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TLE8116SA

Smart 16-Channel Low-Side Switch
coreFLEX

Automotive Power



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1 Overview

Features

- Short Circuit Protection
- Overtemperature Protection
- Overvoltage Protection
- 16 bit Serial Data Input and Diagnostic Output (2 bit/channel for Open Load- and Short to GND detection)
- Direct Parallel Control of eight channels for PWM Applications
- Parallel Inputs High or Low Active programmable
- General Fault Flag
- Low Quiescent Current
- Compatible with 3 V Microcontrollers
- Electrostatic discharge (ESD) Protection
- Green Product (RoHS compliant)
- AEC Qualified

Applications

- Automotive and Industrial Systems
- Solenoids, Relays and Resistive Loads

General Description

16-fold Low-Side Switch in Smart Power Technology (SPT) with a Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) and 16 open drain DMOS output stages. The TLE8116SA is protected by embedded protection functions and designed for automotive and industrial applications. The output stages are controlled via SPI Interface. Additionally 8 channels can be controlled direct in parallel for PWM applications. Therefore the TLE8116SA is particularly suitable for engine management and powertrain systems, safety and body applications.



PG-DSO-36-26

| Type | Package | Marking |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| TLE8116SA | PG-DSO-36-26 | TLE8116SA |

Product Summary

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Supply voltage | V_S | 4.5 ... 5.5 | V |
| Drain source clamping voltage | $V_{DS(AZ)max}$ | 45 60 | V |
| On resistance | R_{ON1-8} (max @ 150°C) | 2.2 | Ω |
| | $R_{ON10,11,14,15}$ (max @ 150°C) | 0.7 | Ω |
| | $R_{ON9,12,13,16}$ (max @ 150°C) | 0.6 | Ω |
| Nominal Output current (channel 1 - 8) | I_D | 0.5 | A |
| Nominal Output current (channel 9 - 16) | I_D | 1 | A |
| Minimum Output current Limit (channel 1 - 8) | $I_{D(lim_min)}$ | 1 | A |
| Minimum Output current Limit (channel 9 - 16) | $I_{D(lim_min)}$ | 3 | A |

Block Diagram

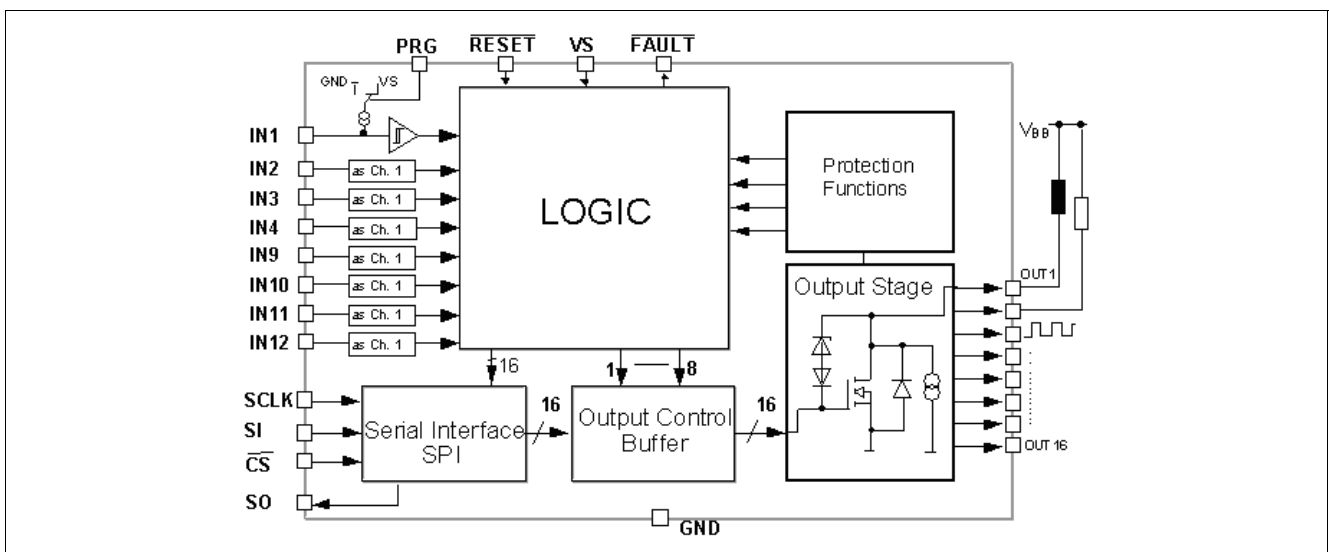


Figure 1 Application Block Diagram

2 Block Diagram

2.1 Detailed Block Diagram

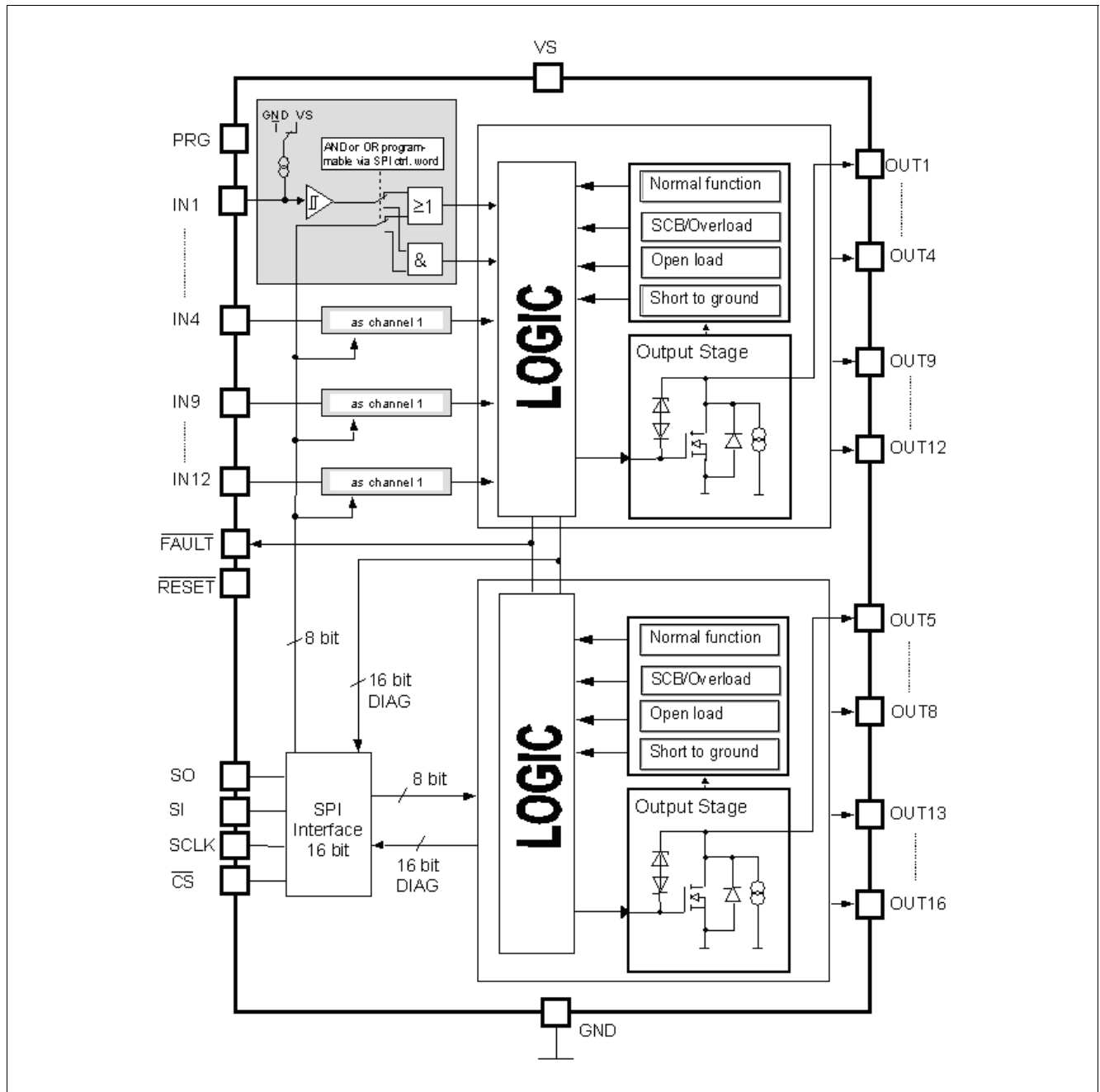


Figure 2 Detailed Block Diagram

2.2 Description of Block Diagram

All 16 channels can be controlled via the serial interface (SPI). In addition to the serial control it is possible to control channel 1 to 4 and 9 to 12 direct in parallel with a separate input pin. The parallel input signal is either OR - operated or AND - operated with the respective SPI data bit. This boolean operation can be programmed via SPI control byte (see [Chapter 5](#)). The SPI interface also performs a diagnostic information for each channel.

2.3 Terms

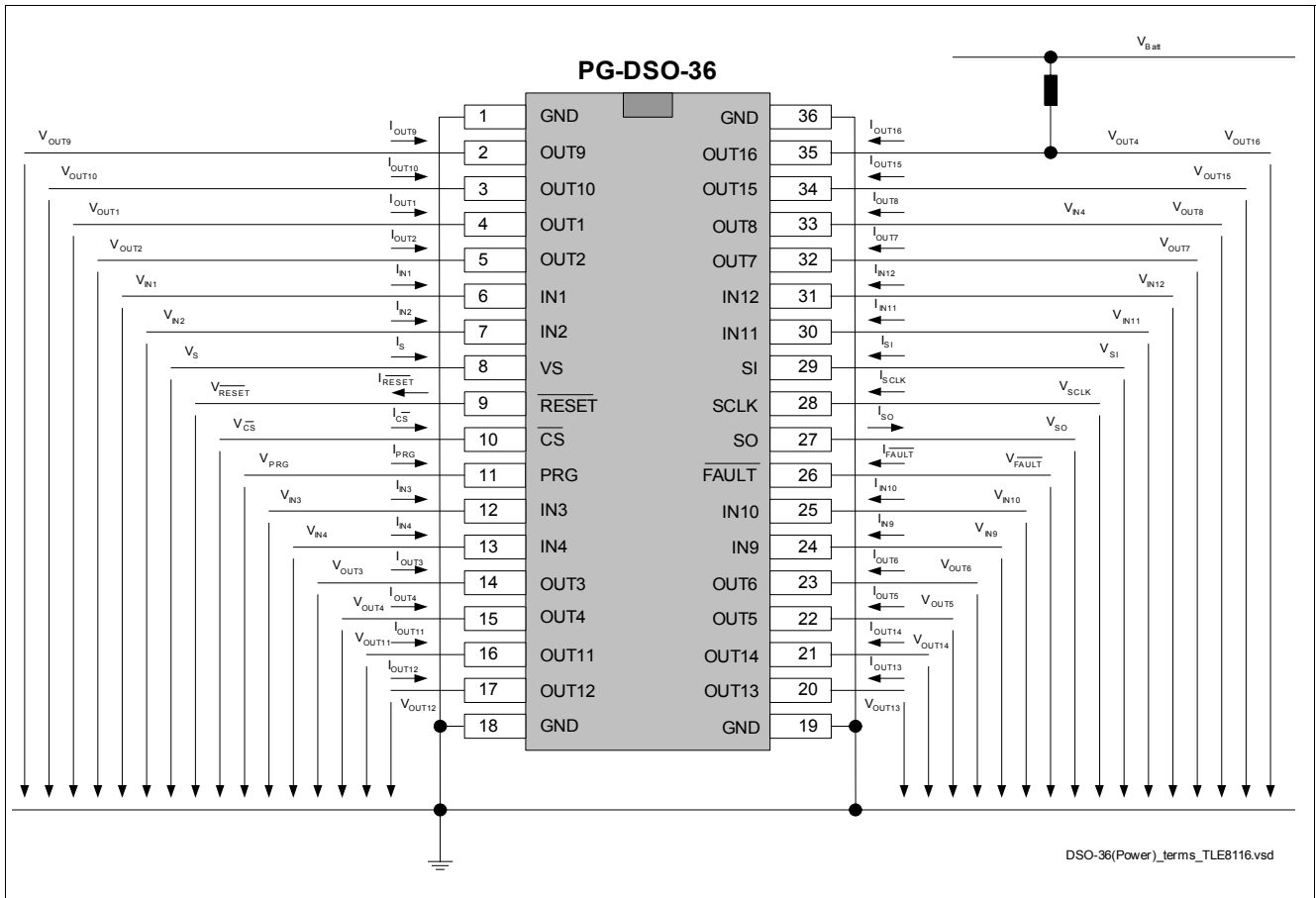


Figure 3 Terms for Voltages and Currents

3 Pin Configuration

3.1 Pin Assignment

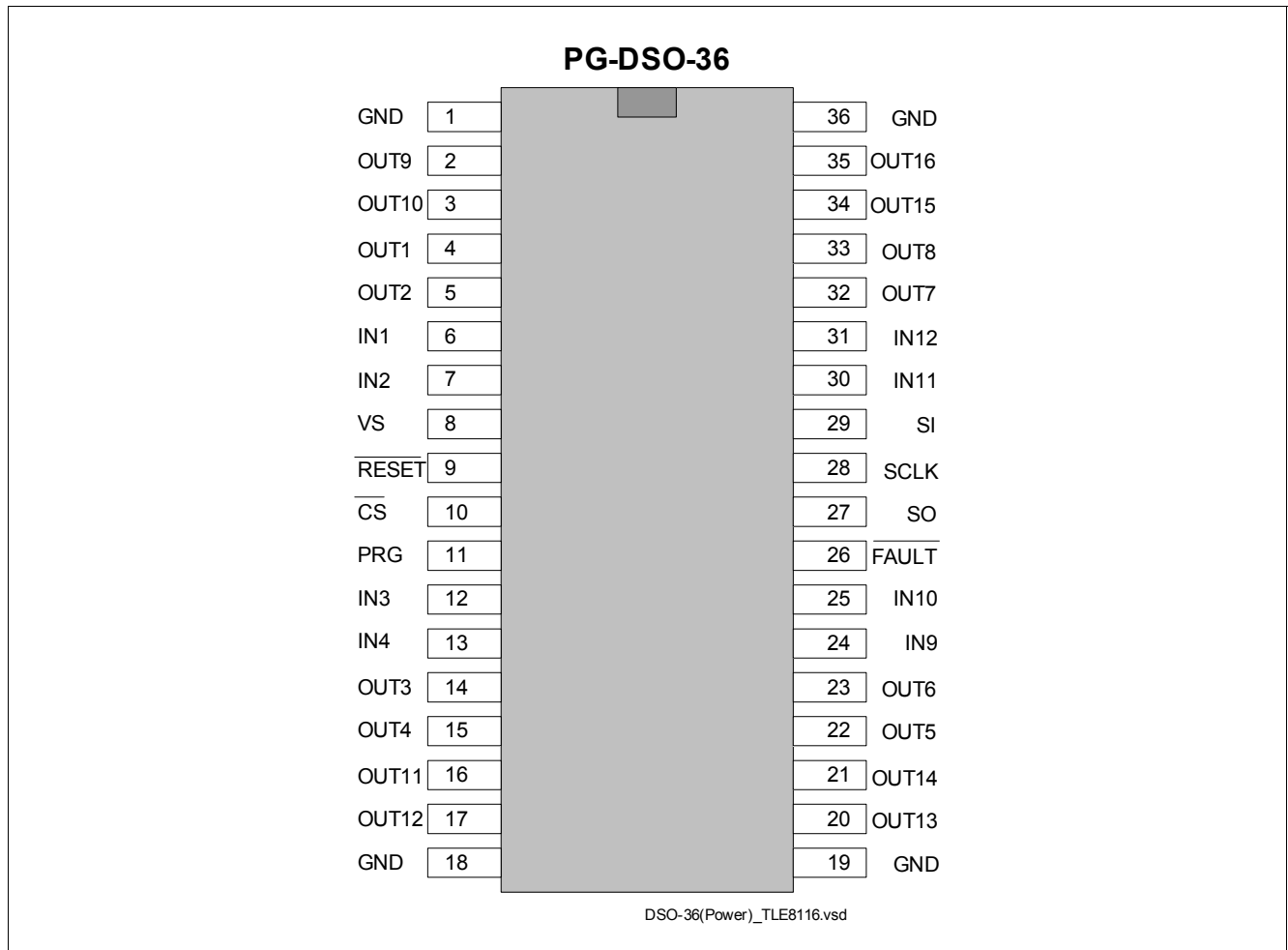


Figure 4 Pin Configuration (top view)

3.2 Pin Definitions and Functions

| Pin | Symbol | Function |
|-----|--------|-------------------------|
| 1 | GND | Ground |
| 2 | OUT9 | Power Output Channel 9 |
| 3 | OUT10 | Power Output Channel 10 |
| 4 | OUT1 | Power Output Channel 1 |
| 5 | OUT2 | Power Output Channel 2 |
| 6 | IN1 | Input Channel 1 |
| 7 | IN2 | Input Channel 2 |
| 8 | V_S | Supply Voltage |
| 9 | RESET | Reset |
| 10 | CS | Chip Select |

| Pin | Symbol | Function |
|------------|---------------------------|--|
| 11 | PRG | Program (inputs high or low-active) |
| 12 | IN3 | Input Channel 3 |
| 13 | IN4 | Input Channel 4 |
| 14 | OUT3 | Power Output Channel 3 |
| 15 | OUT4 | Power Output Channel 4 |
| 16 | OUT11 | Power Output Channel 11 |
| 17 | OUT12 | Power Output Channel 12 |
| 18 | GND | Ground |
| 19 | GND | Ground |
| 20 | OUT13 | Power Output Channel 13 |
| 21 | OUT14 | Power Output Channel 14 |
| 22 | OUT5 | Power Output Channel 5 |
| 23 | OUT6 | Power Output Channel 6 |
| 24 | IN9 | Input Channel 9 |
| 25 | IN10 | Input Channel 10 |
| 26 | $\overline{\text{FAULT}}$ | General Fault Flag |
| 27 | SO | Serial Data Output |
| 28 | SCLK | Serial Clock |
| 29 | SI | Serial Data Input |
| 30 | IN11 | Input Channel 11 |
| 31 | IN12 | Input Channel 12 |
| 32 | OUT7 | Power Output Channel 7 |
| 33 | OUT8 | Power Output Channel 8 |
| 34 | OUT15 | Power Output Channel 15 |
| 35 | OUT16 | Power Output Channel 16 |
| 36 | GND | Ground |

Heat Slug internally connected to ground pins

4 Maximum Ratings and Operating Conditions

4.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

Absolute Maximum Ratings ¹⁾

$T_j = -40\text{ °C}$ to $+150\text{ °C}$; all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin (unless otherwise specified)

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | Unit | Conditions |
|---------------------------|---|--------------|--------------|------------------|------|----------------------|
| | | | Min. | Max. | | |
| Voltages | | | | | | |
| 4.1.1 | Supply voltage | V_S | -0.3 | 7 | V | – |
| 4.1.2 | Continuous Drain Source Voltage (OUT1 to OUT16) | V_{DS} | – | 45 | V | – |
| 4.1.3 | Input Voltage, All Inputs and Data Lines | V_{IN} | -0.3 | 7 | V | – |
| Currents | | | | | | |
| 4.1.4 | Output current per Channel (see Chapter 5) | $I_{D(lim)}$ | – | $I_{D(lim) min}$ | A | – |
| 4.1.5 | Output current per Channel (All 16 Channels ON; Mounted on PCB) ²⁾ | $I_{D 1-8}$ | – | 0.3 | A | $T_A = 25\text{ °C}$ |
| | | $I_{D 9-16}$ | – | 0.5 | A | $T_A = 25\text{ °C}$ |
| 4.1.6 | Output current (Max. total current of all channels on; Heat Sink required) | I_{Dmax} | – | 14 | A | – |
| ESD Susceptibility | | | | | | |
| 4.1.7 | Electrostatic Discharge Voltage | V_{ESD} | – | 2000 | V | HBM ³⁾ |

1) Not subject to production test, specified by design.

2) Output current rating so long as maximum junction temperature is not exceeded. At $T_A = 125\text{ °C}$ the output current has to be calculated using R_{thJA} according mounting conditions.

3) Human Body Model according to EIA/JESD22-A114-E.

Note: Stresses above the ones listed here may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

Note: Integrated protection functions are designed to prevent IC destruction under fault conditions described in the data sheet. Fault conditions are considered as “outside” normal operating range. Protection functions are not designed for continuous repetitive operation.

4.2 Functional Range

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|--------------|------|------|------|------------|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| Temperature Range | | | | | | | |
| 4.2.1 | Operating Temperature Range | T_j | -40 | – | 150 | °C | – |
| 4.2.2 | Storage Temperature Range | T_{stg} | -55 | – | 150 | °C | – |

Maximum Ratings and Operating Conditions

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|--------------|------|------|------|---|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| Single Pulse Inductive Energy | | | | | | | |
| 4.2.3 | Single pulse inductive Energy (internal clamping) | E_{AS} | – | – | 50 | mJ | $T_J = 25\text{ °C};$ $I_{D1-8} = 0.5\text{ A};$ $I_{D9-16} = 1\text{ A}$ |
| Power Dissipation | | | | | | | |
| 4.2.4 | Power Dissipation (mounted on PCB) | P_{tot} | – | 3.3 | – | W | $T_A = 25\text{ °C}$ all Channel active |

Note: Within the functional range the IC operates as described in the circuit description. The electrical characteristics are specified within the conditions given in the related electrical characteristics table.

4.3 Thermal Resistance

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|-------|--|-------------|--------------|------|------|------|--------------------|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| 4.3.1 | Junction to Case (die soldered on heat slug) ¹⁾ | R_{thJSp} | – | 0.5 | 1 | K/W | $P_v = 3\text{ W}$ |
| 4.3.2 | Junction to ambient (see Figure 5 ¹⁾); all channels active | R_{thjA} | – | 12 | – | K/W | $P_v = 3\text{ W}$ |

1) Not subject to production test, specified by design.

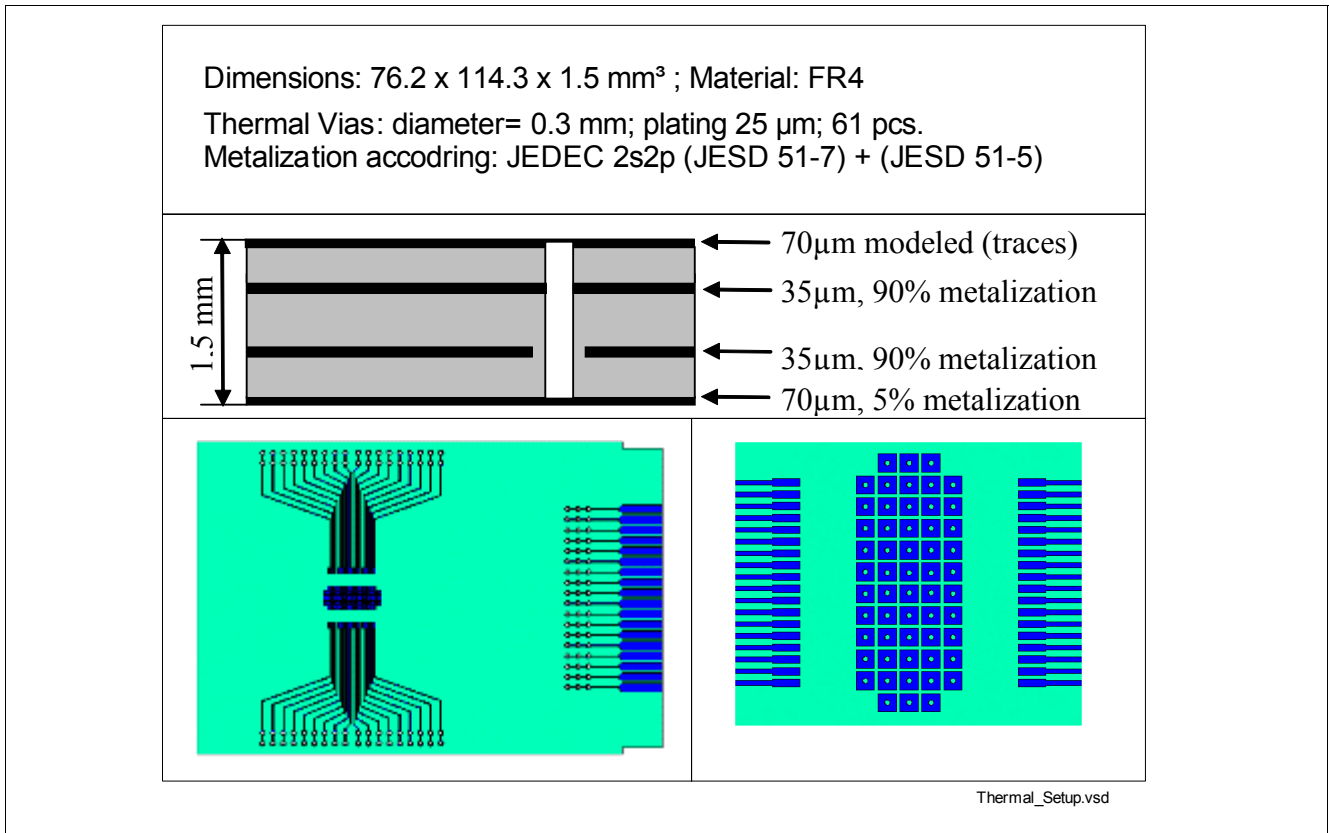


Figure 5 Thermal Simulation - PCB set-up

5 Electrical and Functional Description of Blocks

The TLE8116SA is an 16-fold low-side power switch which provides a serial peripheral interface (SPI) to control the 16 power DMOS switches, and diagnostic feedback. The power transistors are protected against short to V_{BB} , overload, overtemperature and against overvoltage by active zener clamp.

The diagnostic logic recognizes a fault condition which can be read out via the serial diagnostic output (SO).

5.1 Power Supply & Reset

RESET - Reset pin. If the reset pin is in a logic low state, it clears the SPI shift register and switches all outputs OFF. An internal pull-up structure is provided on chip. In case the $\overline{\text{RESET}}$ Pin is pulled down statically, the device remains in Stand-by Mode

Electrical Characteristics: Power Supply

$V_S = 4.5 \text{ V to } 5.5 \text{ V}$, $T_j = -40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C to } +150 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, Reset = H (unless otherwise specified)

all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|-------|--------------------------------|----------------------|--------------|------|------|---------------|-------------|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| 5.1.1 | Supply Voltage ¹⁾ | V_S | 4.5 | – | 5.5 | V | – |
| 5.1.2 | Supply Current | I_S | – | 5 | 10 | mA | – |
| 5.1.3 | Supply Current in Standby Mode | $I_{S(\text{stdy})}$ | – | 10 | 50 | μA | (RESET = L) |

1) For $V_S < 4.5 \text{ V}$ the power stages are switched according the input signals and data bits or are definitely switched off. This undervoltage reset gets active at $V_S = 3 \text{ V}$ (typ. value) and is specified by design and not subject to production test.

5.2 Digital Inputs

In this chapter is the electrical behaviour of the following Digital Input Pins described:

- parallel Input Pin INx
- Reset Pin RESET
- Program Pin PRG

Electrical Characteristics: Digital Inputs

$V_S = 4.5 \text{ V to } 5.5 \text{ V}$, $T_j = -40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C to } +150 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, Reset = H (unless otherwise specified)

all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|-------|--|--------------------------|--------------|------|------|---------------|------------------------|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| 5.2.1 | Input Low Voltage | V_{INL} | -0.3 | – | 1.0 | V | – |
| 5.2.2 | Input High Voltage | V_{INH} | 2.0 | – | – | V | – |
| 5.2.3 | Input Voltage Hysteresis | V_{INHys} | 50 | 100 | 200 | mV | – |
| 5.2.4 | Input Pull-down/up Current (IN1 to IN4, IN9 to IN12) | $I_{IN(1..4,9..12)}$ | 20 | 50 | 100 | μA | $V_{IN} = 5 \text{ V}$ |
| 5.2.5 | PRG, Reset Pull-up Current | $I_{IN(\text{PRG,Res})}$ | 20 | 50 | 100 | μA | – |
| 5.2.6 | Minimum Reset Duration (After a reset all parallel inputs are ORed with the SPI data bits) | $t_{\text{Reset,min}}$ | 10 | – | – | μs | – |

5.3 Power Outputs

Power Transistor Protection Functions¹⁾

Each of the 16 output stages has its own zener clamp, which causes a voltage limitation at the power transistor when solenoid loads are switched off. The outputs are provided with a current limitation set to a minimum of 1 A for channels 1 to 8 and 3 A for channels 9 to 16.

In the event of an overload or short to supply, the current is internally limited and the corresponding diagnosis bit combination is set. If this operation leads to an overtemperature condition, a second protection level will change the output into a low duty cycle PWM (selective thermal shut-down with restart) to prevent critical chip temperatures.

Electrical Characteristics: Power Outputs

$V_S = 4.5\text{ V to }5.5\text{ V}$, $T_J = -40\text{ °C to }+150\text{ °C}$, Reset = H (unless otherwise specified)
all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|--------|--|--------------|--------------|------|------|---------------|--|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| 5.3.1 | ON Resistance $V_S = 5\text{ V}$; Channel 1-8 | $R_{DS(ON)}$ | – | 1 | – | Ω | $T_J = 25\text{ °C}^{1)}$ |
| | | | – | 1.7 | 2.2 | Ω | $T_J = 150\text{ °C}$ |
| 5.3.2 | ON Resistance $V_S = 5\text{ V}$; Channel 10, 11, 14, 15 | $R_{DS(ON)}$ | – | 0.35 | – | Ω | $T_J = 25\text{ °C}^{1)}$ |
| | | | – | 0.60 | 0.70 | Ω | $T_J = 150\text{ °C}$ |
| 5.3.3 | ON Resistance $V_S = 5\text{ V}$; Channel 9, 12, 13, 16 | $R_{DS(ON)}$ | – | 0.30 | – | Ω | $T_J = 25\text{ °C}^{1)}$ |
| | | | – | 0.50 | 0.60 | Ω | $T_J = 150\text{ °C}$ |
| 5.3.4 | Output Clamping Voltage Channel 1-8 | $V_{DS(AZ)}$ | 45 | 50 | 60 | V | Output OFF |
| 5.3.5 | Output Clamping Voltage Channel 9-16 | $V_{DS(AZ)}$ | 45 | 52.5 | 60 | V | Output OFF |
| 5.3.6 | Current Limit Channel 1-8 | $I_{D(lim)}$ | 1 | 1.5 | 2 | A | – |
| 5.3.7 | Current Limit Channel 9-16 | $I_{D(lim)}$ | 3 | 4.5 | 6 | A | – |
| 5.3.8 | Output Leakage Current | $I_{D(lkg)}$ | – | – | 10 | μA | $V_{Reset} = L$ |
| 5.3.9 | Turn-On Time | t_{ON} | – | 6 | 12 | μs | $I_D = 0.5\text{ A}$, resistive load |
| 5.3.10 | Turn-Off Time | t_{OFF} | – | 6 | 12 | μs | |

1) Specified by design and not subject to production test.

1) The integrated protection functions prevent an IC destruction under fault conditions and may not be used in normal operation or permanently.

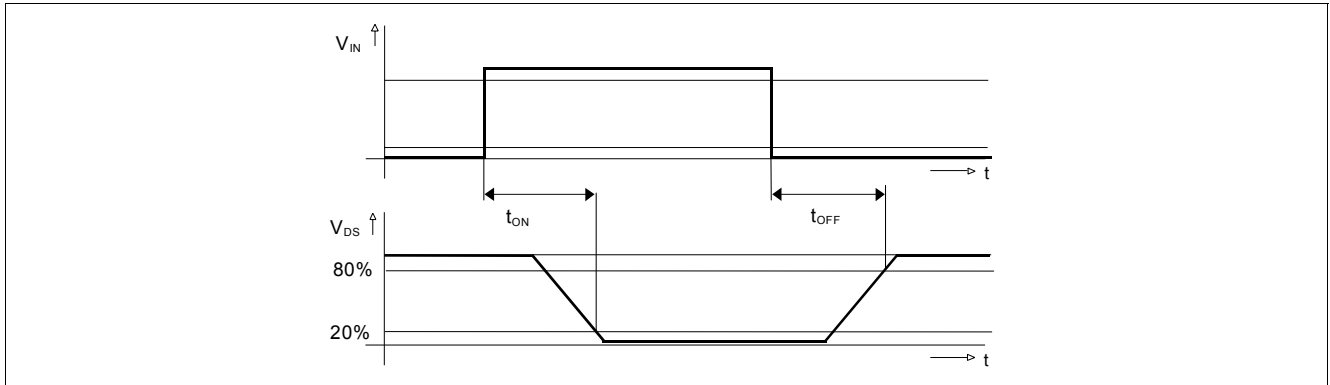


Figure 6 Timing

5.3.1 Typical Characteristics

Drain-Source On-Resistance

$$R_{DS(ON)} = f(T_j); V_S = 5 V$$

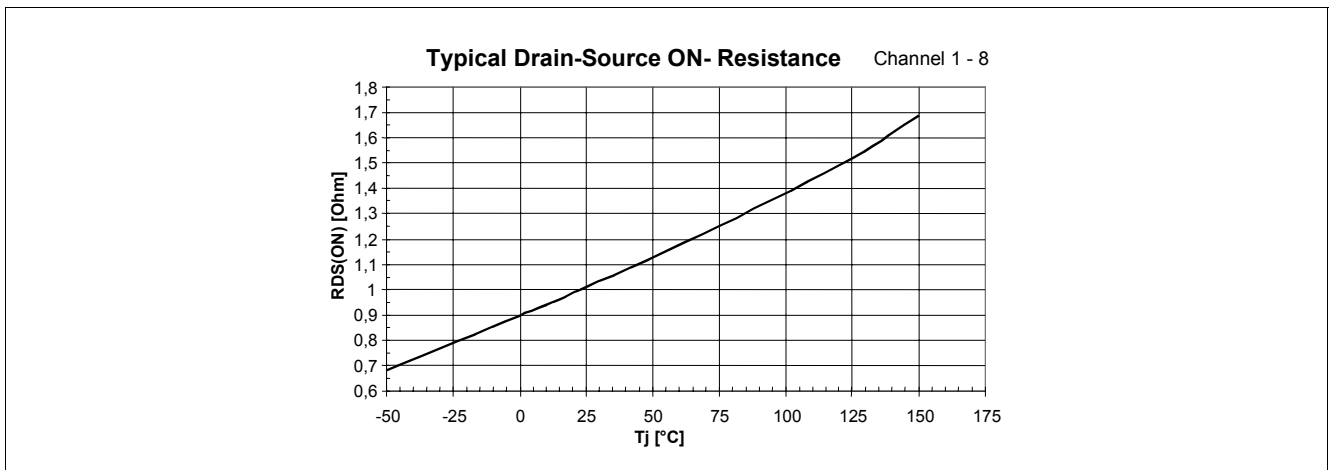


Figure 7 Typical ON Resistance versus Junction-Temperature (Channel 1-8)

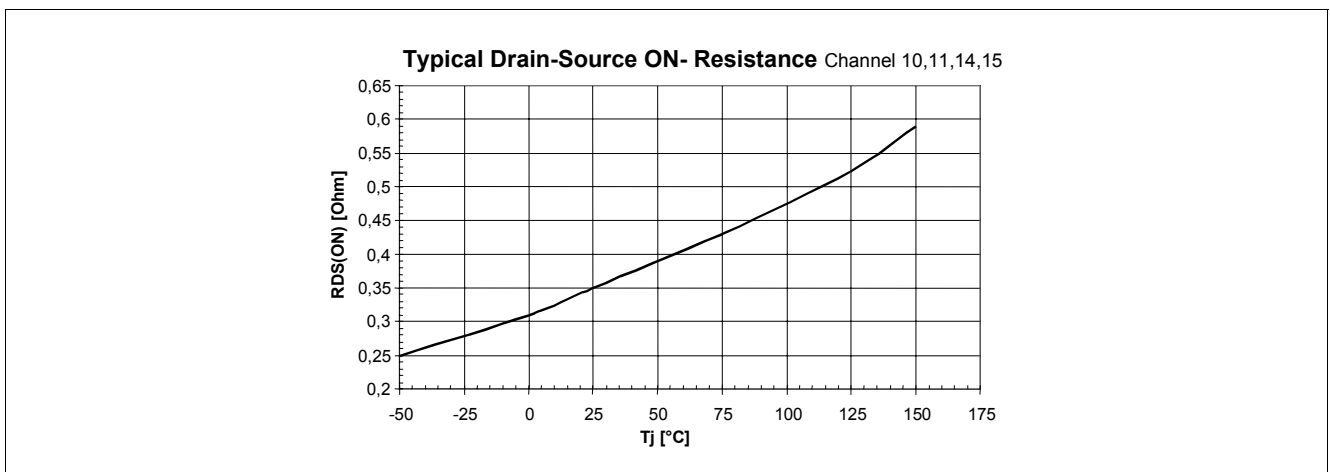


Figure 8 Typical ON Resistance versus Junction-Temperature (Channel 10, 11, 14, 15)

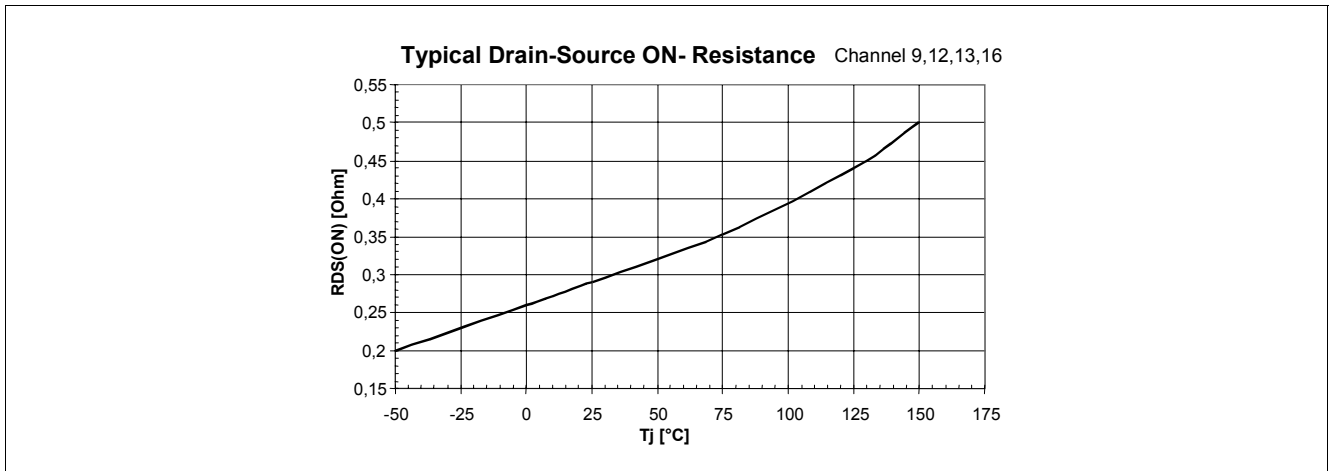


Figure 9 Typical ON Resistance versus Junction-Temperature (Channel 9, 12, 13, 16)

Output Clamping Voltage

$$V_{DS(AZ)} = f(T_j); V_S = 5 \text{ V}$$

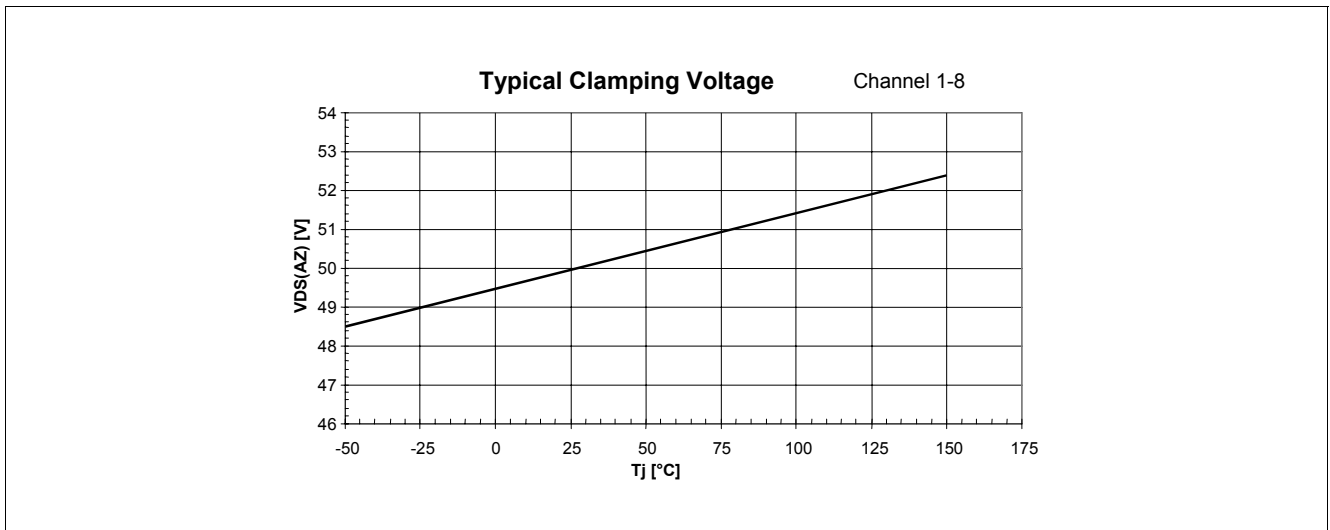


Figure 10 Typical Clamping Voltage versus Junction Temperature (Channel 1-8)

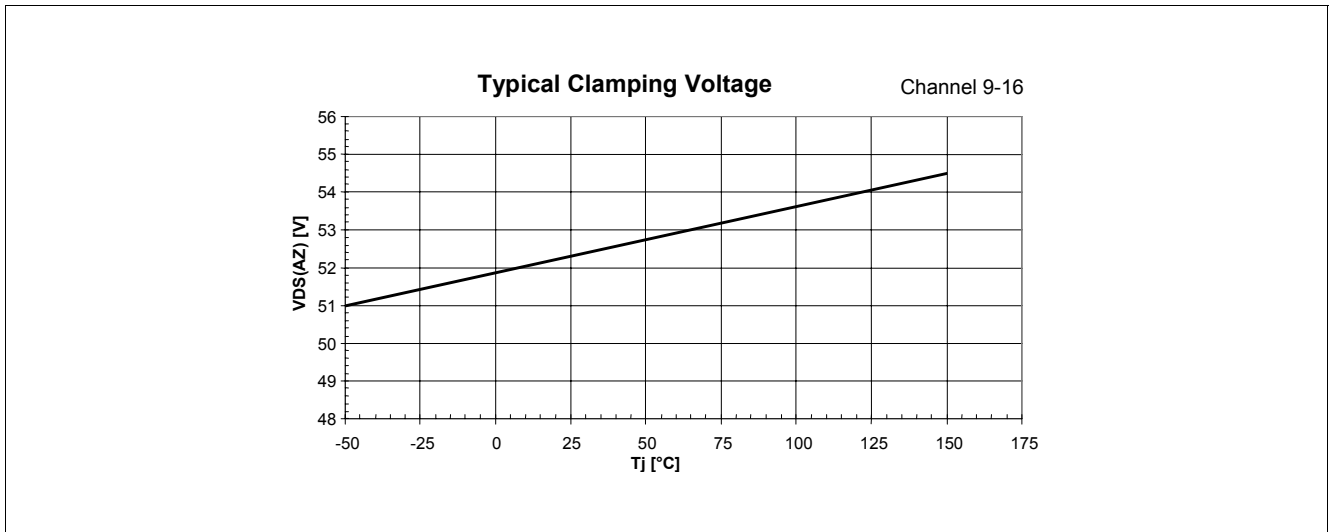


Figure 11 Typical Clamping Voltage versus Junction Temperature (Channel 9-16)

5.4 Diagnostic Functions and FAULT-Pin

The device provides diagnosis information about the device and about the load. There are following diagnosis flags implemented for each channel:

- The diagnosis information of the protective functions, such as “over current” and “over temperature”
- The open load diagnosis
- The short to ground information.

For further details, refer to the Chapter “Control of the device”

FAULT - Fault pin. There is a general fault pin (open drain) which shows a high to low transition as soon as an error occurs for any one of the sixteen channels. This fault indication can be used to generate a μC interrupt. Therefore a ‘diagnosis’ interrupt routine need only be called after this fault indication. This saves processor time compared to a cyclic reading of the SO information.

As soon as a fault occurs, the fault information is latched into the diagnosis register. A new error will overwrite the old error report. Serial data out pin (SO) is in a high impedance state when $\overline{\text{CS}}$ is high. If $\overline{\text{CS}}$ receives a LOW signal, all diagnosis bits can be shifted out serially.

Electrical Characteristics: Diagnostic Functions

$V_S = 4.5 \text{ V to } 5.5 \text{ V}$, $T_j = -40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C to } +150 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, Reset = H (unless otherwise specified)

all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|-------|--|--------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| 5.4.1 | Open Load Detection Voltage | $V_{\text{DS(OL)}}$ | $V_S - 2.5$ | $V_S - 2$ | $V_S - 1.3$ | V | – |
| 5.4.2 | Output Pull-down Current | $I_{\text{PD(OL)}}$ | 50 | 90 | 150 | μA | $V_{\text{Reset}} = \text{H}$ |
| 5.4.3 | Fault Delay Time | $t_{\text{d(fault)}}$ | 50 | 100 | 200 | μs | – |
| 5.4.4 | Short to Ground Detection Voltage | $V_{\text{DS(SHG)}}$ | $V_S - 3.3$ | $V_S - 2.9$ | $V_S - 2.5$ | V | – |
| 5.4.5 | Short to Ground Detection Current | I_{SHG} | -50 | -100 | -150 | μA | $V_{\text{Reset}} = \text{H}$ |
| 5.4.6 | Overload Detection Threshold | $I_{\text{D(lim) 1-8}}$ | 1 | 1.3 | 2 | A | – |
| | | $I_{\text{D(lim) 9-16}}$ | 3 | 4 | 6 | A | – |
| 5.4.7 | Overtemperature Shutdown Threshold ¹⁾ | $T_{\text{th(sd)}}$ | 170 | – | 200 | $^\circ\text{C}$ | – |
| 5.4.8 | Overtemperature Hysteresis ¹⁾ | T_{hys} | – | 10 | – | K | – |
| 5.4.9 | FAULT Output Low Voltage | V_{faultL} | – | – | 0.4 | V | $I_{\text{faultL}} = 1.6 \text{ mA}$ |

1) Specified by design and not subject to production test.

5.5 SPI Interface

Electrical Characteristics: SPI Interface

$V_S = 4.5\text{ V to }5.5\text{ V}$, $T_j = -40\text{ }^\circ\text{C to }+150\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, Reset = H (unless otherwise specified)
all voltages with respect to ground, positive current flowing into pin

| Pos. | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Conditions |
|--------|---|--------------------------------|--------------|------|------|---------------|--|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| 5.5.1 | Input Pull-down Current (SI, SCLK) | $I_{IN(SI,SCLK)}$ | 10 | 20 | 50 | μA | – |
| 5.5.2 | Input Pull-up Current ($\overline{\text{CS}}$) | $I_{IN(\overline{\text{CS}})}$ | 10 | 20 | 50 | μA | – |
| 5.5.3 | SO High State Output Voltage | V_{SOH} | $V_S - 0.4$ | – | – | V | $I_{SOH} = 2\text{ mA}$ |
| 5.5.4 | SO Low State Output Voltage | V_{SOL} | – | – | 0.4 | V | $I_{SOL} = 2.5\text{ mA}$ |
| 5.5.5 | Output Tri-state Leakage Current | I_{SOIkq} | -10 | 0 | 10 | μA | $\overline{\text{CS}} = \text{H};$ $0 \leq V_{SO} \leq V_S$ |
| 5.5.6 | Serial Clock Frequency (depending on SO load) | f_{SCK} | DC | – | 5 | MHz | – |
| 5.5.7 | Serial Clock Period ($1/f_{clk}$) | $t_{p(SCK)}$ | 200 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.8 | Serial Clock High Time | t_{SCKH} | 50 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.9 | Serial Clock Low Time | t_{SCKL} | 50 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.10 | Enable Lead Time (falling edge of $\overline{\text{CS}}$ to rising edge of CLK) | t_{lead} | 200 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.11 | Enable Lag Time (falling edge of CLK to rising edge of $\overline{\text{CS}}$) | t_{lag} | 200 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.12 | Data Setup Time (required time SI to falling of CLK) | t_{SU} | 20 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.13 | Data Hold Time (falling edge of CLK to SI) | t_H | 20 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.14 | Disable Time (@ $C_L = 50\text{ pF}$) ¹⁾ | t_{DIS} | – | – | 150 | ns | – |
| 5.5.15 | Transfer Delay Time ²⁾ ($\overline{\text{CS}}$ high time between two accesses) | t_{dt} | 200 | – | – | ns | – |
| 5.5.16 | Data Valid Time | t_{valid} | – | – | 100 | ns | $C_L = 50\text{ pF}$ ¹⁾ |
| | | | – | – | 120 | ns | $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$ ¹⁾ |
| | | | – | – | 150 | ns | $C_L = 220\text{ pF}$ ¹⁾ |

1) This parameter will not be tested but specified by design

2) This time is necessary between two write accesses to control e.g. channel 1 to 8 during the first access and channel 9 to 16 during the second access. To get the correct diagnostic information, the transfer delay time has to be extended to the maximum fault delay time $t_{d(fault)max} = 200\text{ }\mu\text{s}$.

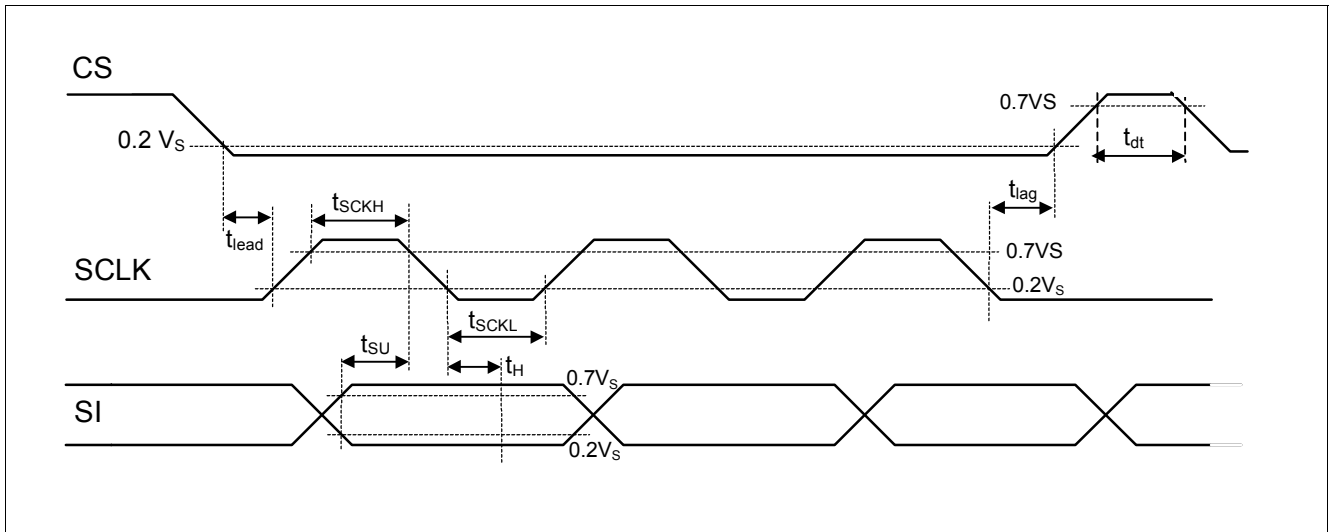


Figure 12 Input Timing Diagram

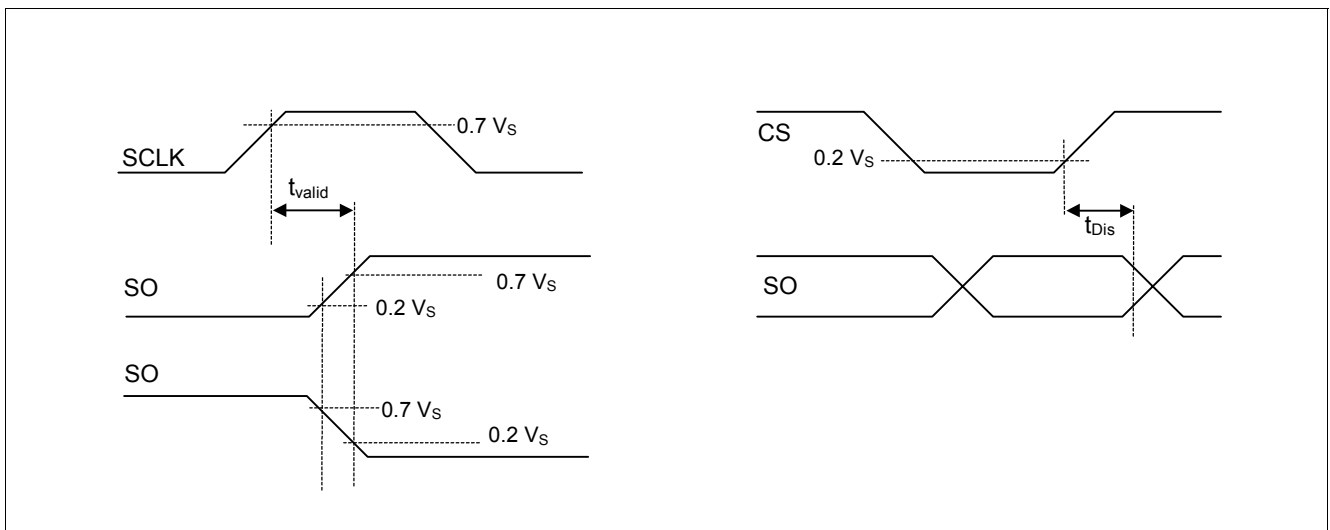


Figure 13 SO Valid Time Waveforms and Enable and Disable Time Waveforms

SPI Signal Description

CS - Chip Select. The system microcontroller selects the TLE8116SA by means of the $\overline{\text{CS}}$ pin. Whenever the pin is in a logic low state, data can be transferred from the μC and vice versa.

- **CS High to Low Transition:**
 - diagnostic status information is transferred from the power outputs into the shift register
 - serial input data can be clocked in from then on
 - SO changes from high impedance state to logic high or low state corresponding to the SO bits
- **CS Low to High Transition:**
 - transfer of SI bits from shift register into output buffers

To avoid any false clocking the serial clock input pin SCLK should be logic low state during high to low transition of $\overline{\text{CS}}$. When $\overline{\text{CS}}$ is in a logic high state, any signals at the SCLK and SI pins are ignored and SO is forced into a high impedance state.

SCLK - Serial Clock. The system clock pin clocks the internal shift register of the TLE8116SA. The serial input (SI) accepts data into the input shift register on the falling edge of SCLK while the serial output (SO) shifts diagnostic

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information out of the shift register on the rising edge of serial clock. It is essential that the SCLK pin is in a logic low state whenever chip select \overline{CS} makes any transition.

SI - Serial Input. Serial data bits are shifted in at this pin, the most significant bit first. SI information is read in on the falling edge of SCLK. Input data is latched in the shift register and then transferred to the control buffer of the output stages.

The input data consist of 16 bit, made up of one control byte and one data byte. The control byte is used to program the device, to operate it in a certain mode as well as providing diagnostic information (see [Chapter 6.2](#)). The eight data bits contain the input information for the eight channels, and are high active.

SO - Serial Output. Diagnostic data bits are shifted out serially at this pin, the most significant bit first. SO is in a high impedance state until the \overline{CS} pin goes to a logic low state. New diagnostic data will appear at the SO pin following the rising edge of SCLK.

6 Control of the Device

6.1 Output Stage Control

The 16 outputs of the TLE8116SA can be controlled via serial interface. Additionally eight of these 16 channels can alternatively be controlled in parallel (Channel 1 to 4 and 9 to 12) for PWM applications.

6.1.1 Parallel Control and PRG - Pin

A Boolean operation (either AND or OR) is performed on each of the parallel inputs and respective SPI data bits, in order to determine the states of the respective outputs. The type of Boolean operation performed is programmed via the serial interface.

The parallel inputs are high or low active depending on the PRG pin. If the parallel input pins are not connected (independent of high or low activity) it is guaranteed that the outputs 1 to 4 and 9 to 12 are switched off. The PRG pin itself is internally pulled up when it is not connected.

PRG - Program pin.

- PRG = High (V_S): Parallel inputs Channel 1 to 4 and 9 to 12 are high active
- PRG = Low (GND): Parallel inputs Channel 1 to 4 and 9 to 12 are low active

6.1.2 Serial Control of the Outputs: SPI Protocol

6.1.3 Overview

Each output is independently controlled by an output latch and a common reset line, which disables all outputs. The Serial Input (SI) is read on the falling edge of the serial clock. A logic high input 'data bit' turns the respective output channel ON, a logic low 'data bit' turns it OFF.

\overline{CS} must be low whilst shifting all the serial data into the device. A low-to-high transition of \overline{CS} transfers the serial data input bits to the output control buffer.

The 16 channels of the TLE8116SA are divided up into two parts for the control of the outputs (ON, OFF) and the diagnosis information.

Serial Input (SI) information consists of 16 bit. 8 bit contain the input driver information for channel 1 to 8 or for channel 9 to 16. The remaining 8 bits are used to program a certain operation mode.

Serial Output (SO) data consists of 16 bit containing the diagnosis information for channels 1 to 8 or channels 9 to 16 with two bits per channel.

Channel 1 to 8:

- **Control Byte 1:** Operation mode and diagnosis select for channels 1 to 8
- **Data Byte1:** ON/OFF information for channel 1 to 8
- **DIAG_1:** Diagnosis data for channels 1 to 8

Channel 9 to 16:

- **Control Byte 2:** Operation mode and diagnosis select for channels 9 to 16
- **Data Byte2:** ON/OFF information for channel 9 to 16
- **DIAG_2:** Diagnosis data for channels 9 to 16

To drive all 16 channels and to get the complete diagnosis data of the TLE8116SA a two step access has to be performed as follows:

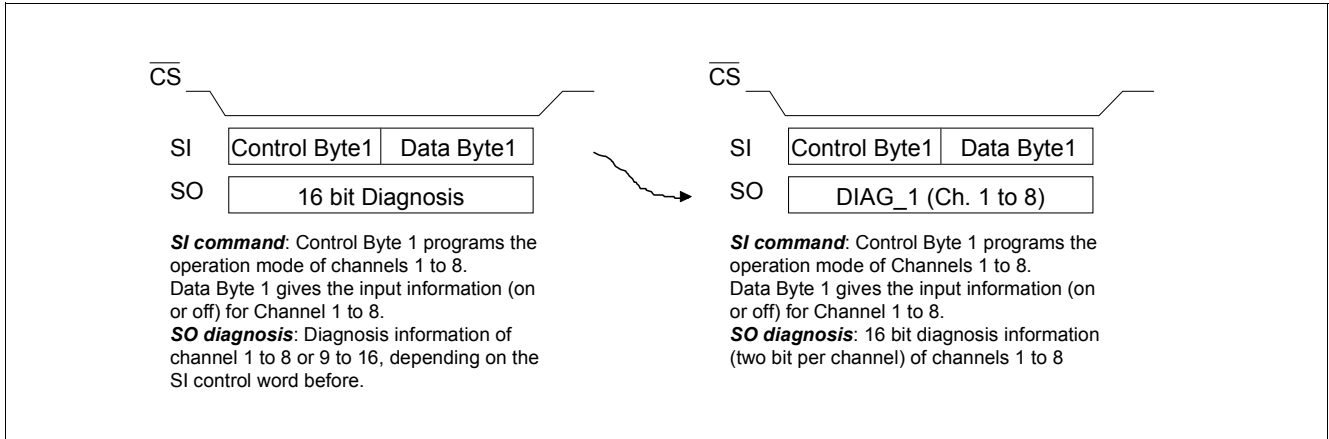


Figure 14 First Access

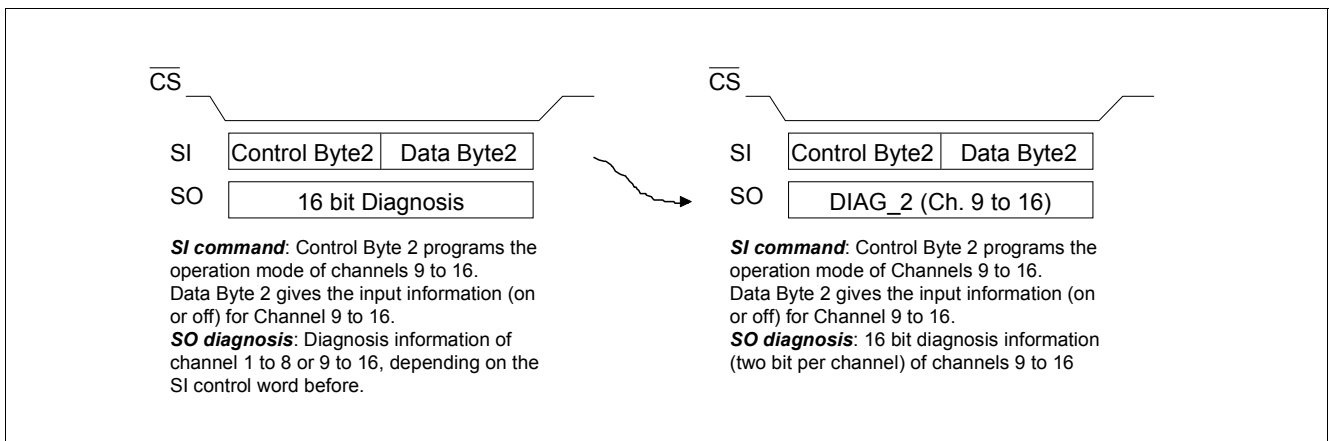


Figure 15 Second Access

6.1.4 Control- and Data Byte

As mentioned above, the serial input information consist of a control byte and a data byte. Via the control byte, the specific mode of the device is programmable.

Table 1 Control and Data Byte

| MSB | | | | | | | | LSB | | | | | | | |
|--------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C | C | C | C | C | C | C | C | D | D | D | D | D | D | D | D |
| Control Byte | | | | | | | | Data Byte | | | | | | | |

Ten specific control words are recognized, having the following functions:

Table 2 Commands

| No. | Control Byte | Data Byte | Function |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Channel 1 to 8 | | | |
| 1 | LLLL LLLL ¹⁾ | XXXX XXXX ²⁾ | 'Full Diagnosis' (two bits per channel) performed for channels 1 to 8. No change to output states. |
| 2 | HHLL LLLL | XXXX XXXX | State of the eight parallel inputs and '1-bit Diagnosis' for channel 1 to 8 is provided. |
| 3 | HLHL LLLL | XXXX XXXX | Echo-function of SPI; SI direct connected to SO. |
| 4 | LLHH LLLL | DDDDDDDD ²⁾ | IN1 ... 4 and serial data bits 'OR'ed. 'Full Diagnosis' performed for channels 1 to 8. |
| 5 | HHHH LLLL | DDDDDDDD | IN1 ... 4 and serial data bits 'AND'ed. 'Full Diagnosis' performed for channels 1 to 8. |
| Channel 9 to 16 | | | |
| 6 | LLLL HHHH ¹⁾ | XXXX XXXX | 'Full Diagnosis' (two bits per channel) performed for channels 9 to 16. No change to output states. |
| 7 | HHLL HHHH | XXXX XXXX | State of the eight parallel inputs and '1-bit Diagnosis' for channel 9 to 16 is provided. |
| 8 | HLHL HHHH | XXXX XXXX | Echo-function of SPI; SI direct connected to SO. |
| 9 | LLHH HHHH | DDDDDDDD | IN9 ... 12 and serial data bits 'OR'ed. 'Full Diagnosis' performed for channels 9 to 16. |
| 10 | HHHH HHHH | DDDDDDDD | IN9 ... 12 and serial data bits 'AND'ed. 'Full Diagnosis' performed for channels 9 to 16. |

1) Control Byte: Channel Selection via Bit 0 to 3
 Bits 0 to 3 = L, Channels 1 to 8 selected
 Bits 0 to 3 = H, Channels 9 to 16 selected

2) Data Byte: 'X' means 'don't care', because this data bits will be ignored.
 'D' represents the data bits, either being H (= ON) or L (= OFF).

Control words beside No. 1- 10

Not specified Control words are not executed (cause no function) and the shift register (SO Data) is reset after the $\overline{\text{CS}}$ signal (all '0').

6.1.5 Control Byte - Detailed description

In the following section the different control bytes will be described. X used within the control byte means:

Table 3 Control Byte - Channel Group selection

| MSB | | | | | | | | Comment |
|-----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| X | X | X | X | L | L | L | L | Command is valid for Channels 1 to 8 |
| X | X | X | X | H | H | H | H | Command is valid for Channels 9 to 16 |

Control Byte

The following Control Byte descriptions are referring to the Overview [Table 2](#).

6.1.5.1 Control Byte No.1 and 6

Table 4 Control Byte No. 1 to 6

| MSB | | | | | | | | Comment |
|-----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------------|
| L | L | L | L | X | X | X | X | Diagnosis only |

Control Byte

By clocking in this control byte, it is possible to get pure diagnostic information (two bits per channel) in accordance with [Figure 21](#). The data bits are ignored, so that the state of the outputs are not influenced. This command is only active once unless the next control command is again "Diagnosis only". Diagnostic information can be read out at any time with no change of the switching conditions.

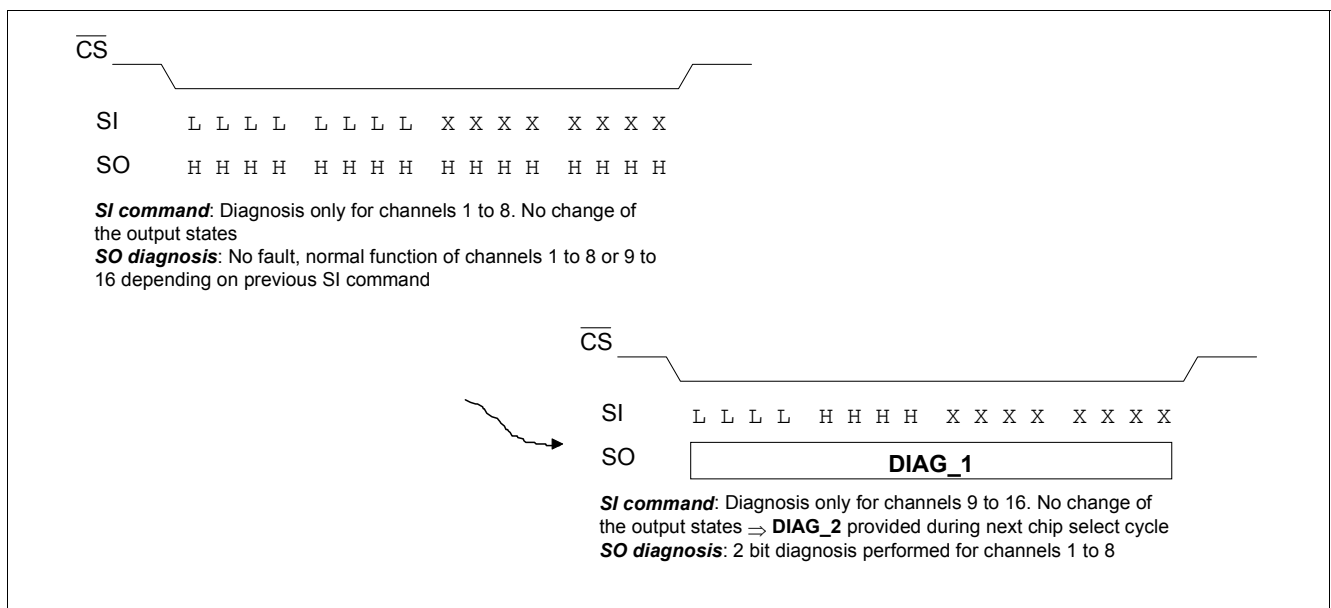


Figure 16 Example for two Consecutive Chip Select Cycles

6.1.5.2 Control Byte No. 2 and 7

Table 5 Control Byte No. 2 and 7

| MSB | | | | | | | | Comment |
|--------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H | H | L | L | X | X | X | X | Reading back of the eight inputs and '1-bit Diagnosis' provided |
| Control Byte | | | | | | | | |

If the TLE8116SA is used as bare die in a hybrid application, it is necessary to know if proper connections exist between the μ C-port and parallel inputs. By entering 'HHLL' as the control word, the first eight bits of the SO give the state of the parallel inputs, depending on the μ C signals. By comparing the IN-bits with the corresponding μ C-port signal, the necessary connection between the μ C and the TLE8116SA can be verified - i.e. 'read back of the inputs'.

The second 8-bits fed out at the serial output contains '1-bit' fault information of the outputs (H = no fault, L = fault). In the expression given below for the output byte, 'FX' is the fault bit for channel X.

Table 6 Serial Output

| MSB | | | | | | | | LSB | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| IN12 | IN11 | IN10 | IN9 | IN4 | IN3 | IN2 | IN1 | FX | FX | FX | FX | FX | FX | FX | FX |
| Parallel Input Signals | | | | | | | | Fault Bits Channel 1 to 8 or 9 to 16 | | | | | | | |

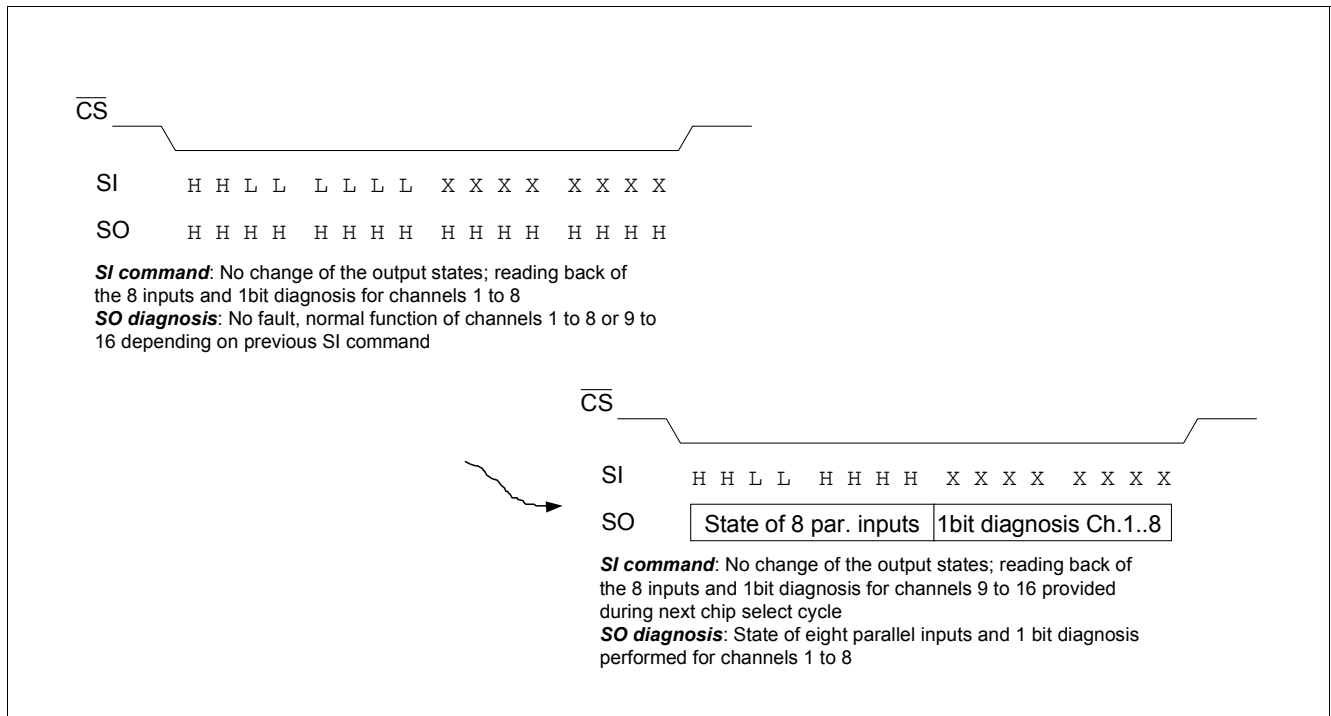


Figure 17 Example for two Consecutive Chip Select Cycles