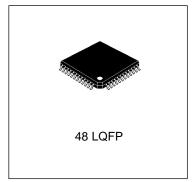
# Advance Information

# 12-bit Image Capture Engine with ADC / CDS / and digitally programmable PGA and DC offset voltage adjust

#### Features:

- High precision12-bit version of MCM10009
- 15 MSPS (Million Samples Per Second) maximum throughput (1 MSPS to 15 MSPS operating range)
- 12-bit, pipelined algorithmic RSD ADC (DNL ± 0.8 LSB, INL ±2.0 LSB)
- 4 multiplexed analog inputs with individual DC restore circuitry
- CDS sample and hold aids suppression of low frequency noise and correlated reset noise
- 18 dB of variable gain, programmable by an 8-bit Digital Programmable Gain Amplifier (DPGA), optimizes dynamic range, and facilitates white balance and iris adjustment
- 6-bit programmable DC offset adjustment
- On-chip dark level calibration circuitry controlled by external pin
- Interfaces to CCD or CMOS imager signal levels (1 V<sub>pp</sub> input)
- Fully differential analog signal processing pipeline for high noise immunity
- On-chip reference and bias voltages
- Three pin serial programming interface
- 175 mW average power @ 3.0 V supply voltage
- Standby power down mode and 3-state output enable
- Single supply, 3.0V 3.6V range operation
- Commercial temperature operating range of 0°C to 70°C





Ordering Information				
Device Package				
MCM10010EB	48 LQFP			

The MCM10010 is a fully integrated, high performance CMOS analog signal processing engine for color or monochrome digital imaging consumer applications, such as digital cameras, video conferencing and scanners. This part provides system designers a 12 bit ADC integrated together with the functional blocks required to build a complete analog signal processing pipeline.

Four multiplexed analog inputs, each with individually programmable digital gain registers, allows per pixel rate, gain balancing from user supplied data. These features combine to provide the user with a single chip solution to easily convert standard analog CCD and CMOS combined outputs to a twelve bit digital signal for subsequent signal processing.

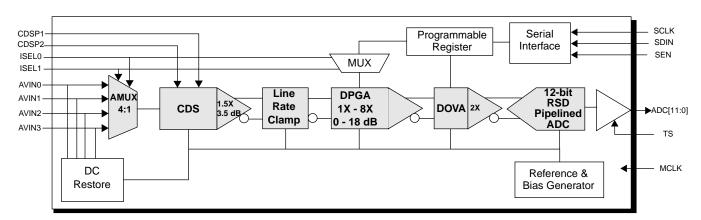


Figure 1. MCM10010 Simplified Block Diagram

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# ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS $^1$ (Voltages Referenced to $V_{SS}$ )

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V <sub>DD</sub>	DC Supply Voltage	-0.5 to 3.8	V
V <sub>in</sub>	DC Input Voltage	-0.5 to V <sub>DD</sub> + 0.5	V
V <sub>out</sub>	V <sub>out</sub> DC Output Voltage		V
I	DC Current Drain per Pin, Any Single Input or Output	±50	mA
I	DC Current Drain, V <sub>DD</sub> and V <sub>SS</sub> Pins	±100	mA
T <sub>STG</sub>	Storage Temperature Range	-65 to +150	°C
T <sub>L</sub>	Lead Temperature (10 second soldering)	300	°C

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Maximum Ratings are those values beyond which damage to the device may occur.

$$\begin{split} &V_{SS} = AV_{SS} = DV_{SS} = V_{SSO} \text{ (DV}_{SS} = V_{SS} \text{ of Digital circuit, AV}_{SS} = V_{SS} \text{ of Analog Circuit)} \\ &V_{DD} = AV_{DD} = DV_{DD} = V_{DDO} \text{ (DV}_{DD} = V_{DD} \text{ of Digital circuit, AV}_{DD} = V_{DD} \text{ of Analog Circuit)} \end{split}$$

## RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS (to guarantee functionality, voltage referenced to V<sub>SS</sub>)

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Max	Unit
V <sub>DD</sub>	DC Supply Voltage, V <sub>DD</sub> = 3.3V (Nominal)	3.0	3.6	V
T <sub>A</sub>	Operating Ambient Temperature	0	70	°C
TJ	Junction Temperature	0	125	°C

#### Notes:

- All parameters are characterized for DC conditions after thermal equilibrium has been established.
- Unused inputs must always be tied to an appropriate logic level, e.g., either  $V_{\mbox{SS}}$  or  $V_{\mbox{DD}}$ .
- This device contains circuitry to protect the inputs against damage due to high static voltages or electric fields; however, it is advised that normal precautions be taken to avoid application of any voltage higher than the maximum rated voltages to this high impedance circuit.
- For proper operation it is recommended that  $V_{in}$  and  $V_{out}$  be constrained to the range  $V_{SS} \le (V_{in} \text{ or } V_{out}) \le V_{DD}$ .

## DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (V<sub>DD</sub> = $3.3V \pm 0.3V$ , V<sub>DD</sub> referenced to V<sub>SS</sub>

			$T_A = 0$ °C to $70$ °C		
Symbol	Characteristic	Condition	Min	Max	Unit
V <sub>IH</sub>	Input High Voltage		2.0	V <sub>DD</sub> +0.3	V
V <sub>IL</sub>	Input Low Voltage		-0.3	0.8	V
I <sub>in</sub>	Input Leakage Current, No Pull-up Resistor	$V_{in} = V_{DD}$ or $V_{SS}$	-5	5	μΑ
I <sub>OH</sub>	Output High Current	$V_{DD} = Min, V_{OH} Min = 0.8 * V_{DD}$	-3		mA
I <sub>OL</sub>	Output Low Current	$V_{DD} = Min, V_{OL} Max = 0.4 V$	3		mA
V <sub>OH</sub>	Output High Voltage	$V_{DD} = Min, I_{OH} = -100\mu A$	V <sub>DD</sub> - 0.2		V
V <sub>OL</sub>	Output Low Voltage	$V_{DD} = Min, I_{OL} = 100\mu A$		0.2	V
I <sub>OZ</sub>	3-State Output Leakage Current	Output = High Impedance, $V_{out} = V_{DD}$ or $V_{SS}$	-10	10	μΑ
I <sub>DDO</sub>	Supply Current	Operating Mode, $I_{out} = 0mA$ , $V_{in} = V_{DD}$ or $V_{SS}$		100	mA
I <sub>DDS</sub>	Standby Supply Current	Standby Mode, I <sub>out</sub> = 0mA, V <sub>in</sub> = V <sub>DD</sub> or V <sub>SS</sub>		10	mA

## **POWER DISSIPATION** ( $V_{DD} = 3.0V$ , $V_{DD}$ referenced to $V_{SS}$ , $T_a = 25$ °C)

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
P <sub>DYN</sub>	Dynamic Power	15 MSPS		275		mW
P <sub>STDBY</sub>	Standby Power	STDBY Pin Logic High		25		mW
P <sub>AVG</sub>	Average Power	15 MSPS Operation (using STDBY)		175		mW

## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

# DC Restore Clamp (DCR)

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
f <sub>line</sub> 2	Required charging time				Line Rate	MHz
C <sub>AVIN</sub>	AVIN External AC Coupling Capacitor			3300		pF

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> f<sub>line</sub> = f<sub>pixel</sub> x imager's width in pixels

# **Correlated Double Sampler (CDS)**

V <sub>IN</sub>	Input Voltage Range			1.0	V <sub>pp</sub>
f <sub>max</sub>	Maximum Input Pixel Frequency			15	MHz
				3.5	dB
A <sub>V</sub>	Amplifier Output Gain (fixed)			1.5	Voltage
C <sub>IN</sub>	AVSS Input Capacitance	Includes Pad Capacitance		5.0	pF
I <sub>IN</sub>	AVSS Input Current	$V(AVSS) = V_{DD}/2$	0	20	nA
	Latency			1.5	clock cycles

# Line Rate Clamp (LRC)

ΔV	Voltage Drop over Sample Period		0	-0.5	-0.8	LSB
f <sub>max</sub>	Maximum Operational Frequency				f <sub>line</sub>	MHz
	Charge Time	12-bit Accuracy			16/f <sub>pixel</sub>	sec
C <sub>IN</sub>	Input Capacitance				3.0	pF
	Latency				0.5	clock cycles
C <sub>LRC</sub>	External LRC Holding Capacitor <sup>3</sup>			3300	5000	pF

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> LRC Capacitance to V<sub>ss</sub> - see section 1.4

# Digitally Programmable Gain Amplifier (DPGA)

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
A <sub>dB</sub>		Code = $00000000_2 = 0_{10}$	0			dB
A <sub>V</sub>	Gain	Code = 00000000 <sub>2</sub> = 0 <sub>10</sub>	1X			Voltage
A <sub>dB</sub>	(8-bit Digitally Programmable)	Code = 11111111 <sub>2</sub> = 255 <sub>10</sub>			18	dB
A <sub>V</sub>		Code = 11111111 <sub>2</sub> = 233 <sub>10</sub>			8X	Voltage
V <sub>pp</sub>	Peak to Peak Output Voltage				1.5	V
A <sub>LIN</sub>	Gain Resolution		0.0273X			gain/step
A <sub>ERR</sub>	Gain Error				±1.0	%
f <sub>max</sub>	Maximum Input Pixel Frequency				15	MHz
	Digital Programming Code resolution		8			bits
	Latency				1	clock cycles
C <sub>IN</sub>	Input Capacitance				3.0	pF

## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

# DC Offset Adjust (DOVA)

V <sub>OS</sub>	Offset Adjust Voltage (6-bit Digitally Programmable) <sup>4</sup>	Code = 011111 <sub>2</sub> = 31 <sub>10</sub> Code = 111111 <sub>2</sub> = -31 <sub>10</sub>	-181.64		181.64	mV
V <sub>RES</sub>	Resolution			5.86		mV
A <sub>V</sub>	Amplifier Output Gain (fixed)				6 2X	dB Voltage
	Digital Programming Code Resolution		6			bits
	Latency				0.5	clock cycles
C <sub>IN</sub>	Input Capacitance				3.0	pF

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> MSB sign-bit (0 = positive, 1 = negative)

# **Analog to Digital Converter (ADC)**

	Resolution		12			bits
V <sub>IN</sub>	Input Dynamic Range <sup>5</sup>				3.0	V <sub>pp</sub>
INL	Integral Non-Linearity				<u>+</u> 2.0	LSB
DNL	Differential Non-Linearity				<u>+</u> 0.8	LSB
	Missing Codes		Guaranteed Zero			
f <sub>max</sub>	ADC Clock Rate				15	MHz
t <sub>pd</sub>	ADC Clock to Output delay	Clock to D <sub>n</sub> Output			0.75	ns
	Latency				7.5	clock cycles
C <sub>IN</sub>	Input Capacitance				3.0	pF

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Effective differential signal dynamic range

## **SERIAL INTERFACE**

f <sub>max</sub>	SCLK		15	MHz
t <sub>suSEN</sub>	SEN to SCLK setup time	1.0		ns
t <sub>hSEN</sub>	SEN to SCLK hold time	0.5		ns
t <sub>suSDIN</sub>	SDIN to SCLK setup time	1.0		ns
t <sub>hSDIN</sub>	SDIN to SCLK hold time	0.5		ns

Table 1. MCM10010 Pin Listing

Pin	Pin		Pin	
No.	Name	Description		Power
1	AVSS	Analog Ground	G	Α
2	AVIN0	Analog Input	I	
3	AVIN1	Analog Input	ı	
4	AVIN2	Analog Input	I	
5	AVSS	Analog Ground	G	Α
6	AVIN3	Analog Input	I	
7	AVSS	Analog Ground	G	Α
8	CLRCA	Line Rate Clamp Output	0	
9	CLRCB	Line Rate Clamp Output	0	
10	CVREFM	Bias Reference Low Output	0	
11	CVREFP	Bias Reference High Output	0	
12	AVSS	Analog Ground	G	Α
13	AVDD	Analog Power	Р	Α
14	AVSS	Analog Ground	G	Α
15	AVDD	Analog Power	Р	Α
16	CLMPE	Line Rate Clamp Enable	I	
17	STDBY	Power Down Standby Mode Enable	I	
18	INIT	Chip Reset	I	
19	N/C	Not Connected		
20	N/C	Not Connected		
21	N/C	Not Connected		
22	TS	Three State Output Enable	ı	
23	DVSS	Digital Ground	G	D
24	DVDD	Digital Power	Р	D

Pin	Pin	Description	Pin	Power	
No.	Name		Type	1 OWCI	
25	ADC0	Output-bit $0 = 2^0 = 1_{10}$ weight	0		
26	ADC1	Output-bit $1 = 2^1 = 2_{10}$ weight	0		
27	ADC2	Output-bit $2 = 2^2 = 4_{10}$ weight	0		
28	ADC3	Output-bit $3 = 2^3 = 8_{10}$ weight	0		
29	ADC4	Output-bit $4 = 2^4 = 16_{10}$ weight	0		
30	DVSS	Digital Ground	G	D	
31	ADC5	Output-bit $5 = 2^5 = 32_{10}$ weight	0		
32	ADC6	Output-bit $6 = 2^6 = 64_{10}$ weight	0		
33	ADC7	Output-bit $7 = 2^7 = 128_{10}$ weight	0		
34	ADC8	Output-bit $8 = 2^8 = 256_{10}$ weight	0		
35	ADC9	Output-bit $9 = 2^9 = 512_{10}$ weight	0		
36	DVDD	Digital Power	Р	D	
37	DVSS	Digital Ground	G	D	
38	ADC10	Output-bit $10 = 2^{10} = 1024_{10}$ weight	0		
39	ADC11	Output-bit 11 = 2 <sup>11</sup> = 2048 <sub>10</sub> weight	0		
40	ISEL1	Input and Gain MUX select "1"	I		
41	ISEL0	Input and Gain MUX select "0"	I		
42	SEN	Serial Programming Interface Enable	I		
43	SDIN	Serial Programming Interface Data	I		
44	SCLK	Serial Programming Interface Clock	I		
45	MCLK	Master Clock	I		
46	CDSP2	Sample&Hold Clock "signal"	I		
47	CDSP1	Sample&Hold Clock "reference"	I		
48	AVDD	Analog Power	Р	Α	

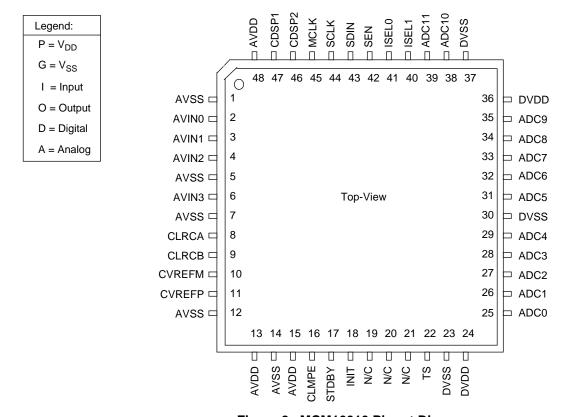


Figure 2. MCM10010 Pinout Diagram

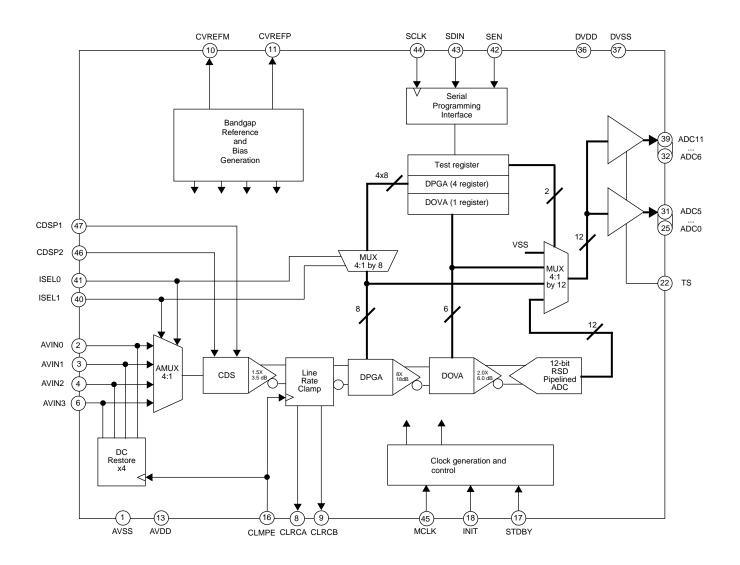
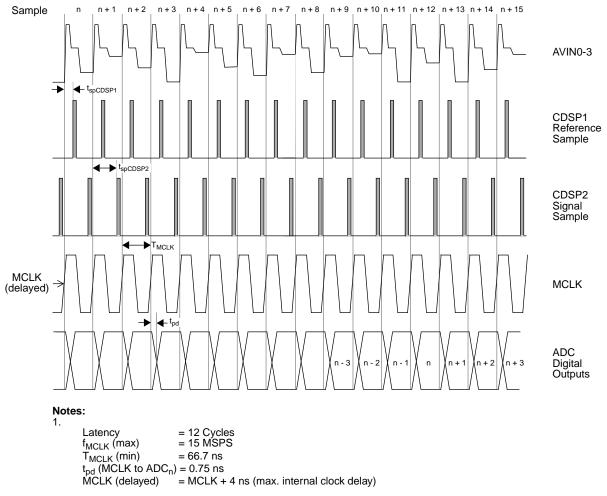


Figure 3. MCM10010 Detailed Block Diagram



- 2. The CDS samples on the negative edge of CDSP1 and CDSP2.
- 3. AVIN0-3 are the video input signals from the image sensor. The system designer must provide the necessary skewing of AVIN0-3 to MCLK (delayed), as illustrated.

Figure 4. MCM10010 Timing Diagram

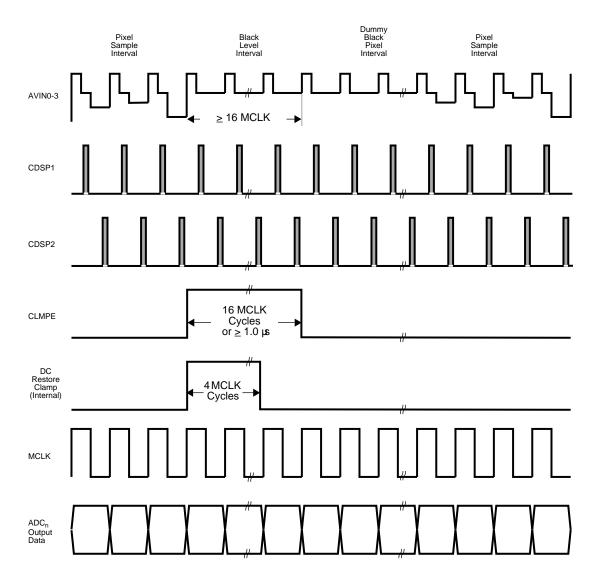


Figure 5. Typical Timing Diagram for Horizontally Blanked System

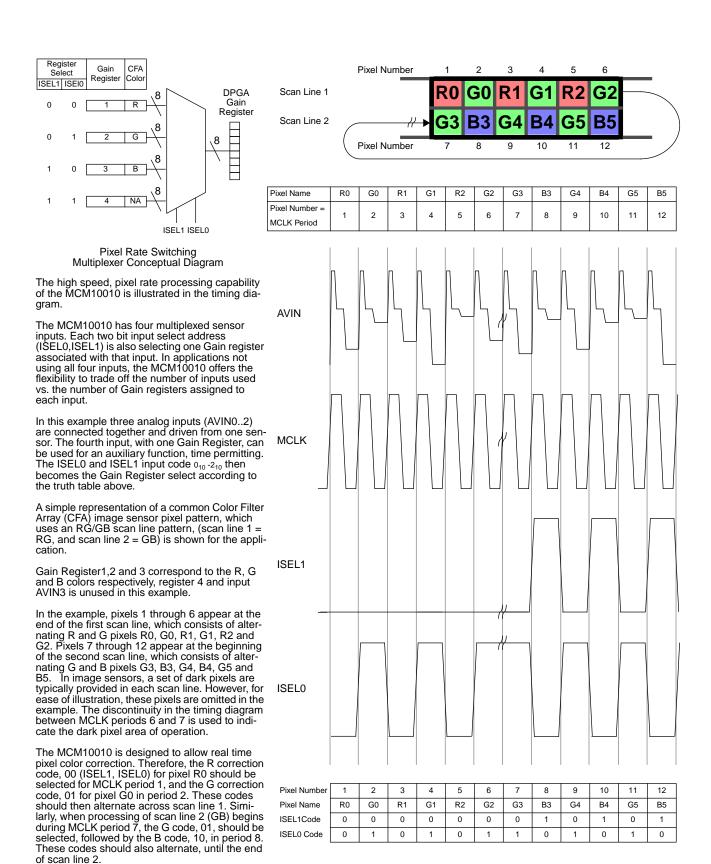


Figure 6. Real-Time CFA gain correction application example

#### MCM10010 Theory of Operation

The MCM10010 integrates a fully differential analog signal processing pipeline (for interface with solid state image sensors) onto a single chip.

Board-level component requirements are minimized by the integration of the many individual devices comprising the signal processing chain, principally a 4:1 analog input MUX driving the Correlated Double Sampler (CDS), Line Rate Clamp (LRC), Digitally Programmable Gain Amplifier (DPGA), DC Offset Voltage Adjust (DOVA), algorithmic, Redundant Signed Digit (RSD) Analog to Digital Converter (ADC) and timing and bias generation circuits. The result is an extremely flexible, single chip solution to the image sensing and capture to digital transformation process. This allows the system designer to achieve reduced component count, board space and system cost.

Because the chip is designed for 3.3V operation, a wide variety of low power, portable applications may be addressed for consumer applications.

## 1.0 Analog to Digital Conversion Pipeline

The MCM10010 incorporates a DCR, CDS, DPGA, LRC, DOVA and algorithmic, RSD ADC to digitize an analog signal to a 12-bit digital word for post-processing by additional circuitry (Figure 3).

#### 1.1 Inputs (AVINO, AVIN1, AVIN2, AVIN3)

Analog voltages from the image sensor are input to the MCM10010 via the AVIN0, AVIN1, AVIN2, and AVIN3 pins. The voltage range must be limited to a maximum of 1.0 volt, peak to peak.

The MCM10010 is designed to operate from a single 3.0 V to 3.6V voltage supply. An external AC coupling capacitor ( $C_{AVIN}$ ) is required between the imager's output and the MCM10010's AVIN0, AVIN1, AVIN2, and AVIN3 pins to remove the large DC offset component of common CCD image sensors. The recommended capacitor value is approximately 3300 pF.

Other imagers, which utilize low voltage, CMOS-based processes, may be directly compatible with the MCM10010's analog inputs, allowing direct coupling techniques to be used.

Motorola's A-series of Image sensors (MCM20007, 20008) are compatible with the MCM10010 inputs and can be connected without any capacitor or buffering.

#### 1.2 DC Restore (DCR)

The DCR function is provided to establish the DC operating point of the analog input at AVIN0, AVIN1, AVIN2, and AVIN3 relative to the MCM10010's supply voltage.

The DCR is clocked at the imager's line rate when pin CLMPE is active (logic high).

#### 1.3 Correlated Double Sampler (CDS)

Typical CCD imagers provide an output at a pixel rate frequency, f<sub>pixel</sub>, which contains reset, reference and image analog signal information.

An approximation of a typical CCD imager's output is presented in Figure 7. In the figure, the pixel's period  $T_{\text{pixel}}$ , is divided into four distinct regions.

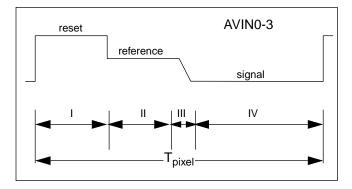


Figure 7. CCD Imager Input Waveform

Region I results from pixel reset, and contains no useful input information. Region II is the period during which the pixel outputs a "reference" level indicative of its intrinsic dark level noise. This point provides a baseline for measurement of the pixel's analog voltage signal.

Region III occurs as a result of the pixel's transition voltage during integration. Its exponential nature is caused by the photo junction's response to the incoming light, and integration of the resulting charge over time.

Region IV, referred to here as the "signal" region, represents the stabilized pixel output voltage which occurs when the pixel has integrated charge in response to the incoming light. The output voltage is the difference of this photoresponse plus the reference voltage.

The regions of interest for evaluation are reference and signal. The CDS circuitry (Figure 8) in the MCM10010 uses switched capacitor techniques to both Sample and Hold (S/H) the incoming analog signal voltage. CDS

sample timing is controlled by the CDSP1 and CDSP2 pulses (section 1.3.1), which are externally driven directly from the CDSP1 and CDSP2 pins

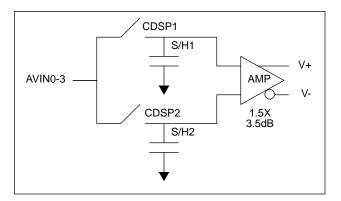


Figure 8. CDS Conceptual Block Diagram

The alternate S/H circuits each sample the pixel waveform, S/H1 in the reference region, and S/H2 in the signal region. The values are then compared against one another by the differential amplifier, thus removing the reference noise by subtraction, improving the accuracy of the measurement for subsequent signal processing.

The correlated nature of this measurement method reduces low frequency noise effects, as the reference and signal sampling points remain well correlated regardless of offset. This feature is illustrated in Figure 9. A cumulative error,  $\Delta V$ , would normally result between the first and second signal samples without this feature. Reset noise is eliminated by sampling in the reference region.

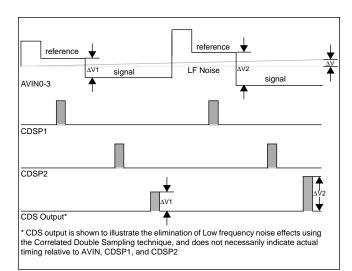


Figure 9. CDS Reduces LF Noise Effects

The amplifier takes the difference of the reference and signal levels, then converts the single-ended imager signal to a differential output. The amplifier also performs a fixed gain of 1.5X (3.5 dB). Together, these features improve accuracy, linearity, dynamic range and signal to noise ratio.

#### 1.3.1 CDS Clocking Requirement

The CDSP1 and CDSP2 external pulses control the timing of the CDS S/H operations. The parameters used to define the CDSP1/2 waveforms are the period,  $T_{pixel}$ , aperture pulsewidth ( $t_{pw}$ ) and placement ( $t_{sp}$ ). An example of these terms are illustrated in Figure 10.

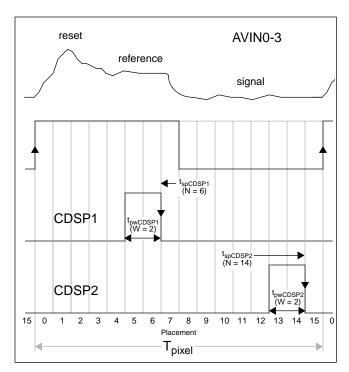


Figure 10. CDS Sampling Waveform Example

The CDS hold occurs on the negative edge of the CDSP clocks. The Minimum pulse width for the CDSP1/2 clocks are 7.5nS. The user must ensure the correct S&H clock timing relative to both the pixel rate clock and the Master clock (MCLK) to match incoming pixel data from the imager.

# 1.4 Line Rate Clamp (LRC)

The LRC (Figure 11) is designed to provide a feed forward dark level subtract reference level measurement technique. The optical black level reference is re-established each time the image sensor begins a new scan line. Commercially available image sensors provide optical black (dark) pixels to aid in establishing this reference.

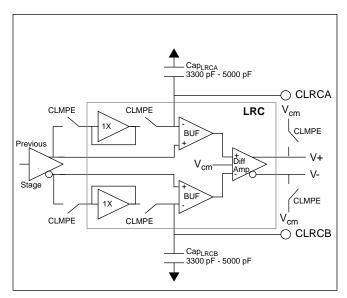


Figure 11. LRC Conceptual Block Diagram

On the MCM10010, dark pixel input signals should be sampled for a minimum of 1  $\mu$ s to allow the two 3300 pF to 5000 pF capacitors at the CLRCA and CLRCB pins sufficient time to charge for 12-bit accuracy. This guarantees that the LRC's "droop" will be maintained at  $\leq$ 293  $\mu$ V, thus assuring the specified ADC 12-bit accuracy.

Therefore, at maximum operational frequency (15MHz), the MCM10010 would require sixteen dark pixel samples to establish the dark pixel reference for subsequent active pixel processing.

The dark pixel sample period is controlled through the CLMPE pin. When this pin is active (logic high), each dark pixel is processed and held to establish pixel reference level at the CLRCA and CLRCB pins. The DC Restore Circuit (DCRC) is also activated during this period, and the LRC's differential outputs (V+ and V- on the Diff Amp, Figure 11) are clamped to  $V_{cm}$ . Together, these actions help to eliminate the dark level offset, simultaneously establishing the desired zero code at the ADC output.

When the processing of active pixels begins, CLMPE is disabled, halting the charging of the  $Cap_{LRCA}$  and  $Cap_{LRCB}$  capacitors. The dark pixel reference voltage sampled and held on the capacitors, is then real-time subtracted from the active pixel voltage, yielding an analog signal which has been corrected relative to the desired ADC zero code. This process repeats for each new line scan.

#### 1.5 Digitally Programmable Gain Amplifier (DPGA)

The DPGA circuit allows the user to program gain adjustment of the analog image data via the simple serial

interface. The MCM10010 allows up to four gain registers to be individually programmed for a gain range of 0 - 18 dB (1X - 8X) for each register.

Gain is programmable via an 8-bit word.

Four independent registers (Gain Register 1 - 4) are provided to program desired gain coefficients, which are typically Red/Green/Blue (RGB) or Yellow/Cyan/Magenta/Green (Ye/Cy/Mg/G) for color image sensor applications (see Table 2 and the application example in Figure 6).

Each of the four registers can provide eight-bit, incremental gain control from 1X to 8X, in 256 linear increments of 0.0273X such that:

$$G = 1 + 0.0273 * (DPGA code)_{10}$$

of each register (Figure 12).

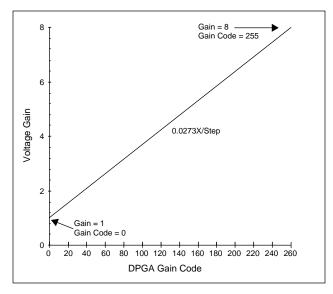


Figure 12. DPGA Gain Plot

Gain register programming information for the DPGA is loaded via the simple serial interface, MSB to LSB, with the register address preceding the 8-bit gain code. The programming summary is shown in Table 2.

**Table 2. DPGA Gain Programming Reference** 

	DPGA Gain Register Code						Address					
	M S B	D[7:0] L S B				- 1	M S B	A[3	3:0]	L S B		
Gain Register	D7	D7   D6   D5   D4   D3   D2   D1   D0					D0	A3	A2	A1	A0	
1	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	0	0	0	0
2	X = 0 - 255 (0 - 111111111 <sub>2</sub> )						0	0	0	1		
3	X = 0 results in a Gain of 1						0	0	1	0		
4	X = 255 results in a Gain of 8						0	0	1	1		

The Gain register used by the DPGA are selected via the ISEL0 and ISEL1 input pins as shown in Figure 13.

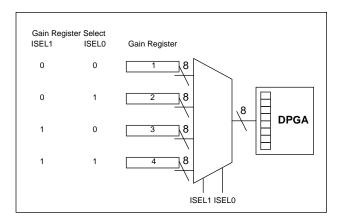


Figure 13. Gain Register Select Logic

The user may perform real-time updates of any of the gain registers through the simple serial interface. However, a latency associated with the serial register clock rate should be anticipated before the new gain coefficient becomes updated into the DPGA gain register.

All of the DPGA's gain registers power up at a default gain of 1X (0 dB).

For applications which require only a single gain register and only one analog input, the ISEL0/1 pins can be hardwired to the appropriate levels.

## 1.6 DC Offset Voltage Adjust (DOVA)

The DOVA circuit (Figure 14) provides additional offset control fine-tuning to remove any additional residual error which may have accumulated in the analog signal path. This function may also be used to insert a desired offset of the zero code point in applications where this feature may be desirable, e.g., to adjust for a known system noise floor relative to AV<sub>ss</sub>. This function is performed directly before analog to digital conversion. A 2.0X (6.0 dB) fixed gain is also introduced in this stage.

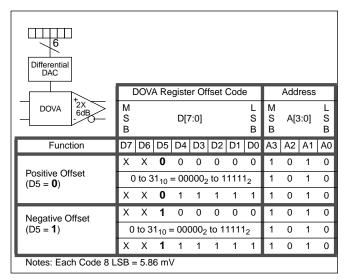


Figure 14. DOVA Concept Diagram/Programming

The DOVA allows the user to offset the analog signal's voltage via a 6-bit, signed magnitude programming code. The MSB of the six-bit "data" portion of the code represents the sign. A zero (logic low) indicates a positive offset, and a one (logic high) negative, relative to the default zero code point.

The remaining five-bits provide increments of ±5.86 mV (±8 LSB), yielding an effective range of ±181.6 mV (±248 LSB). Programming of the six-bit register is accessed through the simple serial interface.

The preset DOVA code is  $000000_2$ . Adjustment of the voltage offset is real-time programmable, but latency in the simple serial interface is incurred before the new offset becomes valid.

## 1.7 Analog to Digital Converter (ADC)

The ADC is a 15 MHz, fully differential, twelve bit, low power circuit. A pipelined, Redundant Signed Digit (RSD) algorithmic technique incorporating digital error correction is used to yield an ADC with superior characteristics for imaging applications.

Integral Noise Linearity (INL) and Differential Noise Linearity (DNL) performance is specified at  $\pm 2.0$  and  $\pm 0.8$  LSB, respectively, with no missing codes. The input voltage resolution is 0.73 mV with a full-scale 3.0  $V_{pp}$  input (3.0  $V_{pp}/2^{12}$ ). Two phase clocks are used to reduce ADC latency to 7.5 clock cycles, including latching of the D11:0 outputs to offer the user complete control of the data flow.

#### 1.8 Clocking

Both the Sample&Hold clocks (CDSP1/2) and the Master Clock (MCLK) must be provided externally.

Care must be taken to insure the relative timing between these clocks in relation to the incoming analog data.

#### 2.0 Utility Register Programming

The MCM10010 utilizes a simple serial interface (Figure 15) to program chip control codes for the utility registers, such as DPGA gain coefficients, via a twelve-bit data packet. Each packet consists of a four-bit address and eight additional control data-bits. All programmable features also have default coding or simple pin-level overrides to speed chip initialization, should the user choose to bypass any of them.

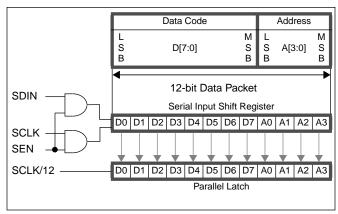


Figure 15. Simple Serial Interface Programming Conceptual Diagram

The interface is controlled by three pins, in which SEN (logic high) gates programming of the interface, SDIN is the serial data input port, and SCLK is the serial clock input (f<sub>max</sub> = 15 MHz). Table 3 summarizes the program control addresses of the utility registers.

**Table 3. Utility Register Programming Address Map** 

			Re	gister	Func	tion			Address			
Number of data bits	M S B	S D[7:0] S								A[3:0]		L S B
	D 7	D 6	D 5	D 4	D 3	D 2	D 1	D 0	A 3	A 2	A 1	A 0
8	DPGA Gain Register 1 Code									0	0	0
8		DF	GA G	ain Re	gister 2	2 Code	•		0	0	0	1
8		DF	GA G	ain Re	gister 3	3 Code	,		0	0	1	0
8	DPGA Gain Register 4 Code								0	0	1	1
	Not used								0	1	0	0
	Not used								0	1	0	1
	Not used								0	1	1	0
	Not used								0	1	1	1
	Not used								1	0	0	0
	Not used								1	0	0	1
6	DOVA Offset Voltage Adjust							1	0	1	0	
8	Used for test at the factory							1	0	1	1	
	Not used							1	1	0	0	
	Not used							1	1	0	1	
	Not used								1	1	1	0
-	Not used								1	1	1	1

Programming through the simple serial interface is accomplished in three steps (Figure 16). First, the interface is enabled by a low to high transition of the SEN waveform. The SEN waveform must be logic high at least one setup time ( $t_{suSEN} = 1.0 \text{ ns}$ ) prior to the first SCLK low to high transition, and it must remain so throughout the data input operation. This action gates the serial interface to accept the SDIN and SCLK inputs.

In the second programming step, data is input in twelvebit packets through the SDIN pin. Each-bit in the data packet must be valid at least one setup time ( $t_{suSDIN} = 1.0$  ns) before the corresponding SCLK low to high transition. Each-bit must also meet the  $t_{hSDIN}$  requirement of 0.5 ns.

Programming codes are input as a four-bit address (A3:A0) input, MSB to LSB, followed by the data (control) code (D7:D0), also MSB to LSB. Any number of registers may be programmed, but data must continue to be input in the twelve-bit format.

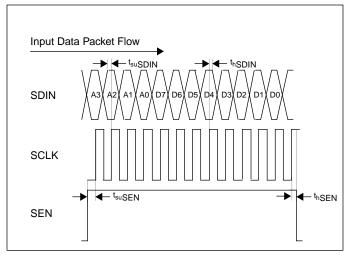


Figure 16. Simple Serial Interface Timing Diagram

The final step of the program register loading procedure terminates the sequence. This action requires that SEN remain high for at least one additional low to high transition of SCLK after the final data-bit has been entered. An additional hold time,  $t_{\rm hSEN} = 0.5$  ns, is also recommended.

Overall, then, SEN must remain high a minimum of (N \* 12 + 1) SCLK periods, where N is the number of data packets input, to ensure valid programming of all registers.

The simple serial interface may be used to reprogram the utility registers at any point during operation of the MCM10010, but the user must recognize that all changes incur a latency associated with the serial register and the particular section which is being reprogrammed.

The simple serial interface is write-only. Therefore, utility register programming must be verified in the operating mode by observing the appropriate output characteristic of the MCM10010.

The Test Register at address  $1011_2$  ( $11_{10}$ ) is used at the factory to reduce test time and improve fault coverage during device testing. It is loaded with the user mode default value (D[7:0] =  $0_{10}$ ) during initialization and should not be addressed in any application.

#### 2.1 Initialization

The INIT input pin controls initialization of the MCM10010 to assure controlled chip and system startup. Control is asserted via a logic high input. This state must be held a minimum of 1 ms to assure that the startup routines within the MCM10010 have run properly to completion, as well as guarantee that all holding and bypass capacitors, have achieved their required steady state values.

Tasks which are accomplished during start-up include reset of the utility programming registers and initialization to their default values, reset of all internal counters and latches and setup of the analog signal processing chain.

The DPGA gain is set to 0 dB and the DOVA offset is set to 0 mV.

## 2.2 Standby Mode

The standby mode option is implemented to allow the user to reduce system power consumption during periods which do not require operation of the MCM10010 for image capture operations in the system. This feature allows the user to extend battery life in low power applications.

By utilizing this mode, the user may reduce dynamic power consumption from 275 mW, in the active processing, 15 MSPS mode, to ≤25 mW in the standby mode (note that dynamic power consumption is also reduced in slower conversion speed applications).

The standby mode is activated by applying an active high signal to the STDBY pin. This function places the ADC[11:0] outputs in the three-state mode.

The user may also reduce power consumption in the active processing mode by placing the MCM10010's outputs in the three-state mode. This action may be accomplished by placing the TS pin in the active high state.

#### 2.3 References CVREFP,CVREFM

The ADC references, CVREFP and CVREFM, are available at package pins for external decoupling for added stability. A  $1\mu F$  capacitor to ground, from each pin, is recommended.

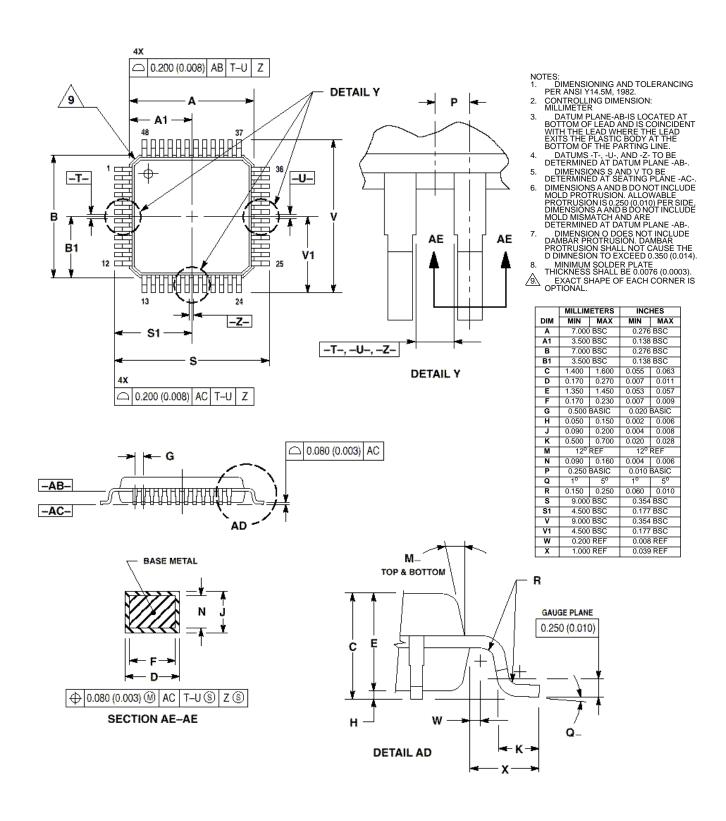
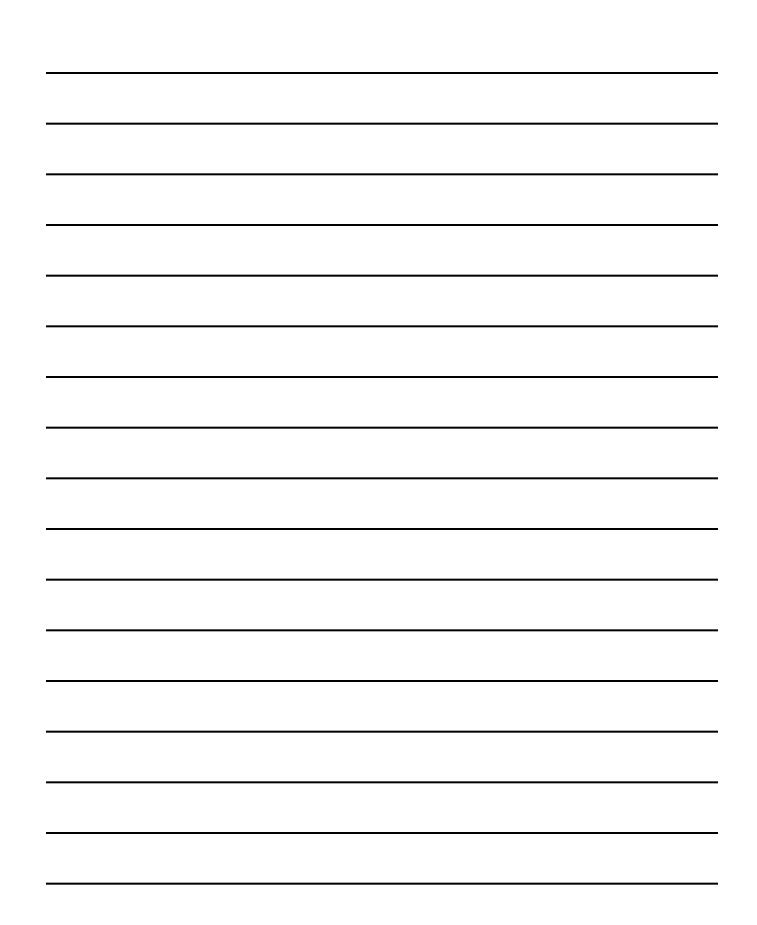


Figure 17. 48 Lead LQFP (Case Outline 932-02)

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