# TMC457 - DATA SHEET 

## S-profile motion controller with PID feedback control and high resolution micro stepping

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## 1 Features

The TMC457 is a high end single axis micro stepping motion controller. It adds to any microcontroller or processor with SPI ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ (SPI is Trademark of Motorola) interface. It is intended for applications, where a precise and fast, jerk-free motion profile is desired. An encoder can be added for extremely quick and precise positioning using the internal hardware PID regulator and provides for increased reliability / fault detection. The high-resolution micro step sequencer directly controls stepper motors and piezo motors. Wide range motion control parameters eliminate any "gear switching". The TMC457 supports linear velocity ramps and S-shaped velocity ramps. For maximum flexibility all motion control parameters (target position, target velocity, acceleration, deceleration and bow) can be changed any time during motion.

## Highlights

- S-shaped and linear ramps with on-the-fly alteration of all parameters
- Programmable high resolution sequencer with (12 bit, 8192 entry) micro step look-up table
- Incremental encoder interface with flexible up- and down scaling to match drive resolution
- Fast and stable easyPID ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ PID controller
- 32 bit registers - from mHz to MHz / from nanometer to meter
- SPI interface to microcontroller
- Reference switch processing / virtual stop switches (programmable soft limits)
- Step / direction output (with programmable timing)
- Position pulse output to trigger external events
- Synchronization of multiple axis via scalable step / direction input
- Direct interface for TMC246/TMC249 family stepper motor drivers supports StallGuard ${ }^{T M}$ (pat.)
- ChopSync ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ (pat. fil.) built in for best motor velocity range
- Analog high resolution motor driver control via external dual 12 bit DAC
- Automatic load angle limitation using encoder for stepless servo behaviour


## Types of Motors

- Two phase stepper motors (direct sequencer support)
- PiezoMotors (direct sequencer support for PiezoMotor's PiezoLEGS ${ }^{\circledR}$ motor)
- Any type of motor via step/direction interface


## Applications

- Medical and laboratory equipment with high speed motion e.g. for liquid handling
- High end placement and positioning systems / High reliability drives
- Sub-micrometer positioning (piezo motors)
- Active stabilization with incremental encoder and fast PID regulator


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## 3 General Description

The TMC457 has been designed with TRINAMIC's background of more than 10 years of dedicated motion control ICs for stepper motors, like the 6 axis controller TMC406, the low cost 3 axis controller TMC428 and the high end controller TMC453 with its compatible successor TMC454. While there lie 10 years of development and experience between the TMC453 and the TMC457, the basic features look similar, but a lot of ideas, application know-how and customer feedback have been evaluated, sorted and flown into the design. The intention in creating the TMC457 was to provide a motion controller that provides superior performance, which can hardly be achieved by software in a processor system, while providing a very easy-to-use interface to the programmer, which looks similar to the peripherals found in a microcontroller. The electronic gear shift / pre-scaling found in our other motion controllers was eliminated by extending position and velocity registers to 32 bits. This direct control makes it easy to use the full range and precision of parameter setting. The easyPID ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ closed loop PID regulator eases the achievement of control loop stability by providing a programmable hysteresis. Some features found in the TMC453 and TMC428 have been streamlined, to make them easier to use and some options have been removed, like the programmable sequencer for many different motor types, bearing in mind the most common applications.


Figure 1 : Functional Block Diagram of the TMC457

## 4 TMC457 Block Diagram and Interfaces

Figure 1 shows the block diagram of the TMC457 motion controller. The TMC457 is equipped with a SPI interface for communication with the microcontroller. It uses a fixed data length of 40 bit -8 bit address and 32 data. The TMC457 has a driver SPI to directly control the TRINAMIC stepper motor drivers TMC236, TMC239, TMC246, and TMC249. It supports processing of StallGuard information to emulate a reference switch, when using TMC246 or TMC249. The TMC457 has step direction input and step direction outputs as well to allow the control of step direction power stages (like the TMC332) or for external monitoring of motion by step pulse counting. For high precision micro stepping the TMC457 is equipped with a DAC interface for LTC2602. This allows control of the TMC236 family with extended microstep resolution or control of external power drivers with the classical analog control. An incremental encoder interface is added for processing incremental encoders with digital quadrature signal outputs (ABN). The position available from the quadrature signal decoder is directly available as an input for the PID position regulator. The PID regulator is for position stabilization also during motion. The PID regulator runs at an update rate of 100 kHz and thus provides fastest response times.

### 4.1 Microcontroller Interface (SPI ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ )

The SPI for communication with the microcontroller to set motion control parameters (velocity, acceleration, bow, ...) of the TMC457 and to send motion command for positioning (set target position) and continuous motion applications (set velocity).

### 4.2 Step Direction Inputs

In addition to the SPI for micro controller communication with the TMC457, the motion can be controlled externally via the step direction inputs STEP_IN and DIR_IN.

### 4.3 DAC (LTC2602) Interface

The DAC interface directly controls LTC2602 from Linear Technologies to generate analog output signals (two channels for micro stepping of bipolar two phase stepper motors) and four channels as required for PiezoLEGS motors from the company Piezo-Motors.

### 4.3.1 Piezo Motor Driver

The power four required power stages of the driver for the piezoelectric motor (PiezoLEGS) must be able to drive a 100 nF capacitance at 3 kHz with an amplitude of 48 V each. A power stage with these capabilities is realized for the TMC457 evaluation board.


Figure 2 : TMC457 with Piezo Motor Interface

### 4.4 Stepper Motor Driver Interface (TMC236, TMC239, TMC246, TMC249)

The direct TRINAMIC driver interface of the TMC457 allows the TRINAMIC drivers to be controlled by the TMC457.

### 4.4.1 Stepper Motor Driver (high resolution micro stepping)

For high resolution micro stepping the TMC457 has an interface for dual SPI DAC LTC2602.


Figure 3 : High Resolution Micro Stepping Configuration

### 4.4.2 Stepper Motor Driver (low resolution micro stepping)

For low resolution micro stepping, a TRINAMIC driver can be connected directly via SPI without an additional DAC. With this, one can drive with 16 times micro stepping.


Figure 4 : Stepper Motor Driver Configuration (SPI)

## 5 Functional Blocks and Registers

### 5.1 Ramp Generator

The ramp generator is the heart of the motion controller. It runs either ramp with linear velocity profile or ramp with s-shape velocity profile. The selection is done by the bow parameter. Setting bow to 0 selects linear velocity profile. Linear ramps perform the quickest motion, by using the maximum available acceleration at all times. But, since the acceleration becomes switched on and off abruptly, system resonances can occur. They appear like an additional load on the motor, thus reducing the available useful portion of motor torque. Further, system resonances need some time to fade away, and this can costs valuable system time, if a complete stand still is required, before other actions can start. With the S-shaped ramp, resonances can be reduced. However, it is advised to choose the bow parameter as high as possible, in order to optimize positioning time.

The ramp generator provides four modes of operation:
[...]
It should be noted, that the choice of the microstep resolution directly influences the complete ramp generator parameter settings, because a higher microstep resolution means a higher end velocity setting, and thus a higher acceleration and a higher bow parameter to yield the same results. This way, the settings are scaled in a huge range, e.g. when changing between fullstep and highest resolution microstep.

## Attention:

At all times, all parameters may be changed, but it should be noted, that unexpected results may occur, when changing the bow parameter to a lower value during an acceleration phase, or when changing the acceleration or deceleration parameter to a lower value. In these cases, the maximum positioning velocity, respectively the target position could be exceeded, in case the new values do not allow decelerating quickly enough. Even an overrun of the register value could occur and lead to unexpected results. Under normal circumstances, the bow parameter will be fixed in an application.


Figure 5 : Outline of ABN Signals of an Incremental Encoder

### 5.2 ABN Incremental Encoder Interface

The TMC457 is equipped with an incremental encoder interface for $A B N$ encoders that gives positions via digital incremental quadrature signals (usually named $A$ and $B$ ) and a clear signal (usually named $N$ for null of $Z$ for zero). The $N$ signal can be used to clear a position. It might be necessary to disable the clearing of the encoder position after the first N signal event because the encoder gives this signal once for each revolution and for most applications a motor turns more than one revolution.

The encoder constant named enc_const is added or subtracted on each position change of the quadrature signals $A B$ of the incremental encoder. The encoder constant enc_const represents an unsigned fixed point number (16.16) to facilitate the generic adaption between motors and encoders. In
decimal mode, the lower 16 bit represent a number between 0 and 9999. This is especially important for piezo motors (PiezoLEGS) because they do not have a fixed step length they achieve their very high positioning precision in the range of nanometers via closed loop control together with a position encoder. For stepper motors equipped with incremental encoders the fixed number representation allows very comfortable parameterization. Additionally, gear can easily be taken into account.

The encoder counter named x_enc holds the current determined encoder position. Different modes concerning handling of the signals $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$, and N take active low and active high signals of usual incremental encoders into account. For details please refer to the register mapping section 6 Register Mapping, page 14 ff .

The register enc_status holds the status concerning event of the ABN signals. The register enc_latch stores the actual encoder position on an $N$ signal event. The register $x_{-}$latch stores the position while a reference switch event occurs.

A register named enc_warn_dist (encoder warning distance) is used to generate an interrupt via the TMC457 interrupt controller if the distance between encoder position and actual position is larger then enc_warn_dist. The calculated error pid_e is available from the PID controller unit. Therefore, the PID controller needs to be enabled.

### 5.2.1 Setting the encoder to match the motor resolution:

Encoder example settings for motor parameters: $2048 \mu$ steps, 200FS $\rightarrow 409600$ / U
Factor $=$ FS* $\mu \mathrm{S} /$ encoder resolution

| Encoder example settings for a $\mathbf{2 0 0}$ fullstep motor with $\mathbf{2 0 4 8}$ microsteps |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Encoder resolution | required encoder factor | comment |
| 200 | 2048 | 1137,7778 <br> $=74565404,4444 / 2^{\wedge} 16$ <br> $=11377777,7778 / 10000$ |
| 360 | 819,2 <br> $=53687091,2 / 2^{\wedge} 16$ <br> $=8192000 / 10000$ | No exact match possible! |
| 500 | 409,6 | exact match with decimal setting |
| 1000 | 400 | exact match with decimal setting |
| 1024 | 113,7778 | No exact match possible! |
| 3600 | 102,4 | exact match with decimal setting |
| 4000 | 100 |  |
| 4096 | 50 |  |
| 8192 | 25 |  |
| 16384 | 12.5 |  |
| 32768 |  |  |

### 5.3 Vector control

The vector control unit allows a load angle based motor control. This makes the motor behave like a servo motor, i.e. it can be overloaded or stopped, and will later on catch up again, using the PID regulator. Therefore, be careful to also activate the PID regulator!

Vector control is only possible using binary encoder resolutions, because no decimal setting is available. Low resolution decimal encoders still give a match.

| Vector control example settings for a 200 fullstep motor |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Encoder resolution | required vector encoder factor | venc_us_const |
| 512 | 25 | 1600 |
| 1024 | 12.5 | 800 |
| 2048 | 6.25 | 400 |
| 4096 | $3.125=31 / 8$ | 200 |
| 8192 | $1.5625=19 / 16$ | 100 |
| 16384 | $0.78125=25 / 32$ | 50 |
| 32768 | $0.390625=25 / 64$ | 25 |

A 400 fullstep motor needs the double setting
Different load angle limits above $90^{\circ}$ allow for field weakening operation, which gives a faster motor operation.

### 5.3.1 Initialization of vector control mode

A precise initialization of the vector control mode is critical for best functionality. Also, the encoder needs to have an absolute precision, which is at least $1 / 2$ fullstep of the motor.

For a newly assembled drive, an initial initialization is necessary. This initialization requires that the motor does not see any mechanical load during initialization. Later on, the vector control can be initialized with a stored offset from the initial initialization, using absolute position information, for example based on the encoder N channel.

For initial initialization, the following procedure can be followed:
The actual encoder position venc_us_pos needs to be initialized for vector control. The position must match selected microstep_adr bits, when the motor is unloaded in its exact position. This for example can be accomplished, by switching the motor to a high standby torque after power on. Directly after a power on, all microstep_adr bits are zero. Now, the motor will be in the exact zero position, as long as it sees no mechanical load. Therefore, now the venc_us_pos can be initialized with zero, in order to match the encoder angle to the electrical angle of the motor.

When the absolute position of the encoder is known, the vector control register venc_us_pos can be initialized based on this information. Therefore, the encoder needs to be read out, or the N channel needs to be found, and afterwards the stored offset can be added to the absolute position and be written to venc_us_pos. Be sure to do this in a high priority procedure, because the encoder should not advance a step in the meantime. If this cannot be guaranteed, a check and iteration should be done.

### 5.4 PID Controller - easyPID ${ }^{\text {TM }}$

The PID (Proportional Integral Differential) controller calculates a velocity vased on a position difference error pid_e = enc_x - x_actual where enc_x is the actual position- the real mechanical position -determined by the incremental encoder interface and $x$ _actual is the actual position of the micro step sequencer -the position the TMC457 assumes to be the actual one. With this, the TMC457 moves with this (signed) velocity v until the actual position- measured by the incremental encoder match. The velocity $v$ to minimize the error $e$ is calculated by

$$
v=P \cdot e(t)+\int_{0}^{t} I \cdot e(t) \cdot d t+D \cdot \frac{d}{d t} e(t)
$$

The motor moves with this velocity $v=$ pid_v_actual until the error $e(t)$ vanishes resp. falls below a programmed limit - the hysteresis pid_tolerance. Primary, the PID regulator is parameterized by its basic parameter $P$, I, D represented by registers pid_p, pid_i, pid_d. Setting pid_d = 0 makes a PI regulator, additionally setting pid_i $=0$ makes a $P$ regulator. For micro controller interaction, the parameter pid_dv_cpu is added to the pid_v_actual. The readable register pid_dv_clip holds the actual value of clipping done by the PID controller of the TMC457.

Due to constraints of practical real word application, the integer part of the PID regulator can be clipped to a limit named pid_iclip. Without this, the integral part of the PID regulator pid_isum increases with each time step by pid_i*pid_e as long as the motor does not follow. The actual error can be read out from register pid_e. The integration over time of the error e is done with a fixed clock frequency of fPID_INTEGRAL[Hz] = fCLK[Hz] / 128. The time scaling for the deviation with respect to time of the error is controlled by the register named pid_clk_div.

A stabilization of the target position by programmable hysteresis is integrated to avoid oscillations of regulation when the actual position is close to the real mechanical position. The PID controller of the TMC457 is fast - programmable up to approximate 100 kHz update rate at fCLK $=16 \mathrm{MHz}$ of the TMC457 - so that it can be used during motion to stabilized the motion. The parameterization of the PID controller of the TMC457 occurs in a direct way. Due to this, it is named easyPID ${ }^{\text {TM }}$. Nevertheless, the parameterization of a PID controller might need a detailed knowledge of the application and the dynamic of the mechanics that is controlled by the PID controller. Additionally, a special control register allows software interaction for additional feedback control algorithms that can be implemented within the micro controller used to parameterize the TMC457.

### 5.5 Step Direction Output Interface

The TMC457 is equipped with step direction outputs (STEP, OUT). In Addition, it is equipped with a so called X_STEP output. A pulse on this output represents a number of (micro) steps. It is configured by the register named pulse_xstep_div. The TMC457 is able to generate step pulses with up to its clock frequency fCLK[Hz]. Because a step frequency in the range of the clock frequency of the TMC457 might be too high for usual step direction drivers, an additional step output named X_STEP (extended step) is available. The X_STEP represents a number of steps to be done at a lower frequency. The threshold that selects between step pulses and extended step pulses is programmable. This can be parameterized to give full steps on the XSTEP output of the TMC457.

### 5.6 Step Direction Input Interface for multi axis interpolation

The TMC457 is equipped with step direction inputs (STEP_IN, DIR_IN). This allows using the TMC457 with an external ramp generator. A number of TMC457 can be synchronized by interconnecting the step direction inputs and outputs via a switch matrix. One TMC457 is used as master and its step and direction output is fed to the other TMC457. They can be programmed to follow the master pulses scaled by the 15 bit factor sd_scale (and sign). This way, multi-axis interpolation can be realized. The slave motion thus always is equal or slower than the master. When programming the master axis, the maximum allowed acceleration and velocity values of the slave axis have to be considered.

The step input is sampled once per system clock. Thus, the maximum input frequency is equal to the half system clock frequency. Please remark, that this also limits the master velocity during interpolated moves.

### 5.7 Reference Switch and Stop Switch Interface

The TMC457 is equipped with reference switch that can be programmed for automatic actions. For details please refer to the register mapping section 6 Register Mapping, page 14 ff . The reference switch inputs are available to store a position on a reference switch event. Additionally, these inputs can be enabled to force a stop.

### 5.8 Micro Step Sequencer

The micro step sequencer can be programmed for different micro step resolutions. The sequencer controls the mixed decay feature of TRINAMIC stepper motor drivers. Current scaling is also done under control of the sequencer. When using TMC246 or TMC249 the StallGuard ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ threshold is under control of the sequencer. A readable register holds the TRINAMIC stepper motor driver status bits and diagnosis bits.

### 5.8.1 ChopSync ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ CHOPCLK

To use the ChopSync ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ feature together with a TRINAMIC stepper motor driver the output CHOPCLK of the TMC457 has to be connected to the PWM oscillator input OSC of the TRINAMIC stepper motor driver (TMC236, TMC239, TMC246, or TMC249) - without a capacitor at the OSC input. The recommended chopper frequency fOSC for the TRINAMIC stepper motor driver is 36 kHz . The chopper frequency should not be below 25 kHz and must be lower than 50 kHz . The chopper frequency is programmed via the register chop_clk_div.

Warning: A chopper clock signal with a too high frequency might damage the stepper motor driver due to dynamic power dissipation overload.

| fCLK[Hz] | fOSC[Hz] | chop_clk_div |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 16.000 .000 | 36.000 | $0 \times 1 \mathrm{BC}$ | $(=444)$ |
|  | 25.000 | $0 \times 280$ | $(=640)$ |
| 8.000 .000 | 36.000 | $0 \times 0 \mathrm{DE}$ | $(=222)$ |
|  | 25.000 | $0 \times 140$ | $(=320)$ |
| fCLK[Hz] | fOSC[Hz] | $\mathrm{fCLK}[\mathrm{Hz}] / \mathrm{fOSC}[\mathrm{Hz}]$ |  |

Table 1 : PWM frequency calculation for ChopSync ${ }^{\text {TM }}$

### 5.9 Type and Version Register / Version specific notes and known bugs

The type of the controller and its version can be read out from a register. For the TMC457 version 1.02 one gets $0 \times 00457102$ reading the type and version register. This allows hardware detection. Reading the version allows handling of different version by a single software version.

| Version | Bug | Description and workaround |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1.02 | AMAX lower limit with <br> linear ramps | When using linear ramps, setting AMAX to a value lower than 128 <br> results in a strange positioning behavior, when AMAX and DMAX differ. <br> This is due to an internal rounding which results in AMAX being used <br> for deceleration rather than DMAX or vice versa. <br> This bug will be corrected in future versions. <br> Workaround: <br> Use AMAX values above 128, when AMAX and DMAX are required to <br> be different. AMAX values below 128 are typically only required, when <br> working with low microstepping resolutions. <br> Alternative: Use S-shaped ramps. |
| -1.03 | Stop switches do not <br> become disabled at <br> move in opposite <br> direction while actual <br> velocity is zero | When the motor becomes stopped by a stop switch, a movement into <br> the opposite direction is not possible without disabling the stop switch. <br> The reason is that the stop switches are active in any direction when <br> velocity is zero. <br> This bug will be corrected in future versions. <br> Workaround: <br> Disable stop switch when moving into opposite direction. |

### 5.10 Interrupt Controller

The interrupt controller is programmable for different conditions. If an interrupt condition occurs the open drain output nINT is pulled to low (activated) if the interrupt mask for the corresponding interrupt condition is enabled.

### 5.11 Sine Wave Look-up Table (SIN-LUT) Access and Parameterization

The TMC457 is equipped with an internal RAM ( 8192 addresses $\times 12$ bit data) to hold a sine wave look-up table for micro stepping. This look-up table has to be initialized first after power up of the TMC457. Depending on the type of motor, a dedicated sine wave table has to be written into the internal RAM of the TMC457. For both, 8192 values of 12 bit integer have to be calculated. The sine LUT RAM is accesses via two register addresses, one for read and one for write.

Important Hint: When reading data from RAM, the read data are valid with the next read access. So, the read data are pipelined with a delay of one SPI datagram.

### 5.11.1 Calculation of the Sine Wave Look-Up-Table to drive a Piezo Motor

$$
y(x)=4096+4095^{*} \sin \left(2 \pi^{*} x / 8192-2^{*} \pi / 8\right) \text { with } x=0,1,2,3, \ldots, 8189,8190,8191 .
$$

### 5.11.2 Calculation of the Sine Wave Look-Up-Table to drive a Stepper Motor

$$
y(x)=\operatorname{abs}\left(4095 * \sin \left(2 \pi^{*} x / 8192\right)\right) \text { with } x=0,1,2,3, \ldots, 8189,8190,8191 .
$$

With offset, to adjust current zero crossing, the formula becomes

$$
y(x)=\text { offset }+\operatorname{abs}\left((4095-\text { offset }) * \sin \left(2 \pi^{*} x / 8192\right)\right) \text { with } x=0,1,2,3, \ldots, 8189,8190,8191 .
$$

The offset has a theoretical range of 0 to 4094 . For a practical application, the offset will lie between 0 and 100. When using current scaling, the offset also becomes scaled down - this may be needed to be taken into account!

## 6 Register Mapping

### 6.1 SPI Datagram Structure

The TMC457 uses 40 Bit SPI $^{\text {TM }}$ (Serial Peripheral Interface, SPI is Trademark of Motorola) datagrams for communication with a microcontroller. Microcontrollers which are equipped with hardware SPI are typically able to communicate with integer multiples of 8 bit.

Each datagram sent to the TMC457 is composed of an address byte followed by four data bytes. This allows direct 32 bit data word communication with the register set of the TMC457. Each register is accessed via 32 data bits even if it uses less than 32 data bits.

For simplification, each register is specified by a one byte address, where the reading address is given with the most significant bit = ' 0 '. For a write access, the most significant bit of the address byte is ' 1 '. Most registers are write only registers, some can be read additionally, and there are also some read only registers.

### 6.1.1 Selection of Write / Read (WRITE_notREAD)

The read and write selection is controlled by the MSB of the address byte (bit 39 of the SPI datagram). This bit is ' 0 ' for read access and ' 1 ' for write access. So, the bit named $W$ is a WRITE_notREAD control bit. The active high write bit is the MSB of the address byte. So, $0 \times 80$ has to be added to the address for a write access.

Example: For a read access to the register (x_actual) with the address $0 \times 01$, the address byte has to be set to $0 x 01$. For a write access to the register ( $x$ _actual) with the address $0 x 01$, the address byte has to be set to $0 \times 80+0 \times 01=0 \times 81$. For read access, the data bit might have any value ('-'). So, one can set them to ' 0 '.

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { READ x_actual } & \text { datagram } \Leftrightarrow 0 \times 01000000000 ; \\
\text { WRITE x_actual }:=0 x 89 A B C D E F ; & \\
\text { datagram } \Leftrightarrow 0 \times 8189 A B C D E F
\end{array}
$$



### 6.1.2 Data Alignment

All data are right aligned. Some registers represent unsigned (positive) values, some represent integer values (signed) as two's complement numbers, single bits or groups of bits are represented as single bits respectively as integer groups.

### 6.2 Register Block Structure - Register Mapping

All parameterizations take place by register writes. The access to the registers is via SPI. The ramp generator register set enfolds basic motion control parameters, a ramp generator register set, an incremental encoder register set, a PID controller register set - named easyPID ${ }^{\text {TM }}$, a step direction output configuration register set, a reference switch configuration register set, a micro step sequencer configuration register, a type \& version register, an interrupt configuration register, and a sine wave look-up table (LUT) RAM port register.
6.2.1 Nomenclature of Read / Write / Clear on Read / Clear on Write of Registers

Units are written in are given in brackets, e.g. [micro steps]. Read only registers are designated by R. Read only registers with automatic clear (C) on read are designated by $R+C$. Registers that are cleared on write are designated by $W+C$. Write only registers are designated by $W$.

### 6.2.2 Time Scaling by Clock Frequency

Time is scaled by the the clock frequency of the TMC457. This scales velocity, acceleration, and bow. So, velocity is given in unit [micro steps per time] and not as [micro steps per second], acceleration is given in unit [micro steps per time^2] and not unit [micro steps per second^2]. Formulas for the conversion into units based on time in seconds is given in section 0 , page 26.

| Ramp Generator Register Set - Basic Motion Control Parameters |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range [Unit] |
| RW | 0x00 | 9... 0 | mode | bit 1,0: ramp_mode $00=$ positioning mode <br> 01 = reserved <br> $10=$ velocity mode <br> 11 = hold mode | $\begin{aligned} & \text { default = } \\ & \% 000000010 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  | bit 2: step_dir_enable |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 4: shaft |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 8: PID_on |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 9: PID_base v_actual |  |
| RW | 0x01 | 31... 0 | x_actual | Actual position | $\pm$ [ $\mu$ steps] |
| R | 0x02 | 31... 0 | v_actual | Actual velocity | $\pm[\mathrm{\mu steps} / \mathrm{t}]$ |
| W | 0x03 | 30...0 | v_max | Maximum velocity for positioning mode | 0 to \$7FFF0000 for any a_max [ $\mu$ steps / t ] |
| W | 0x04 | 31... 0 | v_target | Target velocity The sign determines the direction in velocity mode and hold mode. | $\pm$ \$7FFF0000 for any a_max [ $\mu \mathrm{st}$ eps / t] |
| W | 0x05 | 23... 0 | a_max | Acceleration, unsigned fixed point 16.8 representation | 0 to \$FFFFFD [ $\mu$ steps / $\mathrm{t}^{\wedge}$ 2] |
| W | 0x06 | 23... 0 | d_max | Deceleration parameter, unsigned <br> Fixed point 16.8 representation <br> The effective deceleration with s-ramp enabled is $15 / 16$ of d_max. | 0 to \$FFFFFD [ $\mu$ steps / $t^{\wedge} 2$ ] |
| W | 0x07 | 23...0 | d_stop | Deceleration for stop event, for security reason it is with bow $=0$ | [ $\mu$ steps / $\mathrm{t}^{\wedge} 2$ ] |
| W | 0x08 | 4... 0 | bow_max | S-Ramp configuration <br> $0=$ linear ramp (trapezoid) <br> bow_index $=1,2,3, \ldots, 18 \Leftrightarrow$ <br> bow_value $=1,2,4, \ldots, 262144$ | bow_value [ $\mu$ steps / $\mathrm{t}^{\wedge} 3$ ] |
| W | 0x09 | 31... 0 | x_target | Target position for automatic ramp in unit micro steps | $\pm$ [ $\mu$ steps] |
| W | 0x0A | 31...0 | x_compare | POSCOMP output function: <br> The position x_compare is compared either with $x_{\text {_actual }}$ or with the encoder position enc_x. (Selection bit: enc_clr_mode.12.) POSCOMP becomes <br> 0 : for x_actual $\leq x$ _compare <br> 1 : for x-actual > x_compare | $\pm$ [ $\mu$ steps] |
| R | 0x0B | 4... 0 | status | bit 0: target_pos_reached |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 1: target_v_reached |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 2: v_is_zero |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 3: - (reserved) |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 4: enc_warn_dist |  |
| R | 0x0C | 31...0 | a_actual | Actual acceleration value Important note: a_max resp. d_max can be exceeded by up to $1 / 1024$ of the bow_value if $1 / 1024^{*}$ bow_value is not an integer divider of a max resp. d max | $0, \ldots, \pm$ a_max resp. d_max resp. d_stop; [ $\mu$ steps / $\mathrm{t}^{\wedge} 2$ ] |
| W | 0x0D | 15... 0 | sd_scale | Step Direction input control: | dir \& c ( $\mathrm{c} \Leftrightarrow$ accumulatio n constant-1) |
|  |  |  |  | bit 14...0: sd_scaler |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 15: sd_scale_sign |  |
|  | 0x0E | - | - | reserved |  |
| W | 0X0F | 23...0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { a_max_ } \\ & \text { d_max } \end{aligned}$ | Sets a_max and d_max to the same value with a single write access to register a_max_d_max | [ $\mu$ steps / $\mathrm{t}^{\wedge} 2$ ] |


| 0x00: mode - Ramp Generator Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| RW | 1,0 | ramp mode | 00 | positioning mode |
|  |  |  | 01 | reserved |
|  |  |  | 10 | velocity mode (default mode on RESET) |
|  |  |  | 11 | hold mode (sets v_actual equal to v_target) |
| RW | 2 | step_dir_ enable | 0 | step direction inputs are ignored |
|  |  |  | 1 | The step and direction inputs (STEP_IN, DIR_IN) become scaled by sd_scale. In this mode, x_target becomes directly controlled by the scaled step inputs. In order to allow the motor to directly follow the control signals, set to positioning mode and set a high acceleration value a_max_d_max with bow set to zero. |
| RW | 4 | shaft | 0 | Normal direction of the output pulse generator |
|  |  |  | 1 | Inverts the direction of the output pulse generator |
| RW | 8 | PID_on | 0 | PID controller is completely off, all values are frozen. The output pulse generator is fed by $v$ actual directly. |
|  |  |  | 1 | PID controller is on. This mode also allows access to the PID error pid_e, which is required for a number of other functions. For normal operation, also set PID_base flag to $v \_$actual base. |
| RW | 9 | PID_base | 0 | The pulse generator output is controlled by the PID calculation result only. The motor will not move, if PID result is zero. |
|  |  |  | 1 | PID output base is $v$ _actual. The PID result is added to the velocity output generated by the ramp generator and becomes clipped to 2^31-1. |


| 0x08: bow_max - Ramp Generator Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| W | 4...0 | bow_index | 0 | The ramp generator uses trapezoid ramps. This corresponds to an infinite bow value. |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & \text { to } \\ & 18 \end{aligned}$ | Bow for s-shaped ramps in logarithmic representation. A high bow value leads to a shorter bow phase. The bow_value is added with $1 / 1024 \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{CLLL}}[\mathrm{Hz}]$ to acceleration a_actual up to the value set by a_max for acceleration resp. d_max for deceleration. <br> bow_value $=2^{\wedge}($ bow_index-1) <br> bow_index $=1,2,3, \ldots, 18 \Leftrightarrow$ <br> bow_value $=1,2,4, \ldots, 262144$ <br> Attention on bow setting: <br> The resulting bow_value must not exceed A_MAX or D_MAX |


| OxOb: status - Ramp Generator Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| R | 0 | target_pos _reached | 1 | Signals that the motor has stopped at the target position (x_actual=x_target), or at a position determined by PositionLimit_L or PositionLimit_R. |
|  | 1 | target_v_ reached | 1 | Signals that $v_{-}$actual has reached $v_{-}$target, respectively $v_{-}$max during an automatic ramp. |
|  | 2 | $v$ vis_zero | 1 | Signals that the motor has stopped. |
|  | 3 | - |  | Unused (reserved) |
|  | 4 | enc_warn dist_status | 1 | Signals that the deviation between encoder position and actual ramp position exceeds the warning threshold enc_warn_dist. |


| 0x0D: sd_scale - Ramp Generator Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| W | 14...0 | sd_scaler | x | Each step input pulse counts up resp. down x_target by $(x+1) /\left(2^{\wedge} 15\right)$ |
|  | 15 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { sd_scale_ } \\ & \text { sign } \end{aligned}$ | 0 | Count up when direction input is positive |
|  |  |  | 1 | Count down when direction input is positive |


| Encoder Register Set |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range [Unit] |
| W | 0x10 | $31 . .0$ | enc_const | Accumulation constant, <br> 16 bit integer part, 16 bit fractional part enc_x accumulates +/- enc_const / ( $2^{\wedge} 16^{*}$ enc_x) (binary) or <br> +/- enc_const / (10^4* enc_x) (decimal) <br> To switch between decimal and binary setting, see enc_mode bit 13. <br> Use the sign, to match rotation direction! | $\begin{aligned} & \text { binary: } \\ & \pm\left[\mu \mathrm{steps} / 2^{\wedge} 16\right] \\ & \pm(0 . .32767 .0 \ldots \\ & 65535) \\ & \text { decimal: } \\ & \pm(0 \ldots 32767.0 \ldots \\ & 9999) \\ & \text { default }=1.0 \\ & (=65536) \end{aligned}$ |
| RW | 0x11 | $31 . .0$ | enc_x | Actual encoder position | $\pm$ [ $\mu$ steps] |
| W | $0 \times 12$ | 12.. 0 | enc_mode | bit 0 : pol A |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 1 : pol _ $B$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 2 : pol_N |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 3 : ignore_AB |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 4 : clr_cont |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 5 : clr_once |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 6 : pos_edge |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 7 : neg_edge |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 8 : clr_enc_x |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 12 : x_comp_sel_enc |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 13 : enc_sel_decimal |  |
| R+C | 0x13 | 0 | enc_status | bit 0 : N_event Encoder N event detected, status bit is cleared on read: Read (R) + clear (C) |  |
| R | 0x14 | $31 . .0$ | enc_latch | Encoder position enc_x latched on N event | [ $\mu$ steps] |
| R | 0x15 | $31 . .0$ | x_act_latch | Motor position x_actual latched on reference switch event or virtual stop switch event | [ $\mu$ steps] |
| W | 0x16 | 19... 0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { enc_warn_ } \\ & \text { dist } \end{aligned}$ | Warning threshold for motor to encoder deviation (x_actual - enc_x). This function uses pid_e. An interrupt can be triggered when the threshold is exceeded. <br> abs(pid e) > enc warn dist | [ $\mu$ steps] |


| 0x12: enc_mode - Encoder Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
|  | 0 | pol_A | x | A polarity when N is active |
|  | 1 | pol_B | X | B polarity when N is active |
|  | 2 | pol_N | x | defines polarity of N |
|  | 3 | ignore_AB | X | Ignore A and B polarity |
|  | 4 | clr_cont | 1 | continuous clear while N is active (clear once per revolution) |
|  | 5 | clr_once | 1 | N event enable, clear on next N event |
|  | 6 | pos_edge | 1 | N positive edge trigger (when N becomes active) Disables N level control |
|  | 7 | neg_edge | 1 | N negative edge trigger (when N becomes inactive) Disables N level control |
|  | 8 | clr_enc_x | 0 | Upon N event, the enc_x becomes latched to enc_latch only |
|  |  |  | 1 | Additionally clear encoder counter enc_x at N -event |
|  | 9 | - |  | - (reserved) |
|  | 10 | - |  | - (reserved) |
|  | 11 | - |  | - (reserved) |
|  | 12 | x_comp_ | 0 | Source for POSCOMP: $x_{\text {_compare }}$ is compared to $x_{\text {_ actual }}$ |
|  |  | sel_enc | 1 | $x$ _compare is compared to enc_x |
|  | 13 | enc_sel_ | 0 | Encoder divisor binary: Counts in $\mathrm{n} / 65536$ |
|  |  | decimal | 1 | Encoder divisor decimal: Counts in $\mathrm{n} / 10000$ |


| Vector Control Register Set |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range [Unit] |
| W | 0x17 | 11... 0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { venc_us_ } \\ & \text { const } \end{aligned}$ | Accumulation constant, 6 integer part, 6 bit fractional part venc_us_const $=64^{*}$ (motor full steps per rotation)/ encoder resolution <br> 0.0: vector control off <br> Use the sign, to match rotation direction! | $\begin{aligned} & \pm[\mu \text { steps } / 64] \\ & \text { default }=0 \text { (off) } \end{aligned}$ |
| RW | 0x18 | 7... 0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { venc_us_ } \\ & \text { pos } \end{aligned}$ | Actual encoder position (use for initialization of function - position must match selected microstep adr bits) | [256 / electrical period] |
| W | 0x19 | $\begin{gathered} 9 \ldots 8, \\ 1 \ldots 0 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { venc_us_ } \\ & \text { sel } \end{aligned}$ | bit 0,1 : venc_microstep_resolution <br> $00=2048$ microsteps <br> $01=1024$ microsteps <br> $10=256$ microsteps <br> $11=64$ microsteps <br> selects bits from microstep_adr (0x33) to <br> match one electrical period <br> bit 8, 9 : venc_phi_load_sel $00=90^{\circ}$ <br> $01=101,25^{\circ}$ <br> $10=112,5^{\circ}$ $11=121,75^{\circ}$ <br> selects maximum motor load angle |  |


| 0x19: venc_us_sel - Vector Control Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| W | 1, 0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { venc_us_ } \\ & \text { sel } \end{aligned}$ | 00 | 2048 microsteps: microstep_adr bits 12 downto 5 are used to determine angle within one electrical period |
|  |  |  | 01 | 1024 microsteps: microstep_adr bits 11 downto 4 are used to determine angle within one electrical period |
|  |  |  | 10 | 256 microsteps: microstep_adr bits 9 downto 2 are used to determine angle within one electrical period |
|  |  |  | 11 | 64 microsteps: microstep_adr bits 7 downto 0 are used to determine angle within one electrical period |
|  | 9, 8 | venc_phi_ load_sel | 00 | vector encoder function load angle limit to $+/-90^{\circ} \quad$ (64/256 of an electrical period) (max. torque) |
|  |  |  | 01 | +/-101.25 ${ }^{\circ}$ (72/256 of an electrical period) |
|  |  |  | 10 | +/-112,5 ${ }^{\circ}$ (80/256 of an electrical period) |
|  |  |  | 11 | +/- 123,75 ${ }^{\circ}$ (88/256 of an electrical period) (max. velocity) |


| PID Register Set - easyPID ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| W | 0x20 | 23... 0 | pid_p | P parameter (unsigned) update frequency $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{CLK}} / 128$; Result: pid_e*pid_p/256 (becomes clipped to +/-2^31) | (0: disable) |
| W | 0x21 | 23... 0 | pid_i | I parameter (unsigned) <br> Result: (pid_isum/256)*pid_i/256 (becomes clipped to +/-2^31) | (0: disable) |
| W | 0x22 | 23... 0 | pid_d | D parameter (unsigned), pid_e is sampled with a frequency of ( $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{CLK}}[\mathrm{Hz}] / 128 / p i d \_d \_c l k d i v$ ). <br> Result: (pid_e_last-pid_e_now) * pid_d (The delta-error (pid_e_last-pid_e_now) becomes clipped to +/-127) | (0: disable) |
| W | 0x23 | 14... 0 | pid_iclip | Clipping parameter for pid_isum Clipping of (pid_isum*2^1每*pid_iclip) | 0...\$7F80 |
| $\begin{gathered} R \\ W+C \end{gathered}$ | 0x24 | 31... 0 | pid_isum | PID integrator sum (signed) Updated with $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{CLK}}[\mathrm{Hz}] / 128$ Cleared to zero upon write access | $\pm$ |
| W | 0x25 | 7... 0 | pid_d_ <br> clkdiv | Clock divider for D part calculation D-part is calculated with a frequency of: $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{CLK}}$ / (pid_d_clkdiv*128) <br> (Attention: pid_d_clkdiv=0 results in 256) | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \ldots 255,0 \\ & =1 \ldots 256 \end{aligned}$ |
| W | 0x26 | - | - | - | - |
| W | 0x27 | 30... 0 | pid_dv_clip | Clipping parameter for PID calculation result pid_v_actual pid_v_actual $=$ v_actual + clip(PID_result, pid_dv_clip) | bits 7... 0 are always 0 (0: disable PID) |
| R | 0x28 | $\begin{array}{r} 23 \ldots 0 \\ (31 \ldots \\ 0) \\ \hline \end{array}$ | pid_e | Position deviation (for monitoring) pid_e = enc_x $x$ x_actual (clipped to +/-2^23) | $\pm 2^{\wedge} 23$ |
| R | 0x29 | 31... 0 | pid_v_actual | PID calculation result (with PID_base=0) resp. PID_result + v_actual (PID_base=1) (clipped to $+/-2^{\wedge} 31$ ) | $\pm$ |
| W | 0x2A | 19... 0 | pid_tolerance | Tolerance for PID regulation If the absolute value of the error pid_e is below pid_tolerance after an exact hit, then the pid_error_in becomes 0 and pid_i_sum is set to zero, until the tolerance zone is left again. |  |

Step Direction Output Configuration Register Set

| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| W | 0x30 | 28...0 | pulse_max | Velocity threshold for resolution indication output HIRES_OUT <br> If $v_{\_}$actual $\geq$pulse_max then output HIRES = 1 <br> The driver stage can do extended steps based on XSTEP OUT | bits 20...0 are always 0 |
| W | 0x31 | 15...0 | pulse_xstep_div | Pulse divisor for XSTEP_OUT output control <br> One XSTEP_OUT pulse is generated after each pulse_xstep_div steps | 1... 65535 <br> default=16 |
| W | 0x32 | 0 | step_dir_mode | 0: disable STEP_OUT delay <br> 1: enable STEP_OUT delay after a change of the direction (DIR_OUT) (It is recommended to disable the delay, unless a step / direction drive is used) |  |
| RW | 0x33 | 12... 0 | microstep_adr | Actual micro step position within lookup table |  |
| W | 0x34 | 11... 0 | stdby_delay | Stand-by delay, time is given in $1 / \mathrm{f}_{\text {CLK }} /$ $2^{\wedge 16}$ |  |
| W | 0x35 | 7...0 | pulse_length | Pulse length in clock periods for STEP_OUT and XSTEP_OUT outputs (DIR_OUT remains stable during STEP_OUT active, XSTEP_OUT occurs 2 clock periods later) |  |


| Reference Switch Configuration Register Set |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| RW | 0x40 | 13... 0 | switch_mode | bit 0: stop_L |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 1: stop_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 2: pol_stop_L |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 3: pol_stop_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 4: swap_LR |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 5: soft_stop |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 6: en_lim_L |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 7: en_lim_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 8: latch_L_act |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 9: latch_L_inact |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 10: latch_R_act |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 11: latch_R_inact |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 12: en_latch_enc |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 13: SG_stop |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 0 : status_stop_L |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 1 : status_stop_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 2 : status_latch_L |  |
| $\begin{gathered} R, \\ R+C \end{gathered}$ | 0x41 | 6... 0 | switch_status | bit 3: status_latch_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 4: event_stop_L |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 5: event_stop_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 6: event_stop_SG |  |
| W | 0x42 | 31...0 | pos_limit_L | Software controlled stop position, programmable virtual stop switch If enabled, the motor will automatically slow down and come to a stop at the pos_limit rather than crossing it. |  |
| W | 0x43 | 31... 0 | pos_limit_R | Software controlled stop position, programmable virtual stop switch If enabled, the motor will automatically slow down and come to a stop at the pos limit rather than crossing it. |  |

0x40: switch_mode - Reference Switch Configuration Register

| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | 0 | stop_L | 1 | Enable stop switch left |
|  | 1 | stop_R | 1 | Enable stop switch right |
|  | 2 | pol_stop_L | 0 | Left stop switch is positive active (STOP_L=1 stops motor) |
|  |  |  | 1 | Left stop switch is negative active (STOP_L=0 stops motor) |
|  | 3 | pol_stop_R | 0 | Right stop switch is positive active (STOP_R=1 stops motor) |
|  |  |  | 1 | Right stop switch is negative active (STOP_R=0 stops motor) |
|  | 4 | swap_LR | 0 | STOP_L stops motor when driving in negative direction, STOP_R stops motor when driving in positive direction |
|  |  |  | 1 | Stop inputs are swapped: <br> STOP_R stops motor when driving in negative direction, <br> STOP_L stops motor when driving in positive direction |
|  | 5 | soft_stop | 0 | The motor velocity is switched to 0 when hitting a stop switch (hard stop). |
|  |  |  | 1 | SoftStop enable: <br> The motor is slowed down to 0 using a linear ramp using acceleration d_stop when hitting a stop switch. |
|  | 6 | en_lim_L | 1 | Position limit L pos_limit_L enable (virtual stop switch) |
|  | 7 | en_lim_R | 1 | Position limit R pos_limit_R enable (virtual stop switch) |
|  | 8 | latch_L_act | 1 | Latch ramp position to $x_{\text {_act_latch }}$ on stop switch left going active. |
|  | 9 | latch_L_inact | 1 | Latch ramp position to $x_{\text {_ act_latch }}$ on stop switch left going inactive. |
|  | 10 | latch_R_act | 1 | Latch ramp position to $x$ _act_latch on stop switch right going active. |
|  | 11 | latch_R_inact | 1 | Latch ramp position to x_act_latch on stop switch right going inactive. |
|  | 12 | en_latch_enc | 0 | Encoder position is not latched upon stop switch event. |
|  |  |  | 1 | Also latch encoder position together with ramp position to enc latch. |
|  | 13 | stop_SG | 1 | Stop motor on StallGuard event signaled by TMC246 / TMC249 |


| 0x41: switch_status_Reference Switch Configuration Register |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| $R / W$ | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| $R$ | 0 | status_stop_L | 1 | Stop switch left status (1=active) |

Sequencer Configuration Register

| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0x50 |  | - (reserved) |  |  |
|  | 0x51 |  | - (reserved) |  |  |
|  | 0x52 |  | - (reserved) |  |  |
|  | 0x53 |  | - (reserved) |  |  |
| RW | 0x54 | 8... 0 | seq_mode | bit 3...0: microstep table length Controls the number of microsteps per electrical period. For a stepper motor, the resulting microstep rate is $1 / 4$ of the table length. <br> Values: <br> 0: 8192 entries (Default), <br> 1: 4096 entries, ... <br> 10: 8 entries, <br> 11: 4 entries (full stepping) <br> bit 8: sequencer stop |  |
| W | 0x55 | 23... 0 | dacscale_icntl | bit 0..4: current_op | default=\%000000000000000010010000 |
|  |  |  |  | bit 7: mixdecay_op |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 8..12: current_sb |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 15: mixdecay_sb |  |
| W | 0x56 | 2... 0 | stallguard_thrs | StallGuard threshold | 0... 7 |
| R |  | 2... 0 | stallguard_ value | actual StallGuard value reported by TMC249 | 0... 7 |
| R | 0x57 | 2... 0 | driver_status | Driver status read back information: bit 0 : tmcdrv_error (OT, UV, OCHS, OCB, OCA. i.e. all driver shutdown conditions) <br> bit 1 : tmcdrv_otpw (over temperature pre-warning) |  |
|  | 0x58 |  | - (reserved) |  |  |
| W | 0x59 | 11... 0 | chop_clk_div | chopper clock frequency register (for safety reasons a value below 96 can not be set) | $\begin{aligned} & 96 . . .818 \\ & \text { default }=640 \end{aligned}$ |

0x55: dacscale_icntl - Sequencer Configuration Register

| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| W | 4...0 | current_op | 0... 16 | Motor current scale during operation (Default=16) <br> Allows a current scaling by scaling the sine table entries before sending to the DACs or to the SPI stepper drivers. <br> This function is available only for stepper motors. $16=100 \%$ <br> $15 . . .1$ = $15 / 16$... $1 / 16$ <br> $0=$ DAC disable / stepper driver disable |
|  | 7 | mixdecay_op | 1 | Mixed Decay Enable Operation (Default =1) Enables the TMC23X / TMC24X mixed decay feature during motor operation. |
|  | 12... 8 | current_sb | 0... 16 | Standby current scale (Default=0) <br> The motor is switched to the standby current after a delay time controller by stdby_delay. <br> Same values as for current_op. |
|  | 15 | mixdecay_sb | 1 | Mixed Decay Enable Standby (Default=0) <br> Enables the TMC23X / TMC24X mixed decay feature during motor stand still. |

Type \& Version Register

| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | :---: |
| R | $0 \times 60$ | $23 \ldots 0$ | version | TMC457 v. $1.00 \Leftrightarrow 0 \times 457100$ |  |


| Interrupt Configuration Register |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| W | $0 \times 61$ | 7... 0 | int_mask | bit 0: int_target |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 1: int_deviation |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 2: int_N |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 3: int_stop |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 4: int_drvstatus |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 5: int_ref_L |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 6: int_ref_R |  |
|  |  |  |  | bit 7: int_ x_comp |  |
| $\begin{gathered} R \\ W+C \end{gathered}$ | $0 \times 62$ | 7... 0 | int_flag | Same assignments as int_mask register. An active interrupt bit reads out as '1'. Writing a 1 to an active bit resets the interrupt flag. The interrupt output becomes active (low) as soon as at least one bit is set. |  |

0x61: int_mask - Interrupt Configuration Register

| R/W | Bit | Function | Value | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| W | 0 | int_target | 1 | Target position reached interrupt: If set, an interrupt is issued when the motor comes to a standstill at $x_{\text {_targe }}$ |
|  | 1 | int_deviation | 1 | Encoder position mismatch interrupt: If set, an interrupt is issued, when pid_e exceeds the tolerance value pid_tolerance. |
|  | 2 | int_N | 1 | Encoder N event interrupt : <br> If set, an interrupt is issued upon an encoder N event, as defined by enc_clr_mode. |
|  | 3 | int_stop | 1 | Stop condition interrupt: <br> If set, an interrupt is issued upon a motor stop condition, as defined by switch_mode. |
|  | 4 | int_drvstatus | 1 | Driver status interrupt: <br> If set, an interrupt is issued upon a driver error detected in the driver_status bits. |
|  | 5 | int_ref_L | 1 | Reference switch left interrupt: <br> If set, an interrupt becomes issued upon activation of the left reference switch. |
|  | 6 | int_ref_R | 1 | Reference switch right interrupt: <br> If set, an interrupt is issued upon activation of the right reference switch. |
|  | 7 | int_x_comp | 1 | POSCOMP (x_compare) change interrupt: <br> If set, an interrupt is issued, when the polarity of the POSCOMP output changes. <br> Attention: For a move right, this is when $x$ _actual (resp. enc_x) becomes larger than $x_{\text {_compare, }}$ i.e. reaches $x$ _compare +1 . For a move left, it is upon position match! Attention: Modifying the compare position also will trigger the interrupt flag and will toggle the output, when the comparison result differs. |


| Sine Wave Look-Up Table (LUT) Port Register |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| R/W | Addr | Bits | Register | Description | Range |
| R | $0 \times 7 F$ | $31 \ldots 16$ <br> $15 \ldots$. | $R A M$ | READ (data D of last A) | xxxAAAAAAAAAAAAA <br> xxxxDDDDDDDDDDDD <br> (data of this address come <br> on next read) |
| W | $0 \times F F$ | $31 \ldots 16$ <br> $15 \ldots . .$. | $R A M$ | WRITE | xxxAAAAAAAAAAAAA <br> xxxxDDDDDDDDDDDD |

### 6.2.3 Real World Units vs. Units of the TMC457

The units of a TMC457 register content are written as register[457].

| Parameter vs. Units |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Parameter / Symbol | Unit | calculation / description / comment |
| $\mathrm{f}_{\text {cLu }}[\mathrm{Hz}]$ | [Hz] | clock frequency of the TMC457 in [Hz] |
| s | [s] | second |
| US | microstep |  |
| FS | fullstep |  |
| velocity v[Hz] | microsteps / s | $\mathrm{v}[\mathrm{Hz}]=\mathrm{v}[457]^{*}\left(2^{*} \mathrm{f}_{\text {CLK }}[\mathrm{Hz}] / 2^{\wedge} 31\right)$ |
| acceleration $\mathrm{a}[\mathrm{Hz} / \mathrm{s}]$ | microsteps / $\mathrm{s}^{\wedge} 2$ | $\mathrm{a}[\mathrm{Hz/s}]=\mathrm{a}[457]^{*} \mathrm{f}_{\text {CLK }}[\mathrm{Hz}]^{\wedge} 2 /\left(16^{*} 256\right) / 2^{\wedge} 30$ |
| micro step resolution USR (used U instead of $\mu$ for micro) | counts | micro step resolution in number of microsteps (i.e. the number of microsteps between two fullsteps) |
| v[FS] @ USR | US/s | $\mathrm{v}[\mathrm{FS} / \mathrm{s}]=\mathrm{v}[\mathrm{US} / 2]$ / USR USR $\Leftrightarrow$ microstep resolution |
| a[FS/^2] @ USR | US/s^2 | $\mathrm{a}\left[\mathrm{FS} / \mathrm{s}^{\wedge} 2\right]=\mathrm{a}[\mathrm{US} / \mathrm{s}] / \mathrm{USR}$ |
| ramp_steps[457] = rs | [457] | rs $=2^{*}(\mathrm{v}[457])^{\wedge} 2 /(a[457]) / 2^{\wedge} 18$ micro steps during linear acceleration ramp (if v _max is really reached during acceleration) |

## 7 Examples

Following, some examples are given how to program the TMC457 to do a desired task. The examples are given as sequences of SPI datagram as 40 bit hexadecimal number with an additional comment.

$$
\text { \$89 } 12345678 \quad / / \text { set x_target := \$12 } 345678
$$

So, for this example the datagram is $\$ 8912345678$. That datagram sets the register x_target to the hexadecimal value $\$ 12345678$.

### 7.1 How to Get a Motor Running

// initialize the sine wave look-up table once (either for stepper motor or for piezo motor).

```
for (x=0; x<8192; x++)
{
    y = abs(4095 * \operatorname{sin}(2.0 * 3.141592652 * x / 8192) ); // stepper motor
    datagram = ( 0x7F << 32) |(x<< 16 )| (y ); // compose datagram
}
```

This results in a sequence of datagramms for initializing the sine wave look-up table as:

```
$FF $00 $00 $00 $00 // ram[ 0] := 0x0000;
$FF $00 $01 $00 $03 // ram[ 1] := 0x0003;
$FF $00 $02 $00 $06 // ram[ 2] := 0x0006;
$FF $1F $FD $00 $09
$FF $1F $FE $00 $06
$FF $1F $FF $00 $03
// ram[8189] := 0x0009;
// ram[8190] := 0x0006;
// ram[8191] := 0x0003;
```

// now the motion //

```
$80 xx xx xx xx // mode := %00 = ramp_mode positioning mode with linear ramps
$83 xx xx xx xx // v_max := $xx xx xx xx
$88 00 00 00 00 // bow_max := 0 = linear ramp
$8F xx xx xx xx // a_māx_d_max := $ xx xx xx xx
$89 00 BC 61 4E // x_target := 12345678; => move to target position x_target
```


### 7.2 Set Incremental Encoder Interface Parameters

For this example, we assume to have an incremental encoder with a resolution of 16384 steps per revolution. For the quadrature signals A and B this means that they toggle 8192 tomes per revolution with a phase shift of quarter period.

A stepper motor is assumed to have 200 full steps per revolution and is driven with a micro step revolution of 256 micro steps per full step. So, for this example, the stepper motor has 200 * $256=$ 51200 micro steps per revolution.

The axis of the incremental encoder is assumed to be directly connected to the axis of the stepper motor with a gear. With this, a number of 16384 positions of the incremental encoder are equal to 51200 micro steps of the stepper motor.

So, each position count of the encoder is equal to $51200 / 16384=3.125$ micro steps.


Figure 6 : Incremental Encoder Signals Outline (AB w/o clear pulse N)

So, the accumulation constant enc_const of the incremental encoder interface of the TMC457 has to be set that each encoder step represents 3.15 . This is achieved by setting enc_const $=3.125$ * 65536 $=204800=\$ 00032000$. The datagram sequence doing the initialization of the encoder interface is:

| $\$ 9000032000$ | I/ set enc_const := \$00 032000 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 9100032000$ | // set x_enc := \$00 000000 |
| $\$ 9200032000$ | // set enc_clr_mode := \$00 0000 00, ignore N pulse |

## 8 Notation of Number Systems

Decimal numbers are used as usual without additional identification. Binary numbers are identified by a prefixed \% character. Hexadecimal numbers are identified by a prefixed \$ character. Alternatively, hexadecimal numbers are identified similar to $C$ language with a prefixed $0 x$. For better readability of long number spaces are inserted. So, for example the decimal number 42 in the decimal system is written as \%101010 in the binary number system, and it is written as $\$ 2 \mathrm{~A}$ or $0 \times 2 \mathrm{~A}$ in the hexadecimal number system.

## 9 Pinning, Package, and Electrical data of the TMC457

### 9.1 Pinning of TMC457

The TMC457-BC is available within a 144 ball fine pitch ( 1 mm ) BGA package.

## Important Hints:

All pins specified as (n.c. = not connect) must be left unconnected (open). All power supply pins (named V 33 for +3.3 V and named V 15 for +1.5 V ) and all ground pins must be connected.

All inputs and all outputs have 3.3V CMOS level. Level shifters are required when using 5 V devices (e.g. micro controller with 5 V IO, incremental encoder with 5 V ABN outputs, ...).

Other unnamed pins have to be left open. Pins with comment "do not connect (must not be connected)" must be left open because these are unused but driving outputs.

| \# | $\begin{gathered} \text { BGA } \\ \text { Ball } \end{gathered}$ | Signal Name | In/Out | Description / Comment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | A1 | GND |  | ground |
| 2 | A2 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 3 | A3 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 4 | A4 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 5 | A5 | DIR_IN | I | direction input |
| 6 | A6 | GND |  | ground |
| 7 | A7 | - |  |  |
| 8 | A8 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 9 | A9 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 10 | A10 | STEP_IN | 1 | step input |
| 11 | A11 |  |  |  |
| 12 | A12 | GND |  | ground |
| 13 | B1 | CLK | I | clock input |
| 14 | B2 | GND |  | ground |
| 15 | B3 |  |  |  |
| 16 | B4 | POSCOMP | 0 | position comparator output signal (pls. refer x_compare) |
| 17 | B5 | ENC_A | I | A signal from incremental encoder (ABN) for 3.3V level |
| 18 | B6 |  |  |  |
| 19 | B7 |  |  |  |
| 20 | B8 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 21 | B9 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 22 | B10 |  |  |  |
| 23 | B11 | GND |  | ground |
| 24 | B12 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 25 | C1 | nEN | I | clock gating input, logical ored with CLK, must be connected to ground |
| 26 | C2 | RES | 1 | active high reset input |
| 27 | C3 |  |  |  |
| 28 | C4 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 29 | C5 | ENC_B |  | B signal from incremental encoder (ABN) for 3.3V level |
| 30 | C6 |  |  |  |
| 31 | C7 |  |  |  |
| 32 | C8 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |


| 33 | C9 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 34 | C10 | PZO_EN | 1 | piezo motor enable (0:stepper motor / 1:piezo motor) |
| 35 | C11 | SDO_DAC_A | 0 | SDO for LTC2602 DAC A input SDI |
| 36 | C12 | SDO_DAC_B | 0 | SDO for LTC2602 DAC B input SDI |
| 37 | D1 | SCK | I | SPI clock input from microcontroller |
| 38 | D2 | nINT | o.C./O | active low interrupt output (open drain) |
| 39 | D3 |  |  |  |
| 40 | D4 |  |  |  |
| 41 | D5 | ENC_N | I | N signal from incremental encoder (ABN) for 3.3V level |
| 42 | D6 |  |  |  |
| 43 | D7 |  |  |  |
| 44 | D8 | - | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 45 | D9 |  |  |  |
| 46 | D10 |  |  |  |
| 47 | D11 |  |  |  |
| 48 | D12 |  |  |  |
| 49 | E1 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 50 | E2 |  |  |  |
| 51 | E3 |  |  |  |
| 52 | E4 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 53 | E5 |  |  |  |
| 54 | E6 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 55 | E7 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 56 | E8 |  |  |  |
| 57 | E9 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 58 | E10 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 59 | E11 |  |  |  |
| 60 | E12 |  |  |  |
| 61 | F1 | nSCS | I | chip select input for microcontroller interface |
| 62 | F2 | GND |  | ground |
| 63 | F3 |  |  |  |
| 64 | F4 |  | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 65 | F5 | GND |  | ground |
| 66 | F6 | GND |  | ground |
| 67 | F7 | GND |  | ground |
| 68 | F8 |  |  |  |
| 69 | F9 |  |  |  |
| 70 | F10 | GND |  | ground |
| 71 | F11 |  |  |  |
| 72 | F12 | SCK_DAC | 0 | serial clock for LTC2602 DAC |
| 73 | G1 |  |  |  |
| 74 | G2 | GND |  | ground |
| 75 | G3 |  | n.c. | do not connect (must not be connected) |
| 76 | G4 |  |  |  |
| 77 | G5 | GND |  | ground |
| 78 | G6 | GND |  | ground |
| 79 | G7 | GND |  | ground |
| 80 | G8 |  |  |  |
| 81 | G9 |  |  |  |
| 82 | G10 |  |  |  |
| 83 | G11 |  |  |  |


| 84 | G12 | NCS_DAC | 0 | chip select for LTC2602 DAC |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 85 | H1 | V15 |  | +1.5 V supply voltage |
| 86 | H2 |  |  |  |
| 87 | H3 |  |  |  |
| 88 | H4 |  |  |  |
| 89 | H5 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 90 | H6 | unused output | 0 |  |
| 91 | H7 | unused output | O |  |
| 92 | H8 | unused output | 0 |  |
| 93 | H9 |  |  |  |
| 94 | H10 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 95 | H11 |  |  |  |
| 96 | H12 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 97 | J1 |  |  |  |
| 98 | J2 |  |  |  |
| 99 | J3 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 100 | J4 |  |  |  |
| 101 | J5 | PHA | 0 | phase A polarity output (for stepper motors) |
| 102 | J6 | CHOPCLK | 0 | ChopSync ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ PWM clock signal output for TRINAMIC stepper motor driver OSC input (TMC236, TMC239, TMC246, TMC249) |
| 103 | J7 | V15 |  | +1.5V supply voltage |
| 104 | J8 | (TCK) | I | can be left open with VJTAG tied to GND |
| 105 | J9 |  |  |  |
| 106 | J10 | (TDO) | TRST/O | can be left open with VJTAG tied to GND |
| 107 | J11 |  |  |  |
| 108 | J12 | STOPL | 1 | stop switch left |
| 109 | K1 | SDI | I | serial data input, driven by micro controller output MOSI |
| 110 | K2 | SDO | TRST/O | serial data output, drives micro controller input MISO |
| 111 | K3 |  |  |  |
| 112 | K4 | HIRES_OUT | O | high resolution control output (optional use) 0 : low resolution (use higher step width mode, XSTEP or full step mode), 1 : high resolution (use micro stepping) |
| 113 | K5 | PHB | 0 | phase B polarity output (for stepper motors) |
| 114 | K6 | SCK_DRV | O | serial data clock signal to stepper motor driver |
| 115 | K7 | GND |  | ground |
| 116 | K8 |  |  |  |
| 117 | K9 |  |  |  |
| 118 | K10 | GND |  | ground |
| 119 | K11 |  |  |  |
| 120 | K12 | STOPR | I | stop switch right |
| 121 | L1 | GND |  | ground |
| 122 | L2 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 123 | L3 | DIR_OUT | 0 | direction output |
| 124 | L4 | STDBY_OUT | 0 | stand-by output signal to lower standby current of driver |
| 125 | L5 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 126 | L6 | SDO_DRV | 0 | serial data output to stepper motor driver |
| 127 | L7 |  |  |  |
| 128 | L8 |  |  |  |
| 129 | L9 | (TMS) |  | can be left open with VJTAG tied to GND |
| 130 | L10 | (VJTAG) |  | ground to disable JTAG |
| 131 | L11 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |


| 132 | L12 | (TRST) | I | ground to disable JTAG |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| 133 | M1 | GND |  | ground |
| 134 | M2 | STEP_OUT | O | step output |
| 135 | M3 | XSTEP_OUT | O | extended step output (lower frequency) |
| 136 | M4 | nANA_SPI | I | SPI / not analog input selects type of stepper driver control <br> (0: use external DAC, 1: use TMC236 internal DAC) |
| 137 | M5 | nCS_DRV | O | serial data selection signal to stepper driver |
| 138 | M6 | SDI_DRV | I | serial data input from stepper driver |
| 139 | M7 |  |  |  |
| 140 | M8 |  |  |  |
| 141 | M9 | (TDI) |  | can be left open with VJTAG tied to GND |
| 142 | M10 | V33 |  | +3.3V supply voltage |
| 143 | M11 | PDR | I | connect this input via 1K pull-down resistor to ground |
| 144 | M12 | GND |  | ground |

Table 2: TMC457-BC Pin Out

### 9.1.1 Pull-Up / Pull-Down Resistances

Some inputs have weak on-chip pull-up resp. weak pull-down resistors. The resistance of these is within the range of 10 kOhm (min.) ... 45 kOhm (max.)

### 9.1.2 Blocking Capacitors

Ceramic capacitors of 100 nF capacitance should be connected as close as possible at each 1 V 5 power supply pin and at each 3 V 3 power supply pin. Alternatively, two power planes - one power plane for +1 V 5 (V15) and one power plane for +3 V 3 (V33) can be used.

### 9.2 Package Outlines and Dimensions

9.2.1 Fine Pitch BGA Package with 144 Balls (FBGA144) of TMC457-BC


Figure 7 : Package Outline Drawing FBGA144-(JEDEC MO-192 VAR DAD-1)

| Symbol | Dimensions in MILLIMETERS |  |  | Dimensions in INCHES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max |
| A | 1.35 | 1.45 | 1.55 |  |  |  |
| A1 | 0.35 | 0.40 | 0.45 |  |  |  |
| A2 | 0.65 | 0.70 | 0.75 |  |  |  |
| aaa | 0.12 |  |  |  |  |  |
| b | 0.45 | 0.50 | 0.55 |  |  |  |
| bbb | 0.25 |  |  |  |  |  |
| c | - | 0.35 | - |  |  |  |
| ccc | 0.35 |  |  |  |  |  |
| D | 12.80 | 13.00 | 13.20 |  |  |  |
| D1 | 11.00 BSC |  |  |  |  |  |
| D2 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 12.80 \\ & 12.80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.00 \\ & 13.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.20 \\ & 13.20 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| E |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| E1 | 11.00 BSC |  |  |  |  |  |
| E2 | 12.80 | 13.00 | 13.20 |  |  |  |
| e | 1.00 |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 3 : Dimensions of FBGA144 (Note: BSC = Basis Spacing Between Centers)

## 10 Micro Controller Interface (SPI)

The communication between micro controller and TMC457 takes place via the four via serial interface, the Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI ${ }^{\text {TM }}$, SPI is trademark of Motorola). Many types of micro controllers of different vendors are equipped with SPI hardware.


Figure 8 : Timing Diagram of the Serial Micro Controller Interface

| Symbol | Parameter | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| tSUCSC | Setup Clocks for nSCS | 3 |  | $\infty$ | CLK periods |
| tHDCSC | Hold Clocks for nSCS | 3 |  | $\infty$ | CLK periods |
| tSCKCL | Serial Clock Low | 3 |  | $\infty$ | CLK periods |
| tSCKCH | Serial Clock High | 3 |  | $\infty$ | CLK periods |
| tSD | SDO valid after SCK Iow | 2.5 |  | 3.5 | CLK periods |
| tSI | SDO valid after nSCS high |  |  | 4.5 | CLK periods |
| tDAMAGRAMuC | Datagram Length | $3+3+40 * 6=246$ |  | $\infty$ | CLK periods |
| tDAMAGRAMuC | Datagram Length | 12.3 |  | $\infty$ | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ |
| fCLK | Clock Frequency | 0 |  | 20 | MHz |
| tCLK | Clock Period tCLK = 1 / fCLK | 50 |  | $\infty$ | ns |
| tPD | CLK-rising-edge-to-Output Propagation Delay |  | 5 |  | ns |

Table 4: Timing Characteristics of the Micro Controller Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI)

## 11 Characteristics

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Max | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VCORE_AMR | core supply voltage |  | -0.3 | 1.65 | V |
| VOI_AMR | IO supply voltage |  | -0.3 | 3.75 | V |
| VIN_AMR | input voltage | 3.3 V IO supply voltage VIO | -0.3 | 3.6 | V |

Table 5 - Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TCOM | commercial temperature range |  | 0 |  | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| VCORE | nominal core voltage |  |  | 1.5 |  | V |
| VIO | nominal IO voltage |  |  | 3.3 |  | V |
| VIN | nominal input voltage |  | 0.0 |  | 3.3 | V |
| VINL | input voltage low level | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (test condition) | -0.3 |  | 0.8 | V |
| VINH | input voltage high level | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (test condition) | 2.0 |  | 3.6 | V |
| VOUTL | output voltage low level | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (test condition) |  |  | 0.4 | V |
| VOUTH | output voltage high level | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (test condition) | 2.4 |  | V |  |
| IOUTDRV | output driver strength | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (test condition) |  | 12 | mA |  |

Table 6 - DC Ccharacteristics Operating Conditions

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PDST | static power dissipation | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 15 |  | mW |
| PDDY | dynamic power dissipation | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 16 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 75 |  | mW |
| PD | total power dissipation | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 16 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 90 |  | mW |

Table 7 - Power Dissipation

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| fCLK | Operation Frequency | fCLK = $/$ / tCLK |  |  | 20 | MHz |
| tCLK | Clock Period | Raising Edge to Raising Edge of CLK |  |  | 50 | ns |
| tCLK_L | Clock Time Low |  | 25 |  |  | ns |
| tCLK_H | Clock Time High |  | 25 |  |  | ns |
| tRISE_I | Input Signal Rise Time | $10 \%$ to 90\% |  | 5 |  | ns |
| tFALL_I | Input Signal Fall Time | $90 \%$ to 10\% | 5 |  | ns |  |
| tRISE_O | Output Signal Rise <br> Time | $10 \%$ to $90 \%$ | 5 |  | ns |  |
| tFALL_O | Output Signal Fall Time | $90 \%$ to 10\% |  |  | ns |  |
| tSU | Setup Time | relative to falling clock edge at CLK | 5 |  | ns |  |
| tHD | Hold Time | relative to falling clock edge at CLK |  | 5 |  | ns |
| tPD | Propagation <br> Time | $50 \%$ of rising edge of the clock CLK to $50 \%$ <br> of the output |  | 30 |  | ns |

Table 8 - General IO Timing Parameters


Figure 9-General IO Timing Parameters

## 12 Literature

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## 13 Revision History

| Version | Date <br> (LL=Dr. Lars Larsson <br> BD=Bernhard Dwersteg) | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1.00 | 25.08.2008 (LL) | First published version |
| 1.01 | 30.10.2008 (LL) | Formula for calculation of sine wave look-up table corrected (section 5.11.2, page 13 and section 7.1 , page 27). |
| 1.02 | 03.10.2008 (LL) | load_scale outputs added at pinning table and register mapping (section 9, page 29 ff . \& section 6.2, page 14 ff .) |
| 1.06 | 27.10.2008 (BD) | Detail tables for registers with complex content, added some missing register bits |
| 1.07 | 04.01.2009 (LL, BD) | formula for calculation of sine wave look-up table corrected (section 5.11.2, page 13) and calculation of look-up table with offset added, corrected acceleration formula |
| 1.08 | 19.01.2009 (LL) | Pin F4 in Table 2: TMC457-BC Pin Out, page 32 corrected (n.c. instead of ground) |
| 1.09 | 26.03.2009 (BD) | Reference Switch table corrected (Reference Switch Configuration Register Set) |
| 1.10 | 31.03.2009 (BD) | Changed documentation for Version 1.02 of TMC457: <br> - Added vector encoder registers (venc...) <br> Attention: VENC functions are only available starting from V1.02 of TMC457! <br> - Register PID_DV_CPU was removed; register bits current_scale and outputs LOAD_SCALE were removed, <br> - Actual TMC249 stallguard value can be read now <br> - Encoder constant can now be scaled in $1 / 10000$ steps (enable via bit 13 of enc_mode) <br> - enc_clr_mode register renamed to enc_mode |
| 1.11 | 22.04.2009 (BD) | Added bow restrictions, corrected formula for bow value (Bernhard Dwersteg $40^{\text {th }}$ birthday version!) |
| 1.12 | 12.06.2009 (BD) | Improved some descriptions |
| 1.13 | 07.09.2009 (LL, BD) | Pin G3 (75) explicitly marked as n.c. / F1 is input / Corrected pinning table according names in Fig. 1 |
| 1.14 | 09.09.2009 (BD) | C4 is GND, new method to disable JTAG by tying L10 and L12 to GND |
| 1.15 | 05.10.2009 (LL, BD) | C 4 is a +1 V 5 (correct in pinning table, but comment in history 1.14 needed adaption) V1.02 of TMC457: linear ramp failure when AMAX<128 and AMAX/=DMAX Added known bugs section |
| 1.16 | 25.11.2009 (BD) | Documented wrong stop switch behavior, corrected in V1.04 of TMC457. |
| 1.17 | 06.01.2010 (BD) | Corrected x_compare interrupt functional description, wrong venc_us formula |
| 1.18 | 16.03.2010 (BD) | Minor changes in example code |
| 1.19 | 19.01.2011 (LL) | Example section 7.1 How to Get a Motor Running, p. 27 corrected according to correct calculation described in section 5.11.2 Calculation of the Sine Wave Look-Up-Table to drive a Stepper Motor, p. 13. |
| 1.20 | 11.07.2013 (LL) | Missing revision revision history of datasheet version 1.20 added here: section 5.10: If an interrupt condition occurs the nINT is ... stated more precisely: If an interrupt condition occurs the open drain output nINT is ...; correction of some typos; redundant table in section 6.1 removed, because table is part of section 6.1.1; correction of address description within example ... For a write access to the register (x_actual) with the address $0 \times 100 \times 01, \ldots$ (apart from that, the address $0 \times 01$ is correctly used within the example); change within table "TMC457 SPI Datagram Structure" of section 6.1.1 for clarification: $1+7$ bit ADDRESS changed to RW +7 bit ADDRESS; section 6.1.2: unsigned added for clarification concerning positive values vs. two's complement used to represent integer values; |

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