

Quad 16-/14-/12-Bit *nano*DAC+ with 2 ppm/°C Reference, I 2 C Interface

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FEATURES

High relative accuracy (INL): ±2 LSB maximum at 16 bits Low drift 2.5 V reference: 2 ppm/°C typical Tiny package: 3 mm × 3 mm, 16-lead LFCSP Total unadjusted error (TUE): ±0.1% of FSR maximum Offset error: ±1.5 mV maximum Gain error: ±0.1% of FSR maximum High drive capability: 20 mA, 0.5 V from supply rails User selectable gain of 1 or 2 (GAIN pin) Reset to zero scale or midscale (RSTSEL pin) 1.8 V logic compatibility Low glitch: 0.5 nV-sec 400 kHz I2C-compatible serial interface Low power: 3.3 mW at 3 V 2.7 V to 5.5 V power supply −40°C to +105°C temperature range

APPLICATIONS

Optical transceivers Base-station power amplifiers Process control (PLC I/O cards) Industrial automation Data acquisition systems

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) family are low power, quad, 16-/14-/12-bit buffered voltage output DACs. The devices include a 2.5 V, 2 ppm/°C internal reference (enabled by default) and a gain select pin giving a full-scale output of 2.5 V (gain = 1) or 5 V (gain = 2). All devices operate from a single 2.7 V to 5.5 V supply, are guaranteed monotonic by design, and exhibit less than 0.1% FSR gain error and 1.5 mV offset error performance. The devices are available in a 3 mm \times 3 mm LFCSP and a TSSOP package.

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) also incorporate a poweron reset circuit and a RSTSEL pin that ensures that the DAC outputs power up to zero scale or midscale and remain there until a valid write takes place. Each part contains a per-channel power-down feature that reduces the current consumption of the device to $4 \mu A$ at $3 V$ while in power-down mode.

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) use a versatile 2-wire serial interface that operates at clock rates up to 400 kHz, and includes a V_{LOGIC} pin intended for 1.8 V/3 V/5 V logic.

FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM

Table 1. Quad *nano***DAC+ Devices**

PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS

- 1. High Relative Accuracy (INL). [AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) (16-bit): ±2 LSB maximum. [AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) (14-bit): ±1 LSB maximum. [AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) (12-bit): ±1 LSB maximum.
- 2. Low Drift 2.5 V On-Chip Reference. 2 ppm/°C typical temperature coefficient. 5 ppm/°C maximum temperature coefficient.
- 3. Two Package Options. 3 mm \times 3 mm, 16-lead LFCSP. 16-lead TSSOP.

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4/2017—Rev. C to Rev. D

5/2014—Rev. B to Rev. C

6/2013—Rev. A to Rev. B

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11/2012—Rev. 0 to Rev. A

4/2012—Revision 0: Initial Version

SPECIFICATIONS

 $V_{\text{DD}} = 2.7 \text{ V}$ to 5.5 V; 1.62 $V \leq V_{\text{LOGIC}} \leq 5.5 \text{ V}$; all specifications T_{MIN} to T_{MAX} , unless otherwise noted. $R_{\text{L}} = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$; $C_{\text{L}} = 200 \text{ pF}$.

Table 2.

¹ Temperature range: A and B grade: -40°C to +105°C.

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² DC specifications tested with the outputs unloaded, unless otherwise noted. Upper dead band = 10 mV and exists only when V_{REF} = V_{DD} with gain = 1 or when V_{REF}

 V_{DD} with gain = 2. Linearity calculated using a reduced code range of 256 to 65,280 [\(AD5696R\)](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf), 64 to 16,320 [\(AD5695R\),](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) and 12 to 4080 [\(AD5694R\).](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) ³ Guaranteed by design and characterization; not production tested.

4 Channel A and Channel B can have a combined output current of up to 30 mA. Similarly, Channel C and Channel D can have a combined output current of up to 30 mA up to a junction temperature of 110°C.

 5 V_{DD} = 5 V. The device includes current limiting that is intended to protect the device during temporary overload conditions. Junction temperature can be exceeded during current limit. Operation above the specified maximum operation junction temperature may impair device reliability.

⁶ When drawing a load current at either rail, the output voltage headroom with respect to that rail is limited by the 25 Ω typical channel resistance of the output devices. For example, when sinking 1 mA, the minimum output voltage = 25 $\Omega \times 1$ mA = 25 mV (se[e Figure 30\).](#page-12-0)

⁷ Initial accuracy presolder reflow is ±750 μV; output voltage includes the effects of preconditioning drift. See th[e Internal Reference Setup s](#page-24-2)ection.

Reference is trimmed and tested at two temperatures and is characterized from −40°C to +105°C. 9

⁹ Reference temperature coefficient calculated as per the box method. See th[e Terminology s](#page-15-0)ection for further information.

10 Interface inactive. All DACs active. DAC outputs unloaded.

¹¹ All DACs powered down.

AC CHARACTERISTICS

 $V_{\rm DD}$ = 2.7 V to 5.5 V; R_L = 2 kΩ to GND; C_L = 200 pF to GND; 1.62 V ≤ V_{LOGIC} ≤ 5.5 V; all specifications T_{MM} to T_{MAX}, unless otherwise noted. ¹

¹ Guaranteed by design and characterization; not production tested.

² See th[e Terminology](#page-15-0) section.

³ Temperature range is −40°C to +105°C, typical at 25°C.

⁴ Digitally generated sine wave at 1 kHz.

TIMING CHARACTERISTICS

 $V_{\text{DD}} = 2.5$ V to 5.5 V; 1.62 V \leq V_{LOGIC} \leq 5.5 V; all specifications T_{MIN} to T_{MAX}, unless otherwise noted.¹

¹ See Figure 2.

² Guaranteed by design and characterization; not production tested.

 3 A master device must provide a hold time of at least 300 ns for the SDA signal (referred to the V $_{\rm{H}}$ min of the SCL signal) to bridge the undefined region of SCL's falling edge.

⁴ C_B is the total capacitance of one bus line in pF. t_R and t_F measured between 0.3 V_{DD} and 0.7 V_{DD}.
⁵ Input filtering on the SCL and SDA inputs suppresses noise spikes that are less than 50 ns.

Figure 2. 2-Wire Serial Interface Timing Diagram

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

 $T_A = 25$ °C, unless otherwise noted.

Table 5.

1 Excluding SDA and SCL.

Stresses at or above those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the product. This is a stress rating only; functional operation of the product at these or any other conditions above those indicated in the operational section of this specification is not implied. Operation beyond the maximum operating conditions for extended periods may affect product reliability.

ESD CAUTION

ESD (electrostatic discharge) sensitive device. Charged devices and circuit boards can discharge without detection. Although this product features patented or proprietary protection circuitry, damage may occur on devices subjected to high energy ESD. Therefore, proper ESD precautions should be taken to avoid performance degradation or loss of functionality.

PIN CONFIGURATION AND FUNCTION DESCRIPTIONS

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TERMINOLOGY

Relative Accuracy or Integral Nonlinearity (INL)

For the DAC, relative accuracy or integral nonlinearity is a measurement of the maximum deviation, in LSBs, from a straight line passing through the endpoints of the DAC transfer function. A typical INL vs. code plot is shown i[n Figure 12.](#page-9-0)

Differential Nonlinearity (DNL)

Differential nonlinearity is the difference between the measured change and the ideal 1 LSB change between any two adjacent codes. A specified differential nonlinearity of ±1 LSB maximum ensures monotonicity. This DAC is guaranteed monotonic by design. A typical DNL vs. code plot can be seen i[n Figure 15.](#page-9-1)

Zero-Code Error

Zero-code error is a measurement of the output error when zero code (0x0000) is loaded to the DAC register. Ideally, the output should be 0 V. The zero-code error is always positive in the [AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) because the output of the DAC cannot go below 0 V due to a combination of the offset errors in the DAC and the output amplifier. Zero-code error is expressed in mV. A plot of zero-code error vs. temperature can be seen in [Figure 22.](#page-10-0)

Full-Scale Error

Full-scale error is a measurement of the output error when fullscale code (0xFFFF) is loaded to the DAC register. Ideally, the output should be V_{DD} − 1 LSB. Full-scale error is expressed in percent of full-scale range (% of FSR). A plot of full-scale error vs. temperature can be seen in [Figure 21.](#page-10-1)

Gain Error

This is a measure of the span error of the DAC. It is the deviation in slope of the DAC transfer characteristic from the ideal expressed as % of FSR.

Offset Error Drift

This is a measurement of the change in offset error with a change in temperature. It is expressed in µV/°C.

Gain Temperature Coefficient

This is a measurement of the change in gain error with changes in temperature. It is expressed in ppm of FSR/°C.

Offset Error

Offset error is a measure of the difference between V_{OUT} (actual) and V_{OUT} (ideal) expressed in mV in the linear region of the transfer function. Offset error is measured on the [AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) with Code 512 loaded in the DAC register. It can be negative or positive.

DC Power Supply Rejection Ratio (PSRR)

This indicates how the output of the DAC is affected by changes in the supply voltage. PSRR is the ratio of the change in V_{OUT} to a change in V_{DD} for full-scale output of the DAC. It is measured in mV/V. V_{REF} is held at 2 V, and V_{DD} is varied by $\pm 10\%$.

Output Voltage Settling Time

This is the amount of time it takes for the output of a DAC to settle to a specified level for a ¼ to ¾ full-scale input change.

Digital-to-Analog Glitch Impulse

Digital-to-analog glitch impulse is the impulse injected into the analog output when the input code in the DAC register changes state. It is normally specified as the area of the glitch in nV-sec, and is measured when the digital input code is changed by 1 LSB at the major carry transition (0x7FFF to 0x8000) (see [Figure 37\)](#page-13-0).

Digital Feedthrough

Digital feedthrough is a measure of the impulse injected into the analog output of the DAC from the digital inputs of the DAC, but is measured when the DAC output is not updated. It is specified in nV-sec, and measured with a full-scale code change on the data bus, that is, from all 0s to all 1s and vice versa.

Reference Feedthrough

Reference feedthrough is the ratio of the amplitude of the signal at the DAC output to the reference input when the DAC output is not being updated. It is expressed in dB.

Noise Spectral Density

This is a measurement of the internally generated random noise. Random noise is characterized as a spectral density (nV/\sqrt{Hz}) . It is measured by loading the DAC to midscale and measuring noise at the output. It is measured in nV/√Hz. A plot of noise spectral density is shown i[n Figure 41.](#page-14-0)

DC Crosstalk

DC crosstalk is the dc change in the output level of one DAC in response to a change in the output of another DAC. It is measured with a full-scale output change on one DAC (or soft power-down and power-up) while monitoring another DAC kept at midscale. It is expressed in μV.

DC crosstalk due to load current change is a measure of the impact that a change in load current on one DAC has to another DAC kept at midscale. It is expressed in μV/mA.

Digital Crosstalk

This is the glitch impulse transferred to the output of one DAC at midscale in response to a full-scale code change (all 0s to all 1s and vice versa) in the input register of another DAC. It is measured in standalone mode and is expressed in nV-sec.

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Analog Crosstalk

This is the glitch impulse transferred to the output of one DAC due to a change in the output of another DAC. It is measured by loading one of the input registers with a full-scale code change (all 0s to all 1s and vice versa). Then execute a software LDAC and monitor the output of the DAC whose digital code was not changed. The area of the glitch is expressed in nV-sec.

DAC-to-DAC Crosstalk

This is the glitch impulse transferred to the output of one DAC due to a digital code change and subsequent analog output change of another DAC. It is measured by loading the attack channel with a full-scale code change (all 0s to all 1s and vice versa), using the write to and update commands while monitoring the output of the victim channel that is at midscale. The energy of the glitch is expressed in nV-sec.

Multiplying Bandwidth

The amplifiers within the DAC have a finite bandwidth. The multiplying bandwidth is a measure of this. A sine wave on the reference (with full-scale code loaded to the DAC) appears on the output. The multiplying bandwidth is the frequency at which the output amplitude falls to 3 dB below the input.

Total Harmonic Distortion (THD)

This is the difference between an ideal sine wave and its attenuated version using the DAC. The sine wave is used as the reference for the DAC, and the THD is a measurement of the harmonics present on the DAC output. It is measured in dB.

Voltage Reference TC

Voltage reference TC is a measure of the change in the reference output voltage with a change in temperature. The reference TC is calculated using the box method, which defines the TC as the maximum change in the reference output over a given temperature range expressed in ppm/°C as follows;

$$
TC = \left[\frac{V_{REFmax} - V_{REFmin}}{V_{REFnom} \times TempRange}\right] \times 10^6
$$

where:

 $+105$ °C.

VREFmax is the maximum reference output measured over the total temperature range.

VREFmin is the minimum reference output measured over the total temperature range.

VREFnom is the nominal reference output voltage, 2.5 V. *TempRange* is the specified temperature range of −40°C to

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TRANSFER FUNCTION

The internal reference is on by default. To use an external reference, only a nonreference option is available. Because the input coding to the DAC is straight binary, the ideal output voltage when using an external reference is given by

$$
V_{OUT} = V_{REF} \times Gain\left[\frac{D}{2^N}\right]
$$

where:

D is the decimal equivalent of the binary code that is loaded to the DAC register as follows:

0 to 4,095 for the 12-bit device.

0 to 16,383 for the 14-bit device.

0 to 65,535 for the 16-bit device.

N is the DAC resolution.

Gain is the gain of the output amplifier and is set to 1 by default. This can be set to \times 1 or \times 2 using the gain select pin. When this pin is tied to GND, all four DAC outputs have a span from 0 V to V_{REF} . If this pin is tied to V_{DD} , all four DACs output a span of 0 V to $2 \times \text{V}$ _{REF}.

DAC ARCHITECTURE

The DAC architecture consists of a string DAC followed by an output amplifier[. Figure 45](#page-17-4) shows a block diagram of the DAC architecture.

Figure 45. Single DAC Channel Architecture Block Diagram

The resistor string structure is shown in [Figure 46.](#page-17-5) It is a string of resistors, each of Value R. The code loaded to the DAC register determines the node on the string where the voltage is to be tapped off and fed into the output amplifier. The voltage is tapped off by closing one of the switches connecting the string to the amplifier. Because it is a string of resistors, it is guaranteed monotonic.

Internal Reference

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The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) have a 2.5 V, 2 ppm/°C reference, giving a full-scale output of 2.5 V or 5 V depending on the state of the GAIN pin. The internal reference associated with the device is available at the V_{REF} pin. This buffered reference is capable of driving external loads of up to 10 mA.

Output Amplifiers

The output buffer amplifier can generate rail-to-rail voltages on its output, which gives an output range of 0 V to V_{DD} . The actual range depends on the value of V_{REF} , the GAIN pin, offset error, and gain error. The GAIN pin selects the gain of the output.

- If this pin is tied to GND, all four outputs have a gain of 1 and the output range is 0 V to V_{REF} .
- If this pin is tied to V_{LOGIC} , all four outputs have a gain of 2 and the output range is 0 V to $2 \times V_{REF}$.

These amplifiers are capable of driving a load of 1 k Ω in parallel with 2 nF to GND. The slew rate is 0.8 V/ μ s with a ¼ to ¾ scale settling time of 5 µs.

SERIAL INTERFACE

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Input Shift Register

The input shift register of th[e AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R i](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)s 24 bits wide. Data is loaded into the device as a 24-bit word under the control of a serial clock input, SCL. The first eight MSBs make up the command byte. The first four bits are the command bits (C3, C2, C1, C0) that control the mode of operation of the device (se[e Table 7\)](#page-18-1). The last 4 bits of first byte are the address bits (DAC A, DAC B, DAC C, DAC D) (see [Table 8\)](#page-18-2).

The data-word comprises 16-bit, 14-bit, or 12-bit input code, followed by four, two, or zero don't care bits for th[e AD5696R,](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) [AD5695R,](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) and [AD5694R,](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) respectively (see [Figure 47,](#page-18-3) [Figure 48,](#page-18-4) an[d Figure 49\)](#page-19-1). These data bits are transferred to the input register on the 24 falling edges of SCL.

Commands can be executed on individual DAC channels, combined DAC channels, or on all DACs, depending on the address bits selected.

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Table 8. Address Commands

Table 7. Command Definitions

¹ Any combination of DAC channels can be selected using the address bits.

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Figure 48[. AD5695R I](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)nput Shift Register Content

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WRITE AND UPDATE COMMANDS

Write to Input Register n (Dependent on LDAC)

Command 0001 allows the user to write to each DAC's dedicated input register individually. When LDAC is low, the input register is transparent (if not controlled by the LDAC mask register).

Update DAC Register n with Contents of Input Register n

Command 0010 loads the DAC registers/outputs with the contents of the input registers selected and updates the DAC outputs directly.

Write to and Update DAC Channel n (Independent of LDAC)

Command 0011 allows the user to write to the DAC registers and update the DAC outputs directly.

SERIAL OPERATION

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Table 9. Device Address Selection

The 2-wire serial bus protocol operates as follows:

1. The master initiates data transfer by establishing a start condition when a high-to-low transition on the SDA line occurs while SCL is high. The following byte is the address byte, which consists of the 7-bit slave address. The slave address corresponding to the transmitted address responds by pulling SDA low during the $9th$ clock pulse (this is termed the acknowledge bit). At this stage, all other devices on the bus remain idle while the selected device waits for data to be written to, or read from, its shift register.

- 2. Data is transmitted over the serial bus in sequences of nine clock pulses (eight data bits followed by an acknowledge bit). The transitions on the SDA line must occur during the low period of SCL and remain stable during the high period of SCL.
- 3. When all data bits have been read or written, a stop condition is established. In write mode, the master pulls the SDA line high during the 10th clock pulse to establish a stop condition. In read mode, the master issues a no acknowledge for the 9th clock pulse (that is, the SDA line remains high). The master then brings the SDA line low before the 10^{th} clock pulse, and then high during the 10^{th} clock pulse to establish a stop condition.

WRITE OPERATION

When writing to th[e AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R,](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) the user must begin with a start command followed by an address byte $(R/W = 0)$, after which the DAC acknowledges that it is prepared to receive data by pulling SDA low. Th[e AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) [AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) require two bytes of data for the DAC and a command byte that controls various DAC functions. Three bytes of data must, therefore, be written to the DAC with the command byte followed by the most significant data byte and the least significant data byte, as shown i[n Figure 50.](#page-20-3) All these data bytes are acknowledged by the [AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R) [AD5694R.](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) A stop condition follows.

READ OPERATION

When reading data back from the [AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) DACs, the user begins with an address byte ($R/\overline{W} = 0$), after which the DAC acknowledges that it is prepared to receive data by pulling SDA low. This address byte must be followed by the NOP command operation that sets the internal pointer to the DAC address to read from, which is also acknowledged by the DAC. Following this, there is a repeated start condition by the master and the address is resent with $R/\overline{W} = 1$. This is acknowledged by the DAC, indicating that it is prepared to transmit data. Two bytes of data are then read from the DAC, as shown i[n Figure 51.](#page-21-2) A NACK condition from the master, followed by a STOP condition, completes the read sequence. Default readback is Channel A if more than one DAC is selected.

MULTIPLE DAC READBACK SEQUENCE

The user begins with an address byte $(R/\overline{W} = 0)$, after which the DAC acknowledges that it is prepared to receive data by pulling SDA low. This address byte must be followed by the control byte, which is also acknowledged by the DAC. The user configures which channel to start the readback using the control byte. Following this, there is a repeated start condition by the master and the address is resent with $R/\overline{W} = 1$. This is acknowledged by the DAC, indicating that it is prepared to transmit data. The first two bytes of data are then read from the DAC Input Register n selected using the control byte, most significant byte first as shown in [Figure 51.](#page-21-2) The next two bytes read back are the contents of DAC Input Register $n + 1$, the next bytes read back are the contents of DAC Input Register n + 2. Data continues to be read from the DAC input registers in this auto-incremental fashion, until a NACK followed by a stop condition follows. If the contents of DAC Input Register D are read out, the next two bytes of data that are read are from the contents of DAC Input Register A.

Figure 51. I2C Read Operation

POWER-DOWN OPERATION

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) contain three separate power-down modes. Command 0100 is designated for the powerdown function (se[e Table 7\)](#page-18-1). These power-down modes are software-programmable by setting eight bits, Bit DB7 to Bit DB0, in the shift register. There are two bits associated with each DAC channel. [Table 10](#page-22-1) shows how the state of the two bits corresponds to the mode of operation of the device.

Table 10. Modes of Operation

Any or all DACs (DAC A to DAC D) can be powered down to the selected mode by setting the corresponding bits. See [Table](#page-22-2) 11 for the contents of the input shift register during the power-down/power-up operation.

When both Bit PDx1 and Bit PDx0 (where x is the channel selected) in the input shift register are set to 0, the parts work normally with its normal power consumption of 4 mA at 5 V. However, for the three power-down modes, the supply current falls to 4 μA at 5 V. Not only does the supply current fall, but the

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output stage is also internally switched from the output of the amplifier to a resistor network of known values. This has the advantage that the output impedance of the part is known while the part is in power-down mode. There are three different power-down options. The output is connected internally to GND through either a 1 k Ω or a 100 k Ω resistor, or it is left open-circuited (three-state). The output stage is illustrated in [Figure 52.](#page-22-3)

Figure 52. Output Stage During Power-Down

The bias generator, output amplifier, resistor string, and other associated linear circuitry are shut down when the power-down mode is activated. However, the contents of the DAC register are unaffected when in power-down. The DAC register can be updated while the device is in power-down mode. The time required to exit power-down is typically 4.5 μ s for V_{DD} = 5 V.

To reduce the current consumption further, the on-chip reference can be powered off. See th[e Internal Reference Setup](#page-24-2) section.

Table 11. 24-Bit Input Shift Register Contents of Power-Down/Power-Up Operation1

 $1 X =$ don't care.

LOAD DAC (HARDWARE LDAC PIN)

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) DACs have double buffered interfaces consisting of two banks of registers: input registers and DAC registers. The user can write to any combination of the input registers. Updates to the DAC register are controlled by the LDAC pin.

Figure 53. Simplified Diagram of Input Loading Circuitry for a Single DAC

Instantaneous DAC Updating (LDAC Held Low)

LDAC is held low while data is clocked into the input register using Command 0001. Both the addressed input register and the DAC register are updated on the 24th clock and the output begins to change (se[e Table 13\)](#page-23-2).

Deferred DAC Updating (LDAC is Pulsed Low)

LDAC is held high while data is clocked into the input register using Command 0001. All DAC outputs are asynchronously updated by taking $\overline{\text{LDAC}}$ low after the 24th clock. The update now occurs on the falling edge of LDAC.

Table 13. Write Commands and LDAC Pin Truth Table1

LDAC MASK REGISTER

Command 0101 is reserved for this software LDAC function. Address bits are ignored. Writing to the DAC, using Command 0101, loads the 4-bit LDAC register (DB3 to DB0). The default for each channel is 0; that is, the $\overline{\text{LDAC}}$ pin works normally. Setting the bits to 1 forces this DAC channel to ignore transitions on the LDAC pin, regardless of the state of the hardware LDAC pin. This flexibility is useful in applications where the user wishes to select which channels respond to the LDAC pin.

 $1 X =$ don't care.

The LDAC register gives the user extra flexibility and control over the hardware LDAC pin (see [Table 12\)](#page-23-3). Setting the LDAC bits (DB0 to DB3) to 0 for a DAC channel means that this channel's update is controlled by the hardware LDAC pin.

¹ A high to low hardware LDAC pin transition always updates the contents of the contents of the DAC register with the contents of the input register on channels that are not masked (blocked) by the LDAC mask register.

² When LDAC is permanently tied low, the LDAC mask bits are ignored.

HARDWARE RESET (RESET)

RESET is an active low reset that allows the outputs to be cleared to either zero scale or midscale. The clear code value is user selectable via the RESET select pin. It is necessary to keep RESET low for a minimum amount of time to complete the operation (see Fi[gure 2\). W](#page-5-1)hen the RESET signal is returned high, the output remains at the cleared value until a new value is programmed. The outputs cannot be updated with a new value while the RESET pin is low. There is also a software executable reset function that resets the DAC to the power-on reset code. Command 0110 is designated for this software reset function (see [Table 7\)](#page-18-1). Any events on LDAC during a power-on reset are ignored. If the RESET pin is pulled low at power-up, the device does not initialize correctly until the pin is released.

RESET SELECT PIN (RSTSEL)

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R c](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)ontain a power-on reset circuit that controls the output voltage during power-up. By connecting the RSTSEL pin low, the output powers up to zero scale. Note that this is outside the linear region of the DAC; by connecting the RSTSEL pin high, V_{OUT} powers up to midscale. The output remains powered up at this level until a valid write sequence is made to the DAC.

INTERNAL REFERENCE SETUP

The on-chip reference is on at power-up by default. To reduce the supply current, this reference can be turned off by setting software programmable bit, DB0, in the control register. [Table 14 s](#page-24-5)hows how the state of the bit corresponds to the mode of operation. Command 0111 is reserved for setting up the internal reference (se[e Figure 6\)](#page-8-2). [Table 14 s](#page-24-5)hows how the state of the bits in the input shift register corresponds to the mode of operation of the device during internal reference setup.

Table 14. Reference Setup Register

SOLDER HEAT REFLOW

As with all IC reference voltage circuits, the reference value experiences a shift induced by the soldering process. Analog Devices, Inc., performs a reliability test called precondition to mimic the effect of soldering a device to a board. The output voltage specification quoted previously includes the effect of this reliability test.

[Figure 54 s](#page-24-6)hows the effect of solder heat reflow (SHR) as measured through the reliability test (precondition).

LONG-TERM TEMPERATURE DRIFT

[Figure 55 s](#page-24-7)hows the change in the V_{REF} (ppm) value after 1000 hours at 25°C ambient temperature.

THERMAL HYSTERESIS

Thermal hysteresis is the voltage difference induced on the reference voltage by sweeping the temperature from ambient to cold, to hot and then back to ambient.

Thermal hysteresis data is shown in [Figure 56.](#page-25-1) It is measured by sweeping temperature from ambient to −40°C, then to +105°C, and returning to ambient. The VREF delta is then measured between the two ambient measurements and shown in blue in [Figure 56.](#page-25-1) The same temperature sweep and measurements were immediately repeated and the results are shown in red in [Figure 56.](#page-25-1)

Table 15. 24-Bit Input Shift Register Contents for Internal Reference Setup Command1

 $1 X =$ don't care.

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Microprocessor interfacing to the [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) [AD5694R i](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)s via a serial bus that uses a standard protocol that is compatible with DSP processors and microcontrollers. The communications channel requires a 2-wire interface consisting of a clock signal and a data signal.

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The I²C interface of th[e AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) is designed to be easily connected to industry-standard DSPs and microcontrollers[. Figure 57 s](#page-26-5)hows the [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) [AD5694R c](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)onnected to the Analog Devices Blackfin® DSP. The Blackfin has an integrated I²C port that can be connected directly to the I²C pins of th[e AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)AD5694R.

Figure 57[. ADSP-BF531 I](http://www.analog.com/ADSP-BF531?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)nterface

LAYOUT GUIDELINES

In any circuit where accuracy is important, careful consideration of the power supply and ground return layout helps to ensure the rated performance. The PCB on which the [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R a](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)re mounted should be designed so that th[e AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5694R](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) lie on the analog plane.

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R s](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)hould have ample supply bypassing of 10 μF in parallel with 0.1 μF on each supply, located as close to the package as possible, ideally right up against the device. The 10 μF capacitors are the tantalum bead type. The 0.1 μF capacitor should have low effective series resistance (ESR) and low effective series inductance (ESI) such as the common ceramic types, which provide a low impedance path to ground at high frequencies to handle transient currents due to internal logic switching.

In systems where there are many devices on one board, it is often useful to provide some heat sinking capability to allow the power to dissipate easily.

The [AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5694R L](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)FCSP models have an exposed paddle beneath the device. Connect this paddle to the GND supply for the part. For optimum performance, use

special considerations to design the motherboard and to mount the package. For enhanced thermal, electrical, and board level performance, solder the exposed paddle on the bottom of the package to the corresponding thermal land paddle on the PCB. Design thermal vias into the PCB land paddle area to further improve heat dissipation.

The GND plane on the device can be increased (as shown in [Figure 58\)](#page-26-6) to provide a natural heat sinking effect.

Figure 58. Paddle Connection to Board

GALVANICALLY ISOLATED INTERFACE

In many process control applications, it is necessary to provide an isolation barrier between the controller and the unit being controlled to protect and isolate the controlling circuitry from any hazardous common-mode voltages that may occur. *i*Coupler® products from Analog Devices provide voltage isolation in excess of 2.5 kV. The serial loading structure of th[e AD5696R](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[/AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5694R m](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)akes the part ideal for isolated interfaces because the number of interface lines is kept to a minimum[. Figure 59 s](#page-26-7)hows a 4-channel isolated interface to th[e AD5696R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5696R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5695R/](http://www.analog.com/AD5695R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)[AD5694R u](http://www.analog.com/AD5694R?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf)sing an [ADuM1400.](http://www.analog.com/ADuM1400?doc=AD5696R_5695R_5694R.pdf) For further information, visit [http://www.analog.com/icouplers.](http://www.analog.com/icouplers)

Figure 59. Isolated Interface

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