this mode, only the ADC of each channel is powered down and this helps to get very fast wake-up times. Each of the four ADCs can be powered down independently using the register bits **<PDN CH>** (Table 11). The analog power dissipation varies from 1115 mW (only one channel in standby) to 245 mW (all four channels in standby). The output LVDS buffers remain powered up.

The wake-up time from this mode to data becoming valid in normal mode is 200 clock cycles.

Input Clock Stop

The converter enters this mode:

- If the input clock frequency falls below 1 MSPS or
- If the input clock amplitude is less than 400 mV (pp, differential with default clock buffer gain setting) at any sampling frequency.

All ADCs and LVDS buffers are powered down and the power dissipation is about 235 mW. The wake-up time from this mode to data becoming valid in normal mode is 100 µs.

Table 21. Power Down Modes Summary

POWER DOWN MODE	AVDD POWER (mW)	LVDD POWER (mW)	WAKE UP TIME
In power-up	1360	297	–
Global power down	65	12	100 µs
1 Channel in standby	1115	297	200 Clocks
2 Channels in standby	825	297	200 Clocks
3 Channels in standby	532	297	200 Clocks
4 Channels in standby	245	297	200 Clocks
Input clock stop	200	35	100 µs

POWER SUPPLY SEQUENCING

During power-up, the AVDD and LVDD supplies can come up in any sequence. The two supplies are separated inside the device. Externally, they can be driven from separate supplies or from a single supply.

DIGITAL OUTPUT INTERFACE

The ADS6425 offers several flexible output options making it easy to interface to an ASIC or an FPGA. These options can be easily programmed using either parallel pins and/or the serial interface.

The output interface options are:

- 1-wire, 1× frame clock, 12× and 14× serialization with DDR bit clock
- 2-wire, 1× frame clock, 12× serialization, with DDR and SDR bit clock, byte wise/bit wise/word wise
- 2-wire, 1× word clock, 14× serialization, with SDR bit clock, byte wise/bit wise/word wise
- 2-wire, (0.5 x) frame clock, 14× serialization, with DDR bit clock, byte wise/bit wise/word wise.

The maximum sampling frequency, bit clock frequency and output data rate will vary depending on the interface options selected (refer to Table 12).

Table 22. Maximum Recommended Sampling Frequency for Different Output Interface Options

INTERFACE OPTIONS			MAXIMUM RECOMMENDED SAMPLING FREQUENCY, MSPS	BIT CLOCK FREQUENCY, MHZ	FRAME CLOCK FREQUENCY, MHZ	SERIAL DATA RATE, Mbps
1-Wire	DDR Bit clock	12× Serialization	65	390	65	780
		14× Serialization	65	455	65	910
2-Wire	DDR Bit clock	12× Serialization	125	375	125	750
		14× Serialization	125	437.5	62.5	875
2-Wire	SDR Bit clock	12× Serialization	65	390	65	390
		14× Serialization	65	455	65	455

Each interface option is described in detail below.

1-WIRE INTERFACE - 12× AND 14× SERIALIZATION WITH DDR BIT CLOCK

Here the device outputs the data of each ADC serially on a single LVDS pair (1-wire). The data is available at the rising and falling edges of the bit clock (DDR bit clock). The ADC outputs a new word at the rising edge of every frame clock, starting with the MSB. Optionally, it can also be programmed to output the LSB first. The data rate is 12 × Sample frequency (12× serialization) and 14 × Sample frequency (14× serialization).

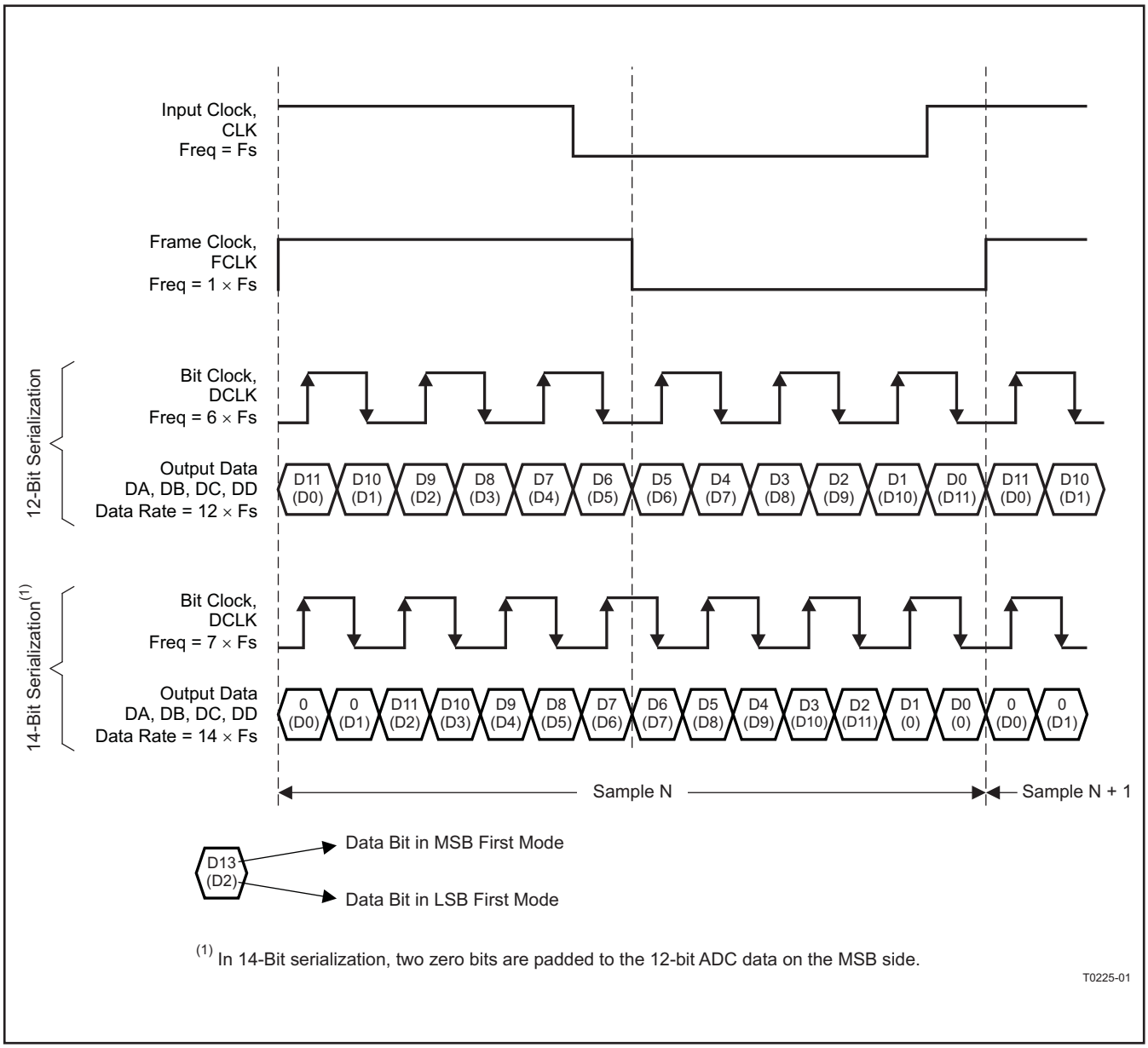

Figure 38. 1-Wire Interface

2-WIRE INTERFACE - 12× SERIALIZATION WITH DDR/SDR BIT CLOCK

The 2-wire interface is recommended for sampling frequencies above 65 MSPS. The device outputs the data of each ADC serially on two LVDS pairs (2-wire). The data rate is 6 × Sample frequency since 6 bits are sent on each wire every clock cycle. The data is available along with DDR bit clock or optionally with SDR bit clock. Each ADC sample is sent over the 2 wires as byte-wise or bit-wise or word-wise.

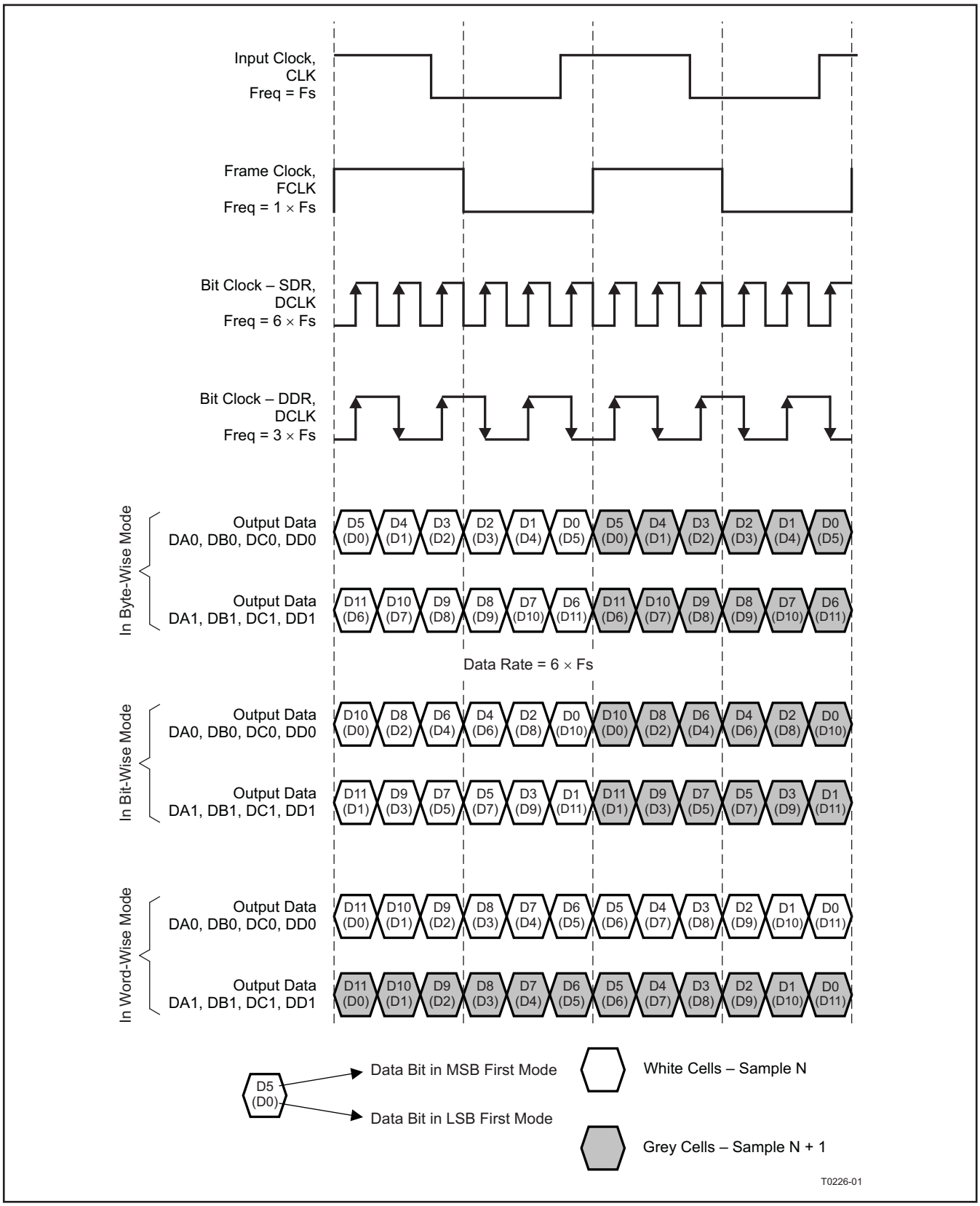

Figure 39. 2-Wire Interface 12× Serialization

2-WIRE INTERFACE - 14× SERIALIZATION

In 14× serialization, two zero bits are padded to the 12-bit ADC data on the MSB side and the combined 14-bit data is serialized and output over two LVDS pairs. A frame clock at 1× sample frequency is also available with an SDR bit clock. With DDR bit clock option, the frame clock frequency is 0.5× sample frequency. The output data rate will be 7 × Sample frequency as 7 data bits are output every clock cycle on each wire. Each ADC sample is sent over the 2 wires as byte-wise or bit-wise or word-wise.

Using the 14× serialization makes it possible to upgrade to a 14-bit ADC in the 64xx family in the future seamlessly, without requiring any modification to the receiver capture logic design.

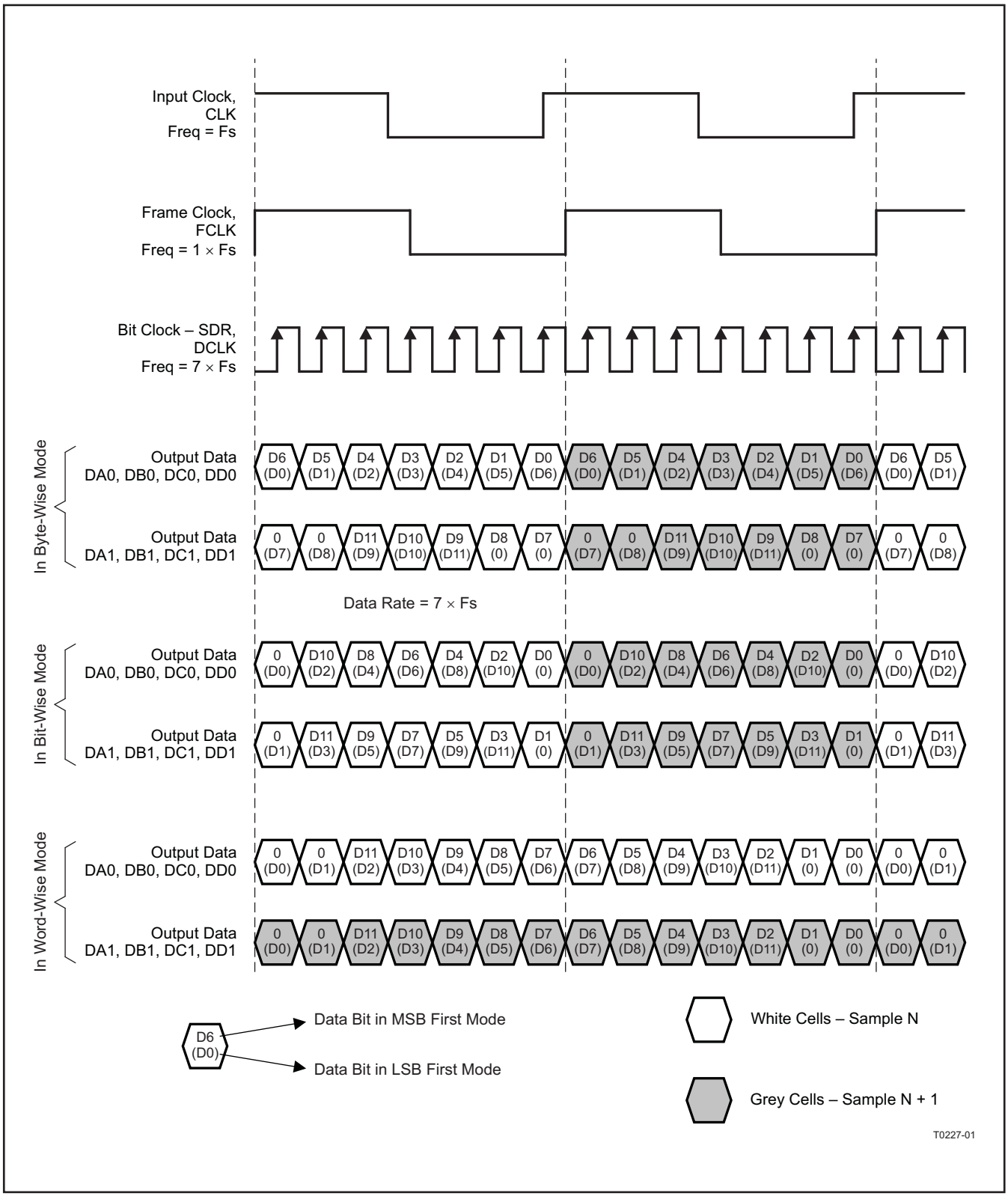

Figure 40. 2-Wire Interface 14× Serialization - SDR Bit Clock

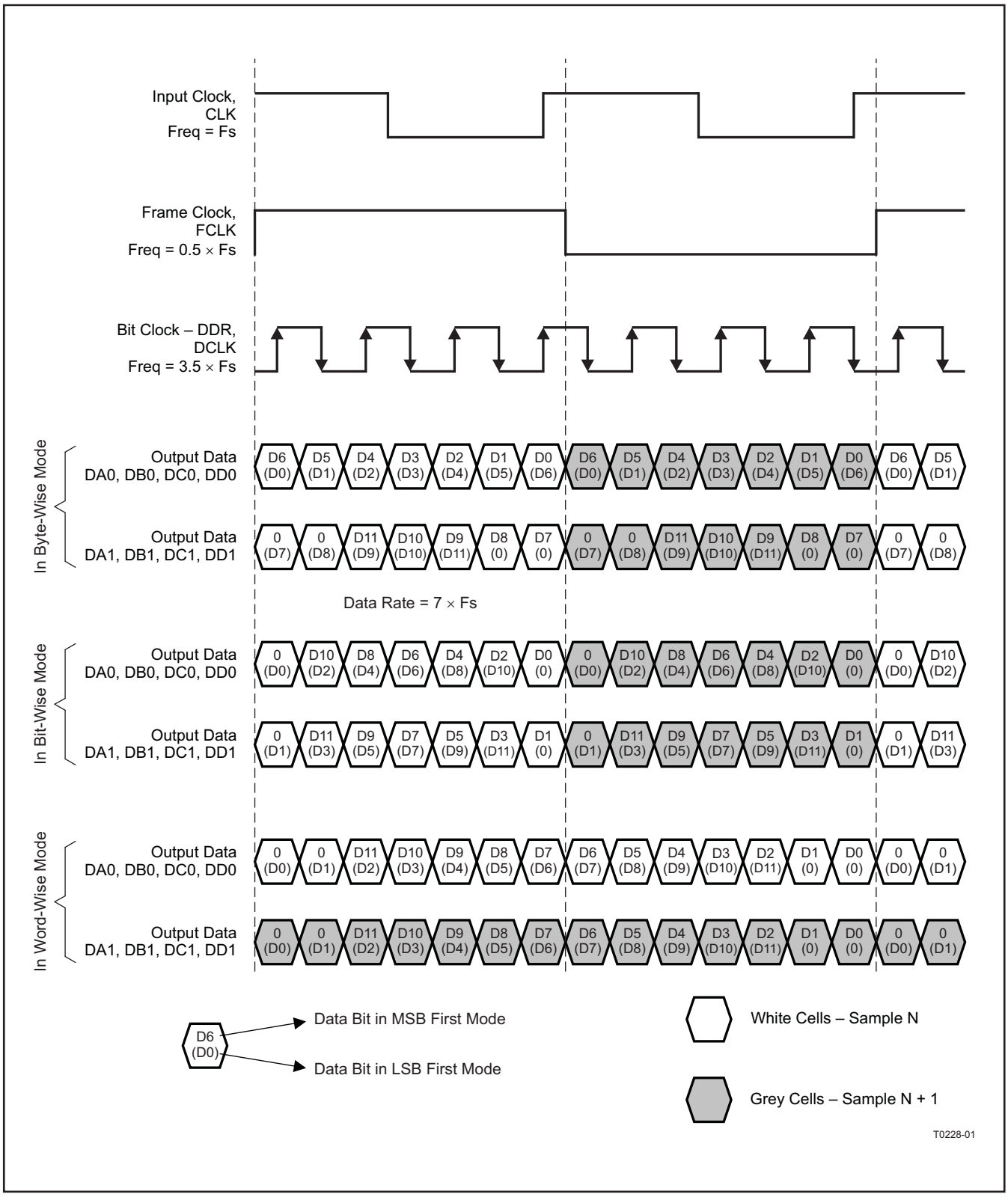

Figure 41. 2-Wire Interface 14× Serialization - DDR Bit Clock

OUTPUT BIT ORDER

In the 2-wire interface, three types of bit order are supported - byte-wise, bit-wise and word-wise.

Byte-wise: Each 12-bit sample is split across the 2 wires. Wires DA0, DB0, DC0 and DD0 carry the 6 LSB bits D5-D0 and wires DA1, DB1, DC1 and DD1 carry the 6 MSB bits.

Bit-wise: Each 12-bit sample is split across the 2 wires. Wires DA0, DB0, DC0 and DD0 carry the 6 even bits (D0,D2,D4..) and wires DA1, DB1, DC1 and DD1 carry the 6 odd bits (D1,D3,D5...).

Word-wise: In this case, all 12-bits of a sample are sent over a single wire. Successive samples are sent over the 2 wires. For example sample N is sent on wires DA0, DB0, DC0 and DD0, while sample N+1 is sent over wires DA1, DB1, DC1 and DD1. The frame clock frequency is 0.5x sampling frequency, with the rising edge aligned with the start of each word.

MSB/LSB FIRST

By default after reset, the 12-bit ADC data is output serially with the MSB first (D11,D10,...D1,D0). The data can be output LSB first also by programming the register bit **<MSB_LSB_First>**. In the 2-wire mode, the bit order in each wire is flipped in the LSB first mode.

OUTPUT DATA FORMATS

Two output data formats are supported – 2s complement (default after reset) and offset binary. They can be selected using the serial interface register bit **<DF>**. In the event of an input voltage overdrive, the digital outputs go to the appropriate full-scale level. For a positive overdrive, the output code is 0xFFF in offset binary output format, and 0x7FF in 2s complement output format. For a negative input overdrive, the output code is 0x000 in offset binary output format and 0x800 in 2s complement output format.

LVDS CURRENT CONTROL

The default LVDS buffer current is 3.5 mA. With an external 100-Ω termination resistance, this develops ±350-mV logic levels at the receiver. The LVDS buffer currents can also be programmed to 2.5 mA, 3.0 mA and 4.5 mA using the register bits **<LVDS CURR>**. In addition, there exists a current double mode, where the LVDS nominal current is doubled (register bits **<CURR DOUBLE>**, Table 17).

LVDS INTERNAL TERMINATION

An internal termination option is available (using the serial interface), by which the LVDS buffers are differentially terminated inside the device. Five termination resistances are available – 166, 200, 250, 333, and 500 Ω (nominal with ±20% variation). Any combination of these terminations can be programmed; the effective termination will be the parallel combination of the selected resistances. The terminations can be programmed separately for the clock and data buffers (bits **<TERM CLK>** and **<TERM DATA>**, Table 18).

The internal termination helps to absorb any reflections from the receiver end, improving the signal integrity. This makes it possible to drive up to 10 pF of load capacitance, compared to only 5 pF without the internal termination.Figure 42 and Figure 43 show the eye diagram with 5 pF and 10 pF load capacitors (connected from each output pin to ground).

With 100-Ω internal and 100-Ω external termination, the voltage swing at the receiver end will be halved (compared to no internal termination). The voltage swing can be restored by using the LVDS current double mode (bits **<CURR DOUBLE>**, Table 17).

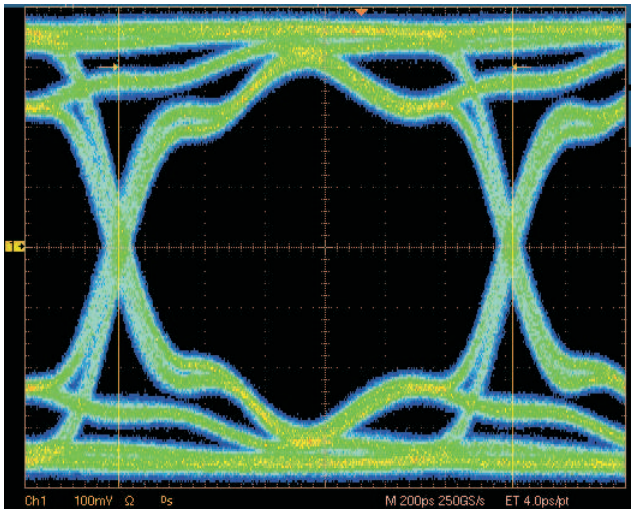

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Figure 42. LVDS Data Eye Diagram with 5-pF Load Capacitance (No Internal Termination)

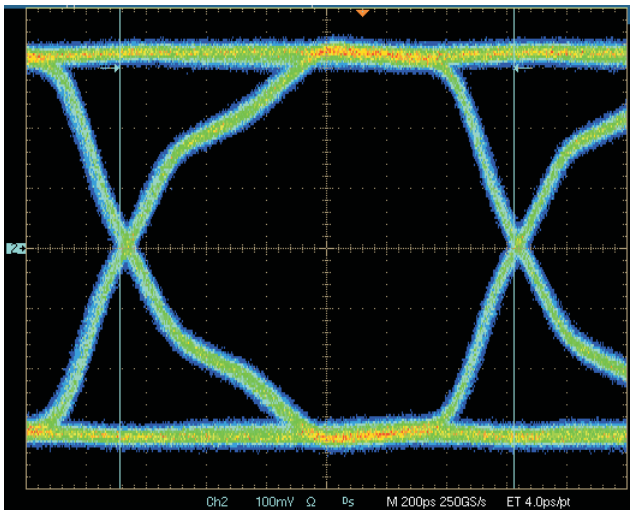

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Figure 43. LVDS Data Eye Diagram with 10-pF Load Capacitance (100 Ω Internal Termination)

CAPTURE TEST PATTERNS

The ADS6425 outputs the bit clock (DCLK), positioned nearly at the center of the data transitions. It is recommended to route the bit clock, frame clock and output data lines with minimum relative skew on the PCB. This ensures sufficient setup/hold times for a reliable capture by the receiver.

The DESKEW is a 1010... or 0101... pattern output on the serial data lines that can be used to verify if the receiver capture clock edge is positioned correctly. This may be useful in case there is some skew between DCLK and serial data inside the receiver. Once deserialized, it is required to ensure that the parallel data is aligned to the frame boundary. The SYNC test pattern can be used for this. For example, in the 1-wire interface, the SYNC pattern is 6 '1's followed by 6 '0's (from MSB to LSB). This information can be used by the receiver logic to shift the deserialized data till it matches the SYNC pattern.

In addition to DESKEW and SYNC, the ADS6425 includes other test patterns to verify correctness of the capture by the receiver such as all zeros, all ones and toggle. These patterns are output on all four channel data lines simultaneously. Some patterns like custom and sync are affected by the type of interface selected, serialization and bit order.

Table 23. Test Patterns

PATTERN	DESCRIPTION
All zeros	Outputs logic low.
All ones	Outputs logic high.
Toggle	Outputs toggle pattern - <D11-D0> alternates between 101010101010 and 010101010101 every clock cycle.
Custom	Outputs a 12-bit custom pattern. The 12-bit custom pattern can be specified into two serial interface registers. In the 2-wire interface, each code is sent over the 2 wires depending on the serialization and bit order.
Sync	Outputs a sync pattern.
Deskew	Outputs deskew pattern. Either <D11-D0> = 101010101010 OR <D11-D0> = 010101010101 every clock cycle.

Table 24. SYNC Pattern

INTERFACE OPTION	SERIALIZATION	SYNC PATTERN ON EACH WIRE
1-Wire	12 X	**MSB**-111111000000-**LSB**
	14 X	**MSB**-11111110000000-**LSB**
2-Wire	12 X	**MSB**-111000-**LSB**
	14 X	**MSB**-1111000-**LSB**

THERMAL PAD MECHANICAL DATA

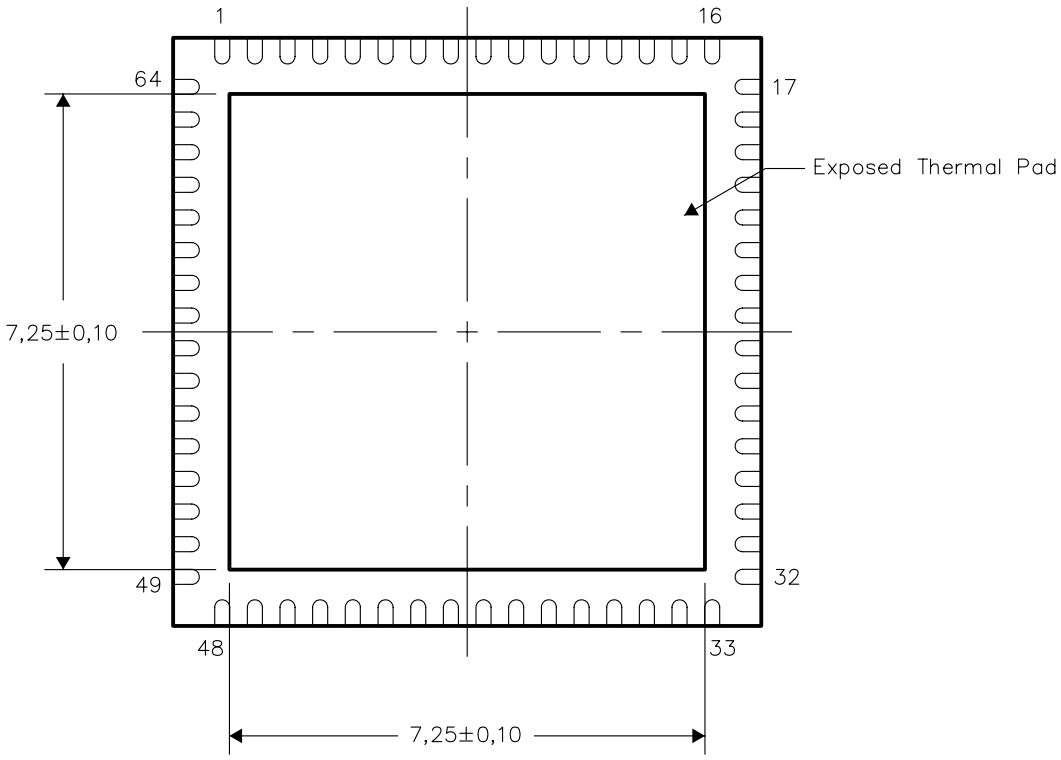
RGC (S–PQFP–N64)

THERMAL INFORMATION

This package incorporates an exposed thermal pad that is designed to be attached directly to an external heatsink. The thermal pad must be soldered directly to the printed circuit board (PCB). After soldering, the PCB can be used as a heatsink. In addition, through the use of thermal vias, the thermal pad can be attached directly to the appropriate copper plane shown in the electrical schematic for the device, or alternatively, can be attached to a special heatsink structure designed into the PCB. This design optimizes the heat transfer from the integrated circuit (IC).

For information on the Quad Flatpack No–Lead (QFN) package and its advantages, refer to Application Report, Quad Flatpack No–Lead Logic Packages, Texas Instruments Literature No. SCBA017. This document is available at www.ti.com.

The exposed thermal pad dimensions for this package are shown in the following illustration.

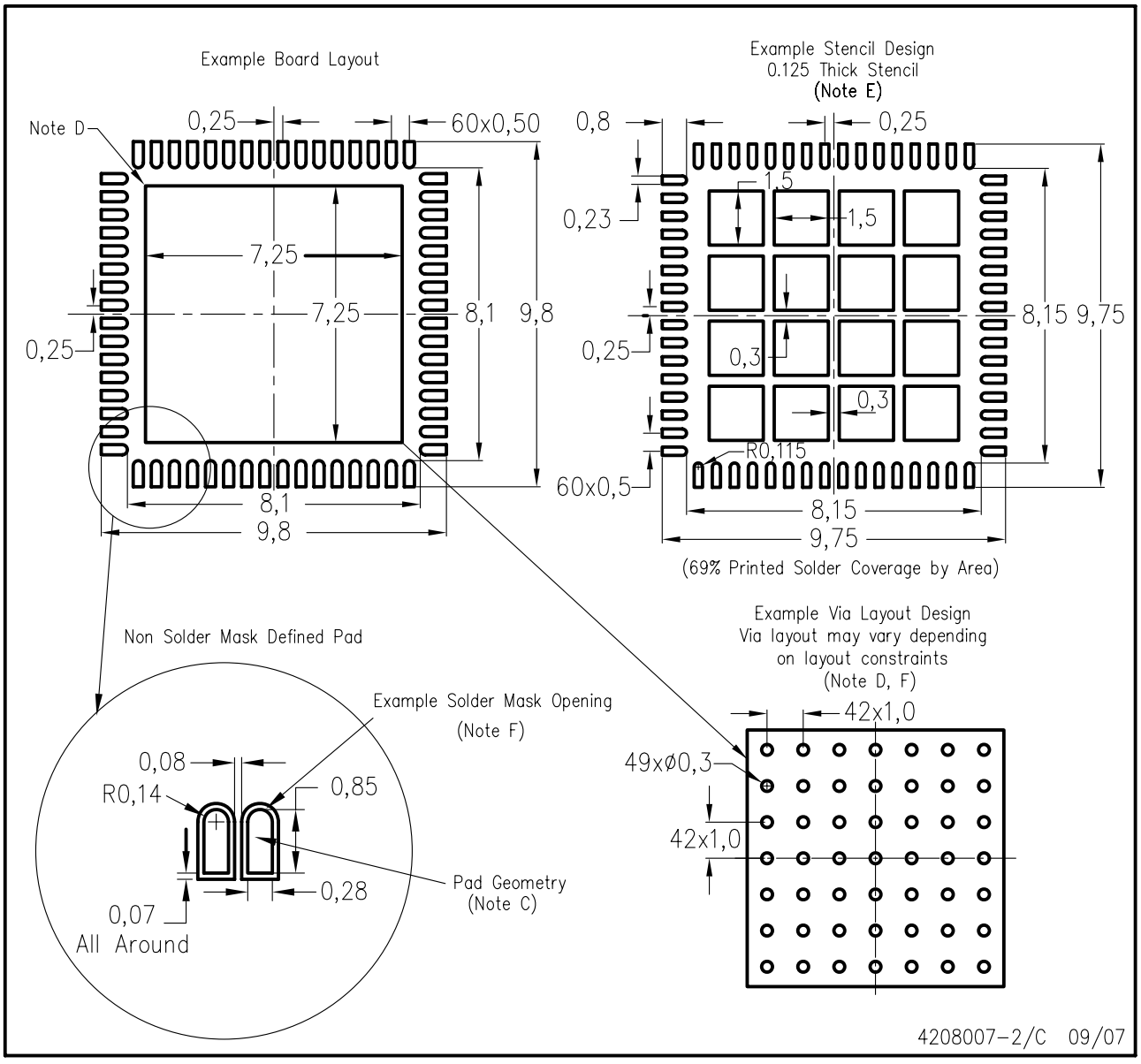


Bottom View

NOTE: All linear dimensions are in millimeters

Exposed Thermal Pad Dimensions

RGC (S–PQFP–N64)



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. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. Refer to Application Note, Quad Flat–Pack Packages, Texas Instruments Literature No. SCBA017, SLUA271, 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>.
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. Refer to IPC 7525 for stencil design considerations.
F. Customers should contact their board fabrication site for recommended solder mask tolerances and via tenting recommendations for vias placed in thermal pad.

PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable Device	Status (1)	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan (2)	Lead/Ball Finish	MSL Peak Temp (3)
ADS6425IRGCR	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGC	64	2000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR
ADS6425IRGCRG4	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGC	64	2000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR
ADS6425IRGCT	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGC	64	250	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR
ADS6425IRGCTG4	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGC	64	250	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR

(1) The marketing status values are defined as follows:
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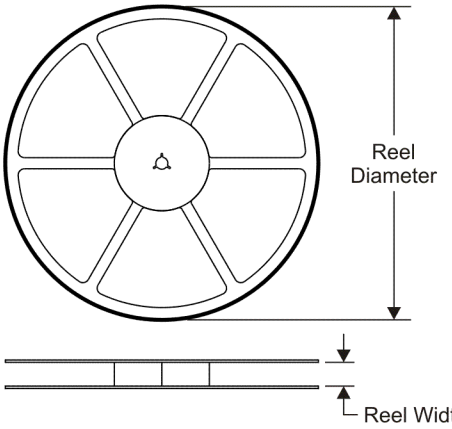
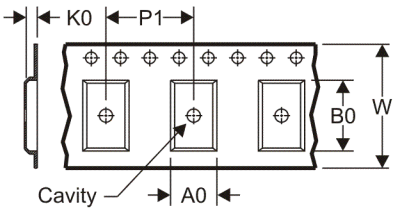
(3) MSL, Peak Temp. -- The Moisture Sensitivity Level rating according to the JEDEC industry standard classifications, and peak solder temperature.

TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION

REEL DIMENSIONS

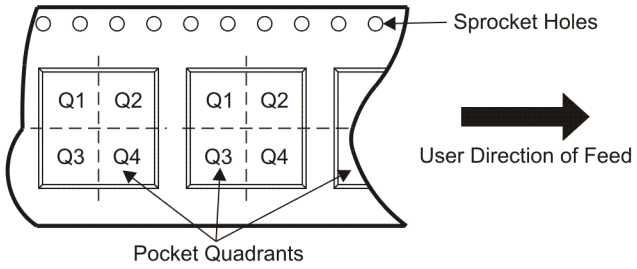


TAPE DIMENSIONS



A0	Dimension designed to accommodate the component width
B0	Dimension designed to accommodate the component length
K0	Dimension designed to accommodate the component thickness
W	Overall width of the carrier tape
P1	Pitch between successive cavity centers

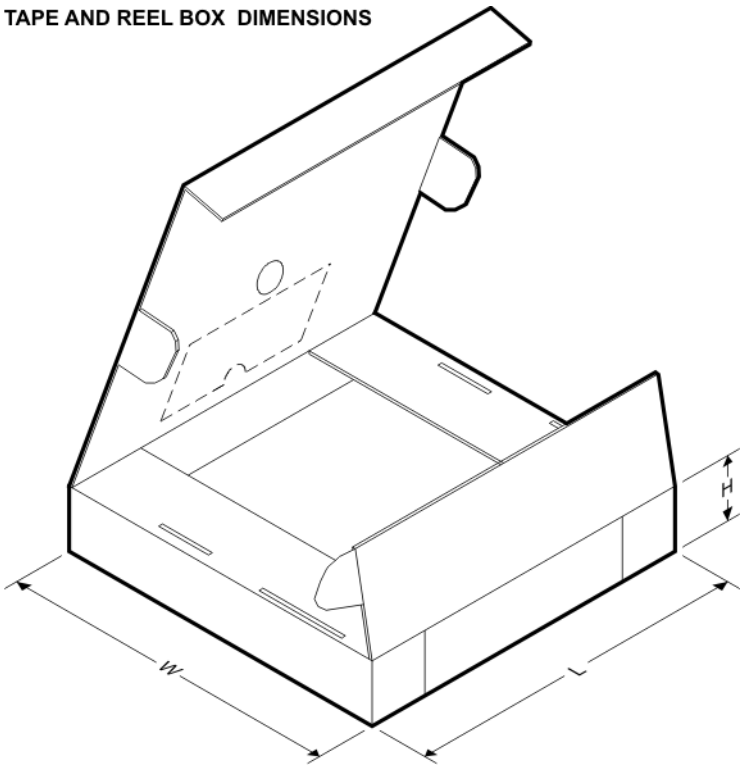
QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE



*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
ADS6425IRGCR	VQFN	RGC	64	2000	330.0	16.4	9.3	9.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2
ADS6425IRGCT	VQFN	RGC	64	250	330.0	16.4	9.3	9.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2

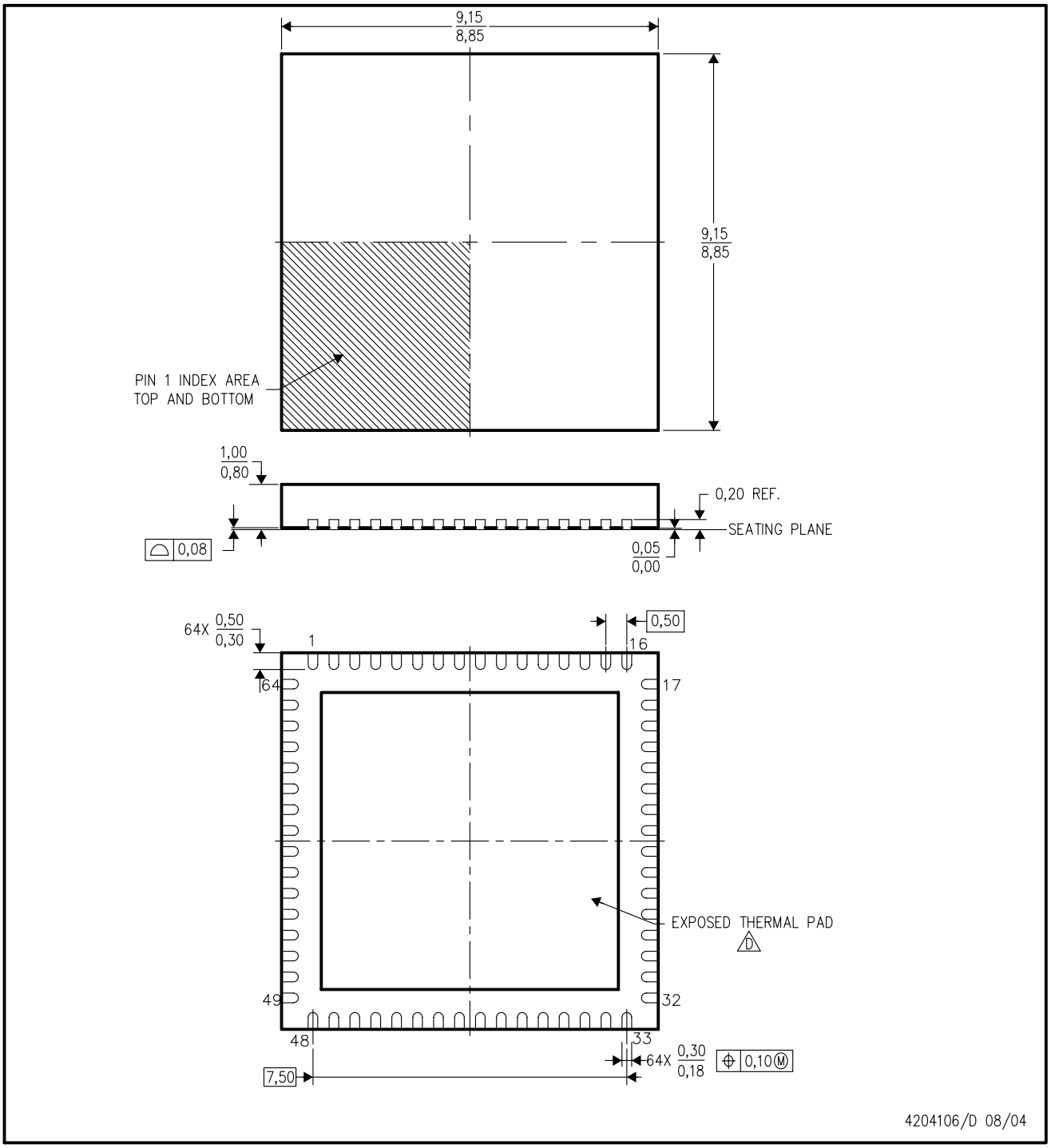
TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS



*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
ADS6425IRGCR	VQFN	RGC	64	2000	333.2	345.9	28.6
ADS6425IRGCT	VQFN	RGC	64	250	333.2	345.9	28.6

RGC (S–PQFP–N64) CUSTOM DEVICE PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK



NOTES:
A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5–1994.
B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
C. Quad Flatpack, No–leads (QFN) package configuration .
D. The package thermal pad must be soldered to the board for thermal and mechanical performance. See the Product Data Sheet for details regarding the exposed thermal pad dimensions.

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