TOSHIBA CMOS Integrated Circuit Silicon Monolithic

TC78B015AFTG

3-phase Driver for Brushless DC Motors

The TC78B015AFTG is for three-phase full-wave brushless DC motor with 150-degree trapezoid PWM chopper system. They control motor rotational speed by changing the PWM duty, based on the speed control input. Hall signal is supported to one sensor for the TC78B015AFTG.

Features



- 150-degree trapezoid PWM chopper system
- Soft switching
- Hall amplifier (hall element / hall IC):
 - 1-sensor drive
- Power supply: absolute maximum voltage: 36 V
- Output current: absolute maximum current: 3 A
- Selectable rotational speed command input signal:
 - Pulse duty signal input/analog voltage input/PWM signal input
- Selectable PWM frequency
- Adjustable minimum duty in PWM control
- Adjustable speed ratio in PWM control
- Selectable lead angle control function: Auto lead angle function/External lead angle control (32 steps correspond to 0 to 58°)
- Selectable rotation direction
- Brake function terminal
- Selectable lock detection function
- Restart function
- Rotation frequency signal (FG_OUT):

1 pulse/ electrical angle 360°, 2/3 pulse/ electrical angle 360°, 1/2 pulse/ electrical angle 360°, 1/3 pulse/ electrical angle 360°

- Lock detection signal (LD_OUT)
- Power supply voltage monitoring function
- Overcurrent detection circuit (ISD)
- Thermal shutdown circuit (TSD)
- Under voltage lockout circuit (UVLO)
- Current limit circuit
- Adjustable start conditions
- Selectable control function of forced commutation frequency (1-sensor drive).



Weight: 0.06 g (typ.)

Pin assignment

<Top view>



- Note 1: Design the pattern in consideration of the heat design because the back side (E-PAD) has the role of heat radiation. The back side (E-PAD) should be connected to GND because it is connected to the back of the chip electrically.
- Note 2: There are four pairs of terminals named U, V, W, and VM. Connect two each of the terminals which has the same pin symbol via external patterns. Regarding GND, connect PGND1, PGND2, PGND3, and SGND via external patterns. PGND1 and PGND2 are short-circuited in the IC.

Pin description

Pin No.	Symbol	I/O	Description		
1	U	0	Output terminal for U phase		
2	U	0	Output terminal for U phase		
3	PGND1	_	Power ground terminal (source of output Nch MOS transistor)		
4	V	0	Output terminal for V phase		
5	V	0	Output terminal for V phase		
6	PGND2	_	Power ground terminal (source of output Nch MOS transistor)		
7	W	0	Output terminal for W phase		
8	W	0	Output terminal for W phase		
9	FG_OUT	0	Output terminal for rotation frequency		
10	SEL_FG	I	Selectable terminal for FG frequency division ratio		
11	TSP/VSP	I	Input terminal for rotational speed command		
12	LA	I	Input terminal for setting lead angle		
13	PGND3	—	Power ground terminal (GND for pre-driver block)		
14	VM	—	Power supply terminal for motor		
15	VM	_	Power supply terminal for motor		
16	MVM	I	Terminal for monitoring power supply		
17	TEST2	_	Terminal for test		
18	TIP	I	Capacitor connecting terminal for setting DC excitation time		
19	FST	I	Selectable terminal for forced commutation frequency		
20	VST	I	Terminal for setting PWM ON duty of DC excitation and forced commutation mode		
21	НИМ	I	U-phase Hall-signal input (-)		
22	HUP	I	U-phase Hall-signal input (+)		
23	VREG	_	Output terminal for reference voltage (5 V)		
24	OSCCR	—	Terminal for setting internal oscillator circuit		
25	SGND	—	Signal ground terminal		
26	ILIM	I	Terminal for setting current limit		
27	TSTEP	—	Terminal for setting acceleration and deceleration time of PWM duty		
28	LD_OUT	0	Output terminal for lock detection		
29	TEST	I	Terminal for test		
30	SEL_LA	I	Input terminal for selecting a method of lead angle or external input		
31	MIN_SP	I	Input terminal for setting minimum output on duty		
32	SEL_SP	I	Input terminal for selecting a method of rotational speed command		
33	FPWM	I	Input terminal for selecting PWM frequency		
34	SEL_LD	I	Selectable terminal for motor lock detection function		
35	BRAKE	I	Brake on/off terminal		
36	CW/CCW	I	Input terminal for selecting rotation direction		

I/O Equivalent circuits

Pin symbol	I/O Signal	I/O Internal Circuit
HUP HUM	Input terminal Hysteresis ± 8 mV (typ.)	VREG VREG
CW/CCW BRAKE	Input terminal H: 2 V (min) L: 0.8 V (max)	
FST SEL_SP SEL_LA	Input terminal When leaving the terminal open, it is set to Middle level. When leaving the terminal open, plenty of evaluations using actual systems are required before using.	VREG 50 kΩ (typ.)
SEL_FG MIN_SP LA FPWM SEL_LD	Input terminal Applying a voltage to the terminals is required.	VREG
VST	Terminal for setting ON duty from DC excitation mode to forced commutation mode	VREG VST O WST O W

Pin symbol	I/O Signal	I/O Internal Circuit
TSP/VSP	Input terminal for rotational speed command	
VREG	Output terminal for reference voltage VREG = 5 V (typ.) Connect a capacitor (Recommended value: 0.1 μF) for voltage stability between SGND.	VM VM VM VM VREG
FG_OUT LD_OUT	Open drain output Pull-up the terminals externally to output high level.	
ILIM	Terminal for setting current limit Connect the resistance between SGND	VREG VREG
MVM	Input terminal for monitoring power supply voltage Applying a voltage to the terminals is required.	
TEST	Test terminal	VREG



Pin symbol	I/O Signal	I/O Internal Circuit
TIP TSTEP	Terminal for setting time Connect a capacitor to SGND.	VREG
OSCCR	Terminal for setting internal oscillation frequency Connect 27 k Ω to VREG and 360 pF to SGND.	VREG
VM U V W	Output terminals for U, V, and W phases VM: Power supply terminal for motor	VM V V V V V V V V V V V V V

Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta = 25°C)

Characteristics	Symbol	Rating	Unit	
Power supply voltage	VM	36	V	
Input voltage	V _{IN1} (Note 1)	-0.3 to 6	V	
input voltage	V _{IN2} (Note 2)	-0.3 to VREG + 0.3	V	
Output voltage	V _{OUT1} (Note 3) 36		V	
Output voltage	V _{OUT2} (Note 4)	36	v	
	I _{OUT1} (Note 5)	3 (Note 8)	А	
Output current	I _{OUT2} (Note 6)	10	mA	
	I _{OUT3} (Note 7)	40	mA	
Power dissipation	PD	4.1 (Note 9)	W	
Operating temperature	T _{opr}	-40 to 85	°C	
Storage temperature	T _{stg}	-55 to 150	°C	

Note: The absolute maximum ratings of a semiconductor device are a set of ratings that must not be exceeded, even for a moment. Do not exceed any of these ratings. Exceeding the ratings may cause the device breakdown, damage or deterioration, and may result injury by explosion or combustion. Please use within the specified operating ranges.

Note 1: Terminal for $V_{\rm IN1}$: TSP/VSP, CW/CCW, and BRAKE

- Note 2: Terminal for V_{IN2}: HUP, HUM, SEL_LD, SEL_FG, CW/CCW, BRAKE, ILIM, MIN_SP, MVM, SEL_SP, LA, FPWM, SEL_LA, and TEST
- Note 3: Terminal for V_{OUT1}: U, V, and W
- Note 4: Terminal for VOUT2: FG_OUT and LD_OUT
- Note 5: Terminal for IOUT1: U, V, and W
- Note 6: Terminal for IOUT2: FG_OUT and LD_OUT
- Note 7: Terminal for IOUT3: VREG
- Note 8: Output current may be limited by the ambient temperature or the device implementation. The maximum junction temperature should not exceed Tj (max) = 150°C.
- Note 9: When mounted on a board (4 layers, FR4, 76.2 mm \times 114.3 mm \times 1.6 mm), Rth (j-a) = 30.5°C/W

Operating ranges

Characteristics	Symbol	Operating range	Unit
Power supply voltage	VM _{opr}	6 to 30 V	V

Power dissipation (reference data)

When mounted on a board (4 layers, FR4, 76.2 mm \times 114.3 mm \times 1.6 mm), Rth (j-a) = 30.5 °C/W



Electrical Characteristics (Ta = 25°C)

Charac	teristics	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур.	Max	Unit	
Power supply current		IM	IVreg = 0 mA	_	6.0	8.5	mA	
		IIN1A	TSP/VSP (SEL_SP = VREG)	-1	_	1		
		IIN1D(H)	TSP/VSP = 5 V (SEL_SP = Open, GND)	_	100	150		
		llN1D(L)	TSP/VSP = 0 V (SEL_SP = Open, GND	-1	_	1		
		IIN2	SEL_FG, MIN_SP, LA, FPWM, SEL_LD	-1	—	1		
Input current		IN3(H)	V _{IN} = 5 V FST, SEL_SP, LA, SEL_LA	_	100	150	μA	
		IN3(L)	V _{IN} = 0 V FST, SEL_SP, LA, SEL_LA	-150	-100	_		
		IN4(H)	V _{IN} = 5 V CW/CCW, BRAKE	_	100	150		
		IN4(L)	V _{IN} = 0 V CW/CCW, BRAKE	-1	0	_		
		IN5	MVM	-1	—	1	1	
	Input sensitivity	VS	Differential input	40	—	—	mVpp	
Hall element input	In-phase voltage range	Vw	_	0.5	_	3.5	V	
	Input hysteresis	VH	(Reference data)	±4	±8	±12	mV	
Hall IC input		H V _{IN4}	HUP	V _{REG} - 1	_	V _{REG}	v	
		VIN4 L	HUM = VREG/2	0	_	0.8	Ň	
		V _{IN1} (H)	TSP/VSP	2.0	—	5.5		
		V _{IN1} (L)	SEL_SP = Open, GND	GND	—	0.8	-	
		V _{IN2} (H)	CW/CCW, BRAKE	2.0	_	5.5		
		V _{IN2} (L)	CW/CCW, BRAKE	GND	_	0.8		
Input voltage			MVM L→H: 150-degree commutation →120-degree commutation	1.9	2.0	2.1	V	
		V _{IN3} (L)	MVM H→L: 120-degree commutation→150-degree commutation	1.7	1.8	1.9		
Input hystoracia	ranga	V1hys	(Reference data) TSP/VSP SEL_SP = GND	0.3	0.4	0.5	v	
Input hysteresis range		V2hys	(Reference data) CW/CCW, BRAKE	0.3	0.4	0.5	v	
Output low voltage of VOUT		V _{OUT}	I _{OUT} = 5 mA	GND	_	0.5	V	
Leakage current of FG_OUT/LD_OUT		ILOUT	V _{OUT} = 30 V	_	0	2	μΑ	
Output on resista	ance of U, V, W	R _{ON} (H+L)	I _{OUT} = 1 A	—	0.24	0.33	Ω	
Output leakage of	current of U, V,	I _L (H)	V _{OUT} = 0 V	-10	0	—		
w'	· ·	IL (L)	V _{OUT} = 30 V	_	0	10	μΑ	
ON resistance of starting	f VST terminal in	RVST	_	_	600	1000	Ω	

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Characteristics	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур.	Max	Unit	
Masking time for detecting current limit	TRS	(Reference data)	_	1.2	_	μS	
Detection error of current limit	ΔΙΟυτ	lout (U/V/W) = 1 A, ILIM: 39 kΩ	-10	_	10	%	
Relative detection error of current limit	ΔIOUT_R	(Reference data) lout (U/V/W) = 1 A, ILIM: 39 k Ω Measured value of each upper-and-lower phase for average value of upper-and-lower phase	-8.5	_	8.5	%	
	FPWM3	(Reference data)FPWM = "3"	22.5	25	27.5		
PWM oscillation frequency	FPWM2	(Reference data)FPWM = "2"	180	200	220		
P will oscillation frequency	FPWM1	(Reference data)FPWM = "1"	90 100 11		110	kHz	
	FPWM0	(Reference data)FPWM = "0"	45	50	55	1	
OSC frequency	OSC	(Reference data)OSCCR: 27 kΩ,360 pF	11.7	13	14.3	MHz	
Setting time of TSTEP terminal	Tsoft	(Reference data)TSTEP = 0.01 μF	_	0.100	_	s	
Setting time of TIP terminal	Tip	(Reference data)TIP = 0.01 μF	_	0.100	_	s	
Lock detection time	Tlock1	(Reference data)SEL_LD = "0"	_	0.5	_	s	
Restart time after lock	Tlock2	(Reference data)SEL_LD = "0"	_	5	_	s	
Masking time for detecting overcurrent	TISD	(Reference data)	_	1.9	_	μS	
Current when overcurrent detection operates	ISD	(Reference data)	3	4.5	6	А	
The sum of a backdown of south	TSD	(Reference data)	150	165	180	*0	
Thermal shutdown circuit	TSDhys	(Reference data) Hysteresis for restart	_	15	_	°C	
Under lockout voltage of VM terminal	VMUVLO	_	5.0	5.3	5.6	V	
Under lockout restarting voltage of VM terminal	VMUVLOR	_	5.3	5.6	5.9	V	
VREG output voltage	VREG	IVREG = -40 mA (Note 1)	4.7	5	5.3	V	

(Reference data): No shipping inspection

Note 1: There is a possibility that VREG output voltage does not reach the minimum value in the above Electrical Characteristics when the power supply voltage is less than the operating ranges. Moreover, it depends on VM and the conditions of IVREG. Therefore, confirm there are not any problems by evaluating actual systems at about VMUVLO.

The relation of setting steps and terminal voltage

SEL_SP FST	SEL_FG FPWM	MIN_SP	LA (Auto lead angle:	LA (External input:		ltage (V) y VREG)	Input vol (When VR	tage (V) EG = 5 V)
SEL_LA	SEL_LD		SEL_LA = "1")	SEL_LA = "0")	Min	Max	Min	Max
		8		31	Vreg/256*160	Vreg	3.125	5
2	3	0	7	30	Vreg/256*155	Vreg/256*159	3.027	3.105
			7	29	Vreg/256*150	Vreg/256*154	2.93	3.008
		7		28	Vreg/256*145	Vreg/256*149	2.832	2.910
		/		27	Vreg/256*140	Vreg/256*144	2.734	2.813
			6	26	Vreg/256*135	Vreg/256*139	2.637	2.715
			0	25	Vreg/256*130	Vreg/256*134	2.539	2.617
	2	6		24	Vreg/256*125	Vreg/256*129	2.441	2.520
	2	6		23	Vreg/256*120	Vreg/256*124	2.344	2.422
			5	22	Vreg/256*115	Vreg/256*119	2.246	2.324
			5	21	Vreg/256*110	Vreg/256*114	2.148	2.227
		5		20	Vreg/256*105	Vreg/256*109	2.051	2.129
1		5		19	Vreg/256*100	Vreg/256*104	1.953	2.031
I		4	4	18	Vreg/256*95	Vreg/256*99	1.855	1.934
				17	Vreg/256*90	Vreg/256*94	1.758	1.836
				16	Vreg/256*85	Vreg/256*89	1.66	1.738
			3	15	Vreg/256*80	Vreg/256*84	1.563	1.641
				14	Vreg/256*75	Vreg/256*79	1.465	1.543
	1			13	Vreg/256*70	Vreg/256*74	1.367	1.445
				12	Vreg/256*65	Vreg/256*69	1.27	1.348
				11	Vreg/256*60	Vreg/256*64	1.172	1.250
				10	Vreg/256*55	Vreg/256*59	1.074	1.152
			2	9	Vreg/256*50	Vreg/256*54	0.977	1.055
		2		8	Vreg/256*45	Vreg/256*49	0.879	0.957
		2		7	Vreg/256*40	Vreg/256*44	0.781	0.859
			1	6	Vreg/256*35	Vreg/256*39	0.684	0.762
				5	Vreg/256*30	Vreg/256*34	0.586	0.664
0	0		1	4	Vreg/256*25	Vreg/256*29	0.488	0.566
				3	Vreg/256*20	Vreg/256*24	0.391	0.469
			0	2	Vreg/256*15	Vreg/256*19	0.293	0.371
		0	0	1	Vreg/256*10	Vreg/256*14	0.195	0.273
		0		0	0	Vreg/256*9	0	0.176

Functional Description

The equivalent circuit diagrams may be simplified or some parts of them may be omitted for explanatory purposes. Timing charts may be simplified for explanatory purposes.

1. Basic operation

In receiving the start command, rotational speed and rotation direction are detected and the motor operates by the sequence of the following table.

Detection of rotation direction	State	Sequence of operation			
Enable	Rotation direction agrees	150-degree PWM drive			
Ellable	Rotation direction disagrees	Reverse brake \rightarrow Forced commutation \rightarrow 150-degree PWM drive			
	Position signal frequency ≤ 40 Hz	DC excitation \rightarrow Forced commutation \rightarrow 150-degree PWM drive			
Disenable	Position signal frequency: 40 to 200 Hz	Short brake \rightarrow DC excitation \rightarrow Forced commutation \rightarrow 150-degree PWM drive			
	Position signal frequency> 200 Hz	Detecting rotation direction is retried.			

2. Startup operation

Term of the DC excitation is configured by the TIP terminal. Forced commutation frequency is configured by the FST terminal. When the frequency of a position signal exceeds the frequency configured by the FST terminal, the operation moves from the forced commutation mode to the 150-degree PWM drive. In outputting, the on-duty in the DC excitation mode and the forced commutation mode correspond to the duty according to VST terminal voltage. The on-duty in the 150-degree PWM drive is determined by the input of TSP/VSP terminals. And startup, speed variable, and stop of the motor are controlled.

Time configuration and starting torque (output duty) of DC excitation and forced commutation are changed depending on motors and loads. So, adjustment is needed by experiment.

1) DC excitation mode

Term of the DC excitation is configured by the TIP terminal. The motor operates in the DC excitation mode for $2 \times T2[s]$. The operation shifts to the DC excitation (2) after T2 term of the DC excitation (1). And it shifts to the forced commutation after T2 term of the DC excitation (2).

In the term of the DC excitation (1) and (2), when C_2 is 0.01 µF, T2 is calculated as follows; $32 \times 0.313 \times C_2 \times 10^{6}$ = approximately 0.100 s

States of the excitation phase of the DC excitation (1) and (2) according to the state of CW/CCW and the signals of HUP and HUM terminals are shown in the following table.

When CW/CCW = L, HU (HUP-HUM) = H

Mode	DC excitation (1)	DC excitation (2)
Term[s]	T2	T2
Conduction phase	U phase: Full ON (Lower side) V phase: OFF W phase: PWM (Upper side)	U phase: OFF V phase: PWM (Lower side) W phase: Full ON (Upper side)

When CW/CCW=H, HU (HUP-HUM) = H

Mode	DC excitation (1)	DC excitation (2)
Term[s]	T2	T2
Conduction phase	U phase: PWM (Upper side) V phase: OFF W phase: Full ON (Lower side)	U phase: Full ON (Upper side) V phase: PWM (Lower side) W phase: OFF

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When CW/CCW = H, HU (HUP-HUM) = L

Mode	DC excitation (1)	DC excitation (2)
Term[s]	T2	T2
Conduction phase	U phase: PWM (Lower side) V phase: OFF	U phase: Full ON (Lower side) V phase: PWM (Upper side)
	W phase: Full ON (Upper side)	W phase: OFF

2) Forced commutation mode

Forced commutation frequency is determined by the FST terminal.

Number of steps set of FST terminal	Forced commutation frequency			
2	Forced commutation frequency $f_{ST} \simeq 1.6 \text{ Hz}$			
1	Forced commutation frequency $f_{ST} \simeq 6.4 \text{ Hz}$			
0	Forced commutation frequency $f_{\mbox{ST}}\simeq 3.2~\mbox{Hz}$			



VST voltage is calculated from the following formula. (t = 0 s in startup) VST(t) = V1×(1-e^(-t/\tau)) V1 = R₂/(R₁+R₂)×VREG (VREG = 5 V(typ.)) $\tau = (R_1 \times R_2)/(R_1+R_2) \times C_1$

3) Timing chart in starting



3. Position detection terminal

<Hall element input>

In-phase voltage range: V_W = 0.5 to 3.5 V Input hysteresis: V_H = 8 mV (typ.)



<Hall IC input> Conditions: HUP = GND to VREG HUM = VREG/2

Operation in abnormality detection 4.

The following states are detected as abnormalities:

- 1. The ISD circuit is activated.
- 2. The TSD circuit is activated.
- 3. The motor lockout detection is activated.
- 4. Overvoltage detection is activated.
- 5. Frequency of position signal is abnormal (≥ 3 kHz per electrical angle)

If either of the above abnormality of 1, 2, 3 or 5 is detected, the LD_OUT terminal outputs low level until 150-degree PWM drive starts.

<Output operation of U, V, W, and LD_OUT terminals in abnormality detection>



OFF (high impedance)

5. Motor lockout detection

If the position signal does not change within the term of Ton, which is configured by SEL_LD terminal, during the forced commutation mode or 150-degree PWM drive, the operation turns off, and re-starts after the term of Toff. After abnormality is detected, LD_OUT terminal outputs low. It outputs high when the operation moves to the 150-degree PWM drive. When on duty = 0 % as a rotational speed command is input into TSP/VSP terminal, the term of Toff is released. After a start command signal is input into TSP/VSP terminal, the drive will restart.

To release the abnormality detection, input a rotational speed command of 'on duty = 0 % ' for 2 ms period or more.

Ton and Toff are set by SEL_LD terminal as follows.

Number of steps set of SEL_LD terminal	Functional description
3	Motor lockout detection does not work. Also disenable for abnormality detection when the frequency of position signal is abnormal $(\geq 3 \text{ kHz}/\text{electrical angle})$
2	Ton = 1 s (typ.), Toff = 10 s (typ.)
1	Ton = 0.5 s (typ.), Toff = 10 s (typ.)
0	Ton = 0.5 s (typ.), Toff = 5 s (typ.)

<Output operation of U, V, W, and LD_OUT terminals in lockout detection>



6. Forward /Reverse rotation direction switching

CW/CCW = Low: Forward direction, CW/CCW = High: Reverse direction.

When input level (H or L) of CW/CCW terminal is switched during 150-degree PWM drive, reverse brake operates until the position signal frequency decreases to 40 Hz or less. And then, it operates by the sequence of DC excitation, forced commutation, and 150-degree PWM drive.

CW/CCW	Order of conduction phase of output
L	Forward rotation direction: $U \rightarrow V \rightarrow W \rightarrow U \rightarrow \cdots$
Н	Reverse rotation direction: $W \rightarrow V \rightarrow U \rightarrow W \rightarrow \cdots$

7. Rotation speed output

A rotation pulse based upon hall signals is output.

Either of 1 pulse, 2/3, 1/3, or 1/2 pulses per electrical angle can be selected by SEL_FG terminal. In selecting 2/3, 1/2, or 1/3 pulses per electrical angle, FG_OUT terminal outputs low when the frequency of the position signal is 1 Hz or less.



8. Rotational speed command

Startup, stop and motor rotational speed which is set by output PWM duty are able to be controlled by an input signal into TSP/VSP terminal.

Pulse duty control, analog voltage control, or direct PWM control can be selected as a mode of TSP/VSP terminal by the number of steps set by SEL_SP terminal.

Output PWM duty in DC excitation mode and forced commutation mode is according to VST voltage.

Number of steps set by SEL_SP terminal	Input control at TSP/VSP terminal
2	Analog voltage control
1	Pulse duty control
0	Direct PWM control

1) Relation of VST terminal voltage and output PWM duty

 $\begin{array}{l} 0 \leq \rm VST \; \rm voltage \leq 0.625 \; V \; (typ.) \\ \rightarrow \rm Duty = 0 \; \% \\ 0.625 \; V \; (typ.) \leq \rm VST \; \rm voltage \leq 3.125 \; V \; (typ.) \\ \rightarrow \rm See \; the \; right \; figure \; (1/128 \; to \; 128/128) \\ 3.125 \; V \; (typ.) \leq \rm VST \; \rm voltage \leq \rm VREG \\ \rightarrow \rm Duty = 100 \; \% \; (128/128) \end{array}$



2) Relation of TSP/VSP terminal voltage and output PWM duty in controlling analog voltage (SEL_SP="2")

When the voltage of TSP/VSP terminal ≥ 0.625 V, startup sequence starts. When the voltage of TSP/VSP terminal < 0.625 V, the sequence is reset.

 $0 \leq \text{VSP/TSP}$ (when analog voltage control) \leq VAD (L): 0.625 V (typ.) \rightarrow Duty = 0 %

 $\begin{aligned} &V_{AD} \text{ (L): } 0.625 \text{ V (typ.)} \leq \text{VSP/TSP (when analog voltage control)} \leq V_{AD} \text{ (H): } 3.125 \text{ V (typ.)} \\ &\rightarrow \text{See the below figure. } (1/128 \text{ to } 128/128) \end{aligned}$

 V_{AD} (H) 3.125 V (typ.) \leq VSP/TSP (when analog voltage control) \leq VREG \rightarrow Duty = 100 % (128/128)



3) Relation of TSP/VSP terminal voltage and output PWM duty in controlling pulse duty (SEL_SP="1")

When a PWM signal is input into TSP/VSP terminal, startup sequence starts.

The pulse frequency input into TSP/VSP terminal should be set from 1 kHz to 100 kHz. Because input signal may be ineffective when on duty is for 0.2 μ s or less. Because the operation may be judged off state when output off duty is for 1 ms or more.



4) Relation of TSP/VSP terminal voltage and output PWM duty in controlling direct PWM (SEL_SP = "0")

When a PWM signal is input into TSP/VSP terminal, startup sequence starts.

The pulse frequency of input into TSP/VSP terminal should be set from 23 kHz to 100 kHz. The PWM frequency in DC excitation mode and forced commutation mode is determined by configuration of FPWM terminal and the output PWM duty is determined by the input voltage of VST terminal. The PWM frequency of 150-degree PWM drive is determined by the input signal of TSP/VSP terminal.

When SEL_SP is "0", configurations of TSTEP terminal and MIN_SP terminal become invalid, and the functions of control configuration of acceleration and deceleration and configuration of minimum output on-duty become invalid.

9. Setting minimum output on duty

Minimum output on duty is determined by the input voltage into MIN_SP terminal.

However, minimum output on-duty becomes invalid for MIN_SP terminal in DC excitation mode, forced commutation mode, and setting SEL_SP = "0".

Number of steps set by MIN_SP terminal	Minimum output duty [%]		
8	20.3		
7	20.3		
6	18.8		
5	17.2		
4	15.6		
3	14.1		
2	12.5		
1	10.9		
0	0		

10. PWM frequency

Output PWM frequency either in analog voltage control or in pulse duty control is determined by input voltage at FPWM terminal.

Output PWM frequency should be much higher than the electrical frequency of the motor. Please determine the value within switching performance of the drive circuits.

Number of steps set by FPWM terminal	PWM frequency				
3	25 kHz				
2	200 kHz				
1	100 kHz				
0	50 kHz				

11. Lead angle control

Lead angle control mode is determined by setting both ${\rm SEL_LA}$ and LA terminal.

Number of steps set by SEL_LA terminal	Functional description
2	Test mode
1	Auto lead angle: Auto lead angle mode is selected by input voltage of LA terminal
0	External input: Lead angle value is configured by input voltage of LA terminal

1)Auto lead angle (SEL_LA = "1")

The threshold of the frequency has hysteresis +0 Hz/-50 Hz.

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Number	Electrical frequency [Hz]									
of steps	0	100	000	000	400	500	000	700	000	000
set by LA	to	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800	900
terminal	100	to 200	to 300	to 400	to 500	to 600	to 700	to 800	to 900	to 1000
7	0	1.875	1.875	1.875	1.875	3.750	3.750	3.750	3.750	5.625
6	0	1.875	1.875	3.750	3.750	5.625	5.625	7.500	7.500	9.325
5	0	1.875	1.875	3.750	5.625	7.500	7.500	9.325	11.250	13.125
4	0	1.875	3.750	5.625	9.325	11.250	13.125	15.000	18.750	20.625
3	0	1.875	5.625	7.500	11.250	13.125	16.875	18.750	22.500	24.375
2	0	3.750	5.625	9.325	13.125	16.875	18.750	22.500	26.250	30.000
1	0	3.750	7.500	11.250	15.000	18.750	22.500	26.250	30.000	33.750
0	0	1.875	3.750	5.625	7.500	9.325	11.250	13.125	15.000	16.875

Lead angle value [deg]

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Number		Electrical frequency [Hz]									
of steps set by LA terminal	1000 to 1100	1100 to 1200	1200 to 1300	1300 to 1400	1400 to 1500	1500 to 1600	1600 to 1700	1700 to 1800	1800 to 1900	1900 to 2000	More than 2000
7	5.625	5.625	5.625	7.500	7.500	7.500	7.500	9.375	9.375	9.375	9.375
6	9.325	11.250	11.250	13.125	13.125	15.000	15.000	16.875	16.875	18.750	18.750
5	13.125	15.000	16.875	18.750	18.750	20.625	22.500	24.375	24.375	26.250	28.125
4	22.500	24.375	28.125	30.000	31.875	33.750	37.500	39.375	41.250	43.125	46.875
3	28.125	30.000	33.750	35.625	39.375	41.250	45.000	46.875	50.625	52.500	56.250
2	31.875	35.625	39.375	43.125	45.000	48.750	52.500	56.250	58.125	58.125	58.125
1	37.500	41.250	45.000	48.750	52.500	56.250	56.250	56.250	56.250	56.250	56.250
0	18.750	20.625	22.500	24.375	26.250	28.125	30.000	31.875	33.750	35.625	37.500

Lead angle value [deg]

2)External input (SEL_LA = "0")

Lead angle in the range of 0° to 58.125° as commutation signals which correspond to the induced voltage can be adjusted.

The range from 0 V to 3.125 V as analog input voltage into LA terminal is divided into 32 parts.

Input voltage into LA terminal = 0 V: lead angle = 0° .

Input voltage into LA terminal = 3.125 V: lead angle = 58.125°.

Input voltage ≥ 3.125 V, input voltage: lead angle = 58.125° .

Number of steps	LA [V]	Lead angle [deg]	Number of steps	LA [V]	Lead angle [deg]
31	3.125	58.125	15	1.563	28.125
30	3.027	56.250	14	1.465	26.250
29	2.930	54.375	13	1.367	24.375
28	2.832	52.500	12	1.270	22.500
27	2.734	50.625	11	1.172	20.625
26	2.637	48.750	10	1.074	18.750
25	2.539	46.875	9	0.977	16.875
24	2.441	45.000	8	0.879	15.000
23	2.344	43.125	7	0.781	13.125
22	2.246	41.250	6	0.684	11.250
21	2.148	39.375	5	0.586	9.375
20	2.051	37.500	4	0.488	7.500
19	1.953	35.625	3	0.391	5.625
18	1.855	33.750	2	0.293	3.750
17	1.758	31.875	1	0.195	1.875
16	1.660	30.000	0	0.000	0.000

(Design value)

12. Acceleration and deceleration control setting

Time to reflect the duty of the input control signal of TSP/VSP terminal in the output duty during acceleration and deceleration can be set by connecting the capacitor to TSTEP terminal. (About 0.078 %/T) Therefore, the rotation speed can accelerate and slow down gradually in startup. However, when change of the duty of an input control signal is 2.5 % or less, it is reflected in output duty for every PWM cycle. Acceleration and deceleration time: (For example) When $C = 0.01 \ \mu\text{F}$, $32 \times \text{T} = 32 \times 0.313 \times \text{C} \times 10^{6} =$ about 0.100 s.

When the speed command that the output on duty is 0% is inputted during operation, the deceleration function becomes invalid, and the output is turned off.

At this time, an output duty is reset to 0 %. When restarting, please input a start command signal to TSP/VSP pin after inputting a speed control command that the output on duty is 0 % for 2 ms or more.

In case of 7.5 % increase in input DUTY



32 × T

32 × T

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13. Brake function

If high level is input into BRAKE terminal, the reverse brake works to stop the motor operation.

After the input signal into BRAKE terminal is changed from L level to H level during the motor rotation, the reverse brake works until the position signal frequency becomes 40 Hz. When the position signal frequency is less than 40 Hz, the motor will stop.

However, when the input signal into BRAKE terminal is changed from L level to H level under the condition that the output duty command of TSP/VSP terminal is 0 %, the operation sequence is shown as the below table.

BRAKE	Functional description	
High	Brake	
Low or open	Normal operation	

In case the input signal into BRAKE terminal is changed from L level to H level under the condition that the output duty command of TSP/VSP terminal is 0 %

Detection of rotation direction	Status	Brake sequence	
Enable	Position signal frequency ≤ 40 Hz	Short brake	
Ellable	Position signal frequency > 40 Hz	Reverse brake \rightarrow Short brake	
Disenable	Position signal frequency \leq 200 Hz or less	Short brake	
Disenable	Position signal frequency > 200 Hz or more	Detection of rotation direction is retried	

14. Overvoltage monitoring function

When MVM = 2.0 V (typ.) or more, drive mode is 120-degree conduction. MVM has 0.2 V (typ.) of hysteresis. If MVM < 1.8 V (typ.), drive restarts.

MVM	Functional description
MVM ≥ 2.0 V (typ.)	120-degree commutation
MVM < 1.8 V (typ.)	150-degree commutation

15. Current limit circuit

Current limit circuit turns off upper side of the output transistors and limits the current. Driver restarts just when PWM turns on.

Value of current limit is configured by the external resistance.

(Example) When 39 k Ω is set as the resistor (R), IOUT (typ.) = 39000/R = 39000/39000 $\simeq 1.0 \, {\rm A}$



16. Overcurrent detection circuit (ISD)

Six overcurrent detectors are built in each output transistor. If detected value exceeds the absolute maximum rating, all of outputs are turned off (high impedance: Hi-Z). If output on duty of rotational speed command is set 0 %, abnormality detection is released.

If output on duty of rotational speed command is set 0 %, abnormality detection is released. Please input a rotational speed command (0 % for 2 ms or more) to release the abnormality detection.

17. Thermal shutdown circuit (TSD)

It turns off output (high impedance: Hi-Z), when the junction temperature (Tj) exceeds 165°C (typ.). There is 15° C (typ.) of hysteresis.

Temperature for restart is T_{SD} - T_{SDhys} after thermal shutdown circuit operates. $T_{SD} = 165^{\circ}C$ (typ.), $T_{SDhys} = 15^{\circ}C$ (typ.)

18. Under voltage lockout (UVLO)

It turns off each output of U, V, W, FG_OUT and LD_OUT (high impedance: Hi-Z), when VM is 5.3 V (typ.) or less. There is 0.3 V (typ.) of hysteresis. Voltage for restart is 5.6 V (typ.).

Timing chart



In this timing chart, the reverse rotation brake is indicated without current limit.

Application circuit example

Some of the functional blocks, circuits, or constants in the block diagram may be omitted or simplified for explanatory purposes. The application circuits shown in this document are provided for reference purposes only. Thorough evaluation is required, especially at the mass production design stage.





Package Dimensions

P-WQFN36-0505-0.50-001

Unit: mm

TC78B015AFTG



Weight: 0.06 g (typ.)

Notes on Contents

1. Block Diagrams

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2. Equivalent Circuits

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3. Timing Charts

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4. Application Circuits

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IC Usage Considerations

Notes on handling of ICs

- The absolute maximum ratings of a semiconductor device are a set of ratings that must not be exceeded, even for a moment. Do not exceed any of these ratings.
 Exceeding the rating(s) may cause the device breakdown, damage or deterioration, and may result injury by explosion or combustion.
- (2) Use an appropriate power supply fuse to ensure that a large current does not continuously flow in case of over current and/or IC failure. The IC will fully break down when used under conditions that exceed its absolute maximum ratings, when the wiring is routed improperly or when an abnormal pulse noise occurs from the wiring or load, causing a large current to continuously flow and the breakdown can lead smoke or ignition. To minimize the effects of the flow of a large current in case of breakdown, appropriate settings, such as fuse capacity, fusing time and insertion circuit location, are required.
- (3) If your design includes an inductive load such as a motor coil, incorporate a protection circuit into the design to prevent device malfunction or breakdown caused by the current resulting from the inrush current at power ON or the negative current resulting from the back electromotive force at power OFF. IC breakdown may cause injury, smoke or ignition. Use a stable power supply with ICs with built-in protection functions. If the power supply is unstable, the protection function may not operate, causing IC breakdown. IC breakdown may cause injury, smoke or ignition.
- (4) Do not insert devices in the wrong orientation or incorrectly. Make sure that the positive and negative terminals of power supplies are connected properly. Otherwise, the current or power consumption may exceed the absolute maximum rating, and exceeding the rating(s) may cause the device breakdown, damage or deterioration, and may result injury by explosion or combustion. In addition, do not use any device that is applied the current with inserting in the wrong orientation or incorrectly even just one time.

Points to remember on handling of ICs

(1) Over current Protection Circuit

Over current protection circuits (referred to as current limiter circuits) do not necessarily protect ICs under all circumstances. If the Over current protection circuits operate against the over current, clear the over current status immediately. Depending on the method of use and usage conditions, such as exceeding absolute maximum ratings can cause the over current protection circuit to not operate properly or IC breakdown before operation. In addition, depending on the method of use and usage conditions, if over current continues to flow for a long time after operation, the IC may generate heat resulting in breakdown.

(2) Thermal Shutdown Circuit

Thermal shutdown circuits do not necessarily protect ICs under all circumstances. If the thermal shutdown circuits operate against the over temperature, clear the heat generation status immediately. Depending on the method of use and usage conditions, such as exceeding absolute maximum ratings can cause the thermal shutdown circuit to not operate properly or IC breakdown before operation.

(3) Heat Radiation Design

In using an IC with large current flow such as power amp, regulator or driver, please design the device so that heat is appropriately radiated, not to exceed the specified junction temperature (Tj) at any time and condition. These ICs generate heat even during normal use. An inadequate IC heat radiation design can lead to decrease in IC life, deterioration of IC characteristics or IC breakdown. In addition, please design the device taking into considerate the effect of IC heat radiation with peripheral components.

(4) Back-EMF

When a motor rotates in the reverse direction, stops or slows down abruptly, a current flow back to the motor's power supply due to the effect of back-EMF. If the current sink capability of the power supply is small, the device's motor power supply and output pins might be exposed to conditions beyond absolute maximum ratings. To avoid this problem, take the effect of back-EMF into consideration in system design.

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