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# Calibrating the ADE7754 for Watt, RMS and VA measurements

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# **Watt-Hour Calibration**



#### **ADE7754 Watt-hour signal path**





#### **Total Watt-hour Signal Path**











# **Total Watt-hour Signal Path**

- 2 independent Total Watt-Hour signal paths:
  - AENERGY
  - LAENERGY (accurate if only one phase is selected)
- Bit3-5 of WATMODE register (0x0D) select input phases for AENERGY register and CF pulse output
- Bit0-2 of WATMODE register (0x0D) select input phases for LAENERGY register
- Frequency output CF generated based on AENERGY configuration
  - Bit2 of OPMODE register (0x0A) enable/disable CF output
- Under same conditions: AENERGY = LAENERGY/4
- Reverse active power information per phase available in bitC-E of CFNUM register (0x25)



#### **LAENERGY** accumulation

- Principle: Accumulation of the Active Energy over N half line cycles (<65535)</li>
  - If bit A of IRQMASK register (0x0F) is set => IRQ goes Low when finished
- Benefits:
  - Cancel the ripple frequency effect (2 x line freq) in Energy Measurement
  - Shorten calibration time





### **LAENERGY** configuration





#### **Watt-Hour GAIN Calibration**

#### • Gain calibration:

- Meter to meter gain adjustment
- Phase to phase input gain matching
- Pulse output rate
- Wh/LSB constant

#### • CF gain adjustment:

$$CF = CF_{initial} \times \frac{CFNUM[11:0]}{CFDEN[11:0]} \times \left(1 + \frac{WGAIN[11:0]}{2^{12}}\right)$$

#### AENERGY/LAENERGY Gain adjustment:

$$AENERGY = AENERGY_{initial} \times \frac{1}{WDIV[11:0]}$$

*WGAIN*[11:0]

#### **Relationship between CF and LAENERGY**





# **Conversion of AENERGY value to Wh**





#### Watt-Hour GAIN calibration example: Procedure





#### Watt-Hour GAIN calibration example: Configuration

- Algona Math

	Phase A	Phase B	Phase C
MMODE (0x0B)	0x10	0x21	0x42
WATMODE (0x0D)	0x24	0x12	0x09
LINCYC (0x13)	0d200		
MASK (0x0F)	0x0400		



#### Watt-Hour GAIN calibration example: CF calibration

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#### Watt-Hour GAIN calibration example: Wh/LSB calibration

 When CF is calibrated, AENERGY and LAENERGY registers will give the same value from design to design

$$LAENERGY = 38760 \times \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{12}}\right) = 38751$$

With Itest = 10A ; Vtest = 240V and accumulation time = 2s

Wh/LSB constant from previous test:

 $Wh/LSB = \frac{240 \times 10 \times 8336 \times 2.4 \cdot 10^{-6} \times 200}{3600 \times 38751/4} = 0.2753 \cdot 10^{-3} Wh/LSB$  From Eq. 3



#### Watt-Hour OFFSET Calibration

#### Offset calibration for:

Outstanding performances over wide dynamic range (10,000:1)

• 2 measurements at PF=1 needed:

- Nominal current for reference: I<sub>1</sub>
- Lowest current specified for correction: I<sub>2</sub>

Energy Offset = 
$$\frac{LAENERGY_2 \times I_1 - LAENERGY_1 \times I_2}{I_1 - I_2}$$



#### **Watt-Hour OFFSET Calibration**





#### Watt-Hour OFFSET calibration: Example

- At 10A, with LINCYC=200: LAENERGY=38751
- ◆ At 10mA, with LINCYC=200 => LANERGY≅39
  - I LSB variation at this level => 2.5% error
  - LINCYC is too small to make an accurate offset compensation
  - With LINCYC=10320 at 10mA => LANERGY=2041=LAENERGY<sub>2</sub>
    - 1 LSB variation represents .05% error
    - At 10A: LAENERGY=1999528=LAENERGY<sub>1</sub>

$$Energy Offset = \frac{2041 \times 10 - 1999528 \times 0.01}{10 - 0.01} = 41$$
From Eq. 4  
• n=10320\*Line Period/2/(CLKIN/4)=258082560  

$$APOS = -\frac{Energy Offset \times 2^{28}}{n} = -\frac{41 \times 2^{28}}{258082560} = -43$$
From Eq. 5



#### **Watt-Hour PHASE Calibration**

# Phase calibration for: Compensation of phase shift from CT to CT 2 Measurements needed: Nominal current @ PF=1: W1 Nominal current @ PF=0.5 Inductive Load: W2

 $Error = \frac{\frac{2}{W_{1/2}}}{\frac{2}{W_{1/2}}}$ Phase Error(°) = -Arcsin( $\frac{Error}{\sqrt{3}}$ )

Eq. 6



#### **Watt-Hour PHASE Calibration**

#### • ADE7754 provides phase calibration per phase:

• ADE7754's phase calibration is a time delay:

$$Delay = PHCAL \ register \times 1.2 \, \mu s$$

*Phase Correction*(°) = 
$$Delay \times 360^{\circ} \times \frac{1}{Period(s)}$$

Dynamic range: +/-0.34° at 50Hz

Period can be measured with ADE7754's Period register
 Period (s) = PERIOD register x 2.4μs

$$\begin{array}{l} Phase \ Correction(^{\circ}) = -Phase \ Error \\ \Rightarrow PHCAL \ Register = Arcsin\left(\frac{Error}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \times \frac{PERIOD \ Register \times 2}{360^{\circ}} \end{array} \ Eq. 7$$



#### **Watt-Hour PHASE Calibration: Example**

- Alera

#### • At 10A, PF=1 ; 50Hz with LINCYC=200

- PF=1: LAENERGY=38751
- PF=0.5 Inductive: LAENERGY = 19442

$$Error = \frac{\frac{19442 - \frac{38751}{2}}{38751} = 0.344\%}{From Eq. 6}$$
  
Phase  $Error(^{\circ}) = -Arcsin\left(\frac{0.00344}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = -0.11^{\circ}$ 

PHCAL Register = 
$$0.11 \times \frac{8336 \times 2}{360^\circ} = 5$$



From Eq. 7



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# **RMS Calibration**



### **ADE7754 RMS: Theory of operation**





#### **ADE7754 RMS Register Reading**

- Since the LPF is not perfect, ripple noise from 2ω term is present in the rms measurement
- Synchronize rms reading with zero crossings of voltage input from each phase to minimize this noise effect







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#### **RMS Signal Processing Datapaths for Voltage and Current Channels**



# **Voltage RMS Offset Compensation**





# **Current RMS Offset Compensation**

• Current RMS compensation is performed before the square root:

 $I_{rms}^{2} = I_{rms0}^{2} + 32768 \times IRMSOS$ 

where  $I_{rms0}$  is the rms measurement without offset correction

- Current rms calculation is linear from FS to FS/100
- To measure the I<sub>RMS</sub> offset (IRMSOS), measure rms values at two different current levels (e.g. I<sub>test</sub> and I<sub>max</sub>/100)

$$IRMSOS = \frac{1}{32768} \times \frac{I_1^2 \times I_{rms2}^2 - I_2^2 \times I_{rms1}^2}{I_2^2 - I_1^2}$$

where  $I_{ms1}$  and  $I_{rms2}$  are rms register values without offset correction for input  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  respectively

Note: To minimize noise, synchronize each reading with zero crossing of voltage input in each phase and take the average of these readings



Eq. 9

#### **Voltage RMS offset correction: Example**

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#### **Current RMS offset correction: Example**

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# **VA-Hour Calibration**





#### **ADE7754 VA-Hour Signal Path**







# **Total VA-Hour Signal Path**



Calibration and use of ADE7754











# **Total VA-Hour Signal Path**

- 2 independent Total Apparent hour signal paths:
  - VAENERGY
  - LVAENERGY (see VAR)
- Bit3-5 of VAMODE register (0x0E) select input phases for VAENERGY register
- Bit0-2 of VAMODE register (0x0E) select input phases for LVAENERGY register



#### **LVAENERGY** accumulation

- Principle: Accumulation of the Apparent Energy over N half line cycles (<65535)
  - If bit A of IRQMASK register (0x0F) is set => IRQ goes Low when finished
- Benefits:
  - Cancel the ripple frequency effect (2 x line freq) in Energy Measurement





#### **LVAENERGY** configuration





# **VA-Hour GAIN Calibration**

#### Gain calibration for

- Meter to meter gain adjustment
- Phase to phase input gain matching
- VAh/LSB constant

#### VAENERGY/LVAENERGY Gain adjustment:





#### **Conversion of VAENERGY value to VAh**

#### VAENERGY is an Energy register One constant is sufficient to convert it to VAh $VAh = VAENERGY \times VAh/LSB$ constant To calibrate VAh/LSB constant: Known integration time Known Load (VA = V<sub>rms</sub> x I<sub>rms</sub>) • VAh/LSB constant can be determined with LVAENERGY test: $\frac{VA \times A \ ccumulation \ time(s)}{LVA \ ENERGY}$ Eq. 11 3600 $VAh/_{LSB}$ constant = -Where *Line Period*(s) = *Period* Register $\times 2.4 \cdot 10^{-6}$



#### VA-Hour GAIN calibration example: Procedure

- Calibration of VA-Hour GAIN should be done after RMS offset corrections
- Calibration of VA-Hour GAIN can be done at the same time as Watt-Hour GAIN calibration
  - Program VAMODE and WATMODE to the same value
  - Read LAENERGY and LVAENERGY



#### VA-Hour GAIN calibration example: VAh/LSB calibration

#### Calibration of VA-hour GAIN to get a pre-determined value

- V=240V ; I=10A ; 50Hz ; LINCYC = 200
- LVAENERGY<sub>reference</sub> = LVAENERGY<sub>phase A</sub>=10582
- PERIOD register = 8336 => Accumulation time = 2.0006s

$$VAh/_{LSB}$$
 constant =  $\frac{240 \times 10 \times 2.0006}{3600 \times 10582} = 1.26 \cdot 10^{-4}$  From

From Eq. 11

From Eq. 10

#### Calibration of BVAGAIN to get to this value:

- LVAENERGY phase B initial = 10558
- With BVAGAIN=9 => LVAENERGY<sub>phase B</sub>=10581





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# **Reactive Energy Measurement**



# **Reactive Power calculation (VAR)**

The reactive power is defined in the IEEE Standard Dictionary 100-1996 under the energy "magner" as: Reactive power =  $\sum V_n \cdot I_n \cdot \sin(\varphi_n)$ where  $V_n$  and  $I_n$  are respectively the voltage and current rms values of the n<sup>th</sup> harmonics of the line frequency, and  $\phi_n$  is the phase difference between the voltage and the current n<sup>th</sup> harmonics. Active power =  $\sum V_n \cdot I_n \cdot \cos(\varphi_n)$ Note:





#### **Reactive Power calculation**

 The implementation of the reactive power definition can be done by introducing a 90° phase shift on one channel at any frequency – Hilbert Transform

$$v(t) = \sqrt{2}.V.sin(\omega t)$$

$$i(t) = \sqrt{2}.I.\sin(\omega t + \theta)$$
  $\Longrightarrow$   $i'(t) = -\sqrt{2}.I.\cos(\omega t + \theta)$ 

Hilbert transform

$$VAR(t) = v(t) \cdot i'(t) = V \cdot I \cdot \sin(\theta) - V \cdot I \cdot \sin(2\omega t + \theta)$$

Reactive Power is the DC part of the instantaneous reactive power: V.I.sin( $\theta$ )



# **ADE7754 Reactive Power: Theory of operation**

A low frequency low pass filter introduces a 89° phase shift at any frequency In the ADE7754, the Reactive Power calculation is processed by using a frequency Low-pass filter @ 2Hz (LPF1) LPF1 HPF MULTIPLIER LPF2 Reactive Power Signal - P Instantaneous Reactive Power Signal - p(t)



#### Bit5 Register 0x0C = 0 LVAENERGY configuration







#### Bit5 Register 0x0C = 1 LVARENERGY configuration





# **Reactive Energy Measurement**

- Sign of Reactive Energy can be directly read from the LVARENERGY[23:0]
- The sign of LVARENERGY indicates inductive or capacitive loading
- Proposed Method to measure Reactive Energy and Power Factor including harmonics:

Using synchronous VAh and Wh data

Varh =  $\sqrt{(VAh^2 - Wh^2)} = \sqrt{(LVAENERGY^2 - LAENERGY^2)}$ 

PF = sign(LVARENERGY) \* LAENERGY/ LVAENERGY

