Phase Control Circuit – Tacho Applications

Description:

The integrated circuit U209B3, is designed as a phase control circuit in bipolar technology. It has also protection circuit for the supply. Due to integration of many functions, it leads to significant cost and space saving as

well as increased reliability. At the same time, it gives the designer free hand to select varieties of regulators to choose from and switching characteristics according to its choice.

Features

- Internal frequency to voltage converter
- Externally controlled integrated amplifier
- Automatic soft start with minimised "dead time"
- Voltage and current synchronisation
- Retriggering

- Triggering pulse typ. 155 mA
- Internal supply voltage monitoring
- Temperature compensated reference source
- Current requirement $\leq 3 \text{ mA}$

Package: DIP14, SO16



Figure 1. Block diagram - SO 16 in bracket



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Description

Mains Supply

The U209B is designed with voltage limiting and can therefore be supplied directly from the mains. The supply voltage between Pin 2 (+ pol/ \perp) and Pin 3 builds up across D₁ and R₁ and is smoothed by C₁. The value of the series resistance can be approximated using (Figure 2):

$$R_1 = \frac{V_M - V_S}{2 I_S}$$

Further information regarding the design of the mains supply can be found in the data sheets in the appendix. The reference voltage source on Pin 13 of typ. -8.9 V is derived from the supply voltage and represents the reference level of the control unit.

Operation using an externally stabilised DC voltage is not recommended.

If the supply cannot be taken directly from the mains because the power dissipation in R_1 would be too large, then the circuit shown in the following Figure 3 should be employed.



Figure 3. Supply voltage for high current requirements

Phase Control

The function of the phase control is largely identical to that of the well known integrated circuit U211B. The phase angle of the trigger pulse is derived by comparing the ramp voltage, which is mains synchronised by the voltage detector, with the set value on the control input Pin 4. The slope of the ramp is determined by C_2 and its charging current. The charging current can be varied using R_2 on Pin 5. The maximum phase angle α_{max} can also be adjusted using R_2 .

When the potential on Pin 6 reaches the nominal value predetermined at Pin 11, then a trigger pulse is generated whose width t_p is determined by the value of C_2 (the value of C_2 and hence the pulse width can be evaluated by assuming 8 µs/nF.

The current sensor on Pin 1 ensures that, for operation with inductive loads, no pulse will be generated in a new half cycle as long as current from the previous half cycle is still flowing in the opposite direction to the supply voltage at that instant. This makes sure that "Gaps" in the load current are prevented.

The control signal on Pin 11 can be in the range 0 V to -7 V (reference point Pin 2).

If $V_{11} = -7$ V then the phase angle is at maximum = α_{max} i. e. the current flow angle is a minimum. The minimum phase angle α_{min} is when $V_{11} = V_{pin2}$.

Voltage Monitoring

As the voltage is built up, uncontrolled output pulses are avoided by internal voltage surveillance. At the same time, all of the latches in the circuit (phase control, soft start) are reset and the soft–start capacitor is short circuited. Used with a switching hysteresis of 300 mV, this system guarantees defined start–up behaviour each time the supply voltage is switched on or after short interruptions of the mains supply.

Soft-Start

As soon as the supply voltage builds up (t_1) , the integrated soft–start is initiated. The figure below shows the behaviour of the voltage across the soft–start capacitor and is identical with the voltage on the phase control input on Pin 11. This behaviour guarantees a gentle start–up for the motor and automatically ensures the optimum run–up time.

 C_3 is first charged up to the starting voltage V_o with typically 30 μ A current (t₂). By then reducing the charging current to approx. 4 μ A, the slope of the charging function is substantially reduced so that the rotational speed of the motor only slowly increases. The charging current then increases as the voltage across C_3 increases giving a progressively rising charging function which more and more strongly accelerates the motor with increasing rotational speed. The charging function determines the acceleration up to the set–point. The charging current can have a maximum value of 50 μ A.

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Figure 4. Soft-start

Frequency to Voltage Converter

frequency The internal voltage converter to (f/V-converter) generates a DC signal on Pin 9 which is proportional to the rotational speed using an AC signal from a tacho-generator or a light beam whose frequency is in turn dependent on the rotational speed. The high impedance input with a switch-on threshold of typ. -100 mV gives very reliable operation even when relatively simple tacho-generators are employed. The tacho-frequency is given by:

$$f = -\frac{n}{60} p[Hz]$$

n = revolutions per minute

p = number of pulses per revolution

The converter is based on the charge pumping principle. With each negative half wave of the input signal, a quantity of charge determined by C5 is internally amplified and then integrated by C₆ at the converter output on Pin 9. The conversion constant is determined by C₅, its charging voltage of V_{ch} , R₆ (Pin 9) and the internally adjusted charge amplification G_i.

 $k = G_i \cdot C_5 \cdot R_6 \cdot V_{ch}$

The analog output voltage is given by

Vo

whereas: Gi

 $= \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{f}.$ $V_{ch} = 6.7 V$ = 8.3

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The values of C_5 and C_6 must be such that for the highest possible input frequency, the maximum output voltage does V_0 does not exceed 6 V. While C₅ is charging up the R_i on Pin 8 is approx. 6 k Ω . To obtain good linearity of the f/V converter the time constant resulting from R_i and C₅ should be considerably less (1/5) than the time span of the negative half cycle for the highest possible input frequency. The amount of remaining ripple on the output voltage on Pin 9 is dependent on C₅, C₆ and the internal charge amplification.

$$\Delta V_{\rm o} = \frac{G_{\rm i} \cdot V_{\rm ch} \cdot C_5}{C_6}$$

The ripple ΔV_0 can be reduced by using larger values of C₆, however, the maximum conversion speed will than also be reduced.

The value of this capacitor should be chosen to fit the particular control loop where it is going to be used.

Control Amplifier

The integrated control amplifier with differential input compares the set value (Pin 10) with the instantaneous value on Pin 9 and generates a regulating voltage on the output Pin 11 (together with external circuitry on Pin 12) which always tries to hold the real voltage at the value of the set voltages. The amplifier has a transmittance of typically 110 µA/V and a bipolar current source output on Pin 11 which operates with typically $\pm 100 \mu$ A. The amplification and frequency response are determined by R₇, C₇, C₈ and R₈ (can be left out). For operation as a power divider, C₄, C₅, R₆, C₆, R₇, C₇, C₈ and R₈ can be left out. Pin 9 should be connected with Pin 11 and Pin 7 with Pin 2. The phase angle of the triggering pulse can be adjusted using the voltage on Pin 10. An internal limiting circuit prevents the voltage on Pin 11 from becoming more negative than $V_{13} + 1$ V.

Pulse Output Stage

The pulse output stage is short circuit protected and can typically deliver currents of 125 mA. For the design of smaller triggering currents, the function $I_{GT} = f(R_{GT})$ has been given in the data sheets in the appendix.

Automatic Retriggering

The automatic retriggering prevents half cycles without current flow, even if the triacs is turned off earlier e.g. due to not exactly centred collector (brush lifter) or in the event of unsuccessful triggering. If it is necessary, another triggering pulse is generated after a time lapse of $t_{PP} = 4.5 t_P$ and this is repeated until either the triac fires or the half cycle finishes.

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General Hints and Explanation of Terms

To ensure safe and trouble–free operation, the following points should be taken into consideration when circuits are being constructed or in the design of printed circuit boards.

- The connecting lines from C₂ to Pin 6 and Pin 2 should be as short as possible, and the connection to Pin 2 should not carry any additional high current such as the load current. When selecting C₂, a low temperature coefficient is desirable.
- The common (earth) connections of the set-point generator, the tacho-generator and the final interference suppression capacitor C₄ of the f/V converter should not carry load current.
- The tacho generator should be mounted without influence by strong stray fields from the motor.



Figure 5. Explanation of terms in phase relationship

Parameters	Symbol	Value	Unit	
Current requirement	Pin 3	-I _S	30	mA
t ≤ 10 μs		-is	100	
Synchronisation current	Pin 1	I _{syncI}	5	mA
	Pin 14	I _{syncV}	5	
$t < 10 \ \mu s$	Pin 1	±ii	35	
$t < 10 \ \mu s$	Pin 14	$\pm i_v$	35	
f/V converter:				
Input current	Pin 7	I _{eff}	3	mA
t < 10 μs		±ii	13	
Phase control:	Pin 11			
Input voltage		$-V_{I}$	0 to 7	V
Input current		±II	500	μΑ
Soft–start:				
Input voltage	Pin 12	$-V_{I}$	V ₁₃ to 0	V
Pulse output:				
Reverse voltage	Pin 4	V _R	V _S to 5	V
Amplifier				
Input voltage	Pin 10	$-V_{I}$	$ V_S $	
Pin 8 open	Pin 9	-V _I	V ₁₃ to 0	V
Reference voltage source				·
Output current	Pin 13	Io	7.5	mA
Power dissipation	$T_{amb} = 45 \ ^{\circ}C$	P _{tot}	570	mW
-	$T_{amb} = 80 \ ^{\circ}C$		320	
Storage temperature range		T _{stg}	-40 to +125	°C
Junction temperature		Tj	125	
Ambient temperature range		T _{amb}	-10 to $+100$	

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Reference point Pin 2, unless otherwise specified

Thermal Resistance

	Parameters	Symbol	Maximum	Unit
Junction ambient	DIP 14	R _{thJA}	140	K/W
	SO 16: on p.c. board		180	
	SO 16: on ceramic substrate		100	

Electrical Characteristics

$-V_{\rm S} = 13.0$ V, $T_{\rm amb} = 25$ °C, reference point Pin 2, unless otherwise speci

Parameters	Test Condit	ions / Pin	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Supply voltage for mains		Pin 3	$-V_S$	13.0		V _{Limit}	V
operations							
Supply voltage limitation	$-I_S = 3 \text{ mA}$	Pin 3	$-V_S$	14.6		16.6	V
	$-I_S = 30 \text{ mA}$			14.7		16.8	
DC supply current	$-V_{S} = 13.0 V$	Pin 3	$-I_S$	1.1	2.5	3.0	mA
Reference voltage source	$-I_L = 10 \ \mu A$	Pin 13	V _{Ref}	8.6	8.9	9.2	V
	$-I_L = 5 \text{ mA}$	D: 10	FIG	8.3		9.1	**/**
Temperature coefficient		Pin 13	TC _{VRef}			0.5	mV/K
Voltage monitoring		Pin 3		1		1	
Turn-on threshold	-		-V _{TON}		11.2	13	V
Turn–off threshold			-V _{TOFF}	9.9	10.9		V
Phase control currents	-					1	
Current synchronisation		Pin 1	±I _{syncl}	0.35		2.0	mA
Voltage synchronisation		Pin 14	±I _{syncV}	0.35		2.0	mA
Voltage limitation	$\pm I_L = 5 \text{ mA}$	Pin 1, 14	$\pm V_1$	1.4	1.6	1.8	V
Reference ramp , Figure 6							
Charge current	$I_6 = f (R_5),$ $R_5 = 1 K \dots 820$	$0 k\Omega$ Pin 6	I ₆	1		20	μΑ
$R\phi$ – reference voltage	$\alpha \geq = 180^{\circ}$	Pin 5,3	V _{ϕ Ref}	1.06	1.13	1.18	V
Temperature coefficient		Pin 5	$TC_{\phi Ref}$		0.5		mV/K
Output pulse							
Output pulse current	$R_{V} = 0, V_{GT} =$	1.2 V Pin 4	IO	100	155	190	mA
Reverse current		Pin 4	I _{OR}		0.01	3.0	μΑ
Output pulse width		Pin 5,2	tp		8		µs/nF
Automatic retriggering			•				
Repetition rate		Pin 4	t _{pp} /t _p	3	4.5	6	
Amplifier			<u> </u>			•	
Common mode voltage range		Pin 9, 10	V _{ICR}	(V ₁₃ –1V)		(V ₂ -1V)	V
Input bias current		Pin 10	I _{IB}		0.01	1	mA
Input offset voltage		Pin 9, 10	V _{IO}		10		mV
Output current		Pin 11	-I ₀	75	110	145	μΑ
· ·		Pin 11	+I _O	88	120	165	
Short circuit forward trans- mittance	$I_{11} = f(V_{9/10})$	Pin 11	Y _f		1000		μA/V

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Frequency to voltage converter									
Input bias current		Pin 7	I _{IB}		0.6	2	μΑ		
Input voltage limitation	$\pm I_{I=1} mA$	Pin 7	$+V_{I}$	660		750	mV		
		Pin 7	$-V_I$	7.25		8.05	V		
Turn-on threshold		Pin 7	-V _{TON}		100	150	mV		
Turn-off threshold		Pin 7	-V _{TOFF}	20	50		mV		
Discharge current	Figure 2	Pin 8	I _{dis}		0.5		mA		
Charge transfer voltage		Pin 8	V _{ch}	6.50	6.70	6.90	V		
Charge transfer gain I ₉ / I ₈		Pin 8/9	Gi	7.5	8.3	9.0			
Conversion factor	$C_8 = 1 \text{ nF}, R_9 = 10$	0 kΩ	k		5.5		mV/Hz		
Operating range f/V output	Ref. point Pin 13	Pin 9	VO		0-6		V		
Linearity					± 1		%		
Soft start	Figures 7 to 11	Pin 12							
f/v-converter non active									
Starting current	$V_{12} = V_{13}, V_7 = V$	2	IO	20	30	50	μΑ		
Final current	$V_{12} = -0.5 V$		IO	50	85	130	μΑ		
f/v-converter active									
Starting current	$V_{12} = V_{13}$		IO	2	4	6	μΑ		
Final current	$V_{12} = -0.5 V$		IO	30	55	80	μΑ		
Discharge current	Restart pulse		-I _O	0.5	3	10	mA		

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Applications



Figure 18. Phase control (power control) for electric tools



Figure 19. Temperature controlled fan motor (220 V_{ac})

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Figure 20. Temperature controlled fan motor (110 V_{ac})

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Design Calculations for Mains Supply

The following equations can be used for the evaluation of the series resistor R_1 for worst case conditions:

 $\begin{array}{ll} V_{S} & = & Supply \ voltage \ on \ Pin \ 4 \\ I_{tot} & = & Total \ DC \ current \ requirement \ of \ the \ circuit \\ & = & I_{S} + I_{p} + I_{x} \\ I_{Smax} & = & Current \ requirement \ of \ the \ IC \ in \ mA \\ I_{p} & = & Average \ current \ requirement \ of \ the \ triggering \ pulse \\ I_{x} & = & Current \ requirement \ of \ other \ peripheral \ components \end{array}$

 R_1 can be easily evaluated from diagram figure 16 and 17

Dimensions in mm



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