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## Features

- Drives up to six IGBT/MOSFET power devices
- Gate drive supplies up to 20 V per channel
- Over-current protection
- Over-temperature shutdown input
- Advanced input filter
- Integrated deadtime protection
- Shoot-through (cross-conduction) protection
- Undervoltage lockout for  $V_{CC}$  &  $V_{BS}$
- Enable/disable input and fault reporting
- Adjustable fault clear timing
- Separate logic and power grounds
- 3.3 V input logic compatible
- Tolerant to negative transient voltage
- Designed for use with bootstrap power supplies
- Matched propagation delays for all channels
- $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $125^{\circ}\text{C}$  operating range
- RoHS compliant
- Lead-Free
- Automotive qualified\*

## Typical Applications

- HVAC compressor
- Brushless automotive applications

## Product Summary

Topology	3 Phase
$V_{\text{OFFSET}}$	$\leq 600\text{ V}$
$V_{\text{OUT}}$	10 V – 20 V
$I_{\text{o+}}$ & $I_{\text{o-}}$ (typical)	200 mA & 350 mA
$t_{\text{ON}}$ & $t_{\text{OFF}}$ (typical)	530 ns & 530 ns
Deadtime (typical)	275 ns

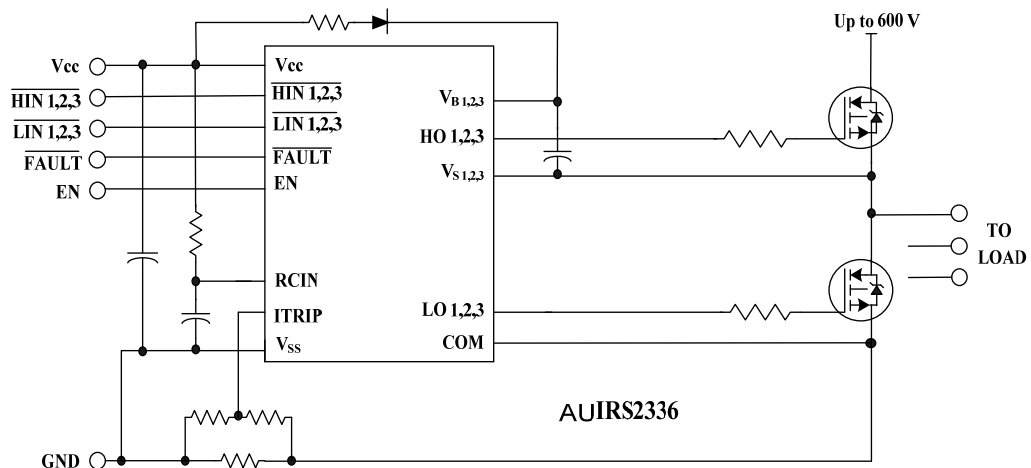
## Package Options



28-Lead SOIC Wide Body

## Typical Connection Diagram

(Refer to Lead Assignments for correct pin configuration). This diagram shows electrical connections only. Please refer to our Application Notes and Design Tips for proper circuit board layout.



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## Description

The AUIRS2336S are high voltage, high speed, power MOSFET and IGBT gate drivers with three high-side and three low-side referenced output channels for 3-phase applications. This IC is designed to be used with low-cost bootstrap power supplies. Proprietary HVIC and latch immune CMOS technologies have been implemented in a rugged monolithic structure. The floating logic input is compatible with standard CMOS or LSTTL outputs (down to 3.3 V logic). A current trip function which terminates all six outputs can be derived from an external current sense resistor. Enable functionality is available to terminate all six outputs simultaneously. An open-drain FAULT signal is provided to indicate that a fault (e.g., over-current, over-temperature, or undervoltage shutdown event) has occurred. Fault conditions are cleared automatically after a delay programmed externally via an RC network connected to the RCIN input. The output drivers feature a high-pulse current buffer stage designed for minimum driver cross-conduction. Shoot-through protection circuitry and a minimum deadtime circuitry have been integrated into this IC. Propagation delays are matched to simplify the HVIC's use in high frequency applications. The floating channels can be used to drive N-channel power MOSFETs or IGBTs in the high-side configuration, which operate up to 600 V.

**Qualification Information<sup>†</sup>**

<b>Qualification Level</b>		Automotive (per AEC-Q100 <sup>††</sup> )
		Comments: This family of ICs has passed an Automotive qualification. IR's Industrial and Consumer qualification level is granted by extension of the higher Automotive level.
<b>Moisture Sensitivity Level</b>		MSL3 <sup>†††</sup> 260°C (per IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020)
<b>ESD</b>	Machine Model	Class M2 (200V) (per AEC-Q100-003)
	Human Body Model	Class H1C (1500V) (per AEC-Q100-002)
	Charged Device Model	Class C4 (1000V) (per AEC-Q100-011)
<b>IC Latch-Up Test</b>		Class II Level A (per AEC-Q100-004)
<b>RoHS Compliant</b>		Yes

† Qualification standards can be found at International Rectifier's web site <http://www.irf.com/>

†† Exceptions to AEC-Q100 requirements are noted in the qualification report.

††† Higher MSL ratings may be available for the specific package types listed here. Please contact your International Rectifier sales representative for further information.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Absolute maximum ratings indicate sustained limits beyond which damage to the device may occur. These are stress ratings only, functional operation of the device at these or any other condition beyond those indicated in the “Recommended Operating Condition” is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability. All voltage parameters are absolute voltages referenced to  $V_{SS}$  unless otherwise stated in the table. The thermal resistance and power dissipation ratings are measured under board mounted and still air conditions. Voltage clamps are included between  $V_{CC}$  & COM (25 V),  $V_{CC}$  &  $V_{SS}$  (20 V), and  $V_B$  &  $V_S$  (20 V).

Symbol	Definition	Min	Max	Units
$V_{CC}$	Low side supply voltage	-0.3	20 <sup>†</sup>	V
$V_{IN}$	Logic input voltage (HIN, LIN, ITRIP, EN)	$V_{SS}-0.3$	$V_{SS}+5.2$	
$V_{RCIN}$	RCIN input voltage	$V_{SS}-0.3$	$V_{CC}+0.3$	
$V_B$	High-side floating well supply voltage	-0.3	620 <sup>†</sup>	
$V_S$	High-side floating well supply return voltage	$V_B-20^{\dagger}$	$V_B+0.3$	
$V_{HO}$	Floating gate drive output voltage	$V_S-0.3$	$V_B+0.3$	
$V_{LO}$	Low-side output voltage	COM-0.3	$V_{CC}+0.3$	
$V_{FLT}$	Fault output voltage	$V_{SS}-0.3$	$V_{CC}+0.3$	
COM	Power ground	$V_{CC}-25$	$V_{CC}+0.3$	
$dV_S/dt$	Allowable $V_S$ offset supply transient relative to $V_{SS}$	—	50	
$PW_{HIN}$	High-side input pulse width	500	—	ns
$P_D$	Package power dissipation @ $T_A \leq +25^{\circ}C$	—	1.6	W
$R_{thJA}$	Thermal resistance, junction to ambient	—	78	$^{\circ}C/W$
$T_J$	Junction temperature	—	150	$^{\circ}C$
$T_S$	Storage temperature	-55	150	
$T_L$	Lead temperature (soldering, 10 seconds)	—	300	

† All supplies are tested at 25 V. An internal 20 V clamp exists for each supply.



### Recommended Operating Conditions

For proper operation, the device should be used within the recommended conditions. All voltage parameters are absolute voltages referenced to  $V_{SS}$  unless otherwise stated in the table. The offset rating is tested with supplies of  $(V_{CC}-COM) = (V_B-V_S) = 15\text{ V}$ .

Symbol	Definition	Min	Max	Units
$V_{CC}$	Low-side supply voltage	10	20	V
$V_{IN}$	HIN, LIN, & EN input voltage	$V_{SS}$	$V_{SS}+5$	
$V_B$	High-side floating well supply voltage	$V_S+10$	$V_S+20$	
$V_S$	High-side floating well supply offset voltage <sup>†</sup>	COM-8	600	
$V_S(t)$	Transient high-side floating supply voltage <sup>††</sup>	-50	600	
$V_{HO}$	Floating gate drive output voltage	$V_S$	$V_B$	
$V_{LO}$	Low-side output voltage	COM	$V_{CC}$	
COM	Power ground	-5	5	
$V_{FLT}$	FAULT output voltage	$V_{SS}$	$V_{CC}$	
$V_{RCIN}$	RCIN input voltage	$V_{SS}$	$V_{CC}$	
$V_{ITRIP}$	ITRIP input voltage	$V_{SS}$	$V_{SS}+5$	
$T_A$	Ambient temperature	-40	125	°C

† Logic operation for  $V_S$  of -8 V to 600 V. Logic state held for  $V_S$  of -8 V to  $-V_{BS}$ .

†† Operational for transient negative  $V_S$  of  $V_{SS} - 50\text{ V}$  with a 50 ns pulse width. Guaranteed by design. Refer to the Application Information section of this datasheet for more details.

**Static Electrical Characteristics**

Unless otherwise noted, these specifications apply for an operating junction temperature range of  $-40^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T_j \leq 125^{\circ}\text{C}$  with bias conditions of  $(V_{\text{CC-COM}}) = (V_{\text{B-V}_S}) = 15\text{ V}$ . The  $V_{\text{IN}}$  and  $I_{\text{IN}}$  parameters are referenced to  $V_{\text{SS}}$  and are applicable to all six channels. The  $V_{\text{O}}$  and  $I_{\text{O}}$  parameters are referenced to respective  $V_{\text{S}}$  and COM and are applicable to the respective output leads HO or LO. The  $V_{\text{CCUV}}$  parameters are referenced to  $V_{\text{SS}}$ . The  $V_{\text{BSUV}}$  parameters are referenced to  $V_{\text{S}}$ .

Symbol	Definition	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions		
$V_{\text{CCUV}+}$	$V_{\text{CC}}$ supply undervoltage positive going threshold	8	8.9	9.8	V	NA		
$V_{\text{CCUV}-}$	$V_{\text{CC}}$ supply undervoltage negative going threshold	7.4	8.2	9				
$V_{\text{CCUVHY}}$	$V_{\text{CC}}$ supply undervoltage hysteresis	0.3	0.7	—				
$V_{\text{BSUV}+}$	$V_{\text{BS}}$ supply undervoltage positive going threshold	8	8.9	9.8				
$V_{\text{BSUV}-}$	$V_{\text{BS}}$ supply undervoltage negative going threshold	7.4	8.2	9				
$V_{\text{BSUVHY}}$	$V_{\text{BS}}$ supply undervoltage hysteresis	0.3	0.7	—				
$I_{\text{LK}}$	High-side floating well offset supply leakage	—	—	50	$\mu\text{A}$	$V_{\text{B}} = V_{\text{S}} = 600\text{ V}$		
$I_{\text{QBS}}$	Quiescent $V_{\text{BS}}$ supply current	—	70	120		All inputs are in the off state		
$I_{\text{QCC}}$	Quiescent $V_{\text{CC}}$ supply current	—	2	3	$\text{mA}$			
$V_{\text{OH}}$	High level output voltage drop, $V_{\text{BIAS}}-V_{\text{O}}$	—	0.90	1.5	V		$I_{\text{O}} = 20\text{ mA}$	
$V_{\text{OL}}$	Low level output voltage drop, $V_{\text{O}}$	—	0.40	0.6	V			
$I_{\text{O}+}$	Output high short circuit pulsed current	75	200	—	$\text{mA}$	$V_{\text{O}}=0\text{ V}, V_{\text{IN}}=0\text{ V},$ $\text{PW} \leq 10\text{ }\mu\text{s}$		
$I_{\text{O}-}$	Output low short circuit pulsed current	150	350	—		$V_{\text{O}}=15\text{ V}, V_{\text{IN}}=5\text{ V},$ $\text{PW} \leq 10\text{ }\mu\text{s}$		
$V_{\text{IH}}$	Logic "0" input voltage	2.5	—	—	V	NA		
	Logic "1" input voltage							
$V_{\text{IL}}$	Logic "1" input voltage	—	—	0.8				
	Logic "0" input voltage							
$V_{\text{IN,CLAMP}}$	Input voltage clamp (HIN, LIN, ITRIP and EN)	4.8	5.2	5.65				$I_{\text{IN}} = 100\text{ }\mu\text{A}$
$I_{\text{HIN}+}$	Input bias current (HO = High)	—	150	200			$\mu\text{A}$	$V_{\text{IN}} = 0\text{ V}$
$I_{\text{HIN}-}$	Input bias current (HO = Low)	—	110	150	$V_{\text{IN}} = 4\text{ V}$			
$I_{\text{LIN}+}$	Input bias current (LO = High)	—	150	200	$V_{\text{IN}} = 0\text{ V}$			
$I_{\text{LIN}-}$	Input bias current (LO = Low)	—	110	150	$V_{\text{IN}} = 4\text{ V}$			
$V_{\text{RCIN,TH}}$	RCIN positive going threshold	—	8	—	V	NA		
$V_{\text{RCIN,HY}}$	RCIN hysteresis	—	3	—				
$I_{\text{RCIN}}$	RCIN input bias current	—	—	1	$\mu\text{A}$	$V_{\text{RCIN}} = 0\text{ V or } 15\text{ V}$		
$R_{\text{ON,RCIN}}$	RCIN low on resistance	—	50	100	$\Omega$	$I = 1.5\text{ mA}$		



**Static Electrical Characteristics (continued)**

Symbol	Definition	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$V_{IT,TH+}$	ITRIP positive going threshold	0.37	0.46	0.55	V	NA
$V_{IT,TH-}$	ITRIP negative going threshold	—	0.4	—		
$V_{IT,HYS}$	ITRIP hysteresis	—	0.07	—		
$I_{ITRIP+}$	“High” ITRIP input bias current	—	5	20	$\mu$ A	$V_{IN} = 4\text{ V}$
$I_{ITRIP-}$	“Low” ITRIP input bias current	—	—	1		$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V}$
$V_{EN,TH+}$	Enable positive going threshold	—	—	2.5	V	NA
$V_{EN,TH-}$	Enable negative going threshold	0.8	—	—		
$I_{EN+}$	“High” enable input bias current	—	5	20	$\mu$ A	$V_{IN} = 4\text{ V}$
$I_{EN-}$	“Low” enable input bias current	—	—	1		$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V}$
$R_{ON,FLT}$	FAULT low on resistance	—	50	100	$\Omega$	$I = 1.5\text{ mA}$

**Dynamic Electrical Characteristics**

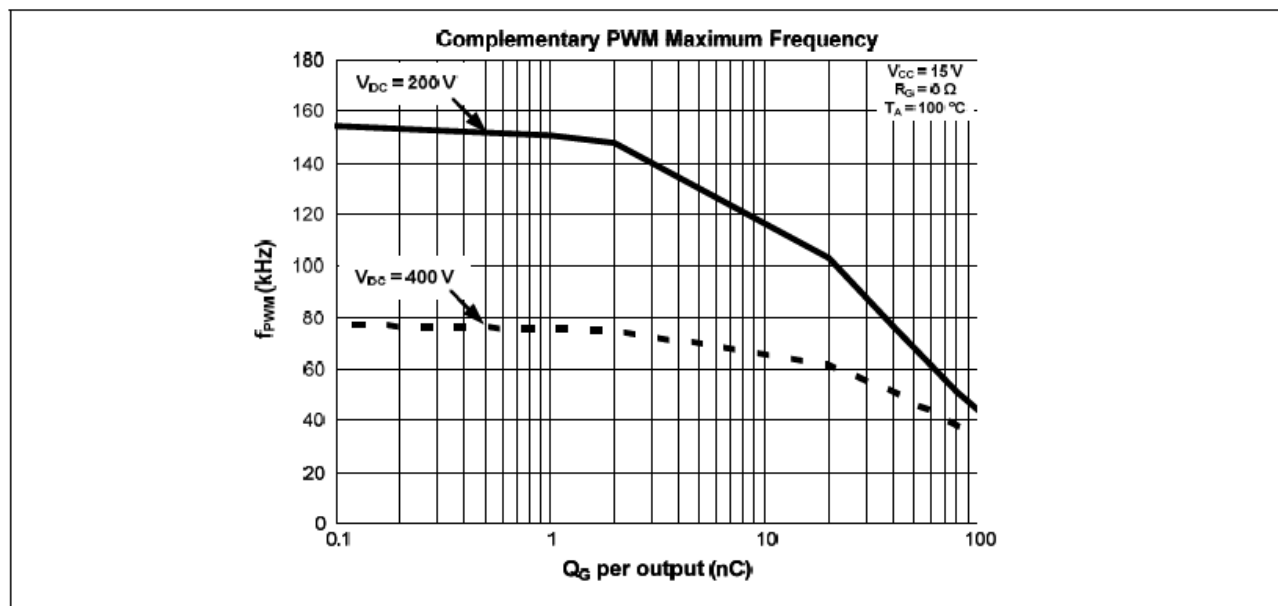
Unless otherwise noted, these specifications apply for an operating junction temperature range of  $-40^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T_j \leq 125^{\circ}\text{C}$  with bias conditions of  $V_{CC} = V_B = 15\text{ V}$ ,  $V_S = V_{SS} = \text{COM}$ ,  $T_A = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and  $C_L = 1000\text{ pF}$ . The dynamic electrical characteristics are measured using the test definitions shown in Figure .

Symbol	Definition	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$t_{ON}$	Turn-on propagation delay	400	530	750	ns	$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V} \ \& \ 5\text{ V}$
$t_{OFF}$	Turn-off propagation delay	400	530	750		
$t_R$	Turn-on rise time	—	125	320		
$t_F$	Turn-off fall time	—	50	120		
$t_{FIL,IN}$	Input filter time <sup>†</sup> (HIN, LIN, ITRIP)	200	350	510		
$t_{EN}$	Enable low to output shutdown propagation delay	350	460	650	ms	$V_{IN}, V_{EN} = 0\text{ V} \ \text{or} \ 5\text{ V}$
$t_{FILTER,EN}$	Enable input filter time	100	200	—		NA
$t_{FLTCLR}$	FAULT clear time RCIN: R = 2 M $\Omega$ , C = 1 nF	1	1.65	2.5		$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V} \ \text{or} \ 5\text{ V}$ $V_{ITRIP} = 0\text{ V}$
$t_{ITRIP}$	ITRIP to output shutdown propagation delay	500	750	1200	ns	$V_{ITRIP} = 5\text{ V}$
$t_{BL}$	ITRIP blanking time	—	400	—		$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V} \ \text{or} \ 5\text{ V}$ $V_{ITRIP} = 5\text{ V}$
$t_{FLT}$	ITRIP to FAULT propagation delay	400	600	950		$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V} \ \& \ 5\text{ V}$ without external deadtime
DT	Deadtime	190	275	420		$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V} \ \& \ 5\text{ V}$ with external deadtime larger than DT
MDT	DT matching <sup>††</sup>	—	—	100		
MT	Delay matching time ( $t_{ON}, t_{OFF}$ ) <sup>††</sup>	—	—	50		
PM	Pulse width distortion <sup>†††</sup>	—	—	100		PW input=10 $\mu\text{s}$

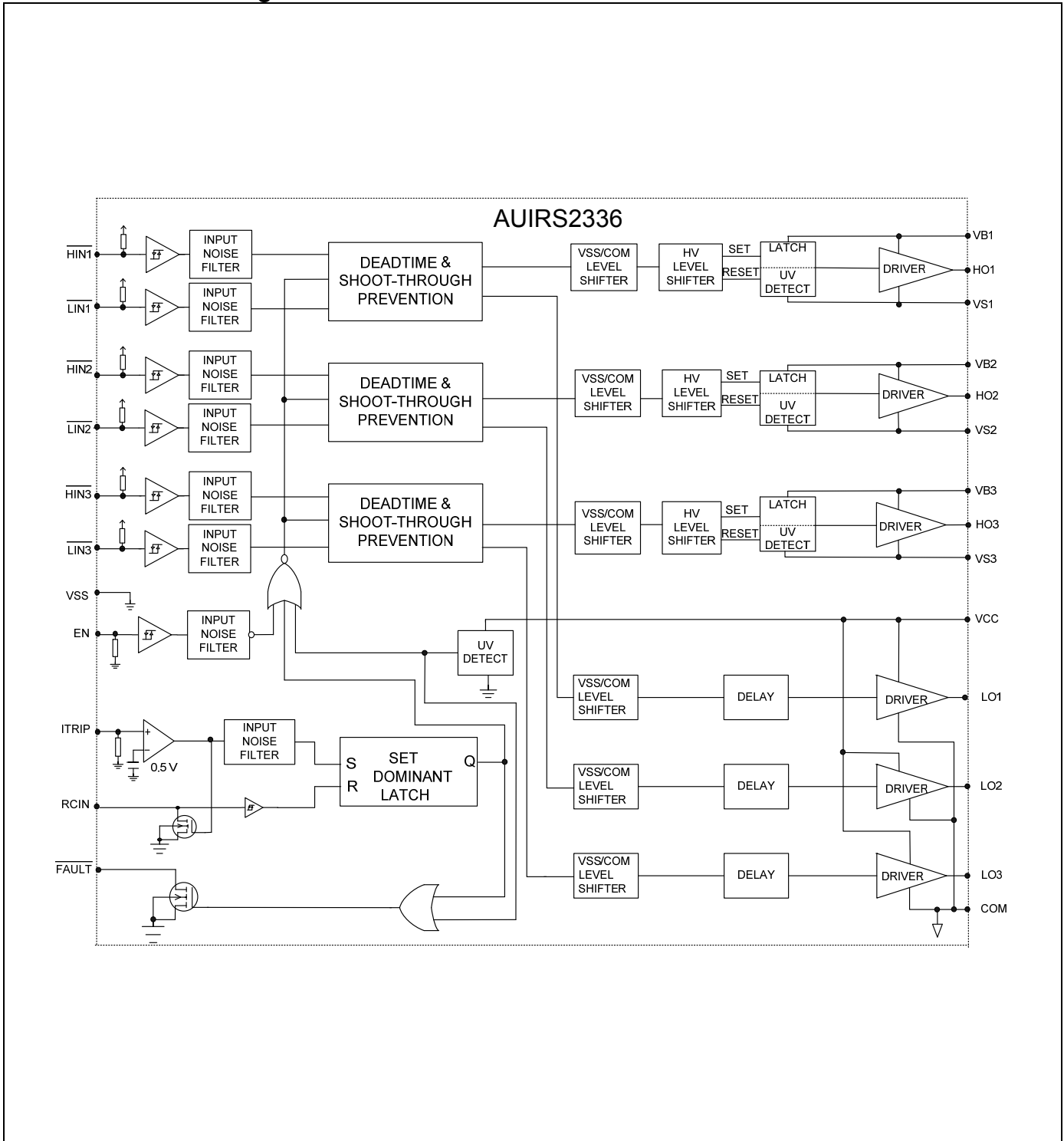
† The minimum width of the input pulse is recommended to exceed 500 ns to ensure the filtering time of the input filter is exceeded.

†† This parameter applies to all of the channels. Please see the application section for more details.

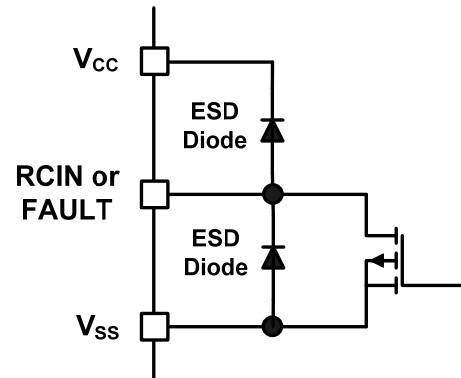
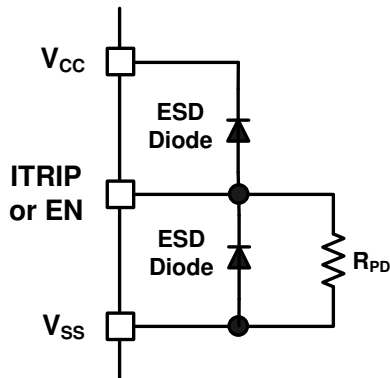
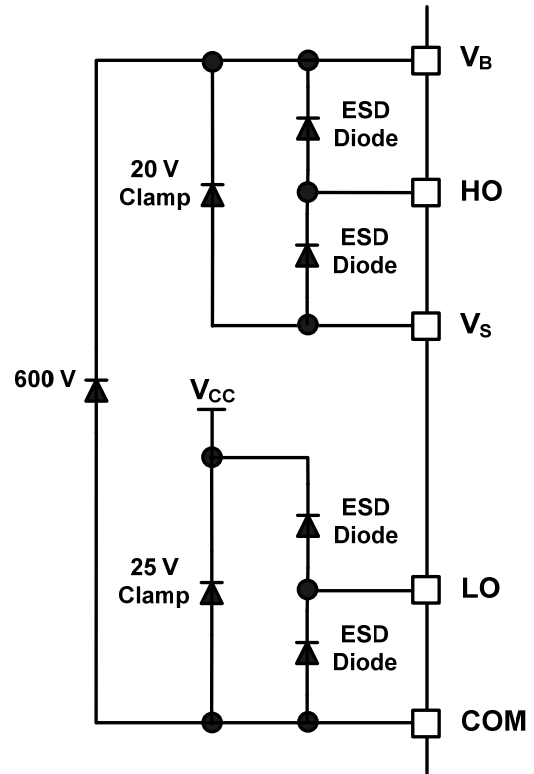
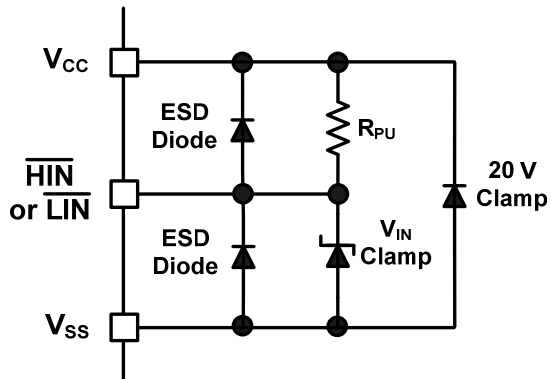
††† PM is defined as  $PW_{IN} - PW_{OUT}$ .



**Functional Block Diagram:**



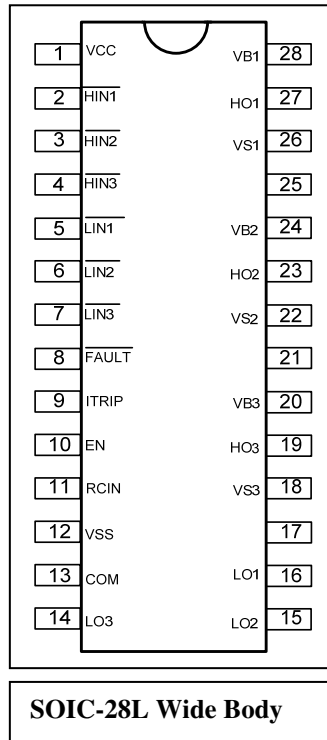
**Input/Output Pin Equivalent Circuit Diagrams:**



**Lead Definitions:**

Symbol	Description
VCC	Low-side supply voltage
VSS	Logic ground
VB1	High-side gate drive floating supply (phase 1)
VB2	High-side gate drive floating supply (phase 2)
VB3	High-side gate drive floating supply (phase 3)
VS1	High voltage floating supply return (phase 1)
VS2	High voltage floating supply return (phase 2)
VS3	High voltage floating supply return (phase 3)
HIN1/N	Logic inputs for high-side gate driver outputs (phase 1); input is out-of-phase with output
HIN2/N	Logic inputs for high-side gate driver outputs (phase 2); input is out-of-phase with output
HIN3/N	Logic inputs for high-side gate driver outputs (phase 3); input is out-of-phase with output
LIN1/N	Logic inputs for low-side gate driver outputs (phase 1); input is out-of-phase with output
LIN2/N	Logic inputs for low-side gate driver outputs (phase 2); input is out-of-phase with output
LIN3/N	Logic inputs for low-side gate driver outputs (phase 3); input is out-of-phase with output
HO1	High-side driver outputs (phase 1)
HO2	High-side driver outputs (phase 2)
HO3	High-side driver outputs (phase 3)
LO1	Low-side driver outputs (phase 1)
LO2	Low-side driver outputs (phase 2)
LO3	Low-side driver outputs (phase 3)
COM	Low-side gate drive return
FAULT/N	Indicates over-current, over-temperature (ITRIP), or low-side undervoltage lockout has occurred. This pin has negative logic and an open-drain output. The use of over-current and over-temperature protection requires the use of external components.
EN	Logic input to shutdown functionality. Logic functions when EN is high (i.e., positive logic). No effect on FAULT and not latched.
ITRIP	Analog input for over-current shutdown. When active, ITRIP shuts down outputs and activates FAULT and RCIN low. When ITRIP becomes inactive, FAULT stays active low for an externally set time $t_{FLTCLR}$ , then automatically becomes inactive (open-drain high impedance).
RCIN	An external RC network input used to define the FAULT CLEAR delay ( $t_{FLTCLR}$ ) approximately equal to $R \cdot C$ . When $RCIN > 8\text{ V}$ , the FAULT pin goes back into an open-drain high-impedance state.

**Lead Assignments**



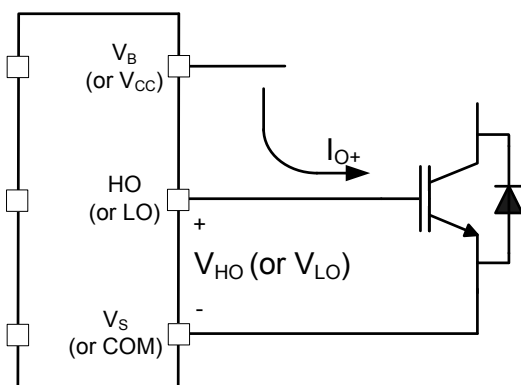
## Application Information and Additional Details

Information regarding the following topics are included as subsections within this section of the datasheet.

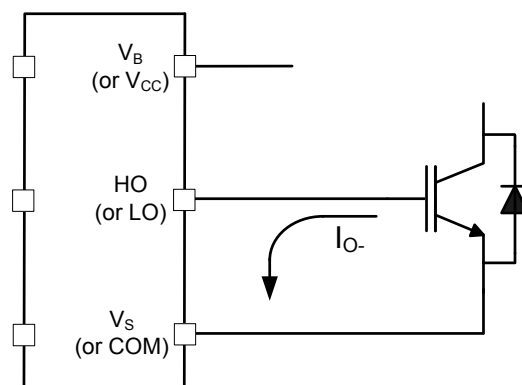
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### IGBT/MOSFET Gate Drive

The AUIRS2336S HVICs are designed to drive up to six MOSFET or IGBT power devices. Figures 1 and 2 illustrate several parameters associated with the gate drive functionality of the HVIC. The output current of the HVIC, used to drive the gate of the power switch, is defined as  $I_{O+}$ . The voltage that drives the gate of the external power switch is defined as  $V_{HO}$  for the high-side power switch and  $V_{LO}$  for the low-side power switch; this parameter is sometimes generically called  $V_{OUT}$  and in this case does not differentiate between the high-side or low-side output voltage.



**Figure 1: HVIC sourcing current**

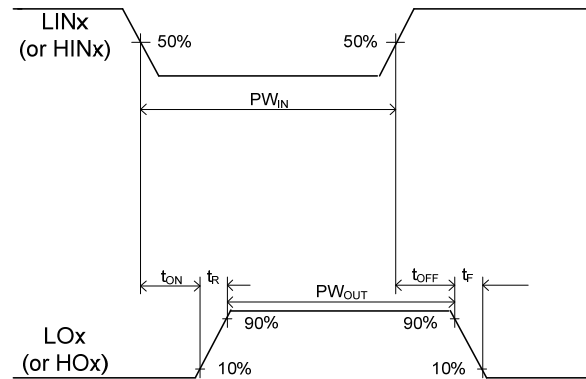


**Figure 2: HVIC sinking current**



**Switching and Timing Relationships**

The relationship between the input and output signals of the AUIRS2336S is illustrated below in Figures 3. From these figures, we can see the definitions of several timing parameters (i.e.,  $PW_{IN}$ ,  $PW_{OUT}$ ,  $t_{ON}$ ,  $t_{OFF}$ ,  $t_R$ , and  $t_F$ ) associated with this device.



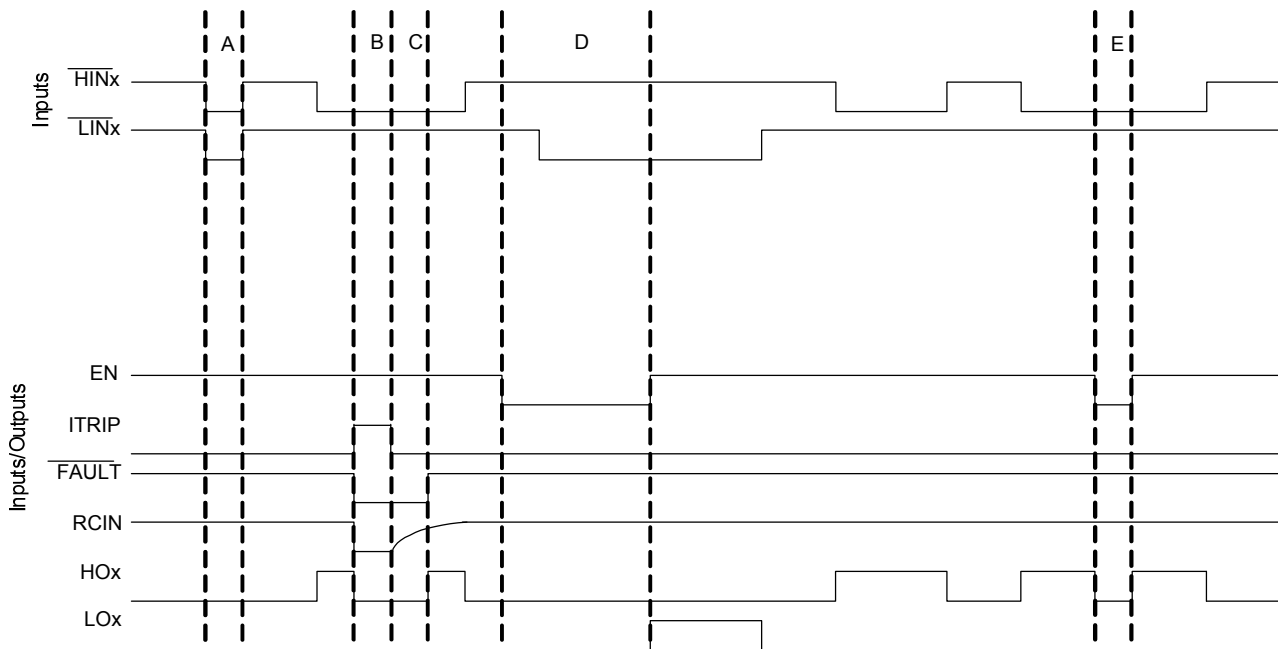
**Figure 3: Switching time waveforms**

The following two figures illustrate the timing relationships of some of the functionality of the AUIRS2336S; this functionality is described in further detail later in this document.

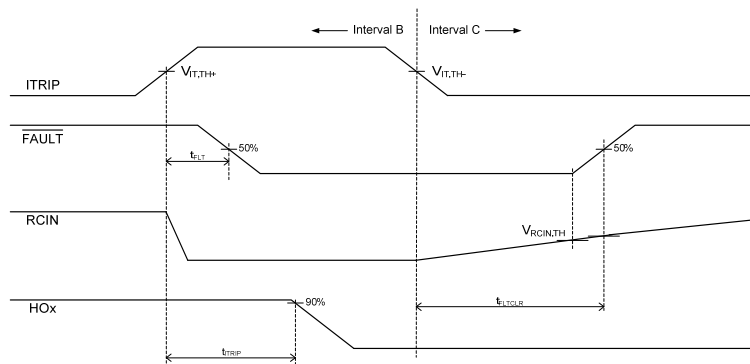
During interval A of Figure 5, the HVIC has received the command to turn-on both the high- and low-side switches at the same time; as a result, the shoot-through protection of the HVIC has prevented this condition and both the high- and low-side output are held in the off state.

Interval B of Figures 5 and 6 shows that the signal on the ITRIP input pin has gone from a low to a high state; as a result, all of the gate drive outputs have been disabled (i.e., see that HOx has returned to the low state; LOx is also held low), the voltage on the RCIN pin has been pulled to 0 V, and a fault is reported by the FAULT output transitioning to the low state. Once the ITRIP input has returned to the low state, the output will remain disabled and the fault condition reported until the voltage on the RCIN pin charges up to  $V_{RCIN,TH}$  (see interval C in Figure 6); the charging characteristics are dictated by the RC network attached to the RCIN pin.

During intervals D and E of Figure 5, we can see that the enable (EN) pin has been pulled low (as is the case when the driver IC has received a command from the control IC to shutdown); this results in the outputs (HOx and LOx) being held in the low state until the enable pin is pulled high.



**Figure 5: Input/output timing diagram for AUIRS2336S**

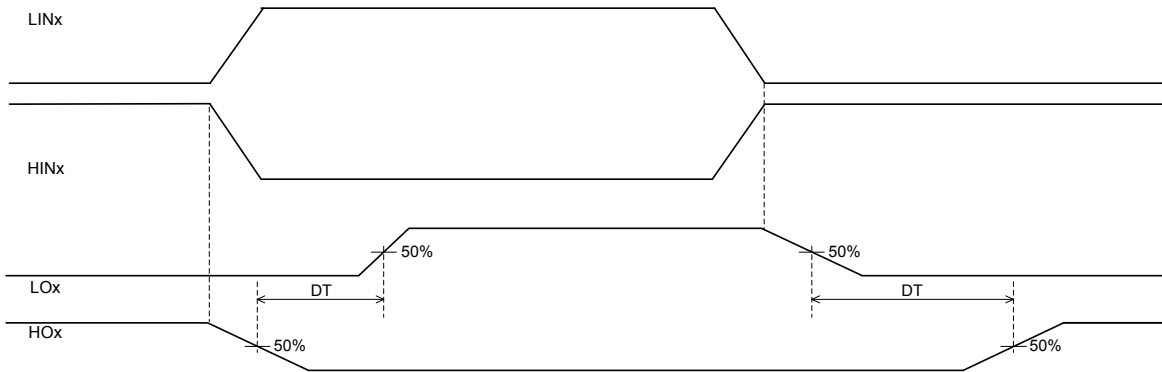


**Figure 6: Detailed view of B & C intervals**

**Deadtime**

This HVIC features integrated deadtime protection circuitry. The deadtime for this ICs is fixed; other ICs within IR's HVIC portfolio feature programmable deadtime for greater design flexibility. The deadtime feature inserts a time period (a minimum deadtime) in which both the high- and low-side power switches are held off; this is done to ensure that the power switch being turned off has fully turned off before the second power switch is turned on. This minimum deadtime is automatically inserted whenever the external deadtime is shorter than DT; external deadtimes larger than DT are not modified by the gate driver. Figure 7 illustrates the deadtime period and the relationship between the output gate signals.

The deadtime circuitry of the AUIRS2336S is matched with respect to the high- and low-side outputs of a given channel; additionally, the deadtimes of each of the three channels are matched. Figure 7 defines the two deadtime parameters (i.e.,  $DT_1$  and  $DT_2$ ) of a specific channel; the deadtime matching parameter (MDT) associated with the AUIRS2336S specifies the maximum difference between  $DT_1$  and  $DT_2$ . The MDT parameter also applies when comparing the DT of one channel of the AUIRS2336S to that of another.



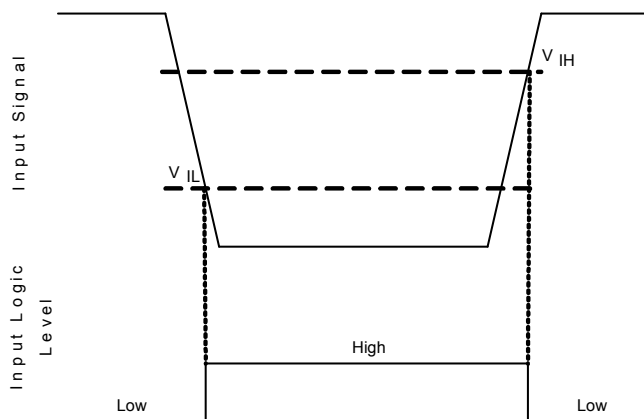
**Figure 7: Illustration of deadtime**

**Matched Propagation Delays**

The AUIRS2336S is designed with propagation delay matching circuitry. With this feature, the IC’s response at the output to a signal at the input requires approximately the same time duration (i.e.,  $t_{ON}$ ,  $t_{OFF}$ ) for both the low-side channels and the high-side channels; the maximum difference is specified by the delay matching parameter (MT). Additionally, the propagation delay for each low-side channel is matched when compared to the other low-side channels and the propagation delays of the high-side channels are matched with each other; the MT specification applies as well. The propagation turn-on delay ( $t_{ON}$ ) of the AUIRS2336S is matched to the propagation turn-on delay ( $t_{OFF}$ ).

**Input Logic Compatibility**

The inputs of this IC are compatible with standard CMOS and TTL outputs. The AUIRS2336S has been designed to be compatible with 3.3 V and 5 V logic-level signals. It features an integrated 5.2 V Zener clamp on the HIN, LIN, ITRIP, and EN pins; Figure 8 illustrates an input signal, its input threshold values, and the logic state of the IC as a result of the input signal.



**Figure 8: HIN & LIN input thresholds**

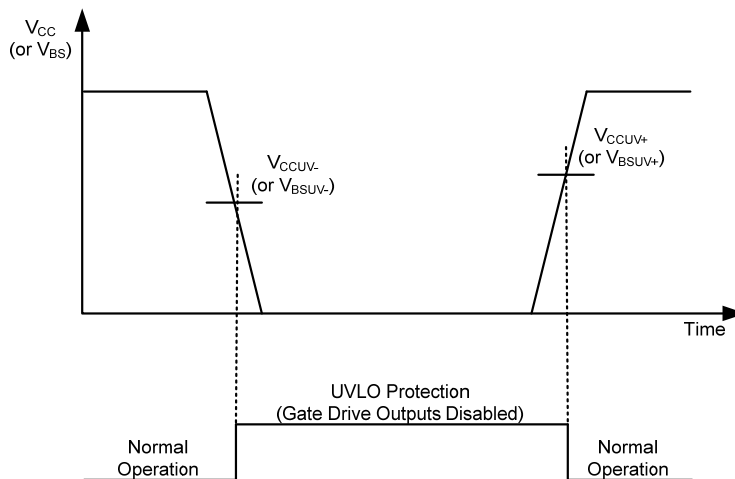
**Undervoltage Lockout Protection**

This IC provides undervoltage lockout protection on both the  $V_{CC}$  (logic and low-side circuitry) power supply and the  $V_{BS}$  (high-side circuitry) power supply. Figure 9 is used to illustrate this concept;  $V_{CC}$  (or  $V_{BS}$ ) is plotted over time and as the waveform crosses the UVLO threshold ( $V_{CCUV+/-}$  or  $V_{BSUV+/-}$ ) the undervoltage protection is enabled or disabled.

Upon power-up, should the  $V_{CC}$  voltage fail to reach the  $V_{CCUV+}$  threshold, the IC will not turn-on. Additionally, if the  $V_{CC}$  voltage decreases below the  $V_{CCUV-}$  threshold during operation, the undervoltage lockout circuitry will recognize a fault condition and shutdown the high- and low-side gate drive outputs, and the FAULT pin will transition to the low state to inform the controller of the fault condition.

Upon power-up, should the  $V_{BS}$  voltage fail to reach the  $V_{BSUV}$  threshold, the IC will not turn-on the high-side gate drive output. Additionally, if the  $V_{BS}$  voltage decreases below the  $V_{BSUV}$  threshold during operation, the undervoltage lockout circuitry will recognize a fault condition, and shutdown the high-side gate drive outputs of the IC.

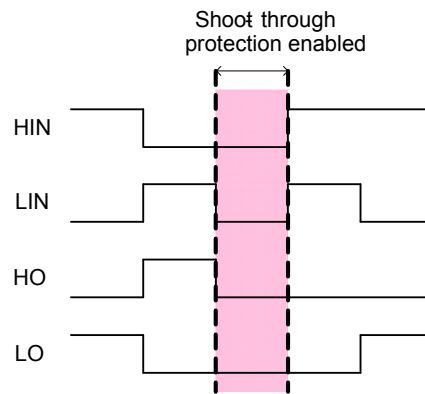
The UVLO protection ensures that the IC drives the external power devices only when the gate supply voltage is sufficient to fully enhance the power devices. Without this feature, the gates of the external power switch could be driven with a low voltage, resulting in the power switch conducting current while the channel impedance is high; this could result in very high conduction losses within the power device and could lead to power device failure.



**Figure 9: UVLO protection**

**Shoot-Through Protection**

The AUIRS2336S is equipped with shoot-through protection circuitry (also known as cross-conduction prevention circuitry). Figure 10 shows how this protection circuitry prevents both the high- and low-side switches from conducting at the same time. Table 1 illustrates the input/output relationship of the devices in the form of a truth table.



**Figure 10: Illustration of shoot-through protection circuitry**

HIN	LIN	HO	LO
0	0	0	0
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	1	0	0

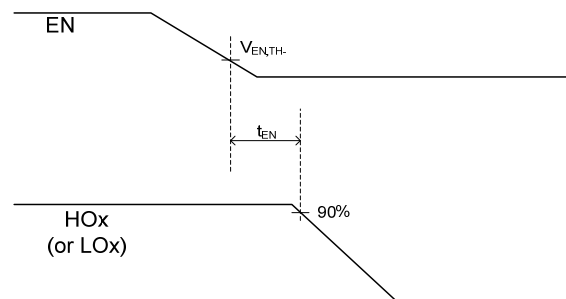
**Table 1: Input/output truth table**

**Enable Input**

The AUIRS2336S is equipped with an enable input pin that is used to shutdown or enable the HVIC. When the EN pin is in the high state the HVIC is able to operate normally (assuming no other fault conditions). When a condition occurs that should shutdown the HVIC, the EN pin should see a low logic state. The enable circuitry of the AUIRS2336S features an input filter; the minimum input duration is specified by  $t_{FILTER,EN}$ . Please refer to the EN pin parameters  $V_{EN,TH+}$ ,  $V_{EN,TH-}$ , and  $I_{EN}$  for the details of its use. Table 2 gives a summary of this pin’s functionality and Figure 11 illustrates the outputs’ response to a shutdown command.

Enable Input	
Enable input high	Outputs enabled*
Enable input low	Outputs disabled

**Table 2: Enable functionality truth table**  
 (\*assumes no other fault condition)

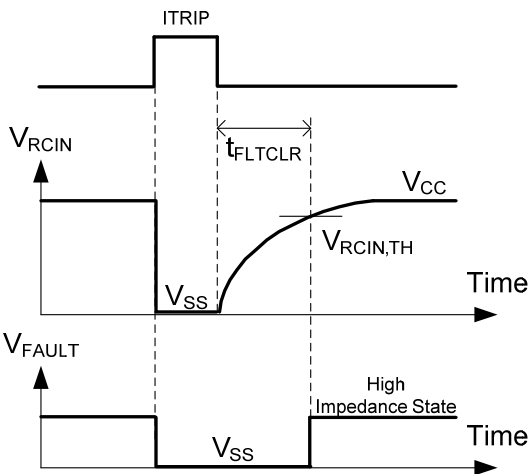


**Figure 11: Output enable timing waveform**

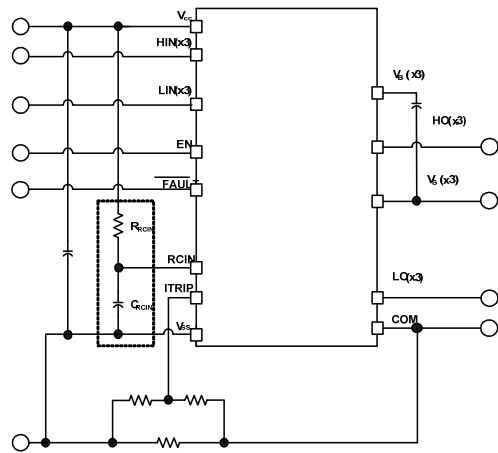
**Fault Reporting and Programmable Fault Clear Timer**

The AUIRS2336S provides an integrated fault reporting output and an adjustable fault clear timer. There are two situations that would cause the HVIC to report a fault via the FAULT pin. The first is an undervoltage condition of  $V_{CC}$  and the second is if the ITRIP pin recognizes a fault. Once the fault condition occurs, the FAULT pin is internally pulled to  $V_{SS}$ . The fault clear timer is activated only if ITRIP pin recognizes a fault: in this case the fault output stays in the low state until the fault condition has been removed and the fault clear timer expires; once the fault clear timer expires, the voltage on the FAULT pin will return to  $V_{CC}$ .

The length of the fault clear time period ( $t_{FLTCLR}$ ) is determined by exponential charging characteristics of the capacitor where the time constant is set by  $R_{RCIN}$  and  $C_{RCIN}$ . In Figure 12 where we see that a fault condition has occurred (UVLO or ITRIP), RCIN and FAULT are pulled to  $V_{SS}$ , and once the fault has been removed, the fault clear timer begins. Figure 13 shows that  $R_{RCIN}$  is connected between the  $V_{CC}$  and the RCIN pin, while  $C_{RCIN}$  is placed between the RCIN and  $V_{SS}$  pins.



**Figure 12: RCIN and FAULT pin waveforms**



**Figure 13: Programming the fault clear timer**

The design guidelines for this network are shown in Table 3.

$C_{RCIN}$	$\leq 1$ nF
	Ceramic
$R_{RCIN}$	0.5 M $\Omega$ to 2 M $\Omega$
	$\gg R_{ON,RCIN}$

**Table 3: Design guidelines**

The length of the fault clear time period can be determined by using the formula below.

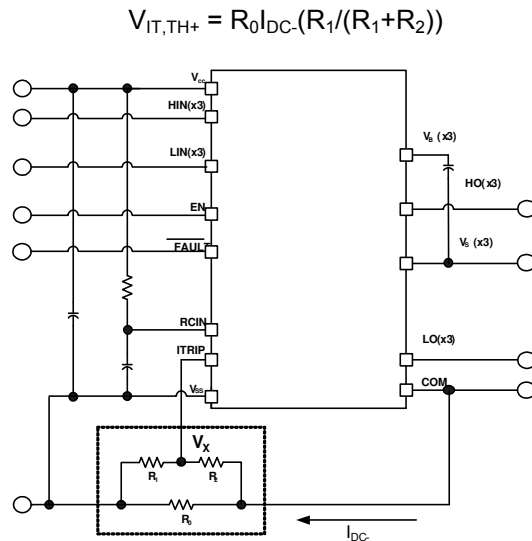
$$v_C(t) = V_i(1 - e^{-t/RC})$$

$$t_{FLTCLR} = -(R_{RCIN}C_{RCIN})\ln(1 - V_{RCIN,TH}/V_{CC})$$

**Over-Current Protection**

The AUIRS2336S is equipped with an ITRIP input pin. This functionality can be used to detect over-current events in the DC- bus. Once the HVIC detects an over-current event through the ITRIP pin, the outputs are shutdown, a fault is reported through the FAULT pin, and RCIN is pulled to V<sub>SS</sub>.

The level of current at which the over-current protection is initiated is determined by the resistor network (i.e., R<sub>0</sub>, R<sub>1</sub>, and R<sub>2</sub>) connected to ITRIP as shown in Figure 14, and the ITRIP threshold (V<sub>IT,TH+</sub>). The circuit designer will need to determine the maximum allowable level of current in the DC- bus and select R<sub>0</sub>, R<sub>1</sub>, and R<sub>2</sub> such that the voltage at node V<sub>X</sub> reaches the over-current threshold (V<sub>IT,TH+</sub>) at that current level.



**Figure 14: Programming the over-current protection**

For example, a typical value for resistor R<sub>0</sub> could be 50 mΩ. The voltage of the ITRIP pin should not be allowed to exceed 5 V; if necessary, an external voltage clamp may be used.

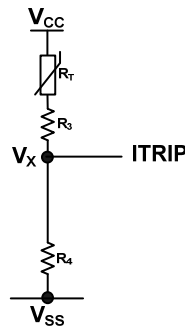
**Over-Temperature Shutdown Protection**

The ITRIP input of the AUIRS2336S can also be used to detect over-temperature events in the system and initiate a shutdown of the HVIC (and power switches) at that time. In order to use this functionality, the circuit designer will need to design the resistor network as shown in Figure 15 and select the maximum allowable temperature.

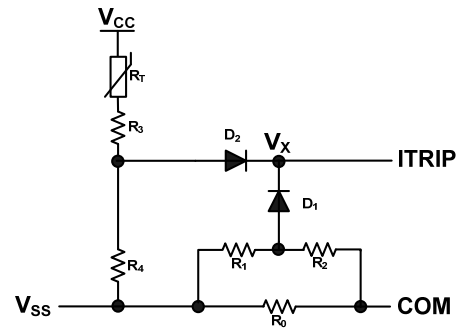
This network consists of a thermistor and two standard resistors R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub>. As the temperature changes, the resistance of the thermistor will change; this will result in a change of voltage at node V<sub>X</sub>. The resistor values should be selected such the voltage V<sub>X</sub> should reach the threshold voltage (V<sub>IT,TH+</sub>) of the ITRIP functionality by the time that the maximum allowable temperature is reached. The voltage of the ITRIP pin should not be allowed to exceed 5 V.

When using both the over-current protection and over-temperature protection with the ITRIP input, OR-ing diodes (e.g., DL4148) can be used. This network is shown in Figure 16; the OR-ing diodes have been labeled D<sub>1</sub> and D<sub>2</sub>.





**Figure 15: Programming over-temperature protection**



**Figure 16: Using over-current protection and over-temperature protection**

**Truth Table: Undervoltage lockout, ITRIP, and ENABLE**

Table 4 provides the truth table for the AUIRS2336S. The first line shows that the UVLO for  $V_{CC}$  has been tripped; the FAULT output has gone low and the gate drive outputs have been disabled.  $V_{CCUV}$  is not latched in this case and when  $V_{CC}$  is greater than  $V_{CCUV}$ , the FAULT output returns to the high impedance state.

The second case shows that the UVLO for  $V_{BS}$  has been tripped and that the high-side gate drive outputs have been disabled. After  $V_{BS}$  exceeds the  $V_{BSUV}$  threshold, HO will stay low until the HVIC input receives a new falling transition of HIN. The third case shows the normal operation of the HVIC. The fourth case illustrates that the ITRIP trip threshold has been reached and that the gate drive outputs have been disabled and a fault has been reported through the fault pin. In the last case, the HVIC has received a command through the EN input to shutdown; as a result, the gate drive outputs have been disabled.

	VCC	VBS	ITRIP	EN	RCIN	FAULT	LO	HO
<b>UVLO <math>V_{CC}</math></b>	$<V_{CCUV}$	—	—	—	High	0	0	0
<b>UVLO <math>V_{BS}</math></b>	15 V	$<V_{BSUV}$	0 V	5 V	High	High impedance	LIN	0
<b>Normal operation</b>	15 V	15 V	0 V	5 V	High	High impedance	LIN	HIN
<b>ITRIP fault</b>	15 V	15 V	$>V_{ITRIP}$	5 V	Low	0	0	0
<b>EN command</b>	15 V	15 V	0 V	0 V	High	High impedance	0	0

**Table 4: UVLO, ITRIP, EN, RCIN, & FAULT truth table**

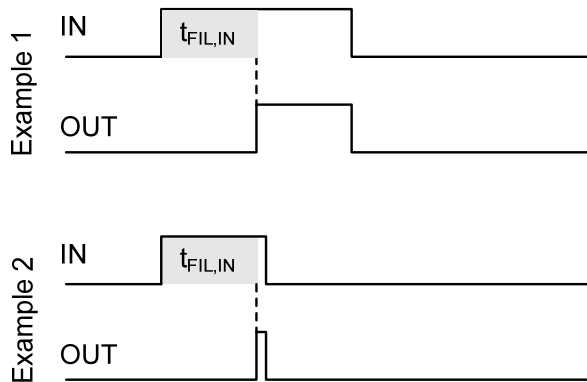
**Advanced Input Filter**

The advanced input filter allows an improvement in the input/output pulse symmetry of the HVIC and helps to reject noise spikes and short pulses. This input filter has been applied to the HIN, LIN, and EN inputs. The working principle of the new filter is shown in Figures 17 and 18.

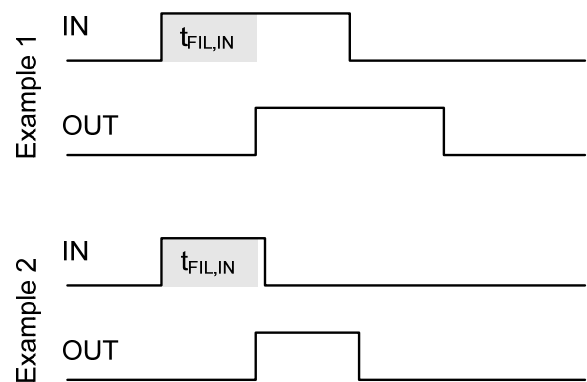
Figure 17 shows a typical input filter and the asymmetry of the input and output. The upper pair of waveforms (Example 1) show an input signal with a duration much longer than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ ; the resulting output is approximately the difference between the input signal and  $t_{FIL,IN}$ . The lower pair of waveforms (Example 2) show an input signal with a duration slightly longer than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ ; the resulting output is approximately the difference between the input signal and  $t_{FIL,IN}$ .

Figure 18 shows the advanced input filter and the symmetry between the input and output. The upper pair of waveforms (Example 1) show an input signal with a duration much longer than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ ; the resulting output is

approximately the same duration as the input signal. The lower pair of waveforms (Example 2) show an input signal with a duration slightly longer than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ ; the resulting output is approximately the same duration as the input signal.



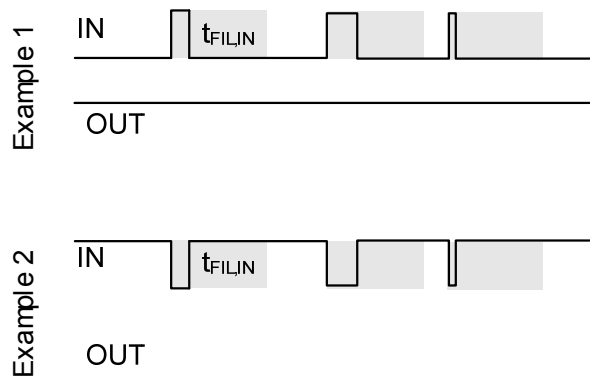
**Figure 17: Typical input filter**



**Figure 18: Advanced input filter**

**Short-Pulse / Noise Rejection**

This device’s input filter provides protection against short-pulses (e.g., noise) on the input lines. If the duration of the input signal is less than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ , the output will not change states. Example 1 of Figure 19 shows the output in the high state with input positive noise spikes of durations less than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ ; the output does not change states. Example 2 of Figure 19 shows the output in the low state with input negative noise spikes of durations less than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ ; the output does not change states.

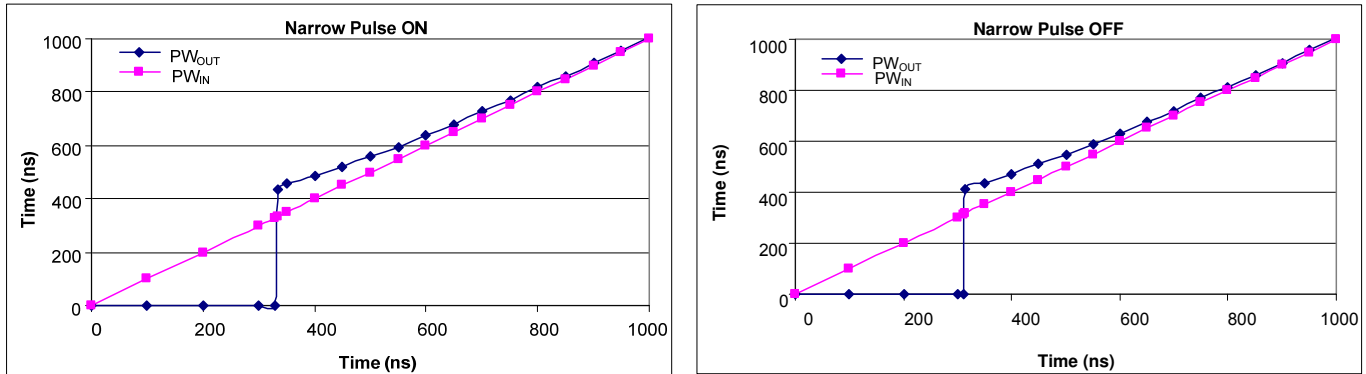


**Figure 19: Noise rejecting input filters**

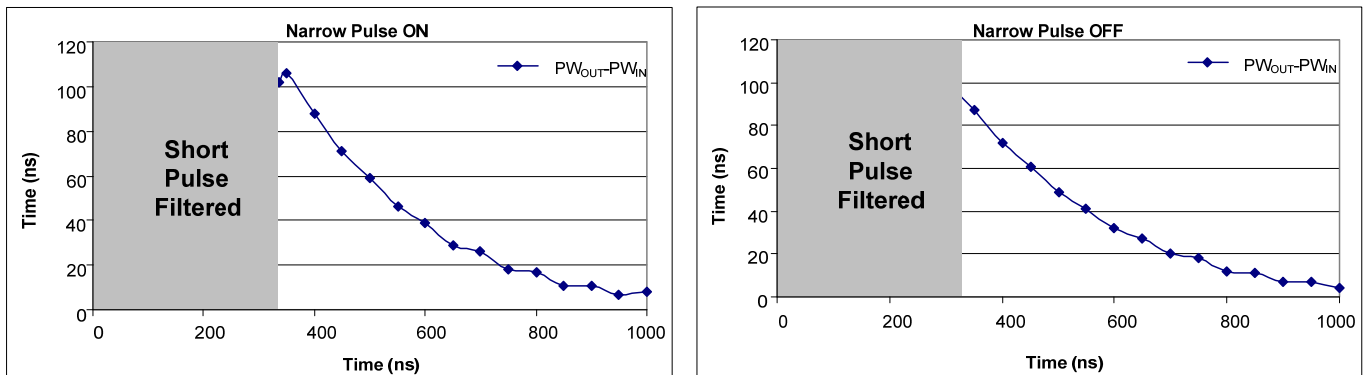
Figures 20 and 21 present lab data that illustrates the characteristics of the input filters while receiving ON and OFF pulses.

The input filter characteristic is shown in Figure 20; the left side illustrates the narrow pulse ON (short negative pulse) characteristic while the left shows the narrow pulse OFF (short positive pulse) characteristic. The x-axis of Figure 20 shows the duration of  $PW_{IN}$ , while the y-axis shows the resulting  $PW_{OUT}$  duration. It can be seen that for a  $PW_{IN}$  duration less than  $t_{FIL,IN}$ , that the resulting  $PW_{OUT}$  duration is zero (e.g., the filter rejects the input signal/noise). We also see that once the  $PW_{IN}$  duration exceed  $t_{FIL,IN}$ , that the  $PW_{OUT}$  durations mimic the  $PW_{IN}$  durations very well over this interval with the symmetry improving as the duration increases. To ensure proper operation of the HVIC, it is suggested that the input pulse width for the high-side inputs be  $\geq 500$  ns.

The difference between the  $PW_{OUT}$  and  $PW_{IN}$  signals of both the narrow ON and narrow OFF cases is shown in Figure 21; the careful reader will note the scale of the y-axis. The x-axis of Figure 21 shows the duration of  $PW_{IN}$ , while the y-axis shows the resulting  $PW_{OUT}-PW_{IN}$  duration. This data illustrates the performance and near symmetry of this input filter.



**Figure 20: input filter characteristic**



**Figure 21: Difference between the input pulse and the output pulse**

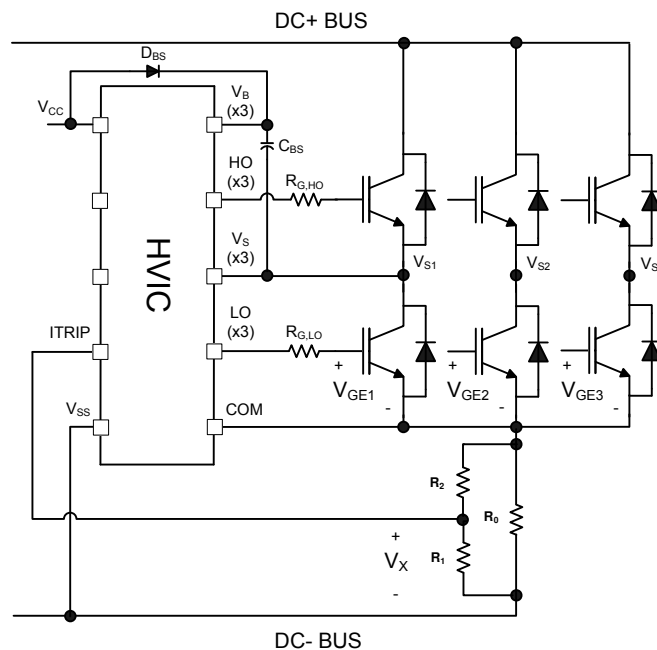
**Bootstrap Power Supply Design**

For information related to the design of a standard bootstrap power supply (i.e., using an external discrete diode) please refer to Design Tip 04-4 (DT04-4) entitled “Using Monolithic High Voltage Gate Drivers.” This design tip is available at [www.irf.com](http://www.irf.com).

**Separate Logic and Power Grounds**

The AUIRS2336S has separate logic and power ground pin ( $V_{SS}$  and COM respectively) to eliminate some of the noise problems that can occur in power conversion applications. Current sensing shunts are commonly used in many applications for power inverter protection (i.e., over-current protection), and in the case of motor drive applications, for motor current measurements. In these situations, it is often beneficial to separate the logic and power grounds.

Figure 24 shows a HVIC with separate  $V_{SS}$  and COM pins and how these two grounds are used in the system. The  $V_{SS}$  is used as the reference point for the logic and over-current circuitry;  $V_X$  in the figure is the voltage between the ITRIP pin and the  $V_{SS}$  pin. Alternatively, the COM pin is the reference point for the low-side gate drive circuitry. The output voltage used to drive the low-side gate is  $V_{LO-COM}$ ; the gate-emitter voltage ( $V_{GE}$ ) of the low-side switch is the output voltage of the driver minus the drop across  $R_{G,LO}$ .



**Figure 24: Separate  $V_{SS}$  and COM pins**

**Tolerant to Negative  $V_S$  Transients**

A common problem in today’s high-power switching converters is the transient response of the switch node’s voltage as the power switches transition on and off quickly while carrying a large current. A typical 3-phase inverter circuit is shown in Figure 25; here we define the power switches and diodes of the inverter.

If the high-side switch (e.g., the IGBT Q1 in Figures 26 and 27) switches off, while the U phase current is flowing to an inductive load, a current commutation occurs from high-side switch (Q1) to the diode (D2) in parallel with the low-side switch of the same inverter leg. At the same instance, the voltage node  $V_{S1}$ , swings from the positive DC bus voltage to the negative DC bus voltage.