

DAC5675A 14-Bit, 400-MSPS Digital-to-Analog Converter

1 Features

- 400MSPS Update Rate
- LVDS-Compatible Input Interface
- Spurious-Free Dynamic Range (SFDR) to Nyquist:
 - 69dBc at 70MHz IF, 400MSPS
- W-CDMA Adjacent Channel Power Ratio (ACPR):
 - 73dBc at 30.72MHz IF, 122.88MSPS
 - 71dBc at 61.44MHz IF, 245.76MSPS
- Differential Scalable Current Sink Outputs: 2mA to 20mA
- On-Chip 1.2V Reference
- Single 3.3V Supply Operation
- Power Dissipation: 660mW at $f_{CLK} = 400\text{MSPS}$, $f_{OUT} = 20\text{MHz}$
- Package: 48-Pin HTQFP PowerPad™, $T_{JA} = 28.8^\circ\text{C/W}$

2 Applications

- Cellular Base Transceiver Station Transmit Channel:
 - CDMA: WCDMA, CDMA2000, IS-95
 - TDMA: GSM, IS-136, EDGE/GPRS
 - Supports Single-Carrier and Multicarrier Applications
- Test and Measurement: Arbitrary Waveform Generation
- Direct Digital Synthesis (DDS)
- Cable Modem Headend

3 Description

The DAC5675A is a 14-bit resolution high-speed digital-to-analog converter. The DAC5675A is designed for high-speed digital data transmission in wired and wireless communication systems, high-frequency direct-digital synthesis (DDS), and waveform reconstruction in test and measurement applications. The DAC5675A has excellent spurious-free dynamic range (SFDR) at high intermediate frequencies, which makes the DAC5675A well-suited for multicarrier transmission in TDMA- and CDMA-based cellular base transceiver stations (BTSs).

The DAC5675A operates from a single-supply voltage of 3.3 V. Power dissipation is 660 mW at $f_{CLK} = 400\text{ MSPS}$, $f_{OUT} = 70\text{ MHz}$. The DAC5675A provides a nominal full-scale differential current output of 20mA, supporting both single-ended and differential applications. The output current can be directly fed to the load with no additional external output buffer required. The output is referred to the analog supply voltage AV_{DD} .

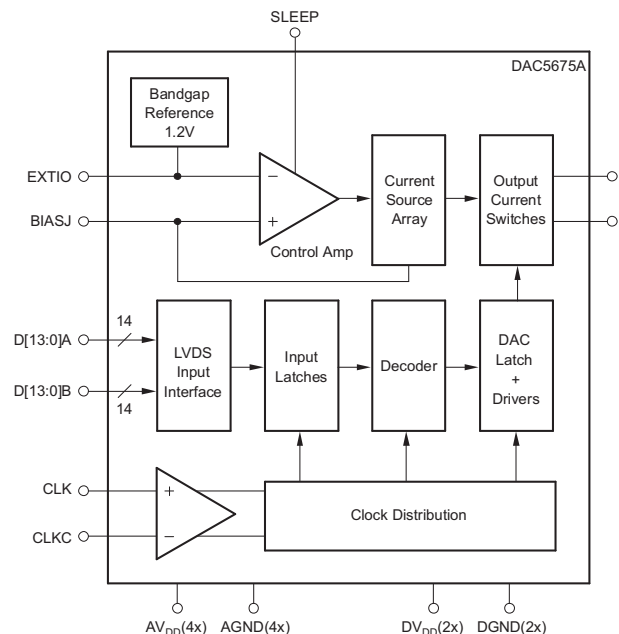
The DAC5675A comprises a low-voltage differential signaling (LVDS) interface for high-speed digital data input. LVDS features a low differential voltage swing with a low constant power consumption across frequency, allowing for high-speed data transmission with low noise levels; that is, with low electromagnetic interference (EMI). LVDS is typically implemented in low-voltage digital CMOS processes, making it the ideal technology for high-speed interfacing between the DAC5675A and high-speed low-voltage CMOS ASICs or FPGAs. The DAC5675A current-sink-array architecture supports update rates of up to 400MSPS. On-chip edge-triggered input latches provide for minimum setup and hold times, thereby relaxing interface timing.

Device Information⁽¹⁾

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
DAC5675A	PHP (48)	7.00 mm x 7.00 mm

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the data sheet.

Simple Schematic



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4 Revision History

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Changes from Revision C (March 2005) to Revision D

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- Added *ESD Ratings*, *Recommended Operating Conditions*, *Thermal Information*, *Detailed Description* section, *Application and Implementation* section, *Power Supply Recommendations* section, *Layout* section, *Device and Documentation Support* section, *Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information* section..... **1**
- Changed AV_{DD} to DV_{DD} From: –3.6 to +3.6 To: –0.7 to +0.7 in the *Absolute Maximum Ratings* **4**

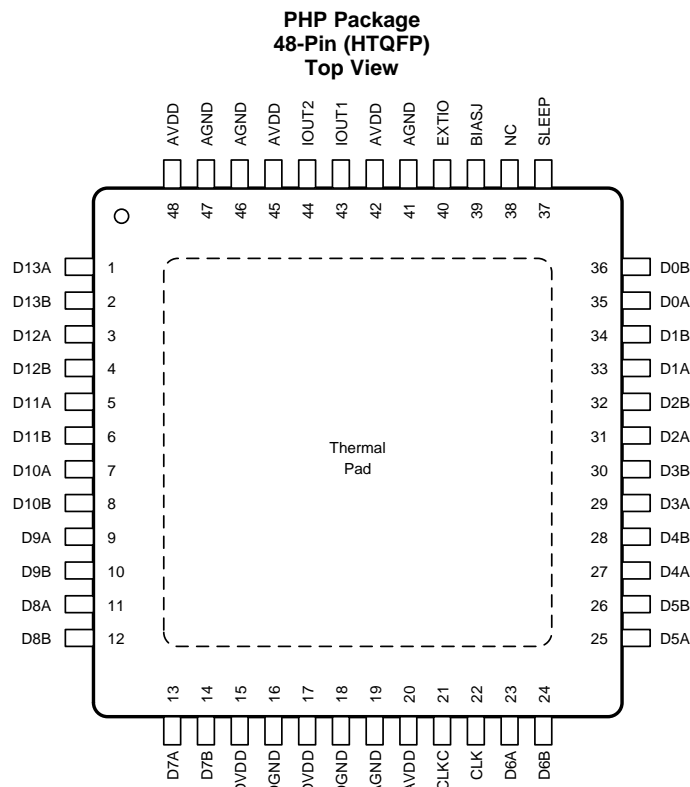
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The DAC5675A has been specifically designed for a differential transformer-coupled output with a 50 Ω doubly-terminated load. With the 20 mA full-scale output current, both a 4:1 impedance ratio (resulting in an output power of 4 dBm) and 1:1 impedance ratio transformer (–2 dBm) are supported. The last configuration is preferred for optimum performance at high output frequencies and update rates. The outputs are terminated to AV_{DD} and have voltage compliance ranges from AV_{DD} –1 to AV_{DD} + 0.3 V.

An accurate on-chip 1.2-V temperature-compensated bandgap reference and control amplifier allows the user to adjust this output current from 20 mA down to 2 mA. This provides 20-dB gain range control capabilities. Alternatively, an external reference voltage may be applied. The DAC5675A features a SLEEP mode, which reduces the standby power to approximately 18 mW.

The DAC5675A is available in a 48-pin HTQFP thermally-enhanced PowerPad package. This package increases thermal efficiency in a standard size IC package. The device is characterized for operation over the industrial temperature range of –40°C to +85°C.

6 Pin Configuration and Functions



Note: Thermal pad size: 4.5 mm x 4.5 mm (min), 5.5 mm x 5.5 mm (max)

Pin Functions

PIN		I/O	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.		
AGND	19, 41, 46, 47	I	Analog negative supply voltage (ground); pin 47 internally connected to PowerPAD.
AVDD	20, 42, 45, 48	I	Analog positive supply voltage.
BIASJ	39	O	Full-scale output current bias.
CLK	22	I	External clock input.
CLKC	21	I	Complementary external clock input.
D(13:0)A	1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35	I	LVDS positive input, data bits 0 through 13. D13A is most significant data bit (MSB). D0A is least significant data bit (MSB).
D(13:0)B	2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36	I	LVDS negative input, data bits 0 through 13. D13B is most significant data bit (MSB). D0B is least significant data bit (MSB).
DGND	16, 18	I	Digital negative supply voltage (ground).
NC	38	—	Not connected in chip. Can be high or low.
DVDD	15, 17	I	Digital positive supply voltage.
EXTIO	40	I/O	Internal reference output or external reference input. Requires a 0.1 μ F decoupling capacitor to AGND when used as reference output.
IOUT1	43	O	DAC current output. Full-scale when all input bits are set to '0'. Connect reference side of DAC load resistors to AV _{DD} .
IOUT2	44	O	DAC complementary current output. Full-scale when all input bits are set to '1'. Connect reference side of DAC load resistors to AV _{DD} .
SLEEP	37	I	Asynchronous hardware power down input. Active high. Internal pull-down.

7 Specifications

7.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

 over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)⁽¹⁾

		MIN	MAX	UNIT
Supply voltage range	AV_{DD} ⁽²⁾	-0.3	+3.6	V
	DV_{DD} ⁽³⁾	-0.3	+3.6	V
	AV_{DD} to DV_{DD}	-0.7	+0.7	V
Voltage between AGND and DGND		-0.3	+0.5	V
CLK, CLKC ⁽²⁾		-0.3	$AV_{DD} + 0.3$	V
Digital input D[13:0]A, D[13:0]B(3), SLEEP		-0.3	$DV_{DD} + 0.3$	V
IOUT1, IOUT2 ⁽²⁾		-1.0	$AV_{DD} + 0.3$	V
EXTIO, BIAS ⁽²⁾		-1.0	$AV_{DD} + 0.3$	V
Peak input current (any input)			20	mA
Peak total input current (all inputs)			-30	mA
Operating free-air temperature range, T_A		-40	+85	°C
Storage temperature range		-65	+150	°C

- (1) Stresses above those listed under *Absolute Maximum Ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure outside of absolute maximum conditions for extended periods may degrade device reliability. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under recommended operating conditions is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- (2) Measured with respect to AGND.
- (3) Measured with respect to DGND.

7.2 ESD Ratings

		VALUE	UNIT
$V_{(ESD)}$ Electrostatic discharge	Human-body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 ⁽¹⁾	±1000	V
	Charged-device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 ⁽²⁾	±250	

- (1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.
- (2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

7.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

		MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
Supplies					
AVDD		3.15	3.3	3.6	V
DVDD		3.15	3.3	3.6	V
$I_{(AVDD)}$	Analog supply current		115		mA
$I_{(DVDD)}$	Digital supply current		85		mA
Analog Output					
$I_{O(FS)}$	Full-scale output current	2		20	mA
	Output compliance range	$AV_{DD} - 1$		$AV_{DD} + 0.3$	V
Clock Interface (CLK, CLKC)					
	CLKINPUT Frequency			400	MHz
	$ CLK - CLKC $	0.4		0.8	V_{PP}
	Clock duty cycle	40%		60%	
V_{CM}	Common-mode voltage range	1.6	2	2.4	V

7.4 Thermal Information

THERMAL METRIC ⁽¹⁾		DAC5675A	UNIT
		PHP (HTQFP)	
		48 PINS	
$R_{\theta JA}$	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	31.3	°C/W
$R_{\theta JC(top)}$	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	13.0	°C/W
$R_{\theta JB}$	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	10.9	°C/W
Ψ_{JT}	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	0.3	°C/W
Ψ_{JB}	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	10.9	°C/W
$R_{\theta JC(bot)}$	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	0.9	°C/W

(1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the [SPRA953 Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics](#) application report.

7.5 DC Electrical Characteristics

Over operating free-air temperature range. Typical values at +25°C, $AV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $DV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $I_{O(FS)} = 20mA$, unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Resolution			14			Bit
DC Accuracy⁽¹⁾						
INL	Integral nonlinearity	T_{MIN} to T_{MAX}	-4	±1.5	4	LSB
DNL	Differential nonlinearity		-2	±0.6	2	LSB
Monotonicity			Monotonic 12b Level			
Analog Output						
$I_{O(FS)}$	Full-scale output current		2		20	mA
	Output compliance range	$AV_{DD} = 3.15V$ to $3.45V$, $I_{O(FS)} = 20mA$	$AV_{DD} - 1$		$AV_{DD} + 0.3$	V
	Offset error			0.01		%FSR
	Gain error	Without internal reference	-10	5	10	%FSR
		With internal reference	-10	2.5	10	%FSR
	Output resistance			300		kΩ
	Output capacitance			5		pF
Reference Output						
$V_{(EXTIO)}$	Reference voltage		1.17	1.23	1.29	V
	Reference output current ⁽²⁾			100		nA
Reference Input						
$V_{(EXTIO)}$	Input reference voltage		0.6	1.2	1.25	V
	Input resistance			1		MΩ
	Small-signal bandwidth			1.4		MHz
	Input capacitance			100		pF
Temperature Coefficients						
	Offset drift			12		ppm of FSR/°C
$\Delta V_{(EXTIO)}$	Reference voltage drift			±50		ppm/°C
Power Supply						
AV_{DD}	Analog supply voltage		3.15	3.3	3.6	V
DV_{DD}	Digital supply voltage		3.15	3.3	3.6	V
$I_{(AVDD)}$	Analog supply current ⁽³⁾			115		mA
$I_{(DVDD)}$	Digital supply current ⁽³⁾			85		mA
P_D	Power dissipation	Sleep mode		18		mW
P_D	Power dissipation	$AV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $DV_{DD} = 3.3V$		660	900	mW
APSR	Analog and digital power-supply rejection ratio	$AV_{DD} = 3.15V$ to $3.45V$	-0.5	±0.1	0.5	%FSR/V
DPSRR			-0.5	±0.1	0.5	%FSR/V

(1) Measured differential at I_{OUT1} and I_{OUT2} ; 25Ω to AV_{DD} .

(2) Use an external buffer amplifier with high impedance input to drive any external load.

(3) Measured at $f_{CLK} = 400MSPS$ and $f_{OUT} = 70MHz$.

7.6 AC Electrical Characteristics

Over operating free-air temperature range. Typical values at +25°C, $A_{V_{DD}} = 3.3V$, $DV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $I_{O(FS)} = 20mA$, differential transformer-coupled output, 50Ω doubly-terminated load, unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Analog Output						
f_{CLK}	Output update rate				400	MSPS
$t_{s(DAC)}$	Output setting time to 0.1%	Transition: code x2000 to x23FF		12		ns
t_{PD}	Output propagation delay			1		ns
$t_{r(IOUT)}$	Output rise time, 10% to 90%			300		ps
$t_{f(IOUT)}$	Output fall time, 90% to 10%			300		ps
	Output noise ⁽¹⁾	$I_{OUT_{FS}} = 20mA$		55		$\mu A/\sqrt{Hz}$
		$I_{OUT_{FS}} = 2mA$		30		$\mu A/\sqrt{Hz}$
AC Linearity						
THD	Total harmonic distortion	$f_{CLK} = 100MSPS, f_{OUT} = 19.9MHz$		73		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 160MSPS, f_{OUT} = 41MHz$		72		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 200MSPS, f_{OUT} = 70MHz$		68		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 20.1MHz$		72		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 70MHz$		71		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 140MHz$		58		dBc
SFDR	Spurious-free dynamic range to Nyquist	$f_{CLK} = 100MSPS, f_{OUT} = 19.9MHz$		73		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 160MSPS, f_{OUT} = 41MHz$		73		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 200MSPS, f_{OUT} = 70MHz$		70		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 20.1MHz$		73		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 70MHz$		74		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 140MHz$		60		dBc
SFDR	Spurious-free dynamic range within a window, 5MHz span	$f_{CLK} = 100MSPS, f_{OUT} = 19.9MHz$		88		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 160MSPS, f_{OUT} = 41MHz$		87		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 200MSPS, f_{OUT} = 70MHz$		82		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 20.1MHz$		87		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 70MHz$		82		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 140MHz$		75		dBc
ACPR	Adjacent channel power ratio WCDMA with 3.84MHz BW, 5MHz channel spacing	$f_{CLK} = 122.88MSPS, IF = 30.72MHz^{(2)}$		73		dB
		$f_{CLK} = 245.76MSPS, IF = 61.44MHz^{(3)}$		71		dB
		$f_{CLK} = 399.32MSPS, IF = 153.36MHz^{(4)}$		65		dB
IMD	Two-tone intermodulation to Nyquist (each tone at -6dBfs)	$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT1} = 70MHz, f_{OUT2} = 71MHz$		73		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT1} = 140MHz, f_{OUT2} = 141MHz$		62		dBc
	Four-tone intermodulation, 15MHz span, missing center tone (each tone at -16dBfs)	$f_{CLK} = 156MSPS, f_{OUT} = 15.6, 15.8, 16.2, 16.4MHz$		82		dBc
		$f_{CLK} = 400MSPS, f_{OUT} = 68.1, 69.3, 71.2, 72MHz$		74		dBc

(1) Noise averaged up to 400MHz when operating at 400MSPS.

(2) See [Figure 9](#).

(3) See [Figure 10](#).

(4) See [Figure 12](#)

7.7 Digital Specifications

Over operating free-air temperature range. Typical values at +25°C, $AV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $DV_{DD} = 3.3V$, unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
LVDS Interface: nodes D[13:0]A, D[13:0]B						
V_{ITH+}	Positive-going differential input voltage threshold	See LVDS min/max threshold voltages table		100		mV
V_{ITH-}	Negative-going differential input voltage threshold			-100		mV
Z_T	Internal termination impedance		90	110	132	Ω
C_I	Input capacitance			2		pF
CMOS Interface (SLEEP):						
V_{IH}	High-level input voltage		2	3.3		V
V_{IL}	Low-level input voltage			0	0.8	V
I_{IH}	High-level input current		-100		100	μA
I_{IL}	Low-level input current		-10		10	μA
	Input capacitance			2		pF
Clock Interface (CLK, CLKC):						
$ \text{CLK-CLKC} $	Clock differential input voltage		0.4		0.8	V_{PP}
	Clock duty cycle		40%		60%	
V_{CM}	Common-mode voltage range			$2 \pm 20\%$		V
	Input resistance	Node CLK, CLKC		670		Ω
	Input capacitance	Node CLK, CLKC		2		pF
	Input resistance	Differential		1.3		k Ω
	Input capacitance	Differential		1		pF
Timing						
t_{SU}	Input setup time		1.5			ns
t_H	Input hold time		0			ns
t_{DD}	Digital delay time (DAC latency)			3		clk

7.8 Operational Characteristics⁽¹⁾

Over operating free-air temperature range, $AV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $DV_{DD} = 3.3V$, $I_{O(FS)} = 20mA$, unless otherwise noted.

APPLIED VOLTAGES		RESULTING DIFFERENTIAL INPUT VOLTAGE	RESULTING COMMON-MODE INPUT VOLTAGE	LOGICAL BIT BINARY EQUIVALENT	COMMENT
V_A [V]	V_B [V]	$V_{A,B}$ [mV]	V_{COM} [V]		
1.25	1.15	100	1.2	1	Operation with minimum differential voltage ($\pm 100mV$) applied to the complementary inputs versus common-mode range
1.15	1.25	-100	1.2	0	
2.4	2.3	100	2.35	1	
2.3	2.4	-100	2.35	0	
0.1	0	100	0.05	1	
0	0.1	-100	0.05	0	
1.5	0.9	600	1.2	1	Operation with maximum differential voltage ($\pm 600mV$) applied to the complementary inputs versus common-mode range
0.9	1.5	-600	1.2	0	
2.4	1.8	600	2.1	1	
1.8	2.4	-600	2.1	0	
0.6	0	600	0.3	1	
0	0.6	-600	0.3	0	

(1) Specifications subject to change.

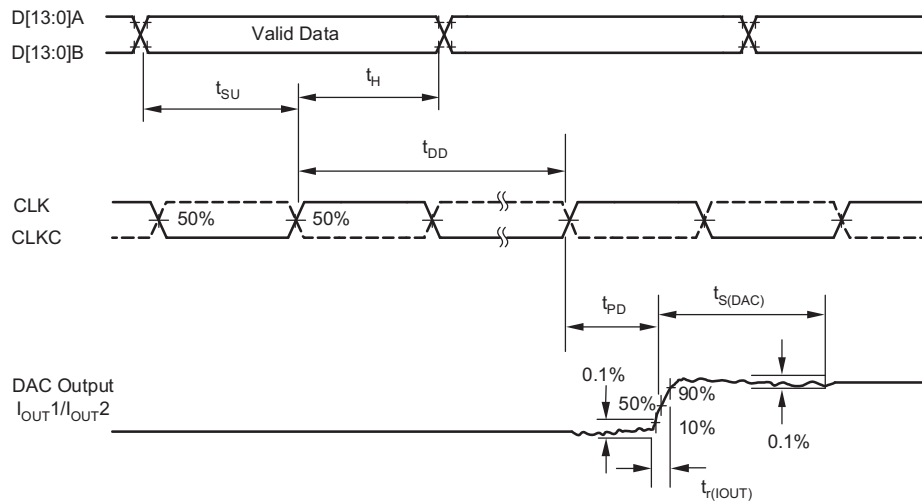


Figure 1. Timing Diagram

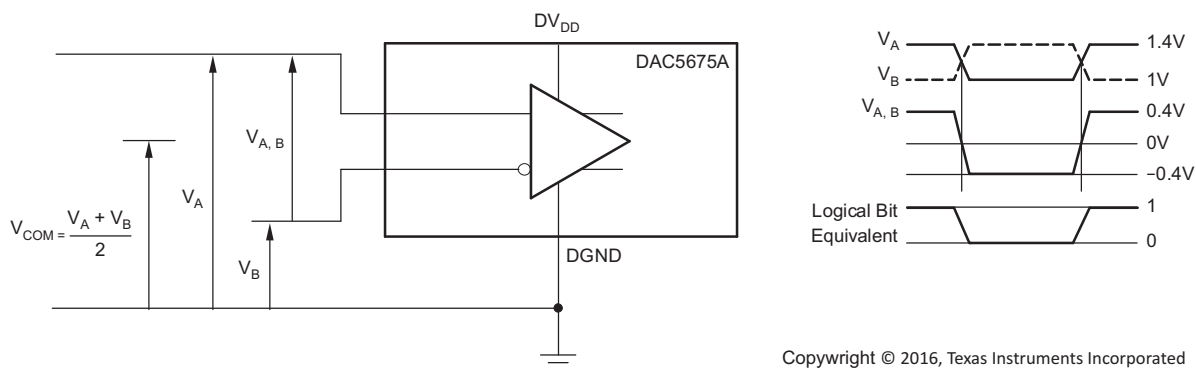


Figure 2. LVDS Timing Test Circuit and Input Test Levels

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7.9 Typical Characteristics

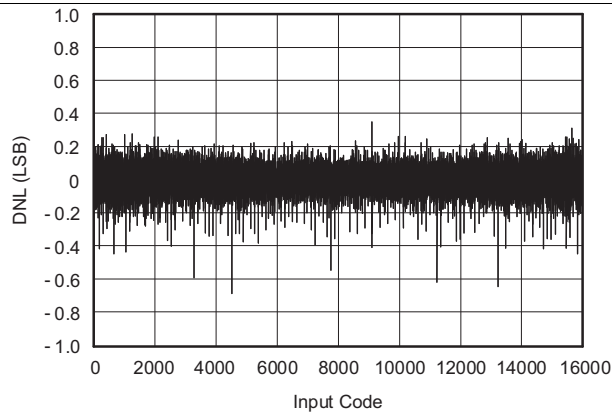


Figure 3. Differential Non-Linearity (DNL) vs Input Code

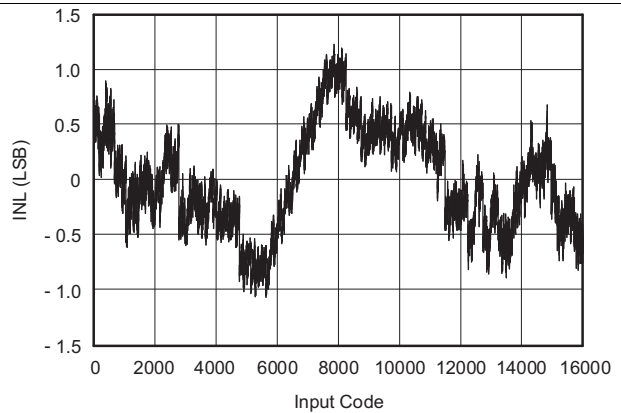


Figure 4. Integral Non-Linearity (INL) vs Input Code

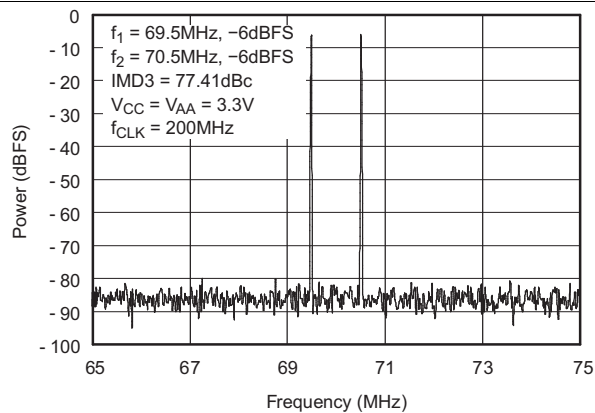


Figure 5. Two-Tone IMD (Power) vs Frequency

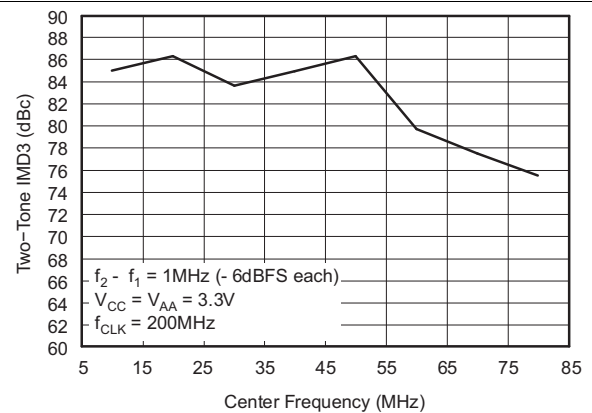


Figure 6. Two-Tone IMD3 vs Frequency

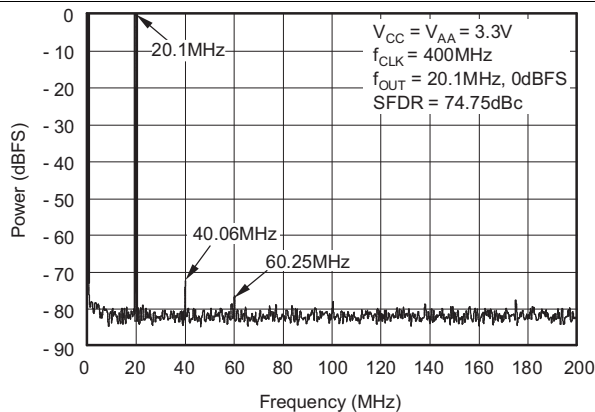


Figure 7. Single-Tone Spectrum Power vs Frequency

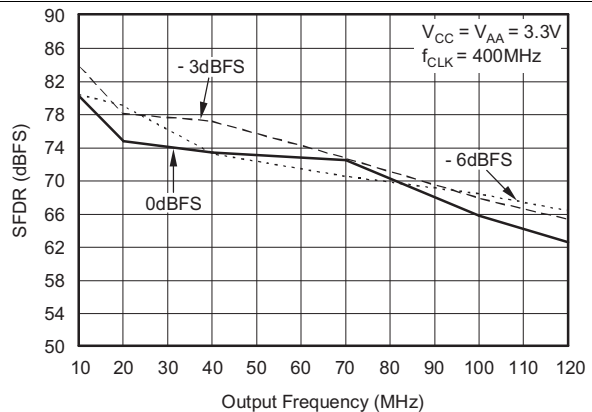


Figure 8. Spurious-Free Dynamic Range vs Frequency

Typical Characteristics (continued)

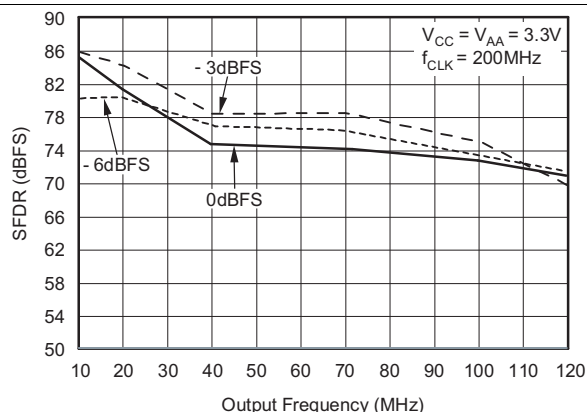


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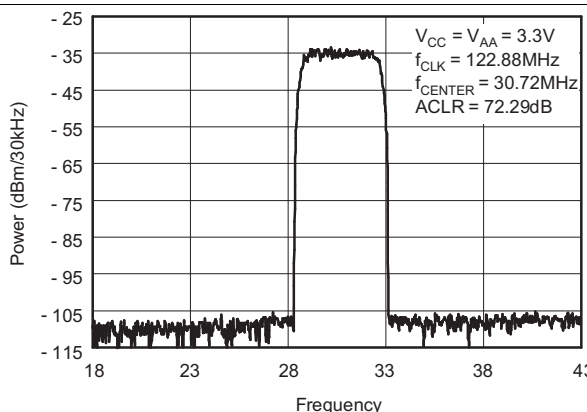


Figure 10. W-CDMA TM1 Single Carrier Power vs Frequency

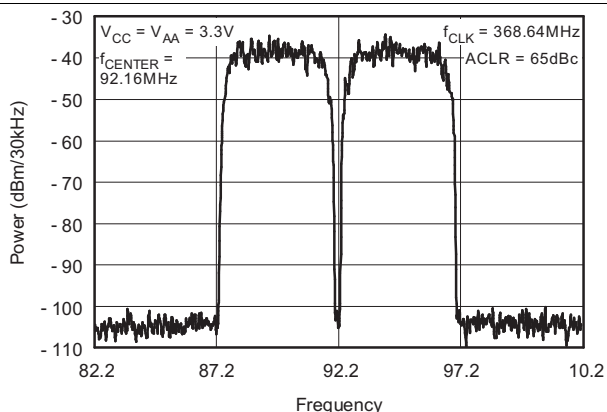


Figure 11. W-CDMA TM1 Dual Carrier Power vs Frequency

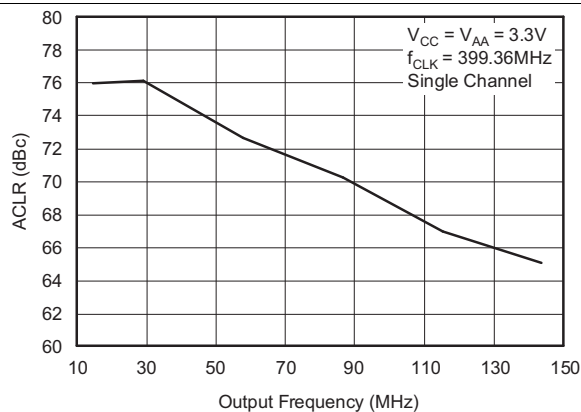


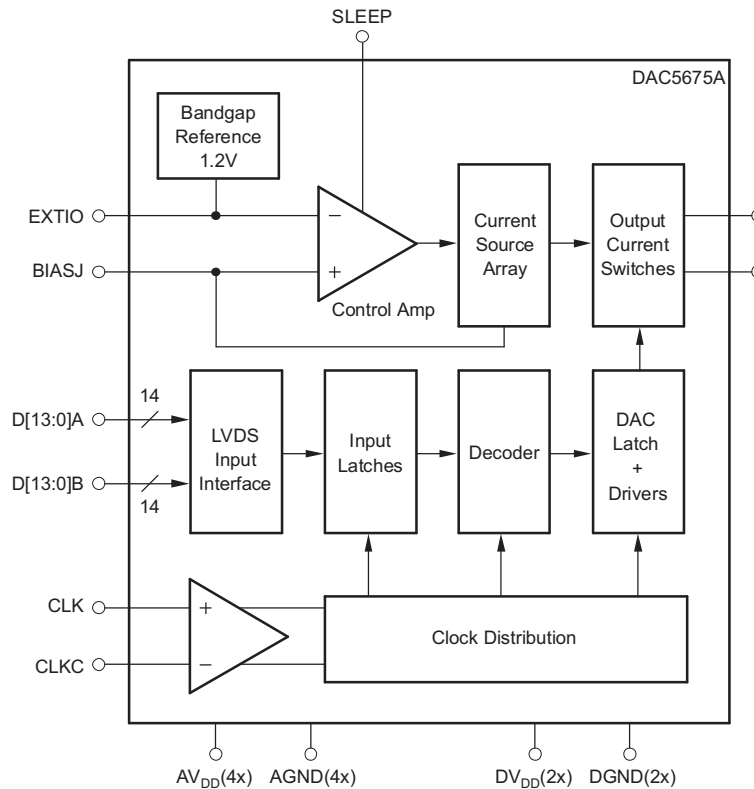
Figure 12. W-CDMA TM1 Single Carrier ACLR vs Output Frequency

8 Detailed Description

8.1 Overview

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8.2 Functional Block Diagram



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8.3 Feature Description

8.3.1 Digital Inputs

The DAC5675A uses a low voltage differential signaling (LVDS) bus input interface. The LVDS features a low differential voltage swing with low constant power consumption ($\approx 4\text{mA}$ per complementary data input) across frequency. The differential characteristic of LVDS allows for high-speed data transmission with low electromagnetic interference (EMI) levels. The LVDS input minimum and maximum input threshold table lists the LVDS input levels. [Figure 13](#) shows the equivalent complementary digital input interface for the DAC5675A, valid for pins D[13:0]A and D[13:0]B. Note that the LVDS interface features internal 110Ω resistors for proper termination. [Figure 2](#) shows the LVDS input timing measurement circuit and waveforms. A common-mode level of 1.2V and a differential input swing of $0.8V_{PP}$ is applied to the inputs.

[Figure 14](#) shows a schematic of the equivalent CMOS/TTL-compatible digital inputs of the DAC5675A, valid for the SLEEP pin.

Feature Description (continued)

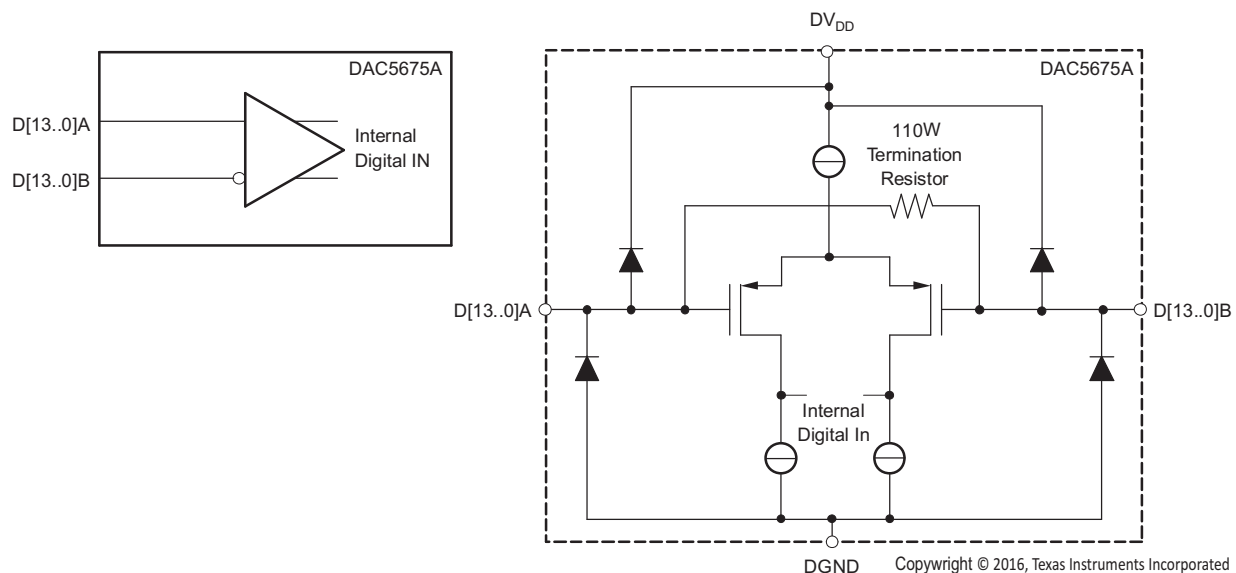


Figure 13. LVDS Digital Equivalent Input

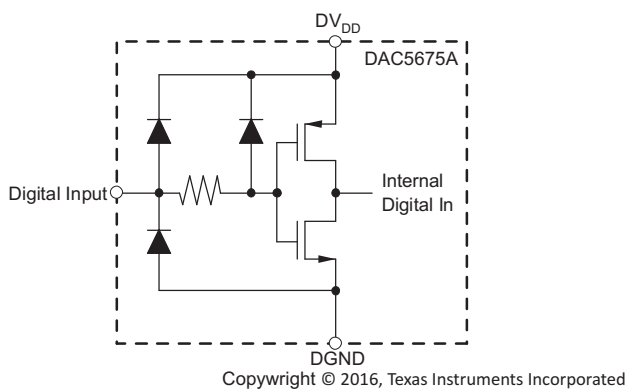


Figure 14. CMOS/TTL Digital Equivalent Input

Feature Description (continued)

8.3.2 Clock Input

The DAC5675A features differential, LVPECL compatible clock inputs (CLK, CLKC). Figure 15 shows the equivalent schematic of the clock input buffer. The internal biasing resistors set the input common-mode voltage to approximately 2V, while the input resistance is typically 670Ω. A variety of clock sources can be ac-coupled to the device, including a sine wave source (see Figure 16).

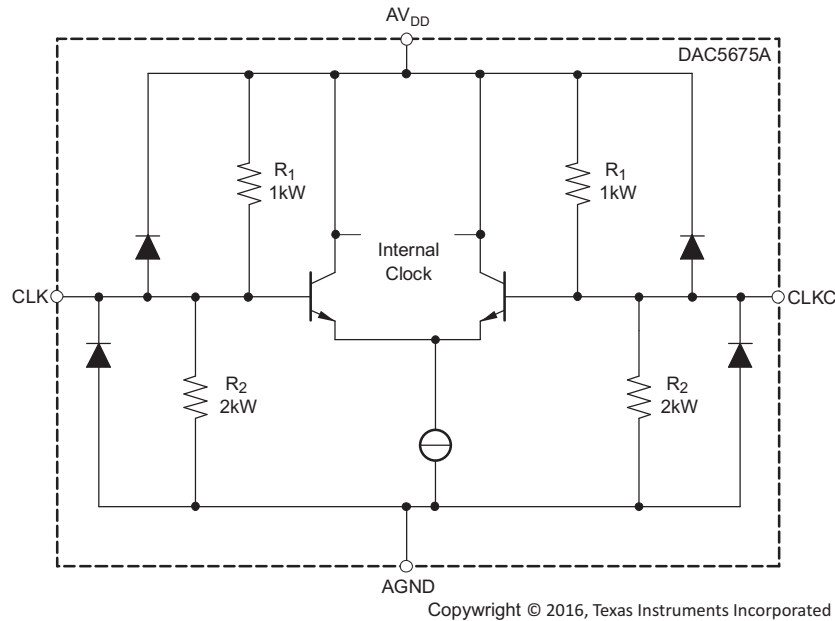


Figure 15. Clock Equivalent Input

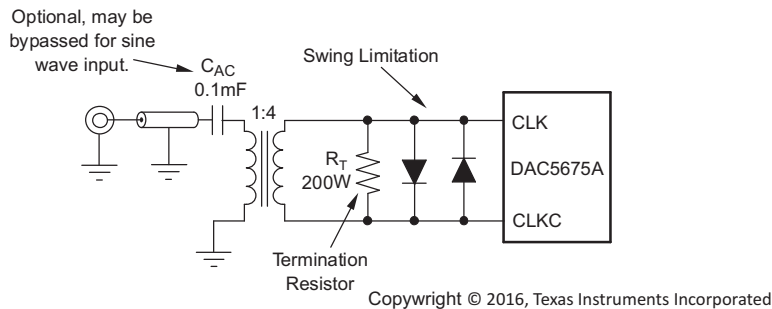
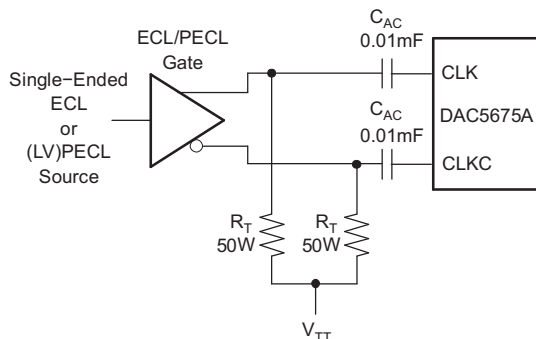


Figure 16. Driving the DAC5675A with a Single-Ended Clock Source Using a Transformer

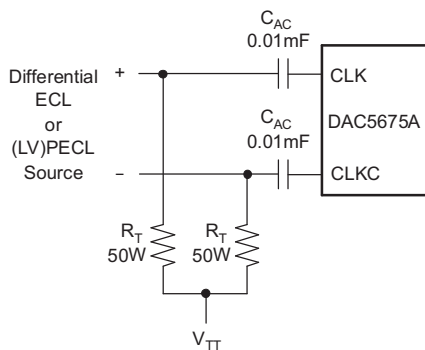
To obtain best ac performance the DAC5675A clock input should be driven with a differential LVPECL or sine wave source as shown in Figure 17 and Figure 18. Here, the potential of V_{TT} should be set to the termination voltage required by the driver along with the proper termination resistors (R_T). The DAC5675A clock input can also be driven single-ended; this is shown in Figure 19.

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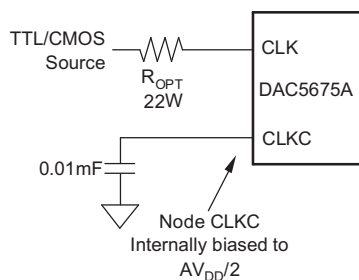
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Figure 17. Driving the DAC5675A with a Single-Ended ECL/PECL Clock Source



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Figure 18. Driving the DAC5675A with a Differential ECL/PECL Clock Source



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Figure 19. Driving the DAC5675A with a Single-Ended TTL/CMOS Clock Source

Feature Description (continued)

8.3.3 Supply Inputs

The DAC5675A comprises separate analog and digital supplies, that is, AV_{DD} and DV_{DD} , respectively. These supply inputs can be set independently from 3.6V down to 3.15V.

8.3.4 DAC Transfer Function

The DAC5675A has a current sink output. The current flow through IOUT1 and IOUT2 is controlled by D[13:0]A and D[13:0]B. For ease of use, we denote D[13:0] as the logical bit equivalent of D[13:0]A and its complement D[13:0]B. The DAC5675A supports straight binary coding with D13 being the MSB and D0 the LSB. Full-scale current flows through IOUT2 when all D[13:0] inputs are set high and through IOUT1 when all D[13:0] inputs are set low. The relationship between IOUT1 and IOUT2 can be expressed as [Equation 1](#):

$$IOUT1 = IO_{(FS)} - IOUT2 \quad (1)$$

$IO_{(FS)}$ is the full-scale output current sink (2mA to 20mA). Since the output stage is a current sink, the current can only flow from AV_{DD} through the load resistors R_L into the IOUT1 and IOUT2 pins.

The output current flow in each pin driving a resistive load can be expressed as shown in [Figure 20](#), as well as in [Equation 2](#) and [Equation 3](#).

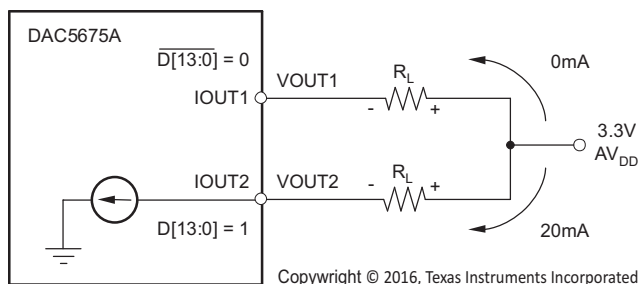


Figure 20. Relationship Between D[13:0], IOUT1 and IOUT2

$$IOUT1 = \frac{IO_{(FS)} \times (16383 - \text{CODE})}{16384} \quad (2)$$

$$IOUT2 = \frac{IO_{(FS)} \times \text{CODE}}{16384} \quad (3)$$

where CODE is the decimal representation of the DAC input word. This would translate into single-ended voltages at IOUT1 and IOUT2, as shown in [Equation 4](#) and [Equation 5](#):

$$VOUT1 = AVDD - IOUT1 \times R_L \quad (4)$$

$$VOUT2 = AVDD - IOUT2 \times R_L \quad (5)$$

Assuming that D[13:0] = 1 and the R_L is 50 Ω , the differential voltage between pins IOUT1 and IOUT2 can be expressed as shown in [Equation 6](#) through [Equation 8](#):

$$VOUT1 = 3.3 \text{ V} - 0 \text{ mA} \times 50 = 3.3 \text{ V} \quad (6)$$

$$VOUT2 = AVDD - 20 \text{ mA} \times 50 = 2.3 \text{ V} \quad (7)$$

$$VDIFF = VOUT1 - VOUT2 = 1 \text{ V} \quad (8)$$

If D[13:0] = 0, then IOUT2 = 0mA and IOUT1 = 20mA and the differential voltage $VDIFF = -1\text{V}$.

The output currents and voltages in IOUT1 and IOUT2 are complementary. The voltage, when measured differentially, will be doubled compared to measuring each output individually. Care must be taken not to exceed the compliance voltages at the IOUT1 and IOUT2 pins in order to keep signal distortion low.

8.3.5 Reference Operation

The DAC5675A has a bandgap reference and control amplifier for biasing the full-scale output current. The full-scale output current is set by applying an external resistor R_{BIAS} . The bias current I_{BIAS} through resistor R_{BIAS} is defined by the on-chip bandgap reference voltage and control amplifier. The full-scale output current equals 16 times this bias current. The full-scale output current $IO_{(FS)}$ is thus expressed as [Equation 9](#):

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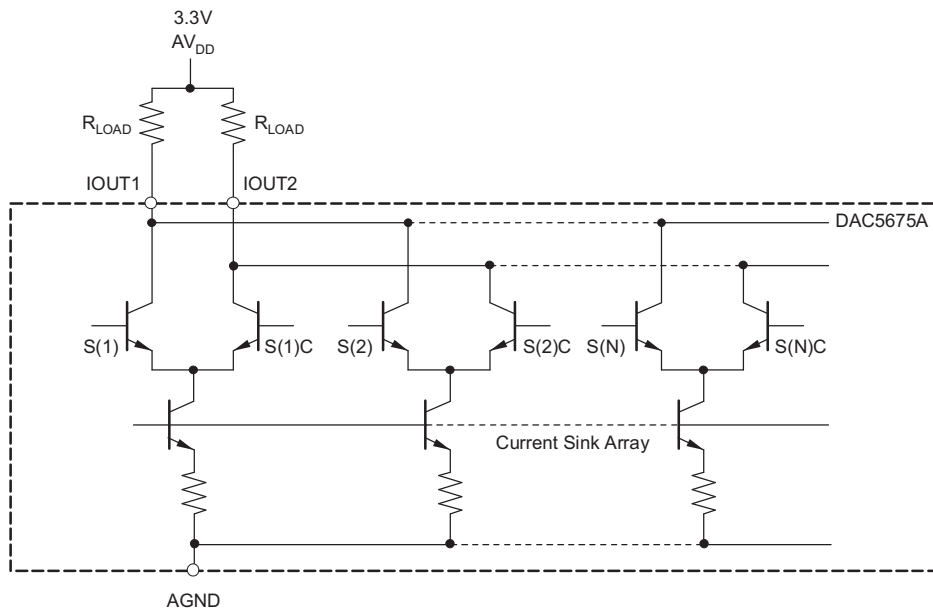
$$I_{O(FS)} = 16 \times I_{BIAS} = \frac{16 \times V_{EXTIO}}{R_{BIAS}} \tag{9}$$

where V_{EXTIO} is the voltage at terminal EXTIO. The bandgap reference voltage delivers a stable voltage of 1.2 V. This reference can be overridden by applying an external voltage to terminal EXTIO. The bandgap reference can additionally be used for external reference operation. In such a case, an external buffer amplifier with high impedance input should be selected in order to limit the bandgap load current to less than 100 nA. The capacitor C_{EXT} may be omitted. Terminal EXTIO serves as either an input or output node. The full-scale output current is adjustable from 20mA down to 2mA by varying resistor R_{BIAS} .

8.3.6 Analog Current Outputs

Figure 21 shows a simplified schematic of the current sink array output with corresponding switches. Differential NPN switches direct the current of each individual NPN current sink to either the positive output node IOUT1 or its complementary negative output node IOUT2. D[13:0] controls the S(N)C current switches and D[13:0] controls the S(N) current switches, as explained in the previous **DAC Transfer Function** section (see Figure 20). The output impedance is determined by the stack of the current sinks and differential switches, and is > 300kΩ in parallel with an output capacitance of 5pF.

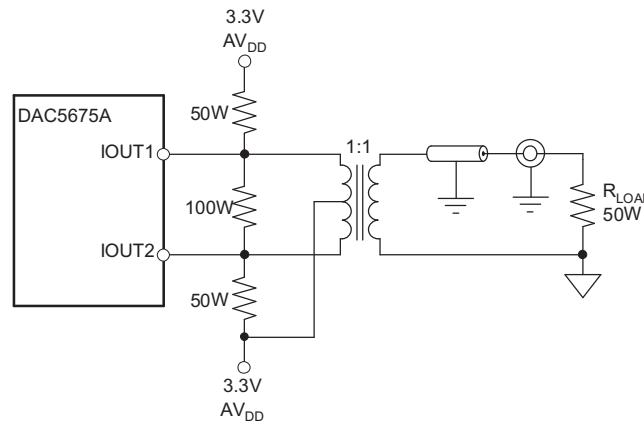
The external output resistors are referred to the positive supply AV_{DD} .



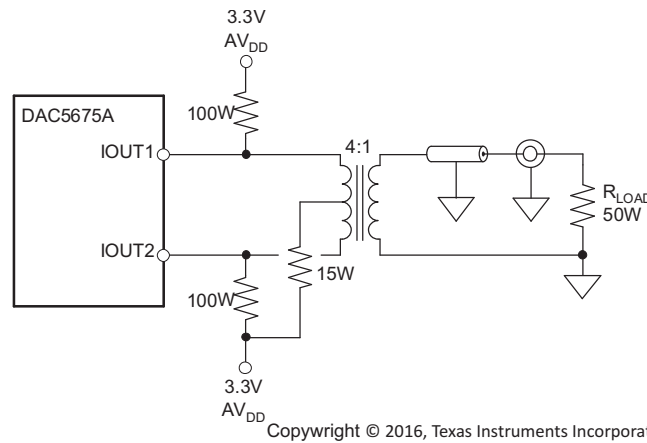
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Figure 21. Equivalent Analog Current Output

The DAC5675A can easily be configured to drive a doubly-terminated 50Ω cable using a properly selected transformer. Figure 22 and Figure 23 show the 1:1 and 4:1 impedance ratio configuration, respectively. These configurations provide maximum rejection of common-mode noise sources and even-order distortion components, thereby doubling the power of the DAC to the output. The center tap on the primary side of the transformer is terminated to AV_{DD} , enabling a dc current flow for both IOUT1 and IOUT2. Note that the ac performance of the DAC5675A is optimum and specified using a 1:1 differential transformer-coupled output.

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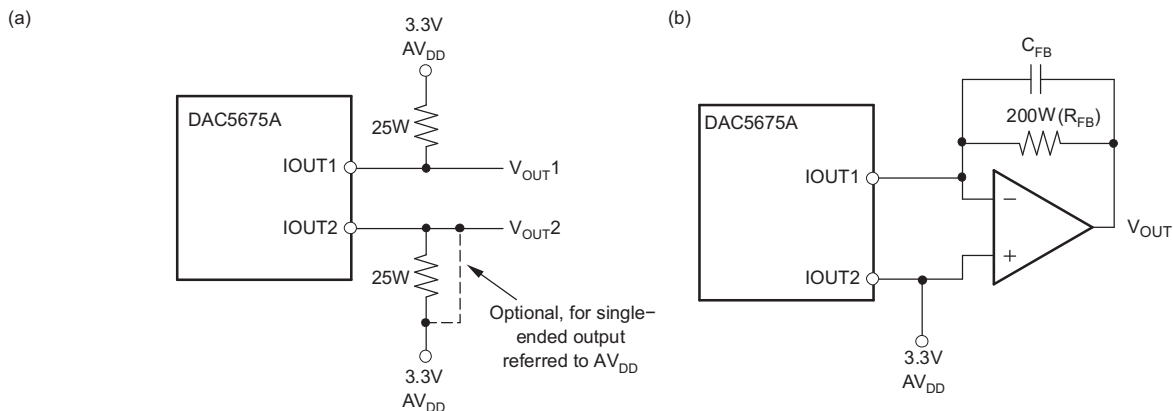
Figure 22. Driving a Doubly-Terminated 50Ω Cable Using a 1:1 Impedance Ratio Transformer


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Figure 23. Driving a Doubly-Terminated 50Ω Cable Using a 4:1 Impedance Ratio Transformer

Figure 24(a) shows the typical differential output configuration with two external matched resistor loads. The nominal resistor load of 25 Ω gives a differential output swing of 1V_{PP} (0.5–V_{PP} single-ended) when applying a 20 mA full-scale output current. The output impedance of the DAC5675A slightly depends on the output voltage at nodes IOUT1 and IOUT2. Consequently, for optimum dc-integral nonlinearity, the configuration of Figure 24(b) should be chosen. In this current/voltage (I-V) configuration, terminal IOUT1 is kept at AV_{DD} by the inverting operational amplifier. The complementary output should be connected to AV_{DD} to provide a dc-current path for the current sources switched to IOUT1. The amplifier maximum output swing and the full-scale output current of the DAC determine the value of the feedback resistor (R_{FB}). The capacitor (C_{FB}) filters the steep edges of the DAC5675A current output, thereby reducing the operational amplifier slew-rate requirements. In this configuration, the op amp should operate at a supply voltage higher than the resistor output reference voltage AV_{DD} as a result of its positive and negative output swing around AV_{DD}. Node IOUT1 should be selected if a single-ended unipolar output is desired.

Feature Description (continued)



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Figure 24. Output Configurations

8.4 Device Functional Modes

8.4.1 Sleep Mode

The DAC5675A features a power-down mode that turns off the output current and reduces the supply current to approximately 6mA. The power-down mode is activated by applying a logic level 1 to the SLEEP pin pulled down internally.

9 Application and Implementation

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9.1 Application Information

Figure 25 shows a simplified block diagram of the current steering DAC5675A. The DAC5675A consists of a segmented array of NPN-transistor current sinks, capable of delivering a full-scale output current up to 20 mA. Differential current switches direct the current of each current sink to either one of the complementary output nodes IOUT1 or IOUT2. The complementary current output enables differential operation, canceling out common-mode noise sources (digital feed-through, on-chip and PCB noise), dc offsets, and even-order distortion components, and doubling signal output power.

The full-scale output current is set using an external resistor (R_{BIAS}) in combination with an on-chip bandgap voltage reference source (1.2 V) and control amplifier. The current (I_{BIAS}) through resistor R_{BIAS} is mirrored internally to provide a full-scale output current equal to 16 times I_{BIAS} . The full-scale current is adjustable from 20 mA down to 2 mA by using the appropriate bias resistor value.

9.2 Typical Application

A typical application for the DAC5675a is as dual or single carrier transmitter. The DAC is provided with some input digital baseband signal and it outputs an analog carrier.

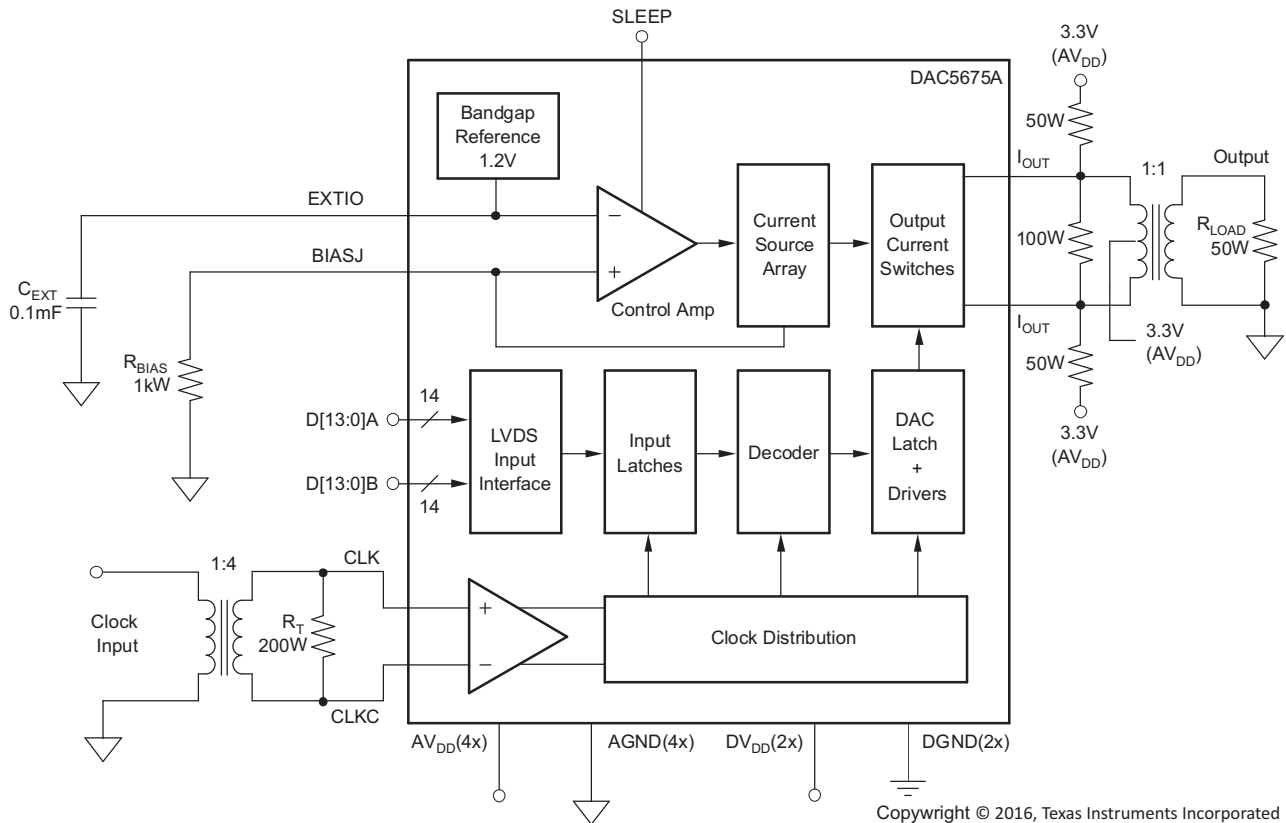


Figure 25. Application Schematic

Typical Application (continued)

9.2.1 Design Requirements

The requirements for this design were to generate a 2-carrier WCDMA signal at an intermediate frequency of 92.16 MHz. The ACPR needs to be better than 65 dBc. For this design example use the parameters shown in Table 1.

Table 1. Design Parameters

PARAMETER	VALUE
Clock rate	368.64 MHz
Input data	2C WCDMA with IF frequency at 92.16MHz
V _{CC} / V _{AA}	3.3 V

9.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

The 2-carrier signal with an intermediate frequency of 92.16 MHz must be created in the digital processor at a sample rate of 368.64 Msp/s for DAC. These 14 bit samples are placed on the 14b LVDS input port of the DAC.

A differential DAC clock must be generated from a clock source at 368.64 MHz. This must be provided to the CLKIN pins of the DAC.

The IOUOTA and IOUOTB differential connections must be connected to a transformer to provide a single ended output. A typical 1:1 impedance transformer is used on the device EVM. The DAC5675AEVM (SLAU080) provides a good reference for this design example.

9.2.3 Application Curves

This spectrum analyzer plot shows the ACPR for the transformer output 2-carrier signal with intermediate frequency of 92.16 MHz. The results meet the system requirements for a minimum of 65 dBc ACPR.

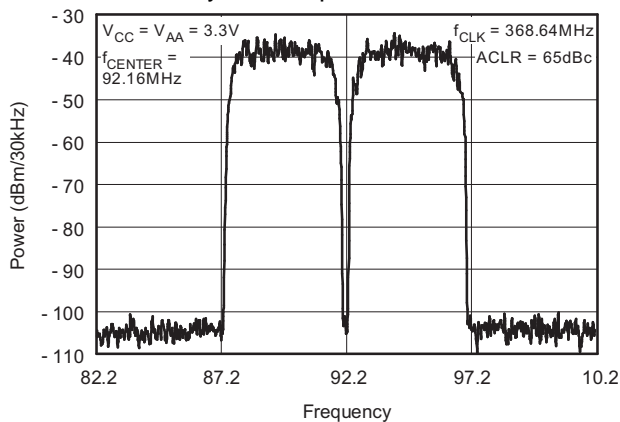


Figure 26. W-CDMA TM1 Dual Carrier Power vs Frequency

10 Power Supply Recommendations

It is recommended that the device be powered with the nominal supply voltages as indicated in the Recommended Operating Conditions.

In most instances the best performance is achieved with LDO supplies. However the supplies may be driven with direct outputs from a DC-DC switcher as long as the noise performance of the switcher is acceptable.

11 Layout

11.1 Layout Guidelines

The DAC5675 EVM layout should be used as a reference for the layout to obtain the best performance. A sample layout is shown in Figure 27. Some important layout recommendations are:

- Use a single ground plane. Keep the digital and analog signals on distinct separate sections of the board. This may be virtually divided down the middle of the device package when doing placement and layout.
- Keep the analog outputs as far away from the switching clocks and digital signals as possible. This will keep coupling from the digital circuits to the analog outputs to a minimum.
- Decoupling caps should be kept close to the power pins of the device.

11.2 Layout Example

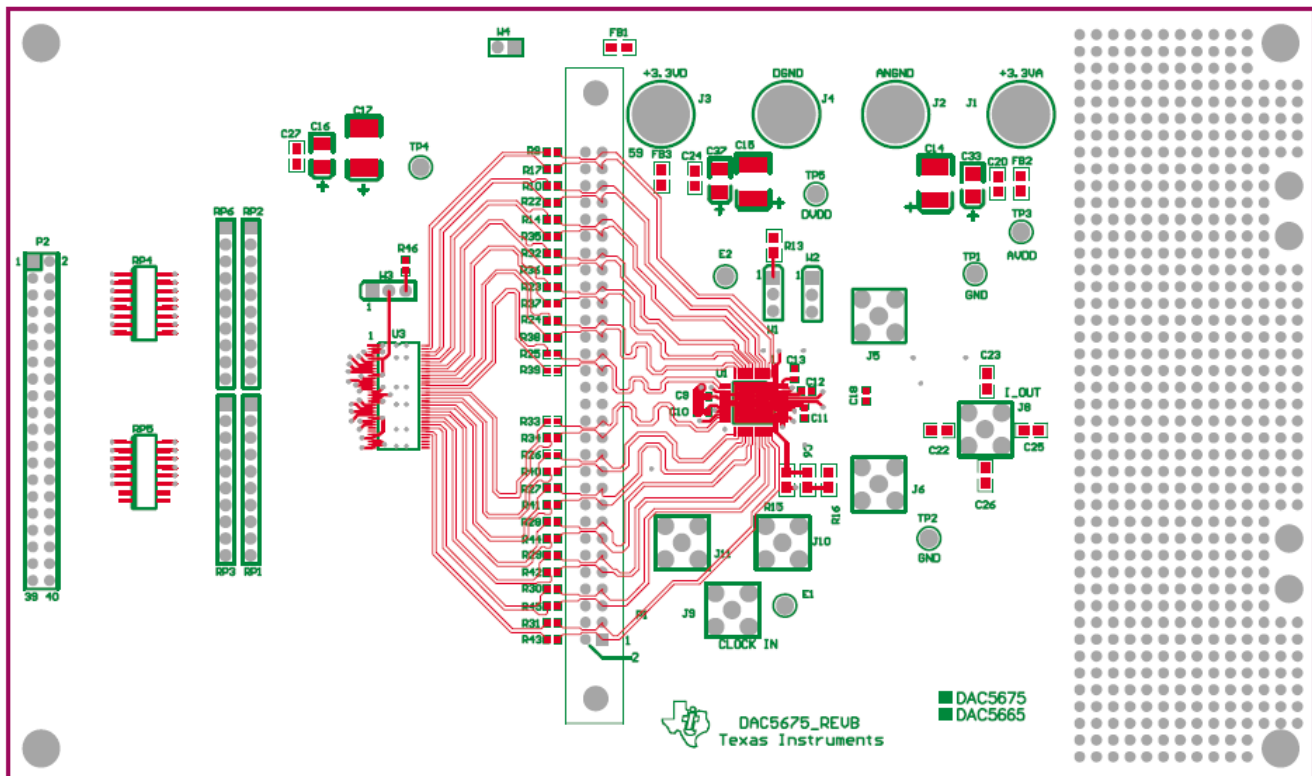


Figure 27. Top Layer of DAC5675A EVM Layout

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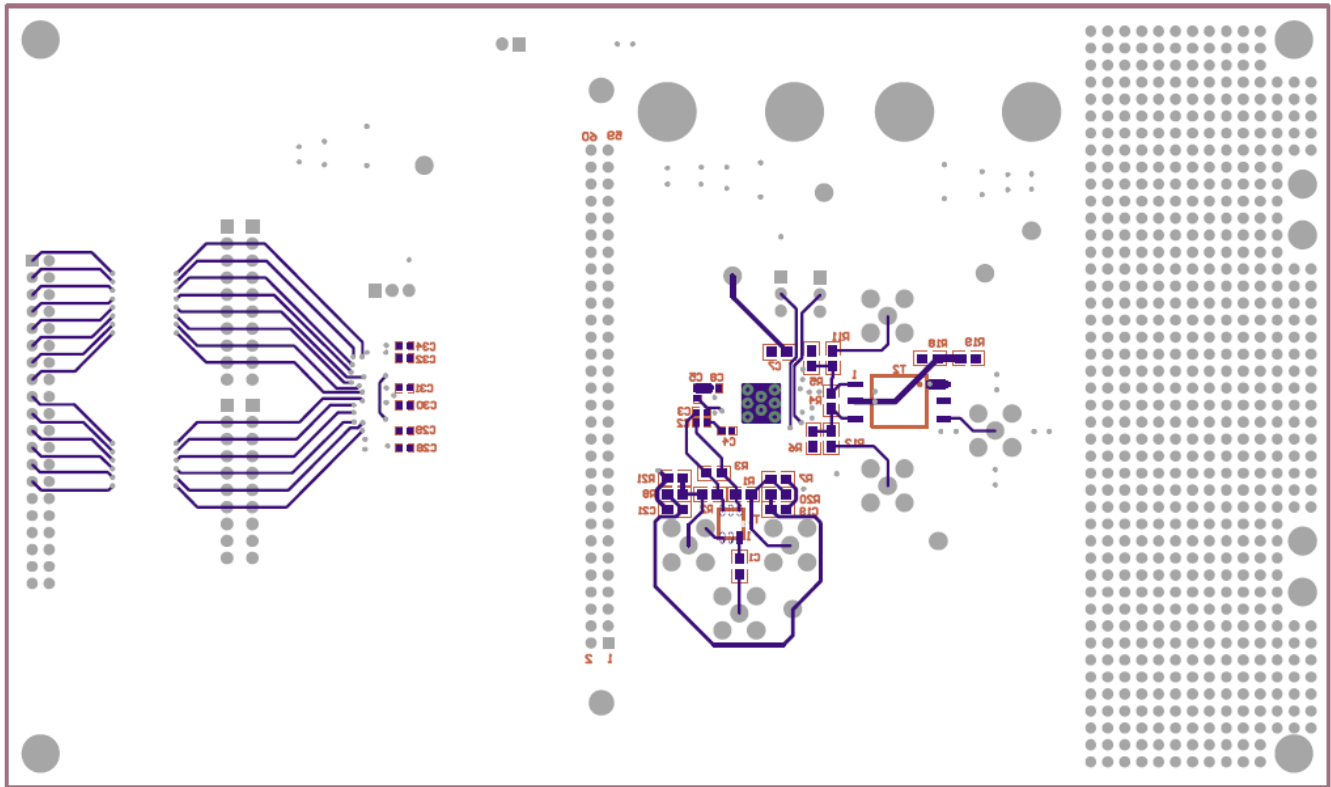


Figure 28. Bottom Layer of DAC5675A EVM Layout

12 Device and Documentation Support

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12.5 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

12.6 Device Nomenclature

12.6.1 Definitions of Specifications and Terminology

Gain error is defined as the percentage error in the ratio between the measured full-scale output current and the value of $16 \times V_{(EXTIO)}/R_{BIAS}$. A $V_{(EXTIO)}$ of 1.25V is used to measure the gain error with an external reference voltage applied. With an internal reference, this error includes the deviation of $V_{(EXTIO)}$ (internal bandgap reference voltage) from the typical value of 1.25V.

Offset error is defined as the percentage error in the ratio of the differential output current (IOUT1–IOUT2) and the half of the full-scale output current for input code 8192.

THD is the ratio of the rms sum of the first six harmonic components to the rms value of the fundamental output signal.

SNR is the ratio of the rms value of the fundamental output signal to the rms sum of all other spectral components below the Nyquist frequency, including noise, but excluding the first six harmonics and dc.

SINAD is the ratio of the rms value of the fundamental output signal to the rms sum of all other spectral components below the Nyquist frequency, including noise and harmonics, but excluding dc.

ACPR or adjacent channel power ratio is defined for a 3.84Mcps 3GPP W-CDMA input signal measured in a 3.84MHz bandwidth at a 5MHz offset from the carrier with a 12dB peak-to-average ratio.

APSSR or analog power supply ratio is the percentage variation of full-scale output current versus a 5% variation of the analog power supply AV_{DD} from the nominal. This is a dc measurement.

DPSSR or digital power supply ratio is the percentage variation of full-scale output current versus a 5% variation of the digital power supply DV_{DD} from the nominal. This is a dc measurement.

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DAC5675AIPHP	ACTIVE	HTQFP	PHP	48	250	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	DAC5675AI	Samples

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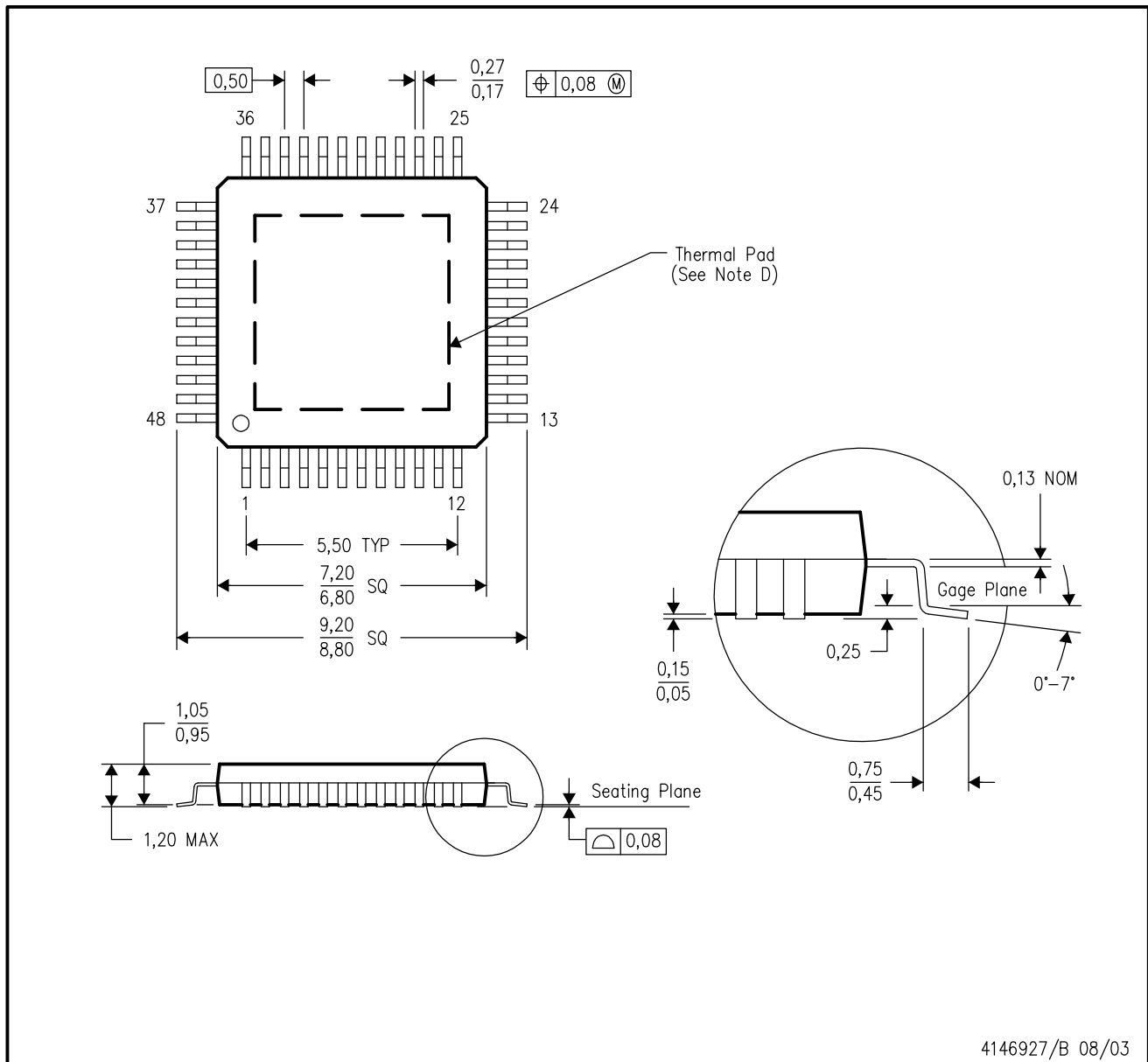
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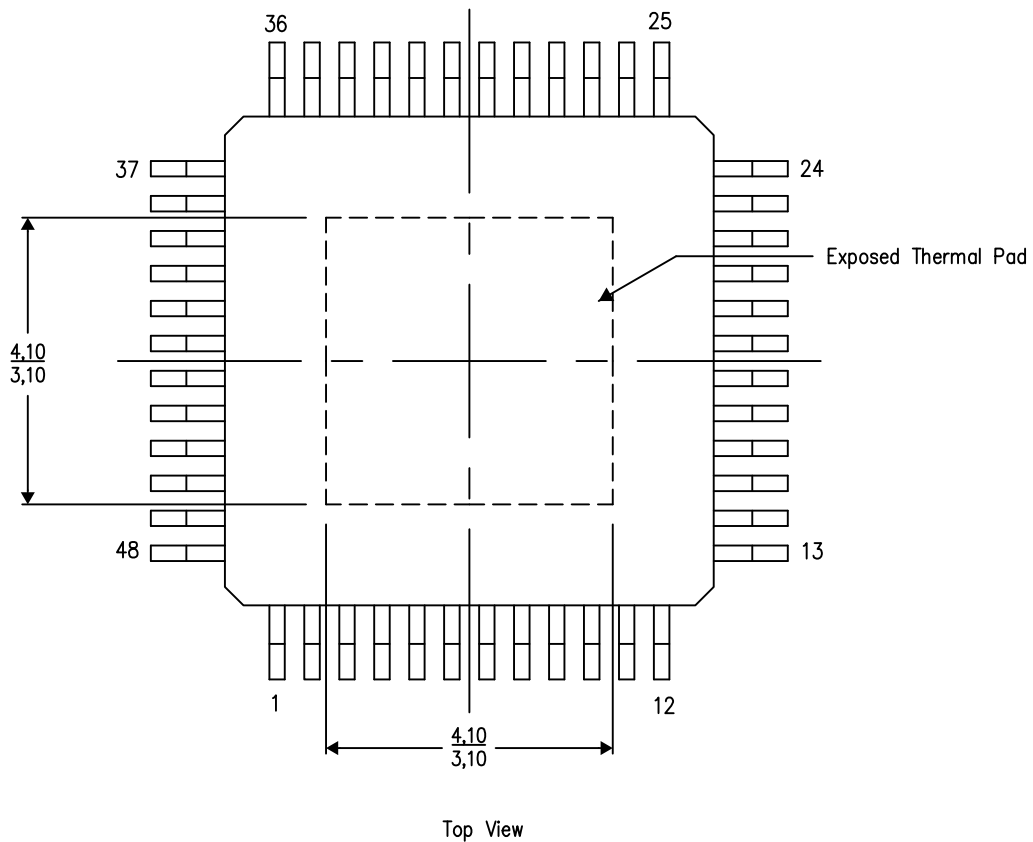
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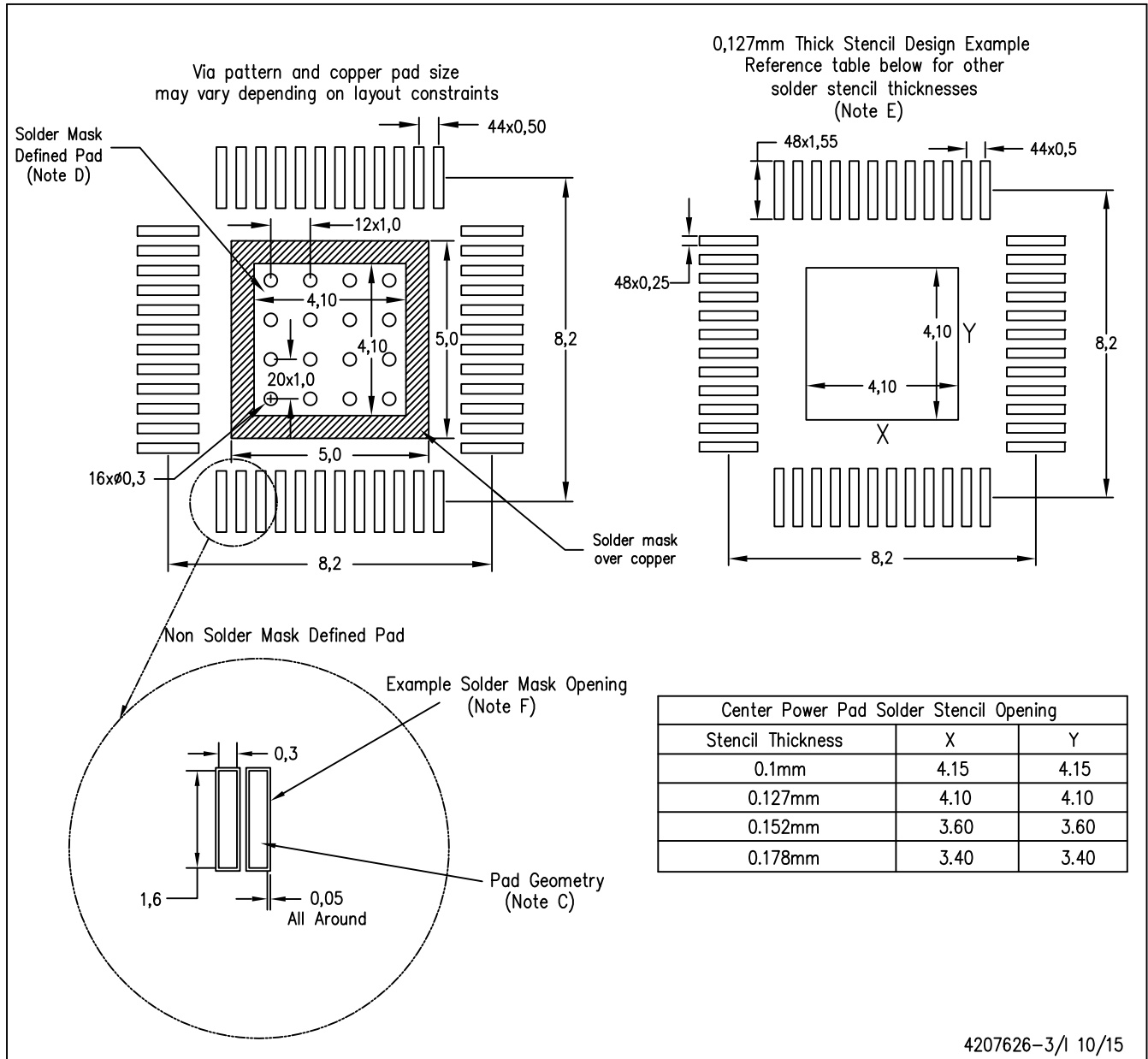
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