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MCS3142 Dual KEELOQ® Technology Encoder Data Sheet

Features Overview:

SECURITY

- Ultimate KEELOQ® Technology:
  - Programmable 32-bit serial number
  - AES-128 block cipher
  - Programmable 128-bit crypt key
  - Timekeeping based on external 32.768 kHz crystal
  - 192-bit transmission code length:
    - 32-bit unencrypted portion
    - 128-bit encrypted, hopping code portion
    - 32-bit authorization check
- Classic KEELOQ Technology:
  - Programmable 28-bit serial number
  - Data based on Classic KEELOQ Technology:
    - KEELOQ technology 32-bit block cipher
    - Programmable 64-bit crypt key
    - KEELOQ technology secure learn
    - Programmable 60-bit seed value
  - 66-bit transmission code length:
    - 34-bit unencrypted portion
    - 32-bit encrypted, hopping code portion
- Operating Features:
  - 1.8 to 3.6V operation
  - Four switch inputs
  - 15 functions available
  - Configurable button modes
  - One active-low LED drive
  - Configurable minimum code word completion
- RF:
  - Configurable bit rate
  - Configurable modulation, supporting FSK and OOK
  - Configurable data modulation, supporting PWM and Manchester
- Other:
  - Button inputs have internal pull-up resistors
  - LED output
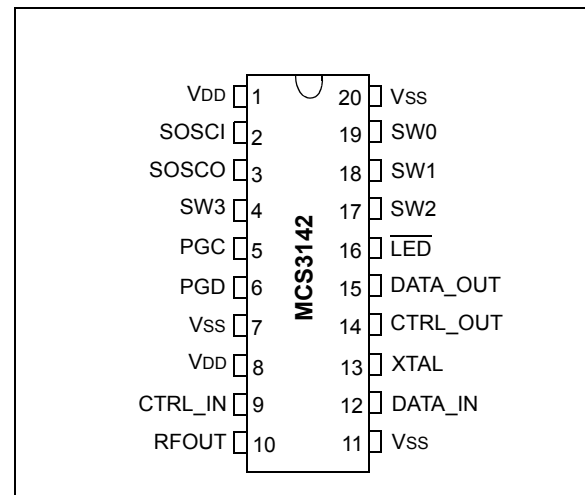
Typical Applications:

MCS3142 is ideal for Remote Keyless Entry (RKE) applications. These applications include:

- Automotive RKE Systems
- Automotive Alarm Systems
- Gate and Garage Door Openers
- Home Security Systems
- Security and Safety Sensors
- Remote Control
- Remote Keypad
- Wireless Sensors

Package Type:

- 20-pin TSSOP

FIGURE 1: 20-PIN TSSOP

Pin	Name		Pin	Name
1	VDD		20	VSS
2	SOSCI		19	SW0
3	SOSCO		18	SW1
4	SW3		17	SW2
5	PGC		16	$\overline{\text{LED}}$
6	PGD		15	DATA_OUT
7	VSS		14	CTRL_OUT
8	VDD		13	XTAL
9	CTRL_IN		12	DATA_IN
10	RFOUT		11	VSS

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TABLE 1: PIN DESCRIPTION

Name	20-Pin TSSOP	Input Type	Output Type	Description
V_{DD}	1	Power	—	Power
SOSCI	2	Analog	—	Secondary Oscillator
SOSCO	3	Analog	—	Secondary Oscillator
SW3	4	TTL	—	Switch 3 Input
PGC	5	TTL	—	Programming Clock
PGD	6	TTL	TTL	Programming Data
—	7	—	—	No Connection; Tie to Vss
V_{DD}	8	Power	—	Power
CTRL_IN	9	TTL	—	Transmitter Clock
RFOUT	10	—	RF	Transmitter Output
Vss	11	Power	—	Power
DATA_IN	12	TTL	—	Transmitter Data
XTAL	13	Analog	—	Transmitter Reference Oscillator
CTRL_OUT	14	—	TTL	Transmitter Clock
DATA_OUT	15	—	TTL	Transmitter Data
$\overline{\text{LED}}$	16	—	TTL	LED Output (active-low)
SW2	17	TTL	—	Switch 2 Input
SW1	18	TTL	—	Switch 1 Input
SW0	19	TTL	—	Switch 0 Input
Vss	20	Power	—	Power

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1.0   GENERAL DESCRIPTION

MCS3142 is a dual encoder, designed for secure Remote Keyless Entry (RKE) and secure remote control systems. MCS3142 utilizes both the Classic KEELOQ code hopping technology and the new Ultimate KEELOQ technology time-stamping solution. Both of these encoders incorporate high security, a small package outline and low cost to make this device a perfect solution for unidirectional authentication systems and access control systems.

Classic KEELOQ technology combines a hopping code generated by a nonlinear encryption algorithm, a serial number and Status bits to create a secure transmission code. The length of the transmission eliminates the threat of code scanning and code grabbing access techniques.

Ultimate KEELOQ technology is generated using the industry standard AES-128 encryption algorithm, a serial number and a timer-driven message counter which continuously increments, independent of events, to provide a better, more secure solution. The timekeeping functionality protects against jam-and-replay attack techniques.

The crypt key, serial number and configuration data are stored in an EEPROM array which is not accessible via any external connection. The EEPROM data is programmable but read-protected. The data can be verified only after an automatic erase and programming operation. This protects against attempts to gain access to keys or manipulate synchronization values. In addition, MCS3142 provides an easy to use serial interface for programming the necessary keys, system parameters and configuration data.

1.1   Key Terms

The following is a list of key terms used throughout this data sheet. For additional information on KEELOQ technology and code hopping, refer to "*An Introduction to KEELOQ® Code Hopping*" Technical Brief (DS91002).

- **RKE**: Remote Keyless Entry
- **Function Code**: It indicates what button input(s) activated the transmission. It encompasses the function code bits.
- **Code Hopping**: A method by which a code, viewed externally to the system, appears to change unpredictably each time it is transmitted
- **Code Word**: A block of data that is repeatedly transmitted upon button activation
- **Transmission**: A data stream consisting of repeating code words

- **Crypt Key**: A unique and secret number (64-bit for Classic KEELOQ technology, 128-bit for Ultimate KEELOQ technology) used to encrypt and decrypt data. In a symmetrical block cipher such as those used on MCS3142, the encryption and decryption keys are equal and, therefore, will generally be referred to as the crypt key.
- **Encoder**: A device that generates and encodes data
- **Encryption Algorithm**: A method whereby data is scrambled using a crypt key. The data can only be interpreted by the respective decryption algorithm using the same crypt key.
- **Decoder**: A device that decodes data received from an encoder
- **Decryption Algorithm**: A recipe whereby data, scrambled by an encryption algorithm, can be unscrambled using the same crypt key
- **Time-Stamp**: The time-derived value recorded with a message
- **Learn**: Learning involves the receiver calculating the transmitter's appropriate crypt key, decrypting the received hopping code and storing the serial number, synchronization counter or timer value, and crypt key in EEPROM. The KEELOQ technology product family facilitates several learning strategies to be implemented on the decoder. The following are examples of what can be done:
  - **Simple Learning**: The receiver uses a fixed crypt key. The crypt key is common to every component used by the same manufacturer.
  - **Normal Learning**: The receiver derives a crypt key from the encoder serial number. Every transmitter has a unique crypt key.
  - **Secure Learning**: The receiver derives a crypt key from the encoder seed value. Every encoder has a unique seed value that is only transmitted by a special button combination.
- **Manufacturer's Code**: A unique and secret number (64-bit for Classic KEELOQ technology, 128-bit for Ultimate KEELOQ technology) used to derive crypt keys. Each encoder is programmed with a crypt key that is a function of the manufacturer's code. Each decoder is programmed with the manufacturer's code itself.

The MCS3142 code hopping encoder is designed specifically for keyless entry systems. Typical applications include vehicles and home garage door openers. The encoder portion of a keyless entry system is integrated into a transmitter carried by the user. The transmitter is operated to gain access to a vehicle or a restricted area. MCS3142 is meant to be a cost-effective, yet secure solution to such systems, requiring very few external components (see Figure 2-1).

Most low-end keyless entry transmitters are given a fixed identification code that is transmitted every time a button is pushed. The number of unique identification codes in a low-end system is usually a relatively small number. These shortcomings provide an opportunity for a sophisticated thief to create a device that 'grabs' a transmission and retransmits it later, or a device that quickly 'scans' all possible identification codes until the correct one is found.

MCS3142, on the other hand, employs both the Classic and Ultimate KEELOQ code hopping technology. The high-security level of MCS3142 is based on the patented KEELOQ technology.

For Classic KEELOQ technology, a block cipher based on a block length of 32 bits and a key length of 64 bits is used. The algorithm obscures the information in such a way that if a single hopping code data bit changes (before encryption), statistically more than 50% of the encrypted data bits will change.

Ultimate KEELOQ technology uses the industry standard AES-128 encryption algorithm to obscure data using 128 bits for both its block and key length. In addition to the security of Classic KEELOQ technology, Ultimate KEELOQ technology sends a time-stamp as part of the transmission. This can prevent other more sophisticated attacks such as the 'jam-and-relay' attack.

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2.0   DEVICE DESCRIPTION

As shown in the typical application circuit (Figure 2-1), MCS3142 is a simple device to use. It requires only the addition of buttons, an external 32.768 kHz watch crystal, a transmitter reference oscillator, and RF circuitry for use as the transmitter in your security application. See Table 1 for a description of each pin.

FIGURE 2-1:   TYPICAL CIRCUIT

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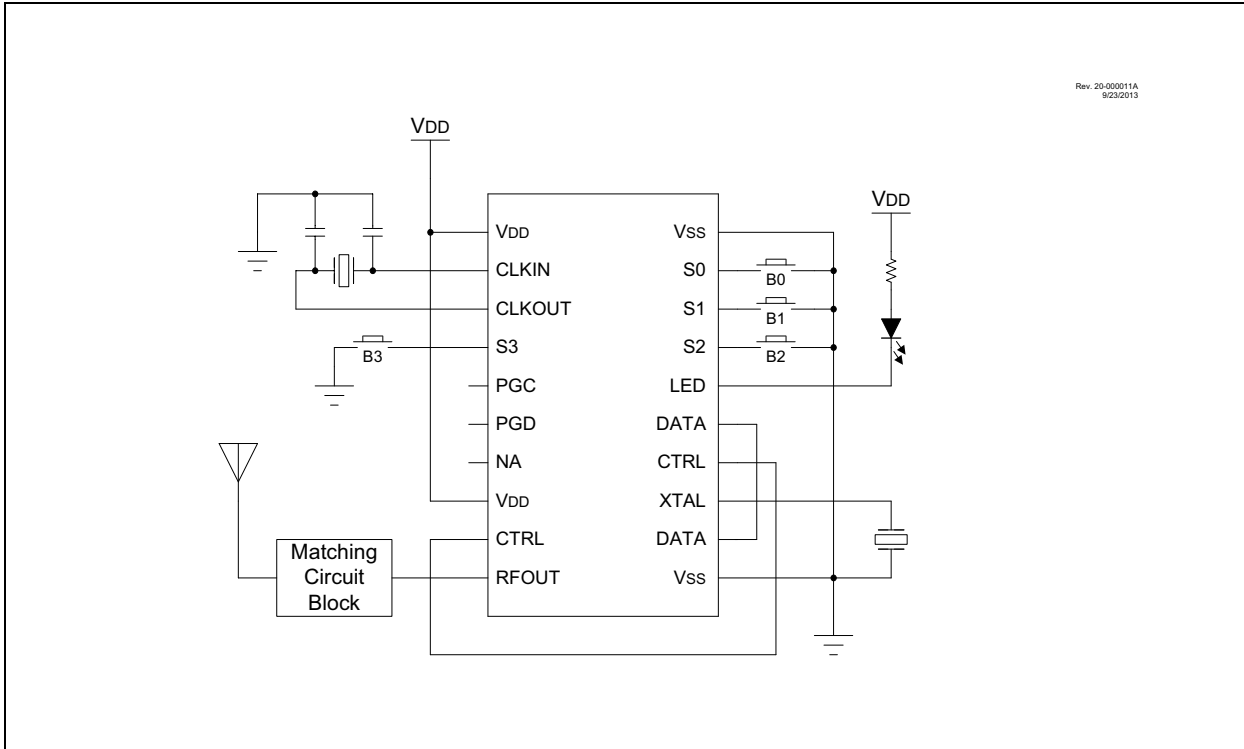
3.0   MEMORY ORGANIZATION

MCS3142 has 128 bytes of configuration data. In general, the Configuration bytes can be divided into three categories: those options related to the Classic KEELOQ technology encoder, those options related to the Ultimate KEELOQ technology encoder, and those options related to the transmitter and device operation shared by the two encoders.

TABLE 3-1:   CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Address	Size (Bytes)	Description
0x00-0x07	8	Classic KEELOQ® Technology Crypt Key
0x08-0x0F	8	Classic KEELOQ Technology Seed Value
0x10-0x13	4	Classic KEELOQ Technology Serial Number
0x14-0x15	2	Classic KEELOQ Technology DISC Value
0x16-0x17	2	Classic KEELOQ Technology Encoder Configuration
0x18-0x19	2	Classic KEELOQ Technology Transmitter Configuration
0x1A	1	Classic KEELOQ Technology Minimum Packet
0x1B-0x1C	2	Classic KEELOQ Technology Maximum Packet
0x1D	1	Classic KEELOQ Technology Time Element PR2 Value
0x1E-0x2D	16	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Crypt Key
0x2E-0x3D	16	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Seed Value
0x3E-0x41	4	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Serial Number
0x42-0x43	2	Reserved
0x44-0x53	16	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Authorization Code
0x54-0x55	2	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Encoder Configuration
0x56-0x57	2	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Transmitter Configuration
0x58	1	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Minimum Packet
0x59-0x5A	2	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Maximum Packet
0x5B	1	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Time Element PR2 Value
0x5C-0x5E	3	Encoder Frequency Setting
0x5F-0x60	2	Encoder Button Configuration
0x61-0x62	2	Seed Packet Button Configuration
0x63-0x65	3	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Synchronization Counter, Copy 1
0x66	1	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Synchronization Counter CRC, Copy 1
0x67-0x68	2	Classic KEELOQ Technology Synchronization Counter, Copy 1
0x69	1	Classic KEELOQ Technology Synchronization Counter CRC, Copy 1
0x6A-0x6B	2	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Reset Counter, Copy 1
0x6C	1	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Reset Counter CRC, Copy 1
0x6D-0x70	4	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Low-Speed Timer, Copy 1
0x71	1	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Low-Speed Timer CRC, Copy 1
0x72-0x74	3	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Synchronization Counter, Copy 2
0x75	1	Reserved
0x76-0x77	2	Classic KEELOQ Technology Synchronization Counter, Copy 2
0x78	1	Reserved
0x79-0x7A	2	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Reset Counter, Copy 2
0x7B	1	Reserved
0x7C-0x7F	4	Ultimate KEELOQ Technology Timer, Copy 2

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3.1 Counter and Timer Protection

Because they are written during normal operation of the device, the two synchronization counters, Reset counter and time value receive special protection to guard against data loss from unexpected power loss. An 8-bit CRC is calculated and stored alongside each variable. Further, each variable is duplicated in a different portion of memory. Whenever a value is read, the CRC is calculated and verified against the stored value. If there is a mismatch, the second copy of the data is read instead. The CRC calculation uses a polynomial represented by $x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + 1$. Example 3-1 describes a sample C function to compute this value.

EXAMPLE 3-1: CRC CALCULATION

```c
static uint8_t crc(const uint8_t* buffer, size_t len){

    uint8_t bitcount;
    uint8_t c = 0xFF;

    while(len--)  {
        c ^= *buffer++;

        for(bitcount = 0; bitcount < 8; bitcount++){
            if((c & 0x80)!= 0) {
                c <<= 1;
                c ^= 0x1D;
            }else{
                c <<= 1;
            }
        }
    }

    return ~c;
}
```

3.2 Configuration Byte Details

The following tables describe Configuration bytes in detail.

TABLE 3-2: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY CRYPT KEY CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x00	7:0	Crypt Key	Least Significant eight bits of the crypt key
0x01	7:0		Byte 1 of the crypt key
0x02	7:0		Byte 2 of the crypt key
0x03	7:0		Byte 3 of the crypt key
0x04	7:0		Byte 4 of the crypt key
0x05	7:0		Byte 5 of the crypt key
0x06	7:0		Byte 6 of the crypt key
0x07	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of the crypt key

TABLE 3-3: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY SEED CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x08	7:0	Seed	Least Significant eight bits of the seed
0x09	7:0		Byte 1 of the seed
0x0A	7:0		Byte 2 of the seed
0x0B	7:0		Byte 3 of the seed
0x0C	7:0		Byte 4 of the seed
0x0D	7:0		Byte 5 of the seed
0x0E	7:0		Byte 6 of the seed
0x0F	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of the seed

TABLE 3-4: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY SERIAL NUMBER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x10	7:0	Serial Number	Least Significant eight bits of the serial number
0x11	7:0		Byte 1 of the serial number
0x12	7:0		Byte 2 of the serial number
0x13	3:0		Most Significant four bits of the serial number
	7:4	Reserved	Maintain as '0000'

TABLE 3-5: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY DISC CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x14	7:0	DISC Value	Least Significant eight bits of DISC value
0x15	1:0		Most Significant two bits of DISC value
	7:2	Reserved	Maintain as '000000'

TABLE 3-6: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY ENCODER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x16	7:6	Seed Option	`00` = No seed
			`01` = Limited and immediate
			`10` = Permanent and delayed
			`11` = Permanent and immediate
	5:2	Reserved	Leave '`0000`'
	1:0	Time Element Clock Prescaler	`00` = 1:1
			`01` = 1:4
			`10` = 1:16
			`11` = 1:64
0x17	7	Reserved	Leave '`0`'
	6:5	Blank Alternate Code Word Configuration	`00` = All words transmitted
			`01` = One in two words transmitted
			`10` = One in four words transmitted
			`11` = Reserved; illegal value
	4:1	Reserved	—
	0	Line Encoding	`0` = PWM
			`1` = Manchester

TABLE 3-7: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY TRANSMITTER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x18	7:5	Frequency Deviation	Low three bits of frequency deviation calculation (see **Section 6.4 "Center Frequency and Frequency Deviation"**)
	4	Output Power	`0` = 0 dBm
			`1` = +10 dBm
	3:0	Reserved	Reserved, maintain as '`1100`'
0x19	7	Reserved	Reserved, maintain as '`0`'
	6	Data Encoding	`0` = FSK
			`1` = OOK
	5	Band	`0` = 310-450 MHz
			`1` = 868-870, 902-928 MHz
	4:0	Frequency Deviation	High five bits of frequency deviation calculation

TABLE 3-8: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM CODE WORDS COUNT CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x1A	7:0	Minimum Code Word Count	Integer value of the minimum number of code words sent
0x1B	7:0	Maximum Code Word Count	Least Significant eight bits of value of the maximum number of code words sent
0x1C	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of value of the maximum number of code words sent

TABLE 3-9: CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY TIME ELEMENT VALUE CONFIGURATION REGISTER

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x1D	7:0	Time Element Timer Value	See **Section 6.2 "Baud Rate"**

TABLE 3-10: ULTIMATE KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY CRYPT KEY CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x1E	7:0	Crypt Key	Least Significant eight bits of the crypt key
0x1F	7:0		Byte 1 of the crypt key
0x20	7:0		Byte 2 of the crypt key
0x21	7:0		Byte 3 of the crypt key
0x22	7:0		Byte 4 of the crypt key
0x23	7:0		Byte 5 of the crypt key
0x24	7:0		Byte 6 of the crypt key
0x25	7:0		Byte 7 of the crypt key
0x26	7:0		Byte 8 of the crypt key
0x27	7:0		Byte 9 of the crypt key
0x28	7:0		Byte 10 of the crypt key
0x29	7:0		Byte 11 of the crypt key
0x2A	7:0		Byte 12 of the crypt key
0x2B	7:0		Byte 13 of the crypt key
0x2C	7:0		Byte 14 of the crypt key
0x2D	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of the crypt key

TABLE 3-11: ULTIMATE KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY SEED CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x2E	7:0	Seed	Least Significant eight bits of the seed
0x2F	7:0		Byte 1 of the seed
0x30	7:0		Byte 2 of the seed
0x31	7:0		Byte 3 of the seed
0x32	7:0		Byte 4 of the seed
0x33	7:0		Byte 5 of the seed
0x34	7:0		Byte 6 of the seed
0x35	7:0		Byte 7 of the seed
0x36	7:0		Byte 8 of the seed
0x37	7:0		Byte 9 of the seed
0x38	7:0		Byte 10 of the seed
0x39	7:0		Byte 11 of the seed
0x3A	7:0		Byte 12 of the seed
0x3B	7:0		Byte 13 of the seed
0x3C	7:0		Byte 14 of the seed
0x3D	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of the seed

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TABLE 3-12: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLoǫ® TECHNOLOGY SERIAL NUMBER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x3E	7:0	Serial Number	Least Significant eight bits of the serial number
0x3F	7:0		Byte 1 of the serial number
0x40	7:0		Byte 2 of the serial number
0x41	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of the serial number

TABLE 3-13: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLoǫ® TECHNOLOGY AUTHORIZATION KEY CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x44	7:0	Authorization Key	Least Significant eight bits of the authorization key
0x45	7:0		Byte 1 of the authorization key
0x46	7:0		Byte 2 of the authorization key
0x47	7:0		Byte 3 of the authorization key
0x48	7:0		Byte 4 of the authorization key
0x49	7:0		Byte 5 of the authorization key
0x4A	7:0		Byte 6 of the authorization key
0x4B	7:0		Byte 7 of the authorization key
0x4C	7:0		Byte 8 of the authorization key
0x4D	7:0		Byte 9 of the authorization key
0x4E	7:0		Byte 10 of the authorization key
0x4F	7:0		Byte 11 of the authorization key
0x50	7:0		Byte 12 of the authorization key
0x51	7:0		Byte 13 of the authorization key
0x52	7:0		Byte 14 of the authorization key
0x53	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of the authorization key

TABLE 3-14: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLoǫ® TECHNOLOGY ENCODER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x54	7:6	Seed Option	`00` = No seed
			`01` = Limited and immediate
			`10` = Permanent and delayed
			`11` = Permanent and immediate
	5:2	Reserved	Leave '`0000`'
	1:0	Time Element Clock Prescaler	`00` = 1:1
			`01` = 1:4
			`10` = 1:16
			`11` = 1:64

TABLE 3-14: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏǫ® TECHNOLOGY ENCODER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

0x55	7	Reserved	Leave '0'
	6:5	Blank Alternate Code Word Configuration	00 = All words transmitted
			01 = One in two words transmitted
			10 = One in four words transmitted
			11 = Reserved; illegal value
	4:1	Reserved	
	0	Line Encoding	0 = PWM
			1 = Manchester

TABLE 3-15: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏǫ® TECHNOLOGY TRANSMITTER CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x56	7:5	Frequency Deviation	Low three bits of frequency deviation calculation (see **Section 6.4 "Center Frequency and Frequency Deviation"**)
	4	Output Power	0 = 0 dBm
			1 = +10 dBm
	3:0	Reserved	Reserved, maintain as '1100'
0x57	7	Reserved	Reserved, maintain as '0'
	6	Data Encoding	0 = FSK
			1 = OOK
	5	Band	0 = 310-450 MHz
			1 = 868-870, 902-928 MHz
	4:0	Frequency Deviation	High five bits of frequency deviation calculation (see **Section 6.4 "Center Frequency and Frequency Deviation"**)

TABLE 3-16: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏǫ® TECHNOLOGY MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM CODE WORDS COUNT CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x58	7:0	Minimum Code Word Count	Integer value of the minimum number of code words sent
0x59	7:0	Maximum Code Word Count	Least Significant eight bits of value of the maximum number of code words sent
0x5A	7:0		Most Significant eight bits of value of the maximum number of code words sent

TABLE 3-17: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏǫ® TECHNOLOGY TIME ELEMENT VALUE CONFIGURATION REGISTER

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x5B	7:0	Time Element Timer Value	See **Section 5.2 "Encoder Time-Stamp"**

TABLE 3-18: ENCODER FREQUENCY CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x5C	7:0	RF Frequency	Least Significant Byte of encoder frequency
0x5D	7:0		Middle byte of encoder frequency
0x5E	7:0		Most Significant Byte of encoder frequency

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TABLE 3-19: ENCODER BUTTON ASSIGNMENT CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x5F	7	Encoder Assignment when S0, S1, S2 active; S3 inactive	0 = Classic KEELOQ®
	6	Encoder Assignment when S1, S2 active; S0, S3 inactive	1 = Ultimate KEELOQ®
	5	Encoder Assignment when S0, S2 active; S1, S3 inactive	
	4	Encoder Assignment when S2 active; S0, S1, S3 inactive	
	3	Encoder Assignment when S0, S1 active; S2, S3 inactive	
	2	Encoder Assignment when S1 active; S0, S2, S3 inactive	
	1	Encoder Assignment when S0 active; S1, S2, S3 inactive	
	0	Reserved	
0x60	7	Encoder Assignment when S0, S1, S2, S3 active	
	6	Encoder Assignment when S1, S2, S3 active; S0 inactive	
	5	Encoder Assignment when S0, S2, S3 active; S1 inactive	
	4	Encoder Assignment when S2, S3 active; S0, S1 inactive	
	3	Encoder Assignment when S0, S1, S3 active; S2 inactive	
	2	Encoder Assignment when S1, S3 active; S0, S2 inactive	
	1	Encoder Assignment when S0, S3 active; S1, S2 inactive	
	0	Encoder Assignment when S3 active; S0, S1, S2 inactive	

TABLE 3-20: SEED BUTTON ASSIGNMENT CONFIGURATION REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x61	7	Seed Assignment when S0, S1, S2 active; S3 inactive	0 = Typical transmission
	6	Seed Assignment when S1, S2 active; S0, S3 inactive	1 = Seed transmission
	5	Seed Assignment when S0, S2 active; S1, S3 inactive	
	4	Seed Assignment when S2 active; S0, S1, S3 inactive	
	3	Seed Assignment when S0, S1 active; S2, S3 inactive	
	2	Seed Assignment when S1 active; S0, S2, S3 inactive	
	1	Seed Assignment when S0 active; S1, S2, S3 inactive	
	0	Reserved	
0x62	7	Seed Assignment when S0, S1, S2, S3 active	
	6	Seed Assignment when S1, S2, S3 active; S0 inactive	
	5	Seed Assignment when S0, S2, S3 active; S1 inactive	
	4	Seed Assignment when S2, S3 active; S0, S1 inactive	
	3	Seed Assignment when S0, S1, S3 active; S2 inactive	
	2	Seed Assignment when S1, S3 active; S0, S2 inactive	
	1	Seed Assignment when S0, S3 active; S1, S2 inactive	
	0	Seed Assignment when S3 active; S0, S1, S2 inactive	

TABLE 3-21: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏꞯ® TECHNOLOGY SYNCHRONIZATION COUNTER INITIAL VALUE REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x63	7:0	Synchronization Counter Value, Primary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x64	7:0		Middle byte of counter value
0x65	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value
0x66	7:0	Synchronization Counter CRC	See **Section 3.1 "Counter and Timer Protection"**
0x72	7:0	Synchronization Counter Value, Secondary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x73	7:0		Middle byte of counter value
0x74	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value

TABLE 3-22: CLASSIC KᴇᴇLᴏꞯ® TECHNOLOGY SYNCHRONIZATION COUNTER INITIAL VALUE REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x67	7:0	Synchronization Counter Value, Primary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x68	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value
0x69	7:0	Synchronization Counter CRC	See **Section 3.1 "Counter and Timer Protection"**
0x76	7:0	Synchronization Counter Value, Secondary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x77	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value

TABLE 3-23: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏꞯ® TECHNOLOGY RESET COUNTER INITIAL VALUE REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x6A	7:0	Synchronization Counter Value, Primary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x6B	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value
0x6C	7:0	Synchronization Counter CRC	See **Section 3.1 "Counter and Timer Protection"**
0x79	7:0	Synchronization Counter Value, Secondary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x7A	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value

TABLE 3-24: ULTIMATE KᴇᴇLᴏꞯ® TECHNOLOGY TIMER INITIAL VALUE REGISTERS

Byte Address	Bit	Description	Values
0x6D	7:0	Timer Value, Primary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x6E	7:0		Byte 1 of the counter value
0x6F	7:0		Byte 2 of the counter value
0x70	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value
0x71	7:0	Timer CRC	See **Section 3.1 "Counter and Timer Protection"**
0x7C	7:0	Timer Value, Secondary Copy	Least Significant Byte of counter value
0x7D	7:0		Byte 1 of the counter value
0x7E	7:0		Byte 2 of the counter value
0x7F	7:0		Most Significant Byte of counter value

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4.0 CLASSIC KEELOQ® TECHNOLOGY OPERATION

4.1 Synchronization Counter

This is the 16-bit synchronization value that is used to create the hopping code for transmission. This value will be incremented after every transmission. The initial value of the synchronization counter may be set via the Synchronization Counter Initial Value registers (see Table 3-22).

4.2 DISC Bits

The Discrimination bits are used to validate the decrypted code word. The discrimination value is typically programmed with the ten Least Significant bits of the serial number or some other fixed value, as desired by the manufacturer.

The Discrimination bits are programmed into the Configuration registers at program-time. See Table 3-5.

4.3 Function Code (Button Status Code)

The function code is a bitmapped representation of the state of each button on the transmitter. States are active-high.

TABLE 4-1: CLASSIC KEELOQ® BUTTON CODE TRANSLATION

Button	Function Code
S0	xxx1
S1	xx1x
S2	x1xx
S3	1xxx

4.4 Serial Number

Each Classic KEELOQ encoder transmits its 28-bit serial number with each transmission. It is intended that this serial number be unique to a system. It is set in the Serial Number Configuration registers, described in Table 3-4.

4.5 Code Word Format

FIGURE 4-1: CLASSIC KEELOQ® CODE WORD FORMAT

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			34 bits Fixed Portion			32 bits Encrypted Portion		
Blank	Function Code	Serial Number		Function Code	Counter Over Flow	DISC	Sync Counter	
2-bits	4-bits	28-bits		4-bits	2-bits	10-bits	16-bits	
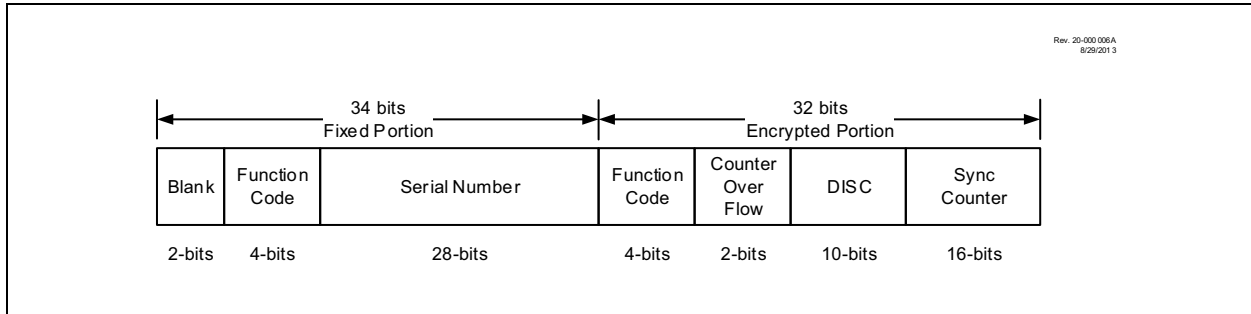
4.5.1 HOPPING CODE PORTION

The hopping code portion is calculated by encrypting the synchronization counter, discrimination value and function code with the encoder key. The hopping code is calculated when a button press is registered.

4.5.2 FIXED CODE PORTION

The fixed code portion consists of 28 bits of the serial number and a copy of the 4-bit function code. Two bits of constant zero are prepended to the fixed code portion.

4.5.3 SEED WORD FORMAT

A seed transmission transmits a code word that consists of 60 bits of fixed data that is stored in the NVM by the manufacturer. This can be used for secure learning of encoders or whenever a fixed code transmission is required. The seed code word format is shown is Figure 4-2. The function code for a seed transmission is always '1111'.

The seed word is transmitted whenever a seed-configured button combination is registered. If the *Delayed* option is enabled, the encoder will transmit 25 typical code words before transmitting seed words. If the *Limited* option is enabled, the seed word will only be transmitted if the encoder's synchronization counter is less than 256. If the synchronization counter is above this, a typical code word will be transmitted instead.

FIGURE 4-2: CLASSIC KEELOQ® SEED WORD FORMAT

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	6 bits Fixed		60 bits Seed
Blank	Function Code		Serial Number
2-bits	4-bits		60-bits

Note: In Seed code word, the fixed portion is sent as 0b001111.

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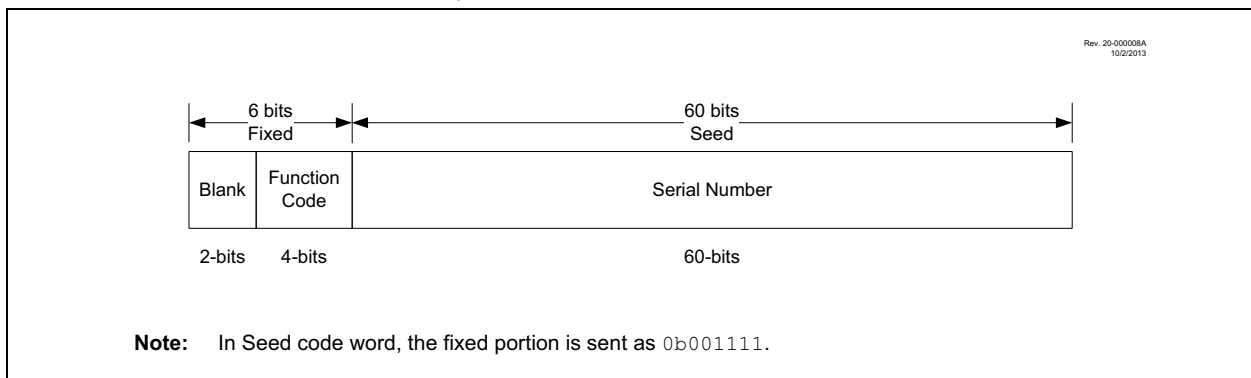
5.0 ULTIMATE KEELOQ TECHNOLOGY OPERATION

5.1 Synchronization Counter

The synchronization counter is an always-incrementing, event-based counter. The counter is incremented whenever a new button combination is registered and a new code word is prepared.

For increased security, the synchronization counter will not overflow. The device will cease operating when the counter reaches its maximum value.

The initial value of the synchronization counter may be set via the Synchronization Counter Initial Value registers (see Table 3-21).

5.2 Encoder Time-Stamp

MCS3142 requires an external 31.768 kHz oscillator connected to the secondary oscillator drive pins of the internal timer. This timer is used to track the passage of time over the lifetime of the encoder. Each Ultimate KEELOQ transmission includes this time with quarter-second resolution (i.e., each count represents one quarter of a second).

The initial value of the timer may be set at programming time via the Timer Initial Value registers, described in Table 3-24.

5.3 Function Code

The function code is a bitmapped representation of the state of each button on the transmitter. States are active-high.

TABLE 5-1: ULTIMATE KEELOQ® FUNCTION CODE TRANSLATION

Button	Function Code
S0	xxx1
S1	xx1x
S2	x1xx
S3	1xxx

5.4 Battery Level and Low Battery Flag

Each Ultimate KEELOQ transmission contains a battery level indicator byte. It includes a 7-bit digital representation of the battery level and a 1-bit low battery flag. The battery level is captured by measuring an on-board 1.024V source using the battery as reference. The low battery flag is high whenever the measured battery voltage is estimated to be below 2.5V. Equation 5-1 converts the reference value into a voltage.

EQUATION 5-1:

$$V_{BAT} = \frac{1.024 \times 2^7}{BATT}$$

5.5 Button Press Timer

The button press timer is a high-resolution timer representing the duration of the current button press at the time the code word was prepared. Each count represents 50 ms of time. It resets whenever a new button combination is registered.

5.6 Delta Time

The delta time represents the elapsed time since the previous code word was sent. The timer increments every second.

5.7 Reset Counter

The Reset counter is an always-incrementing counter representing the number of Power-on Reset events experienced by the device. It is intended to be used by the receiver as an indication that the transmitter has been without power and that there will be a discrepancy in the time-stamp.

For increased security, the Reset counter will not overflow. The device will cease operating when the counter reaches its maximum value.

The initial value of the Reset counter may be set using the Reset Counter Configuration registers, described in Table 3-23.

5.8 Authorization Code

The Authorization Code is a cryptographically-strong industry standard representation of the code word suitable for authentication and integrity verification. It is generated by using the on-board AES encryption algorithm in CBC-MAC mode. The calculation takes place over the entire code word, including the encrypted and unencrypted portions, using the Authorization Key as input. Figure 5-1 shows a representation of how this calculation is performed. This calculation is truncated to its Least Significant 32 bits for transmission.

The Authorization Code requires a shared secret called the Authorization Key. This key is set in the Authorization Key Configuration Register, described in Table 3-13.

FIGURE 5-1: **AUTHORIZATION CODE CALCULATION**
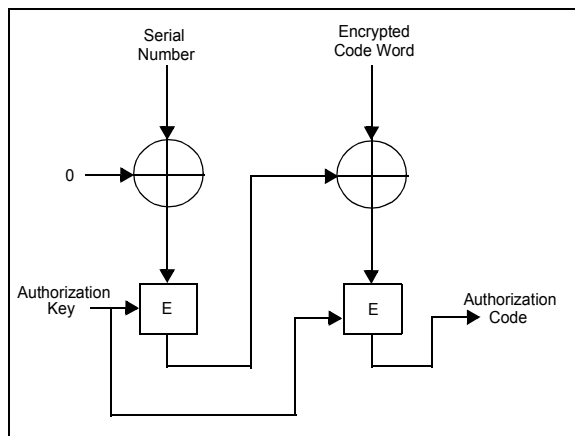
5.9 Serial Number

Each Ultimate KEELOQ encoder transmits its 32-bit serial number with each transmission. It is intended that this serial number be unique to a system. It is set in the Serial Number Configuration registers, described in Table 3-12.

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5.10   Code Word Format

The Ultimate KEELOQ technology code word is 192 bits long. It comprises three sections (see Figure 5-2):

* 32 bits of the encoder's serial number
* 128 bits of the encrypted hopping code
* 32 bits of authorization code

These segments are described in detail in the following sections.

FIGURE 5-2:   ULTIMATE KEELOQ® CODE WORD FORMAT

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Serial Number	Delta Time	Sync Counter	Battery	Function Code	Low Speed Timestamp	Button Timer	Resync Counter	Authorization Code
32-bits	24-bits	24-bits	8-bits	8-bits	32-bits	16-bits	16-bits	32-bits

32 bits Fixed Portion | 128 bits Encrypted Hopping Code | 32 bits Auth Portion
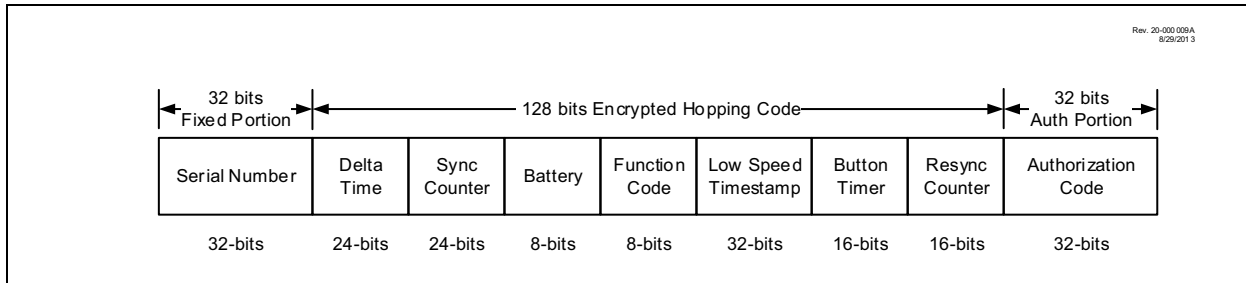
5.10.1   HOPPING CODE PORTION

The hopping portion of an Ultimate KEELOQ code word contains nearly all of the transmitted data. The time-stamp and Button Timer ensure that each transmission is unique.

5.10.2   FIXED CODE PORTION

The fixed, unencrypted portion of an Ultimate KEELOQ code word consists of the encoder's serial number. Unlike Classic KEELOQ, there is no copy of the function code.

5.10.3   AUTHORIZATION CODE

The 32-bit Authorization Code is appended after the hopping portion of the code word.

5.11   Seed Word Format

The seed word is used when pairing the transmitter to a receiver using a secure learn methodology.

FIGURE 5-3:   ULTIMATE KEELOQ® SEED WORD FORMAT

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Serial Number	Seed	Authorization Code

32 bits Fixed Portion | 128 bit Seed | 32 bits Auth Portion

Note: In the Seed code word, the serial number is sent as `0xFFFFFFFF`.

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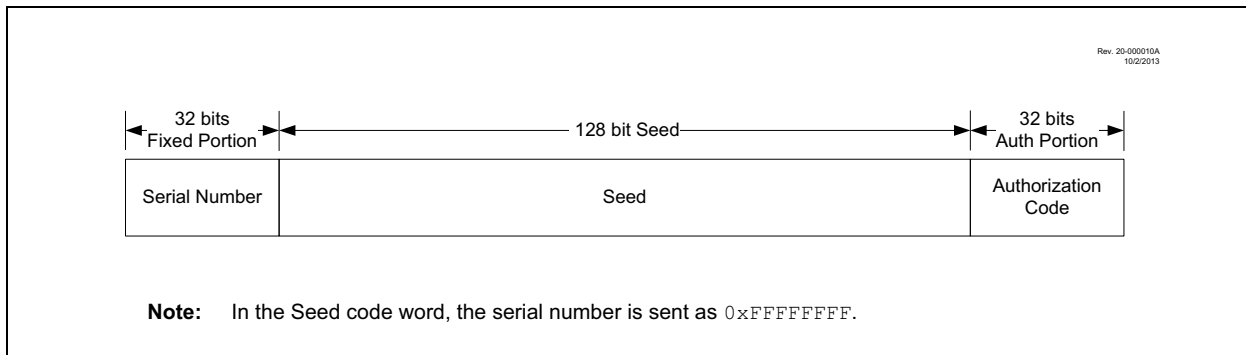
6.0   TRANSMITTER OPERATION

6.1   Data Modulation Format and Baud Rate

A transmission is made of up several code words. Each code word contains a preamble, header and data. A code word is separated from another code word by guard time.

All timing specifications for the modulation formats are based on a basic Time Element, described as T_E. See **Section 6.2 "Baud Rate"** for details on baud rate calculation. This timing element can be set to a wide range of values. The length of the preamble, header and guard is fixed.

The data modulation format is selected for each encoder. See Table 3-6 for the Classic KEELOQ encoder and Table 3-14 for Ultimate KEELOQ encoder.

FIGURE 6-1:   PWM TRANSMISSION FORMAT
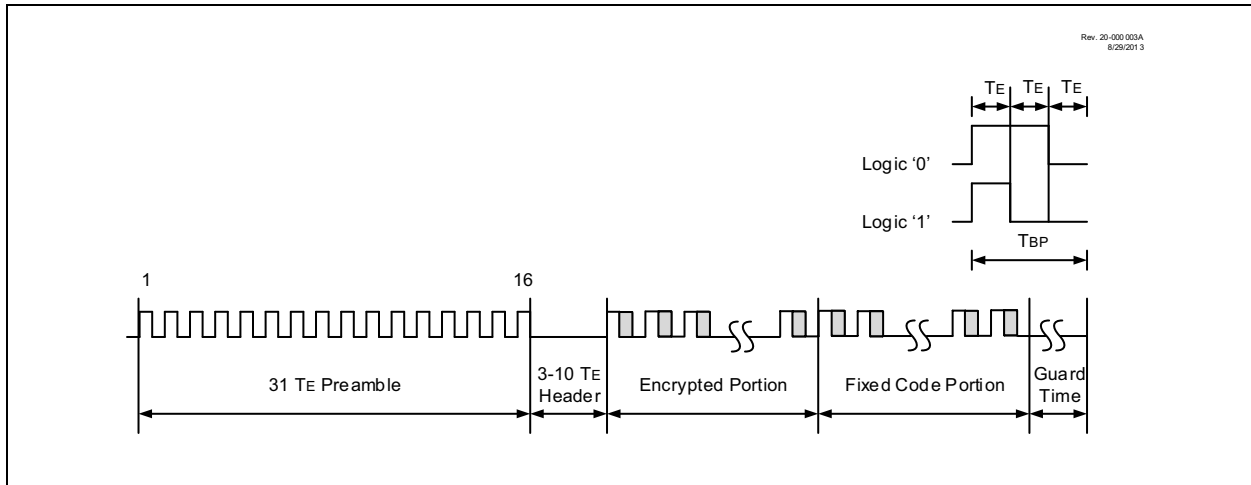
FIGURE 6-2:   MANCHESTER TRANSMISSION FORMAT
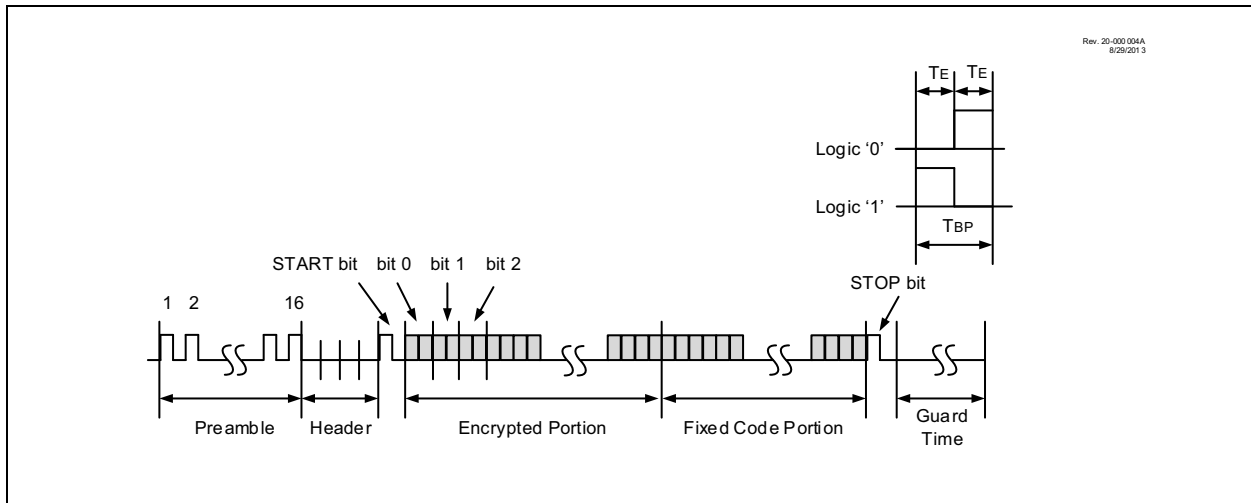
6.2 Baud Rate

The baud rate of an encoder's transmission is highly configurable using two configuration options:

• The Time Element Clock Prescaler
• The Time Element Clock Value

Each encoder has its own independent configuration and can therefore operate at a rate independent of the other encoder. See Table 3-6 and Table 3-9 for the Classic KEELOQ encoder and Table 3-14 and Table 3-17 for the Ultimate KEELOQ encoder.

The Time Element is calculated using the formula in Equation 6-1.

EQUATION 6-1:

$$T_E = PRE \times TIME \times \frac{4}{8 \times 10^6}$$

Table 3-17 lists appropriate settings for some baud rates common to KEELOQ systems.

TABLE 6-1:   CONFIGURATION FOR COMMON BAUD RATES

T_E (µs)	PRE	TIME
100	1:1	200
200	1:4	100
400	1:4	200
800	1:16	100

6.3 Transmission Modulation Format

The RF transmission can be configured to modulate using Frequency-Shift Keying (FSK) or On-Off Keying (OOK). Each encoder may be configured independently. See Table 3-7 and Table 3-15 for the Classic KEELOQ and Ultimate KEELOQ encoders, respectively.

6.4 Center Frequency and Frequency Deviation

The RF transmitter is capable of generating many of the popular RF frequencies that are permitted within the radio regulations of the country the finished product will be sold. The RF frequency configuration is performed by selecting the frequency band, the reference crystal frequency and the frequency value to be stored in the Encoder Frequency Configuration register. If FSK modulation is used, the frequency deviation is set in the Transmitter Configuration register.

Unlike other configuration options, the two encoders of the MCS3142 device share the same frequency configuration, which is shown in Table 3-18. Frequency deviation is individually configurable. See Table 3-7 and Table 3-15 for the Classic KEELOQ and Ultimate KEELOQ encoders, respectively.

6.4.1 BAND SELECTION

The Band bit in the Transmitter Configuration register configures the RF transmitter for a range of frequencies for a given crystal frequency, as shown in Table 6-2. The Transmitter Configuration registers are shown in Table 3-7 for the Classic KEELOQ encoder and Table 3-15 for the Ultimate KEELOQ encoder.

Although each encoder has its own band selection configuration, the requirements of proper antenna tuning and the inability to configure the fundamental frequency per encoder will likely require that this setting be identical for both encoders.

TABLE 6-2:   FREQUENCY CALCULATION[1]

Reference Oscillator (f_{REF})	Band	Frequency Range (f_{RF})	f_{RF} Equation	f_{DEV} Equation
22 MHz	0	310-450 MHz	$DF = 2^{14}\dfrac{f_{RF}}{f_{REF}}$	$DA = 2^{14}\dfrac{f_{DEV}}{f_{REF}}$
24 MHz		312-450 MHz		
26 MHz		338-450 MHz		
	1	860-928 MHz	$DF = 2^{13}\dfrac{f_{RF}}{f_{REF}}$	$DA = 2^{13}\dfrac{f_{DEV}}{f_{REF}}$

Note 1: $212992 < DF < 344064$ and $10\ \text{kHz} \leq f_{DEV} \leq 200\text{kHz}$.

The reference crystal frequency tolerance and frequency stability over the operating temperature range depend on the system frequency budget. Typically, the receiver crystal frequency tolerance, stability and receiver bandwidth will have the greatest influence. For OOK modulation, the transmitted RF signal should remain inside the receiver bandwidth, otherwise signal degradation will occur. For FSK modulation, f_{RF} should remain inside the receiver bandwidth and within $0.5\ f_{DEV}$.

As a general practice, do not choose an RF transmit signal with an integer or near integer multiple of f_{XTAL}. This will result in higher noise and spurious emissions.

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6.4.2 CRYSTAL SELECTION

Once the frequency band has been selected, the choice of crystal frequency is flexible provided the crystal meets the specifications summarized in Table 6-3, the boundaries of the Encoder Frequency Configuration value are followed and the RF transmit frequency error is acceptable to the system design.

TABLE 6-3: CRYSTAL RESONATOR SPECIFICATIONS

Symbol	Description	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
f_{REF}	Crystal Frequency	22	—	26	MHz
C_L	Load Capacitance	—	15	—	pF
ESR	Equivalent Series Resistance	—	—	100	Ω

6.4.3 FREQUENCY CALCULATION

Once the frequency band and crystal frequency are selected, the transmit frequency is calculated by setting the Encoder Frequency Configuration bits according to the formula shown in Table 6-2. If the calculated value for Encoder Frequency Configuration is not an integer, there will be an associated transmit frequency error.

6.4.4 POWER OUTPUT

The RF output power is configurable to either +0 dBm or +10 dBm (typical). This option is configurable for each encoder. See Table 3-7 for the Classic KEELOQ encoder and Table 3-15 for the Ultimate KEELOQ encoder.

7.0 DEVICE OPERATION

7.1 $\overline{\text{LED}}$ Operation

The $\overline{\text{LED}}$ pin will be driven low periodically while MCS3142 is transmitting data. This output is designed to drive an external LED with an appropriate current-limiting resistor. The duty cycle varies between normal operation and a low battery condition (see Figure 7-1). Refer to **Section 5.4 "Battery Level and Low Battery Flag"** for details on low battery conditions.

FIGURE 7-1: LED OPERATION
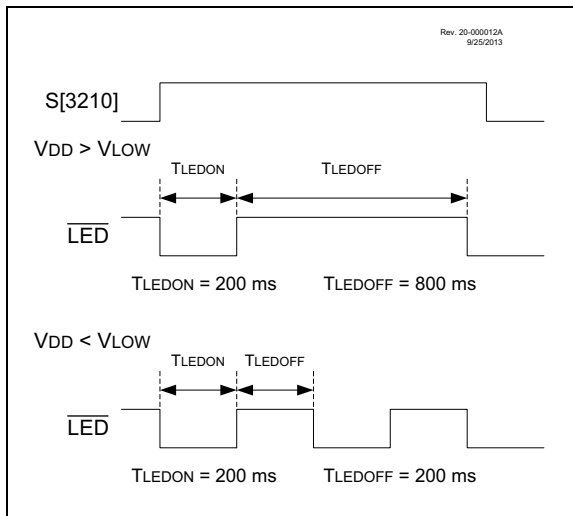
7.2 Button Configuration

MCS3142 allows all combinations of the four buttons to be individually assigned to an encoder. Each combination can also be assigned to transmit either a typical code word or a seed word for the assigned encoder. This gives complete flexibility to the system designer.

The button configuration is stored as two 16-bit words. Each bit in a Configuration Word represents one particular combination of active/inactive states of the buttons. The bit is determined by taking the four switches as one 4-bit value, with S0 being Least Significant, followed by S1, S2 and S3. For example, the Configuration bit corresponding to S1 and S2 active (or binary '1') and S0 and S3 inactive (or binary '0') is given by $\{S_3 S_2 S_1 S_0\} = \{0110\}_2 = 6$. Configuration bit zero is considered "do not care" as it represents all buttons in their inactive state, which is a special condition for the encoder.

One Configuration Word controls the encoder assignment, with a '0' representing the Classic KEELOQ encoder and a '1' representing the Ultimate KEELOQ encoder. The second word controls transmission type, with '0' representing a typical transmission and '1' representing a seed transmission. Because the MCS3142 memory is byte-oriented, each 16-bit Configuration Word is stored as two 8-bit bytes in "little endian" order. See Table 3-19 for encoder assignment and Table 3-20 for seed assignment.

Table 7-1 may assist in calculating configuration values by iterating all button state combinations in the order in which they correspond to Configuration bits. In this worksheet, each column represents a specific set of states of the buttons, which in turn represents one bit in the Configuration Word. A stated button, for example S0 or S1, represents that button in its active state. A hyphen in place of a switch label represents that switch in its inactive state. Once all states have been assigned an encoder and a transmission type, the result can be examined as a 16-bit binary number and transcribed into the configuration values.

TABLE 7-1: BUTTON CONFIGURATION WORKSHEET

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7.3 Code Word Completion

MCS3142 always ensures that a full and complete code word is transmitted even if all buttons are released before transmission is complete. Multiple code words may be transmitted after release to comply with the minimum code word configuration option.

7.4 Minimum and Maximum Code Word

The Minimum and Maximum Code Word feature places boundaries on the total duration of a transmission.

This feature is configured by setting the number of code words for a given encoder. The device will always transmit a complete code word. Because the code word durations are fixed and known, it is possible to convert code word counts into a duration time.

Code word duration is fixed and based on the selected bit rate, data encoding method and encoder type. As described in **Section 6.1 "Data Modulation Format and Baud Rate"**, all timing is derived from T_E, the Time Element, which describes the duration of a single element of transmission. A Manchester-encoded signal has two T_E per bit; a PWM-encoded signal has three T_E per bit.

This feature is configured with the Minimum and Maximum Code Words Count Configuration registers (see Table 3-8 for the Classic KEELOQ encoder and Table 3-16 for the Ultimate KEELOQ encoder). Table 7-2 defines equations to convert code word length into time.
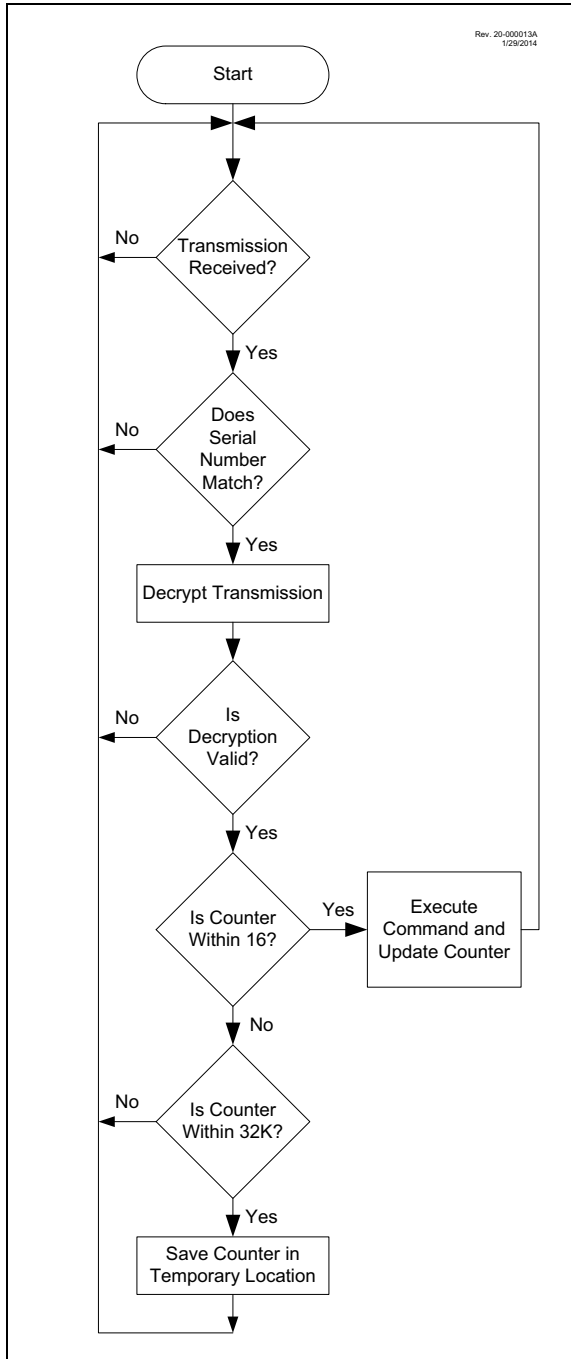
TABLE 7-2: TRANSMISSION DURATION EQUATIONS

Encoder Type	Data Encoding	Code Word Duration
Classic KEELOQ® Encoder	Manchester	$T_C = 187 T_E + 23.979 \text{ ms}$
	PWM	$T_C = 201 T_E + 23.979 \text{ ms}$
Ultimate KEELOQ® Encoder	Manchester	$T_C = 437 T_E + 46.527 \text{ ms}$
	PWM	$T_C = 629 T_E + 46.527 \text{ ms}$

7.5 Blank Alternate Code Word

The Blank Alternate Code Word feature may be used to reduce the average power of a transmission by transmitting only every second or every fourth code word. Enabling this option may allow the manufacturer to transmit a higher amplitude transmission as the time-averaged power is reduced. This feature is configured in the Encoder Configuration registers, see Table 3-6 for the Classic KEELOQ encoder and Table 3-14 for the Ultimate KEELOQ encoder.

8.0 INTEGRATING MCS3142 INTO A SYSTEM

FIGURE 8-1:   TYPICAL DECODER OPERATION

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                    ┌──────────┐
                    │  Start   │
                    └──────────┘
                         │
          No      ◇ Transmission ◇
         ◄────────  Received?
                         │ Yes
          No      ◇ Does Serial ◇
         ◄────────  Number
                     Match?
                         │ Yes
                 ┌─────────────────┐
                 │ Decrypt         │
                 │ Transmission    │
                 └─────────────────┘
                         │
          No      ◇ Is Decryption ◇
         ◄────────  Valid?
                         │ Yes
          Yes                      ┌──────────────┐
  ◇ Is Counter ◇ ──────────────►  │ Execute      │
    Within 16?                     │ Command and  │
                         │ No      │ Update Counter│
                                   └──────────────┘
          No
         ◄────────◇ Is Counter ◇
                    Within 32K?
                         │ Yes
                 ┌─────────────────┐
                 │ Save Counter in │
                 │ Temporary       │
                 │ Location        │
                 └─────────────────┘
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8.1 Decoder Operation

The decoder waits until a transmission is received. The received serial number is compared to the EEPROM table of learned transmitters to first determine if this transmitter's use is allowed in the system. If from a paired transmitter, the transmission is decrypted using the stored crypt key and authenticated via the Discrimination bits for appropriate crypt key usage. If the decryption is valid, the synchronization value is evaluated (see Figure 8-1).

8.2 Synchronization with a Decoder

> **Note:** The synchronization method described in this section is an exemplar method. It may be altered to fit the needs and capabilities of a particular system.

The KEELOQ technology includes a sophisticated synchronization technique that does not require the calculation and storage of future codes. The technique securely blocks invalid transmission while providing transparent resynchronization to transmitters inadvertently activated away from the receiver.

Figure 8-2 shows a three-partition, rotating Synchronization window. The size of each window is optional but the technique is fundamental. Each time a transmission is authenticated, the intended function is executed and the transmission's synchronization counter value is stored in EEPROM. From the currently stored counter value there is an initial Single Operation Forward window of 16 codes. If the difference between a received synchronization counter and the last stored counter is within 16, the intended function will be executed on a single button press and the new synchronization counter will be stored. Storing the new synchronization counter value effectively rotates the entire Synchronization window.

A Double Operation (Resynchronization) window further exists from the Single Operation window up to 32K code forward of the currently stored counter value. It is referred to as Double Operation because a transmission with a synchronization counter in this window will require an additional, sequential counter transmission prior to executing the intended function. Upon receiving the sequential transmission the decoder executes the intended function and stores the synchronization counter value. This resynchronization occurs transparently to the user, as it is human nature to press the button a second time if the first was unsuccessful.

The third window is a Blocked window ranging from the Double Operation window to the currently stored synchronization counter value. Any transmission with synchronization counter value within this window will be ignored. This window excludes previously used code-grabbed transmissions from accessing the system.

FIGURE 8-2: **SYNCHRONIZATION WINDOW**
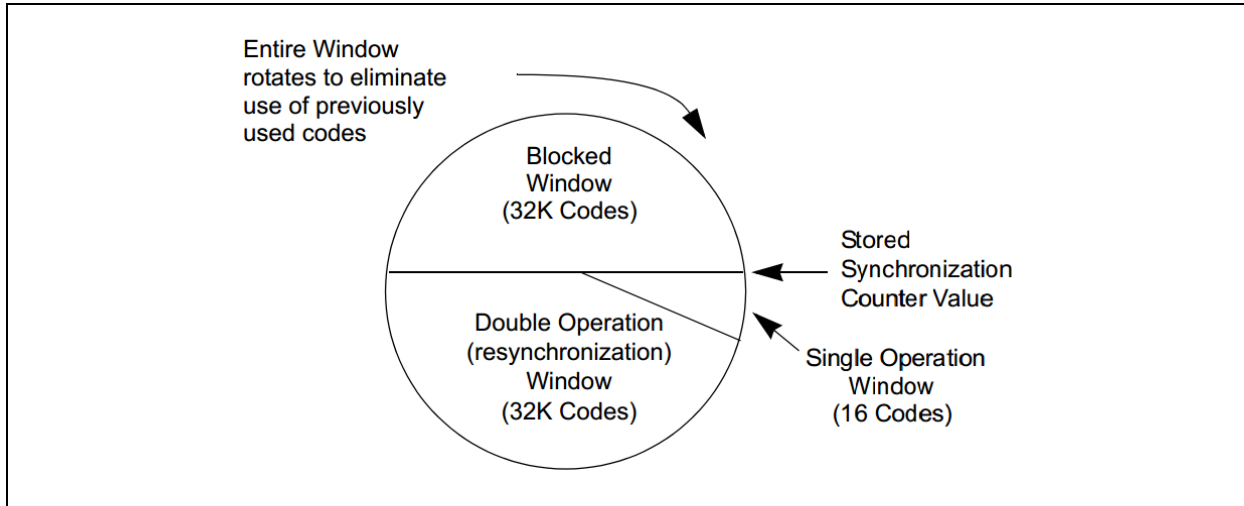
8.3 Security Considerations

The strength of this security is based on keeping a secret inside the transmitter that can be verified by encrypted transmissions to a trained receiver. The transmitter's secret is the manufacturer's key, not the encryption algorithm. If that key is compromised, then a smart transceiver can capture any serial number, create a valid code word and trick all receivers trained with that serial number. The key cannot be read from the EEPROM without costly die probing, but it can be calculated by brute force decryption attacks on transmitted code words. The cost for these attacks should exceed what the manufacturer would want to protect.

To protect the security of other receivers with the same manufacturer's code, the manufacturer should use the random seed for secure learn. It is a second secret that is unique for each transmitter. Its transmission on a special button press combination can be disabled if the receiver has another way to find it, or limited to the first 127 transmissions for the receiver to learn it. This way, it is very unlikely to ever be captured. If a manufacturer's key is compromised, clone transmitters can be created, but without the unique seed, they have to be relearned by the receiver. In the same way, if the transmissions are decrypted by brute force on a computer, the random seed hides the manufacturer's key and prevents more than one transmitter from being compromised.

The length of the code word at these baud rates make brute force attacks that guess the hopping code take years. To make the receiver less susceptible to this attack, it should test *all* bits in the decrypted code for the correct value, not just the low counter bits and function code.

The main benefit of hopping codes is to prevent the retransmission of captured code words. This works very well for code words which the receiver decodes. Its weakness is that, if a code is captured when the receiver misses it, the code may trick the receiver once if it is used before the next valid transmission. The receiver should increment the counter on questionable code word receptions. The transmitter should use separate buttons for lock and unlock functions. A different method would be to require two different buttons in sequence to gain access.

There are more ways to make KEELOQ systems more secure, but they all have trade-offs. The user should find a balance between security, design effort and usability, particularly in failure modes. For example, if a button sticks or kids play with it, the counter should not advance into the Blocked Code window, rendering the transmitter useless or requiring retraining.

9.0   ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

9.1   Absolute Maximum Ratings[†]

Ambient temperature under bias.. -40°C to +85°C

Storage temperature .... -55°C to +150°C

Voltage on pins with respect to V_{SS}

    on V_{DD} pin .... -0.3V to +4V

    on all other pins .... -0.3V to (V_{DD} + 0.3V)

Maximum current

    on any output pin .... ±25 mA

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† NOTICE: Stresses above those listed under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only and functional operation of the device at those or any other conditions above those indicated in the operation listings of this specification is not implied. Exposure above maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

9.2   Standard Operating Conditions

The standard operating conditions for any device are defined as:

Operating Voltage: $V_{DDMIN} \leq V_{DD} \leq V_{DDMAX}$
Operating Temperature: $T_{A\_MIN} \leq T_A \leq T_{A\_MAX}$

V_{DD} — Operating Supply Voltage

    V_{DDMIN} .... +1.8V

    V_{DDMAX} .... +3.6V

T_A — Operating Ambient Temperature Range

    T_{A_MIN} .... -40°C

    T_{A_MAX}.. +85°C

I_{DD} — Supply Current

    At 315 MHz, +10 dBm, FSK, typical[1] .... +15 mA

    At 315 MHz, +10 dBm, OOK, typical[1] .... +11 mA

    At 315 MHz, +0 dBm, FSK, typical[1] .... +9 mA

    At 915 MHz, +10 dBm, FSK, typical[1] .... +17.5 mA

    At 915 MHz, +0 dBm, FSK, typical[1] .... +10.5 mA

I_{PD} — Standby Current

    V_{DD} = 3 V, typical[1]... +2.3 µA

    V_{DD} = 3 V, maximum.. +4 µA

V_{IH} — Input High Voltage, minimum... 0.25 V_{DD} + 0.8V

V_{IL} — Input Low Voltage, maximum ....0.15 V_{DD}

V_{OH} — Output High Voltage

    I_{OH} = 3 mA, V_{DD} = 3.3V, minimum ....V_{DD} – 0.7V

V_{OL} — Output Low Voltage

    I_{OL} = 6 mA, V_{DD} = 3.3V, maximum ....+0.6V

I_{LED} — LED Sink Current, maximum .... +25 mA

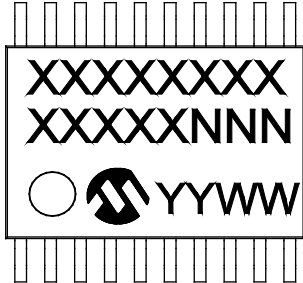
Note 1:   Typical values are at 25°C.

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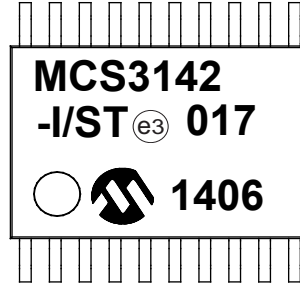
10.0 PACKAGING INFORMATION

10.1 Package Marking Information

20-Lead TSSOP   Example

Legend:	XX...X	Customer-specific information
	Y	Year code (last digit of calendar year)
	YY	Year code (last 2 digits of calendar year)
	WW	Week code (week of January 1 is week '01')
	NNN	Alphanumeric traceability code
	(e3)	Pb-free JEDEC® designator for Matte Tin (Sn)
	*	This package is Pb-free. The Pb-free JEDEC designator ((e3)) can be found on the outer packaging for this package.

| **Note**: | In the event the full Microchip part number cannot be marked on one line, it will be carried over to the next line, thus limiting the number of available characters for customer-specific information. |

* Standard PIC® device marking consists of Microchip part number, year code, week code, and traceability code. For PIC device marking beyond this, certain price adders apply. Please check with your Microchip Sales Office. For QTP devices, any special marking adders are included in QTP price.

10.2 Package Details

The following sections give the technical details of the packages.

20-Lead Plastic Thin Shrink Small Outline (ST) – 4.4 mm Body [TSSOP]

Note: For the most current package drawings, please see the Microchip Packaging Specification located at http://www.microchip.com/packaging
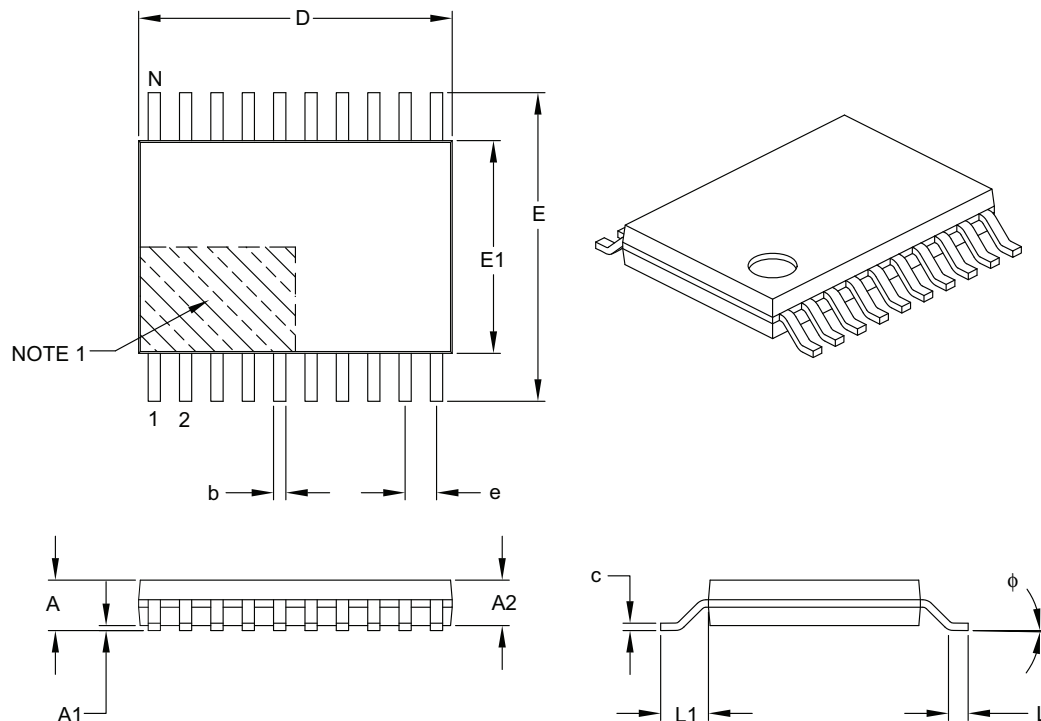
	Units	MILLIMETERS		
	Dimension Limits	MIN	NOM	MAX
Number of Pins	N		20	
Pitch	e		0.65 BSC	
Overall Height	A	–	–	1.20
Molded Package Thickness	A2	0.80	1.00	1.05
Standoff	A1	0.05	–	0.15
Overall Width	E		6.40 BSC	
Molded Package Width	E1	4.30	4.40	4.50
Molded Package Length	D	6.40	6.50	6.60
Foot Length	L	0.45	0.60	0.75
Footprint	L1		1.00 REF	
Foot Angle	φ	0°	–	8°
Lead Thickness	c	0.09	–	0.20
Lead Width	b	0.19	–	0.30

Notes:

1. Pin 1 visual index feature may vary, but must be located within the hatched area.
2. Dimensions D and E1 do not include mold flash or protrusions. Mold flash or protrusions shall not exceed 0.15 mm per side.
3. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
     BSC: Basic Dimension. Theoretically exact value shown without tolerances.
     REF: Reference Dimension, usually without tolerance, for information purposes only.

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20-Lead Plastic Thin Shrink Small Outline (ST) - 4.4 mm Body [TSSOP]

Note: For the most current package drawings, please see the Microchip Packaging Specification located at http://www.microchip.com/packaging

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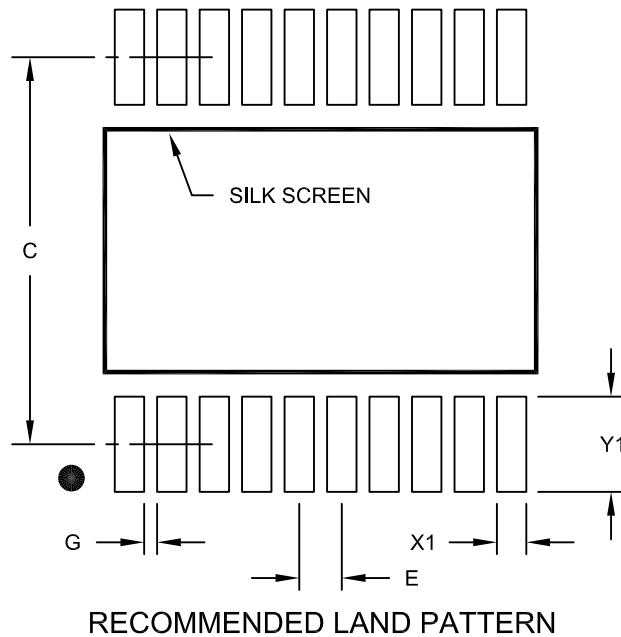
	Units	MILLIMETERS		
	Dimension Limits	MIN	NOM	MAX
Contact Pitch	E		0.65 BSC	
Contact Pad Spacing	C		5.90	
Contact Pad Width (X20)	X1			0.45
Contact Pad Length (X20)	Y1			1.45
Distance Between Pads	G	0.20		

Notes:
1. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M
   BSC: Basic Dimension. Theoretically exact value shown without tolerances.

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APPENDIX A: DATA SHEET REVISION HISTORY

Revision A (03/2014)

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PART NO. [X]⁽¹⁾ - X /XX XXX

Device | Tape and Reel Option | Temperature Range | Package | Pattern

Device: MCS3142

Tape and Reel Option: Blank = Standard packaging (tube or tray)
T = Tape and Reel⁽¹⁾

Temperature Range: I = -40°C to +85°C (Industrial)

Package:⁽²⁾ ST = TSSOP

Pattern: QTP, SQTP, Code or Special Requirements (blank otherwise)

Examples:

a) MCS3142 - I/ST
Industrial temperature,
TSSOP package

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