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2.5 A Output Current, IGBT Drive Optocoupler with Active Miller Clamp, Desaturation Detection, and Isolated Fault Sensing

FOD8318

Description

The FOD8318 is an advanced 2.5 A output current IGBT drive optocoupler capable of driving most 1200 V / 150 A IGBTs. It is ideally suited for fast−switching driving of power IGBTs and MOSFETs used in motor control inverter applications and high−performance power systems. It consists of an integrated gate drive optocoupler featuring low $R_{DS(ON)}$ CMOS transistors to drive the IGBT from rail to rail and an integrated high−speed isolated feedback for fault sensing. The FOD8318 has an active Miller clamp fuction to shut off the IGBT during a high dv/dt situation without the need of a negative supply voltage. It offers critical protection features necessary for preventing fault conditions that lead to destructive thermal runaway of IGBTs.

It utilizes **onsemi**'s proprietary OPTOPLANAR[®] coplanar packaging technology and optimized IC design to achieve high noise immunity, characterized by high common mode rejection and power supply rejection specifications.

The device is housed in a compact 16−pin small outline plastic package that meets the 8 mm creepage and clearance requirements.

Features

- High Noise Immunity Characterized by Common Mode Rejection
	- \triangleleft 35 kV / µs Minimum Common Mode Rejection
		- $(Vcm = 1500 V_{peak})$
- 2.5 A Peak Output Current Driving Capability for Most 1200 V / 150 A IGBT
- Optically Isolated Fault Sensing Feedback
- Active Miller Clamp to Shut Off the IGBT During High dv/dt without Needing a Negative Supply Voltage
- "Soft" IGBT Turn-off
- Built−in IGBT Protection
	- Desaturation Detection
	- ♦ Under−voltage Lock Out (UVLO) Protection
- Wide Supply Voltage Range from 15 V to 30 V
	- ♦ Use of P−Channel MOSFETs at Output Stage Enables Output Voltage Swing Close to the Supply Rail (Rail−to−rail Output)
- 3.3 V / 5 V, CMOS/TTL−compatible Inputs
- High Speed
	- ♦ 250 ns Max. Propagation Delay over Full Operating Temperature Range

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8318 = Device Number, e.g., ë8318í for FOD8318

- V = DIN EN/IEC60747−5−5 Option (Only Appears on Component Ordered with this Option)
- $D =$ Plant code, e.g., 'D'
- X = Last−digit Year Code, e.g., 'B' for 2011
YY = Two−digit Work Week Ranging from '0
- = Two-digit Work Week Ranging from '01' to '53'
- $KK =$ Lot Traceability Code
- $J =$ Package Assembly Code, J

ORDERING INFORMATION

See detailed ordering and shipping information on page [27](#page-26-0) of this data sheet.

Features (continued)

- Extended Industrial Temperate Range, −40°C to 100°C Temperature Range
- Safety and Regulatory Approvals
	- \bullet UL1577, 4,243 V_{RMS} for 1 min.
	- ♦ DIN EN/IEC 60747−5−5,1,414 Vpeak Working Insulation Voltage, 8000 V_{peak} Transient Isolation Voltage Ratings
- R_{DS(ON)} of 1 Ω (Typ.) Offers Lower Power Dissipation
- User Configurable: Inverting, Non−inverting, Auto−reset, Auto−shutdown
- 8 mm Creepage and Clearance Distances

Applications

- Industrial Inverter
- Induction Heating
- Isolated IGBT Drive

TRUTH TABLE

*V_{OUT} is always LOW with 'clamp' being active (gate voltage < 2 V above V_{SS}).

PIN DEFINITIONS

Figure 1.

BLOCK DIAGRAM

SAFETY AND INSULATION RATINGS (As per DIN EN/IEC 60747−5−5. This optocoupler is suitable for "safe electrical insulation" only within the safety limit data. Compliance with the safety ratings shall be ensured by means of protective circuits.)

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_A = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

Stresses exceeding those listed in the Maximum Ratings table may damage the device. If any of these limits are exceeded, device functionality should not be assumed, damage may occur and reliability may be affected.

1. Maximum pulse width = 10 μ s, maximum duty cycle = 0.2 %.

- 2. This negative output supply voltage is optional. Itís only needed when negative gate drive is implemented. A schottky diode is recommended to be connected between V_E and V_{SS} to protect against a reverse voltage greater than 0.5 V. Refer to application information, "*[Active Miller](#page-23-0)* Clamp Functionⁿ on page [24](#page-23-0).
- 3. No derating required across temperature range.
- 4. Derate linearly above 64°C, free air temperature at a rate of 10.2 mW/°C.
- 5. Functional operation under these conditions is not implied. Permanent damage may occur if the device is subjected to conditions outside these ratings.

RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

Functional operation above the stresses listed in the Recommended Operating Ranges is not implied. Extended exposure to stresses beyond the Recommended Operating Ranges limits may affect device reliability.

6. During power up or down, it is important to ensure that VIN+ remains LOW until both the input and output supply voltages reach the proper recommended operating voltage to avoid any momentary instability at the output state. Refer to "Time to Good Power" section on page [24](#page-23-0).

7. Device is considered a two terminal device: pins 1 to 8 are shorted together and pins 9 to 16 are shorted together.

8. 4,243 V_{RMS} for 1–minute duration is equivalent to 5,091 V_{RMS} for 1–second duration.
9. The Input–Output Isolation Voltage is a dielectric voltage rating as per UL1577. It should not be regarded as an input–output voltage rating. For the continuous working voltage rating, refer to the equipment level safety specification or DIN EN/IEC 60747-5-5 [Safety](#page-3-0) [and Insulation Ratings](#page-3-0) Table on page [4](#page-3-0).

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Apply over all recommended conditions, typical value is measured at V_{DD1} = 5 V, $V_{DD2} - V_{SS} = 30$ V, $V_E - V_{SS} = 0$ V, $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C unless otherwise specified.)

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Product parametric performance is indicated in the Electrical Characteristics for the listed test conditions, unless otherwise noted. Product performance may not be indicated by the Electrical Characteristics if operated under different conditions.

10. Maximum pulse width = 10 μ s, maximum duty cycle = 0.2 %.

11. Maximum pulse width = 4.99 ms, maximum duty cycle = 99.8 %.

12. V_{OH} is measured with the DC load current in this testing (maximum pulse width = 1 ms, maximum duty cycle = 20 %). When driving capacitive loads, V_{OH} approaches V_{DD} as I_{OH} approaches zero units.

13.Positive output supply voltage (V_{DD2} − V_E) should be at least 15 V. This ensures adequate margin in excess of the maximum under−voltage lockout threshold V_{UVLO+} of 13.5 V.

14. When V_{DD2} – V_E > V_{UVLO} and output state V_O of the FOD8318 is allowed to go HIGH, the DESAT detection feature is active and provides the primary source of IGBT protection. UVLO is needed to ensure DESAT detecti

15. The blanking time, t_{BLANK}, is adjustable by an external capacitor (C_{BLANK}) where t_{BLANK} = C_{BLANK} x (V_{DESAT} / I_{CHG}).

SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS (Apply over all recommended conditions, typical value is measured at V_{DD1} = 5 V, $V_{DD2} - V_{SS} = 30$ V, $V_E - V_{SS} = 0$ V, $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C unless otherwise specified.)

16.This load condition approximates the gate load of a 1200 V / 150 A IGBT.

- 17.t_{PHL} propagation delay is measured from the 50 % level on the falling edge of the input pulse (V_{IN+}, V_{IN−}) to the 50 % level of the falling edge of the V_{Ω} signal. Refer to Figure [55](#page-21-0).
- 18.t_{PHL} propagation delay is measured from the 50 % level on the rising edge of the input pulse (V_{IN+}, V_{IN−}) to the 50 % level of the rising edge of the V_{Ω} signal. Refer to Figure [55](#page-21-0).
- 19. PWD is defined as $|t_{PHL} t_{PLH}|$ for any given device.
- 20.The difference between t_{PHL} and t_{PLH} between any two FOD8318 parts under same operating conditions, with equal loads.
- 21. This is the amount of time the DESAT threshold must be exceeded before V_O begins to go LOW. This is supply voltage dependent. *Refer* to Figure [56](#page-21-0).
- 22. This is the amount of time from when the DESAT threshold is exceeded, until the FAULT output goes LOW. Refer to Figure [56](#page-21-0).
- 23. This is the amount of time the DESAT threshold must be exceeded before V_O begins to go LOW and the FAULT output to go LOW. Refer to Figure [56](#page-21-0).
- 24. This is the amount of time from when RESET is asserted LOW, until FAULT output goes HIGH. Refer to Figure [56](#page-21-0).
- 25.t_{UVLO ON} UVLO turn−on delay is measured from V_{UVLO+} threshold voltage of the output supply voltage (V_{DD2}) to the 5 V level of the rising edge of the V_O signal.
- 26.t_{UVLO OFF} UVLO turn−off delay is measured from V_{UVLO} threshold voltage of the output supply voltage (V_{DD2}) to the 5 V level of the falling edge of the V_O signal.
- 27.t_{GP} time to good power is measured from 13.5 V level of the rising edge of the output supply voltage (V_{DD2}) to the 5 V level of the rising edge of the V_O signal.
- 28.Common mode transient immunity at output HIGH state is the maximum tolerable negative dVcm / dt on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse, V_{CM} , to assure that the output remains in HIGH state (i.e., $V_{O} > 15$ V or FAULT > 2 V).
- 29.Common mode transient immunity at output LOW state is the maximum positive tolerable dVcm / dt on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, V_{CM} , to assure that the output remains in a LOW state (i.e., V_{O} < 1.0 V or FAULT < 0.8 V).

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Figure 5. Low Level Output Current (IOL) vs. Temperature

Figure 4. High Level Output Current (IOH) vs. Temperature

Figure 6. Low Level Output Current During Fault Condition (IOLF) vs. Output Voltage (VOL)

Figure 11. Supply Current (I_{DD1}) vs. Temperature Figure 12. Output Supply Current (I_{DD2}) vs.

Output Supply Voltage (V_{DD2})

Figure 10. Low Level Output Voltage (V_{OL}) vs. **Low Level Output Current (IOL)**

Temperature

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS (Continued)

Supply Voltage (V_{DD2})

Figure 22. Propagation Delay Time to Logic Low Output (t_{PHL}) vs. Temperature

Figure 27. DESAT Sense to Low Level FAULT Signal Delay (tDESAT(FAULT)) vs. Temperature

Figure 31. Under Voltage Lockout Threshold Delay (tUVLO) vs. Temperature

Figure 28. DESAT Sense to 10% V_O Delay **(tDESAT(10%)) vs. Load Capacitance (CL)**

Figure 30. RESET to High Level FAULT Signal Delay (tRESET(FAULT)) vs. Temperature

Figure 32. Time to Good Power (t_{GP}) vs. Supply Voltage (V_{DD2})

Figure 35. Clamping Threshold Voltage (V_{CLAMP}) vs. Temperature

TEST CIRCUITS

Figure 38. High Level Output Current (IOH) Test Circuit

Figure 39. Low Level Output Current (IOL) Test Circuit

TEST CIRCUITS (Continued)

Figure 41. High Level (I_{DD1H}) and Low Level (I_{DD1L}) Supply Current Test Circuit

Figure 42. High Level (I_{DD2H}), Low Level (I_{DD2L}) Output Supply Current, **High Level (ISH), Low Level (ISL) Source Current, VE High Level (IEH), and VE Low Level (IEL) Supply Current Test Circuit**

Figure 43. Low Level Output Current During Fault Conditions (IOLF), Blanking Capacitor Charge Current (ICHG), Blanking Capacitor Discharging Current (IDSCHG), and DESAT Threshold (VDESAT) Test Circuit

Figure 44. Under−Voltage Lockout Threshold (VUVLO) Test Circuit

Figure 45. Propagation Delay (t_{PLH}, t_{PHL}), Pulse Width Distortion (PWD), **Rise Time (tR), and Fall Time (tF) Test Circuit**

Figure 46. DESAT Sense (tDESAT(90 %), tDESAT(10 %)), DESAT Fault (tDESAT(FAULT)), and (tDESAT(LOW)) Test Circuit

Figure 47. Reset Delay (tRESET(FAULT)) Test Circuit

Figure 48. Under−Voltage Lockout Delay (tUVLO) and Time to Good Power (tGP) Test Circuit

Figure 49. Common Mode Low (CML) Test Circuit at LED1 Off

Figure 50. Common Mode High (CMH) Test Circuit at LED1 On

Figure 51. Common Mode High (CMH) Test Circuit at LED2 Off

Figure 52. Common Mode Low (CML) Test Circuit at LED2 On

TEST CIRCUITS (Continued)

Figure 53. Clamp Low Level Sinking Current (ICLAMPL)

Initially set S1 to A before connecting 3 V to clamp pin. Then switch to B before sweeping down to get the V_{CLAMP_THRES}, clamping threshold voltage.

Figure 54. Clamp Pin Threshold Voltage (V_{CLAMP})

TIMING DIAGRAMS

Figure 55. Propagation Delay (tPLH, tPHL), Rise Time (tR), and Fall Time (tF) Timing Diagram

Figure 56. Definitions for Fault Reset Input (RESET), Desaturation Voltage Input (DESAT), Output Voltage (VO), and Fault Output (FAULT) Timing Waveforms

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Figure 57. Recommended Application Circuit

Functional Description

The functional behavioral of FOD8318 is illustrated by the detailed internal schematic shown in Figure 58. This explains the interaction and sequence of internal and external signals, together with the timing diagrams.

Non−Inverting and Inverting Inputs

There are two CMOS/TTL–compatible inputs, V_{IN+} and VIN−, to control the IGBT in non−inverting and inverting configurations, respectively. When V_{IN}_− is set to LOW state, VIN+ controls the driver output, VO, in non−inverting configuration. When VIN+ is set to HIGH state, V_{IN-} controls the driver output in inverting configuration.

The relationship between the inputs and output are illustrated in the Figure [59.](#page-24-0)

During normal operation, when no fault is detected, the FAULT output, which is an open−drain configuration, is latched to HIGH state. This allows the gate driver to be controlled by the input logic signal.

When a fault is detected, the FAULT output is latched to LOW state. This condition remains until the input logic is pulled to LOW and the RESET pin is also pulled LOW for a period longer than PW_{RESET} .

Figure 58. Detailed Internal Schematic

Gate Driver Output

A pair of PMOS and NMOS comprise the output driver stage, which facilitates close to rail−to−rail output swing. This feature allows a tight control of gate voltage during on−state and short−circuit condition. The output driver is typically to sink 2 A and source 2 A at room temperature. Due to the low R_{DS(ON)} of the MOSFETs, the power dissipation is reduced as compared to those bipolar−type driver output stages. The absolute maximum rating of the output peak current, $I_{O(PEAK)}$, is 3 A; therefore the careful selection of the gate resistor, Rg, is required to limit the short−circuit current of the IGBT.

As shown in Figure [58](#page-22-0), gate driver output is influenced by signals from the photodetector circuitry, the UVLO comparator, and the DESAT signals. Under no−fault condition, normal operation resumes while the supply voltage is above the UVLO threshold, the output of the photodetector drives the MOSFETs of the output stage.

The logic circuitry of the output stage ensures that the push-pull devices are never "ON" simultaneously. When the output of the photodetector is HIGH, the output, V_O , is pulled to HIGH state by turning on the PMOS. When the output of the photodetector is LOW, V_O is pulled to LOW state by turning on the NMOS.

When V_{DD2} supply goes below V_{UVLO} , which is the designated UVLO threshold at the comparator, V_O is pulled down to LOW state regardless of photodetector output.

When desaturation is detected, V_O turns off slowly as it is pulled LOW by the 1XNMOS device. The input to the fault sense circuitry is latched to HIGH state and turns on the LED. When V_O goes below 2 V, the 50XNMOS device turns on again, clamping the IGBT gate firmly to VSS. The Fault Sense signal remains latched in the HIGH state until the LED of the gate driver circuitry turns off.

Desaturation Protection, FAULT Output

Desaturation detection protection ensures the protection of the IGBT at short−circuit by monitoring the collector−emitter voltage of the IGBT in the half bridge. When the DESAT voltage goes up and reaches above the threshold voltage, a short−circuit condition is detected and the driver output stage executes a "soft" IGBT turn–off and is eventually driven LOW, as illustrated in Figure [60](#page-24-0). The FAULT open−drain output is triggered active LOW to report a desaturation error. It is only cleared by activating active LOW by the external controller to the RESET input with the input logic is pulled to LOW.

The DESAT fault detector should be disabled for a short period (blanking time) before the IGBT turns on to allow the collector voltage to fall below DESAT threshold. This blanking period protects against false trigger of the DESAT while the IGBT is turning on.

The blanking time is controlled by the internal DESAT charge current, the DESAT voltage threshold, and the external DESAT capacitor (capacitor between DESAT and V_E pin). The nominal blanking time can be calculated using external capacitance (C_{BLANK}) , FAULT threshold voltage (V_{DESAT}), and DESAT charge current (I_{CHG}) as:

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t_{\text{BLANK}} = C_{\text{BLANK}} \times V_{\text{DESAT}} / I_{\text{CHG}}
$$
 (eq. 1)

With a recommended 100 pF DESAT capacitor, the nominal blanking time is:

100 pF \times 7 V / 250 µA = 2.8 µs

ìSoftî Turn−Off

The soft turn−off feature ensures the safe turn off of the IGBT under fault conditions. This reduces the voltage spike on the collector of the IGBT. Without this, the IGBT would see a heavy spike on the collector and result in permanent damage to the device.

Under−Voltage Lockout

Under−voltage detection prevents the application of insufficient gate voltage to the IGBT. This could be dangerous, as it would drive the IGBT out of saturation and into the linear operation where the losses are very high and quickly overheated. This feature ensures the proper operating of the IGBTs. The output voltage, V_O , remains LOW regardless of the inputs as long as the supply voltage, $V_{DD2} - V_{E}$, is less than V_{UVLO+} . When the supply voltage falls below V_{UVLO} , V_O goes LOW, as illustrated in Figure [61](#page-24-0).

Active Miller Clamp Function

An active Miller clamp feature allows the sinking of the Miller current to the ground or emitter of the IGBT during a high−dV/dt situation. Instead of driving the IGBT gate to a negative supply voltage to increase the safety margin, the device has a dedicated V_{CLAMP} pin to control the Miller current. During turn−off, the gate voltage of the IGBT is monitored and the V_{CLAMP} output is activated when the gate voltage goes below 2 V (relative to V_{SS}). The Miller clamp NMOS transistor is then turned on and provides a low resistive path for the Miller current. This helps prevent a self−turn−on due to the parasitic Miller capacitor in power switches. The clamp voltage is V_{OL} + 2.5 V maximum for a Miller current up to 1200 mA. In this way, the V_{CLAMP} function does not affect the turn−off characteristic. It helps to clamp the gate to the LOW level throughout the turn−off time. During turn−on, where the input of the driver is activated, the V_{CLAMP} function is disabled or opened.

Time to Good Power

At initial power up, the LED is off and the output of the gate driver should be in the LOW state. Sometimes race conditions exist that causes the output to follow the V_{E} (assuming V_{DD2} and V_E are connected externally), until all of the circuits in the output IC have stabilized. This condition can result in output transitions or transients that are coupled to the driven IGBT. These glitches can cause the high−side and low−side IGBTs to conduct shoot−through current that may result in destructive damage to the power semiconductor devices. ON has introduced a initial turn−on

delay, generally called "time-to-good power". This delay, typically 2.5 µs, is only present during the initial power–up of the device. Once powered, the "time-to-good power" delay is determined by the delay of the UVLO circuitry.

If the LED is "ON" during the initial turn-on activation, LOW−to−HIGH transition at the output of the gate driver only occurs 2.5 μ s after the V_{DD2} power is applied.

Figure 60. Timing Relationship Among DESAT, FAULT, and RESET

REFLOW PROFILE

Figure 62. Reflow Profile

ORDERING INFORMATION

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30.All packages are lead free per JEDEC: J−STD−020B standard.

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