

ADC3664-SP Radiation-Hardness-Assured 14-Bit, Dual Channel, 1 to 125MSPS, Low Latency, Low Noise, Ultra-low Power, Analog-to-Digital Converter (ADC)

1 Features

- Screening and radiation performance
	- QMLV screening and reliability assurance
	- Total ionizing dose (TID): 300krad (Si)
	- Single event latch-up (SEL): 75MeV-cm²/mg
- Ambient temperature range: -55°C to 105°C
- Dual Channel ADC
- 14-bit 125MSPS
- Noise floor: -156.9dBFS/Hz
- Low power consumption: 100mW/ch
- Latency: 2 clock cycles
- Clock rate versus voltage reference:
	- External reference: 1MSPS to 125MSPS
	- Internal reference: 100MSPS to 125MSPS
- 14-Bit, no missing codes
- Input bandwidth: 200MHz (-3dB)
- INL: ±2.6LSB; DNL: ±0.9LSB
- Optional digital down converter (DDC):
	- Real or complex decimation
	- $-$ Decimation by 2, 4, 8, 16, and 32
	- 32-bit NCO
- Serial LVDS (SLVDS) interface (2-, 1-, and 1/2-wire)
- Spectral performance $(F_{IN} = 5MHz)$:
	- SNR: 77.5dBFS
	- SFDR: 84dBc HD2, HD3
	- Non HD23: 91dBc

2 Applications

- [Optical imaging payload](https://www.ti.com/solution/optical-imaging-payload)
- [Radar imaging payload](https://www.ti.com/solution/radar-imaging-payload)
- [Satellite communication payloads](https://www.ti.com/solution/communications-payload)

3 Description

The ADC3664-SP is a low latency, low noise, and ultra low power, 14-bit, 125MSPS, high-speed dual channel ADC. Designed for best noise performance, the device delivers a noise spectral density of – 156.9dBFS/Hz combined with excellent linearity and dynamic range. The ADC3664-SP offers DC precision together with IF sampling support to enable the design of a wide range of applications. The low latency architecture (as low as 1 clock cycle latency) and high sample rate also enable high speed control loops. The ADC consumes only 100mW/ch at 125MSPS and the power consumption scales well with sampling rate.

The device uses a serial LVDS (SLVDS) interface to output the data which minimizes the number of digital interconnects. The device also integrates a digital down converter (DDC) to help reduce the data rate and lower system power consumption. The device is pin-to-pin compatible with the 18-bit, 65MSPS ADC3683-SP. It comes in a 64-pin CFP package (10.9mm x 10.9mm) and supports a temperature range from –55°C to +105°C.

Device Information

(1) For more information, see Section 12.

(2) These units are intended for engineering evaluation only. They are not put through a compliant flow (so there is no burn-in, only 25°C testing, etc.). Additionally, these units are not suitable for qualification, production, radiation testing, or flight use. The parts are not warranted for performance over temperature or operating life.

Single Tone Spectrum, Fs = 125MSPS, Fin = 5MHz

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Figure 4-1. HBP Package, 64-Pin CFP (Top View)

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(1) Thermal pad and top metal lid are connected to pin 17. Can be grounded or no connect.

5 Specifications

5.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

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

(1) Stresses beyond those listed under *Absolute Maximum Ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, which do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under *Recommended Operating Conditions*. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

5.2 ESD Ratings

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

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

5.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

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

(1) Measured with respect to GND.

(2) Prolonged use above this junction temperature may increase the device failure-in-time (FIT) rate.

5.4 Thermal Information

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

5.5 Electrical Characteristics - Power Consumption

Typical values are at T_A = 25°C, full temperature range is T_{MIN} = –55°C to T_{MAX} = 105°C, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, external 1.6V reference, and –1dBFS differential input, unless otherwise noted.

5.6 Electrical Characteristics - DC Specifications

Typical values are at T_A = 25°C, full temperature range is T_{MIN} = –55°C to T_{MAX} = 105°C, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, 1.6V external reference, and –1dBFS differential input, unless otherwise noted.

5.6 Electrical Characteristics - DC Specifications (continued)

Typical values are at T_A = 25°C, full temperature range is T_{MIN} = –55°C to T_{MAX} = 105°C, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, 1.6V external reference, and –1dBFS differential input, unless otherwise noted.

5.7 Electrical Characteristics - AC Specifications

Typical values are at T_A = 25°C, full temperature range is T_{MIN} = –55°C to T_{MAX} = 105°C, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, 1.6V external reference, and –1dBFS differential input, unless otherwise noted.

5.8 Timing Requirements

Typical values are at T_A = 25°C, MIN and MAX timing values are characterized over the full temperature range T_{MIN} = –55°C to T_{MAX} = 105°C and are NOT production tested, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, 1.6V external reference, and –1dBFS differential input, unless otherwise noted.

5.8 Timing Requirements (continued)

Typical values are at T_A = 25°C, MIN and MAX timing values are characterized over the full temperature range T_{MIN} = –55°C to T_{MAX} = 105°C and are NOT production tested, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, 50% clock duty cycle, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, 1.6V external reference, and –1dBFS differential input, unless otherwise noted.

5.9 Typical Characteristics

Typical values at $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C, ADC sampling rate = 125MSPS, $A_{IN} = -1$ dBFS differential input, AVDD = IOVDD = 1.8V, external 1.6V voltage reference, unless otherwise noted.

6 Parameter Measurement Information

Figure 6-1. Timing diagram: 2-wire

Figure 6-3. Timing diagram: 1/2-wire

7 Detailed Description

7.1 Overview

The ADC3664-SP is a low latency, low noise, and ultra low power 14-bit high-speed dual channel ADC with a max sampling rate of 125MSPS intended for use in space applications with mission profiles of total ionizing dose (TID) less than 300krad (Si) and single event latch-up (SEL) of less than 75MeV-cm²/mg. The ADC has an internal reference option and supports the use of an external, high precision, 1.6V reference (see [Section](#page-20-0) [7.3.3\)](#page-20-0). Optionally, integrated programmable digital down converters (DDCs) enable output data rate reduction and channelization (see [Section 7.3.5](#page-31-0)). The DDCs, if operated in a complex decimation mode, offer a 32-bit programmable NCO for complex mixing. The DDCs also support a real decimation mode with no mixing.

The ADC3664-SP uses a serial LVDS (SLVDS) interface to output the data which minimizes the number of digital interconnects (see [Section 7.3.4.2\)](#page-23-0). The SLVDS interface can be configured to one of the following modes: two LVDS lanes per channel (2-wire), one LVDS lane per channel (1-wire), or a single lane mode (1/2-wire) where both channels are multiplexed on the same LVDS lane. The device supports configurable output resolutions from 14-bit to 20-bit. Due to the inherent low latency ADC architecture, the digital output result is available after only one or two clock cycles depending on the output interface mode.

The ADC3664-SP is intended to be controlled through the Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) by configuring registers ([Section 7.5](#page-39-0)); however, the CTRL pin can also be used to configure the voltage reference source and sampling clock input type upon power up.

7.2 Functional Block Diagram

Figure 7-1. Simplified Block Diagram

7.3 Feature Description

7.3.1 Analog Input

The analog inputs of the ADC3664-SP are intended to be driven differentially. Both AC coupling and DC coupling of the analog inputs is supported. The analog inputs are designed for an input common-mode voltage of 0.95V which must be provided externally on each input pin. Figure 7-2 shows the analog input model of the ADCs. First, 8 switches are closed during acquisition for a period of t_{ACQ} . Then, all switches are open for a period of t_{CONV} . Finally, before the next acquisition period, the reset switch is closed for a period of t_{RST} . AVDD

Figure 7-2. Analog Input Model

7.3.1.1 Analog Input Bandwidth

The -3dB bandwidth is approximately 200MHz. The ADC architecture limits the full power bandwidth to 65MHz; therefore, to avoid significantly degrading the ADC performance. The recommendation is that the input power is decreased linearly with increasing input frequency above 65MHz.

7.3.1.2 Analog Front End Design

The ADC3664-SP should be used with a passive filter to absorb the glitches on the input due to sampling. Additionally, a passive DC bias circuit is needed in AC-coupled applications which can be combined with a termination network.

7.3.1.2.1 Sampling Glitch Filter

The front end sampling glitch filter is designed to optimize the SNR and HD3 performance of the ADC. The filter performance is dependent on input frequency: therefore, the following filter designs are recommended for different input frequency ranges as shown in Figure 7-3 and Figure 7-4 (assuming a 50Ω source impedance).

Figure 7-3. Sampling Glitch Filter for Input Frequencies from 0Hz to 60MHz

Figure 7-4. Sampling Glitch Filter for Input Frequencies from 60MHz to 120MHz

7.3.1.2.2 AC Coupling

The ADC3664-SP analog inputs require an external DC bias to the common-mode voltage (VCM) of the ADC when the input is AC coupled. An example AC coupled input network is shown in Figure 7-5.

Figure 7-5. AC Coupled Input Network

7.3.1.2.3 DC Coupling

In DC coupled applications, the DC bias needs to be provided from the driver (typically a fully differential amplifier or FDA) using the VCM output of the ADC as shown in Figure 7-6.

Figure 7-6. DC Coupled Input Network

7.3.2 Clock Input

To maximize the ADC3664-SP SNR performance, the external sampling clock should be a low jitter differential signal. The device provides the option to operate with a single-ended clock input to reduce the device power consumption and simplify system design at the expense of performance.

7.3.2.1 Differential Vs Single-ended Clock Input

The ADC3664-SP can be operated using a differential or a single-ended clock input where the single-ended clock input consumes less power at the expense of performance.

- Differential clock input mode: the clock input must be AC coupled externally. The ADC3664-SP has an internal DC bias.
- Single-ended clock input mode: this mode is configured either using SPI (D3 and D0 of 0x0E), or with the CTRL pin. In this mode, there is no internal clock biasing. The clock input needs to be DC coupled with a common-mode voltage of 0.9V. The unused clock input should be AC coupled to ground.

7.3.2.2 Signal Acquisition Time Adjust

The ADC3664-SP includes a register (D2 of 0x11) to power down an internal DLL which increases the signal acquisition time for sample rates below 30MSPS from 25% to 50% of the clock period. When powering down the DLL, the acquisition time tracks the clock duty cycle.

Table 7-1. Acquisition Time Vs DLL_PDN Setting

7.3.3 Voltage Reference

The ADC3664-SP provides two different options for supplying the voltage reference to the ADCs. The first option is an internal 1.6V reference. The second option is an external 1.6V reference that can be directly connected to the VREF input for best performance. The reference noise can be filtered by connecting a 10µF and a 0.1µF ceramic bypass capacitor to the VREF pin irrespective of the reference source (internal or external).

Note

The voltage reference mode can be selected via SPI or by using the CTRL pin ([Section 7.5.1\)](#page-39-0). If the CTRL pin is not used for configuration, the CTRL pin should be connected to AVDD and the voltage reference may be selected via SPI.

7.3.3.1 Internal Voltage Reference

The ADC3664-SP has a 1.6V reference that may be used in the absence of an external reference. A 10µF decoupling capacitor and a 0.1µF decoupling capacitor should be connected between VREF and REFGND. The capacitors should be placed as close to the device pins as possible.

Figure 7-7. Internal Reference Mode

7.3.3.2 External Voltage Reference

For the highest accuracy and best drift performance, the ADC3664-SP reference voltage can be sourced externally. When using an external reference, the VREF pin can be directly connected to an external 1.6V reference. A 10µF decoupling capacitor and a 0.1µF decoupling capacitor should be connected between VREF and REFGND. The capacitors should be placed as close to the device pins as possible.

Figure 7-8. External Reference Mode

7.3.4 Digital Data Path & Interface

The ADC3664-SP uses a serial LVDS (SLVDS) interface to output the ADCs' data which minimizes the number of digital interconnects. The SLVDS interface can be configured to one of the following modes: two LVDS lanes per channel (2-wire), one LVDS lane per channel (1-wire), or a half-lane mode (1/2-wire) option where both channels are multiplexed on a single LVDS lane. The device supports configurable output resolutions from 14-bit to 20-bit.

The ADC3664-SP requires an external interface clock (DCLKIN). A delayed version of DCLKIN is used as the interface output clock (DCLK).

7.3.4.1 Data Path Overview

The ADC3664-SP offers a flexible set of digital signal processing (DSP) features (Figure 7-9) where all or a subset of the features can be used. The ADC cores provide an 14-bit output which can be passed to the digital down converters (DDCs) or directly provided to the digital interface. Since the ADC core offers very low latency, the DSP features have to be disabled (D2 of 0x24) for the lowest latency.

Before data is sent on the data lanes, the data first passes through a resolution selection block and then an output bit mapper. The resolution selector offers selection of output resolutions: 14-bit, 16-bit, 18-bit, or 20-bit. For 16-bit, 18-bit, and 20-bit output resolutions, if the DDCs are not used, then zeros are simply appended as LSBs. The output bit mapper maps each data bit to a position within the data stream for each active lane.

Figure 7-9. Digital Data Path Overview

7.3.4.2 Digital Interface

Table 7-2 provides an overview for the resulting serialization factor depending on output resolution and interface mode. The output serialization factor is internally adjusted based on the interface mode setting and resolution; however, the maximum SLVDS interface output data rate of 1Gbps can not be exceeded regardless of the interface settings. Note, the DCLKIN frequency needs to be adjusted accordingly as well. For example, changing the output resolution from 14-bit to 16-bit in 2-wire mode results in DCLKIN equaling F_S * 4 instead of F_S * 3.5.

The programming sequence for changing the output interface and/or resolution is shown in [Section 7.5.3.](#page-41-0)

Note

When possible, interface modes that allow for an integer ratio between the DCLKIN frequency and the sample clock (CLK) frequency are recommended. This eases meeting the DCLKIN to CLK timing requirements described in Section 7.3.4.3.

Note

Since the ADC3664-SP SNR is very high, the LVDS outputs can potentially couple and degrade the SNR. Therefore, a half swing LVDS mode is provided to reduce the LVDS output swing and minimize coupling. When possible, enable half swing (D6 of 0x1A) to minimize degrading the ADC SNR.

Table 7-2. Digital Interface Modes

7.3.4.3 DCLKIN

DCLKIN is an external clock to the ADC3664-SP where a delayed version of this clock is used as the output interface clock (DCLK). DCLKIN can be configured for external or internal biasing to a 1.2V common-mode voltage via SPI (D5 of 0x244). DCLKIN also has an internal 100Ω termination resistor.

Note

DCLKIN can be a maximum of 500MHz which limits the LVDS lanes to a maximum of 1Gbps per lane as data is sent on both rising edge and falling edge of DCLK.

Given the low latency architecture of the ADC3664-SP, the relationship between the sample clock (CLK) and DCLKIN needs to be controlled. DCLKIN and CLK must be phase locked to the same reference frequency. The falling edges of CLK and DCLKIN need to be 2.5ns apart otherwise a timing violation occurs. If a timing violation is observed, an internal timing violation detection circuit adds a 1ns delay between CLK and DCLKIN. The effect of this detection circuit is observed as a change in the t_{PD} specification by one DCLK cycle.

7.3.4.4 Output Scrambler

The ADC3664-SP includes an optional output scrambler feature in 2-wire mode only. The scrambler can enabled by enabling the DSP features (D2 of 0x24) and enabling scrambling (D6 of 0x22). When enabled, each sample is split into two halves. Each half of the samples stream is scrambled independently. For example, if the samples stream is at an 18-bit resolution, the stream is divided into two halves consisting of bits D17-D9 & D8-D0. The two halves are fed into independent scrambling blocks where each input bit (x[k]) of each scrambler is XOR-ed with 2 previous bits (y[k-14] and y[k-15]) as shown in Figure 7-10. Since this is a self-synchronizing scrambler, the start up state of the scrambler can be ignored.

Figure 7-10. Scrambler and Descrambler Operation

Note

The sample streams fed into each scrambler are fed to the scrambler LSB first. Therefore, in the previous example, the sample stream half consisting of D8-D0 is provided to the scrambler with D0 first as x[k] followed by D1 as x[k+1] and so on.

For proper descrambling, the sample stream halves must be descrambled independently then the descrambled data can be used to reconstruct the samples. On the receiver side, the incoming serial data stream can be descrambled by XOR-ing each incoming bit (y[k]) with 2 previous bits (y[k-14] and y[k-15]).

Note

Since the scramblers are looking at the two halves of the sample stream, the output bit mapper needs to be configured such that each lane contains only one of the sample halves.

For example, in 2-wire and 18-bit mode, one lane carries the odd bits (D17, D15, D13, etc.) and one lane carries the even bits (D16, D14, D12, etc.). When scrambling is enabled, the bit mapper needs to be configured so that one lane carries bits D9-D17 and the other lane carries D0-D8 (LSB first for each lane). An example data flow diagram of scrambling an 18-bit sample stream is shown in Figure 7-11, where D17:D0 is the sample provided by the ADC after the resolution select block, the sample is split into D0-D8 and D9-D17 and fed into each scrambler (LSB first) and S0-S17 are the resultant scrambled bits.

Figure 7-11. 18-bit Scrambling Example

7.3.4.5 Output Bit Mapper

The output bit mapper sits right before the physical output interface and dictates the transmitted bit order on each active lane. Each sample bit is uniquely identifiable by a value as shown in Table 7-3. Similarly, each bit position in each lane is also uniquely identifiable with each bit position having an independent register address. To map a specific bit to a specific bit position (and a specific lane), the value for the bit from the Table 7-3 needs to be written to the address corresponding to the desired bit position in the desired lane.

The ADC3664-SP supports a maximum output resolution of 20-bit; therefore, there are 20-bits that are uniquely identifiable per channel. In 2-wire mode, two samples are considered part of the same frame; therefore, there are two sets of 20-bits each, one for the previous sample and another for the current sample. [Section 7.3.4.5.1,](#page-27-0) [Section 7.3.4.5.2,](#page-28-0) and [Section 7.3.4.5.3](#page-28-0) provide the register addresses that correspond to each bit position in each lane for 2-wire, 1-wire, and 1/2-wire, respectively.

Table 7-3. Unique Bit Identifiers

7.3.4.5.1 2-Wire Mode

In 2-wire mode, both the current sample and the previous sample columns of [Table 7-3](#page-26-0) are used. Furthermore, each BIT_ID for the current and previous sample in [Table 7-3](#page-26-0) needs to be mapped to a specific address which indicates the position of the bit in the respective lane. The address space order is different for 14-bit/18-bit resolutions and 16-bit/20-bit resolutions. The bit mapper address space is also different for each lane.

Note Depending on the resolution, there can be unused addresses between samples which can be skipped. For example, going from 18-bit resolution to 14-bit, the addresses corresponding to the last two LSBs per lane can be ignored.

Figure 7-12 and Figure 7-13 show register addresses that correspond to the bit positions for each resolution setting and lane. The default values shown for each address are after configuring the ADC3664-SP into the 2-wire interface mode.

Figure 7-12. Default Bit Mapping for 2-wire, 14-bit/18-bit

Figure 7-13. Default Bit Mapping for 2-wire, 16-bit/20-bit

Figure 7-14 shows how the bit mapper can be configured to support 16-bit scrambled output. The bit mapper is configured so that the top and bottom halves of the samples are sent on separate lanes and the bits are sent out LSB first as described in [Section 7.3.4.4](#page-24-0).

Figure 7-14. Example of Configuring the Bit Mapper for 16-bit Scrambled Output

7.3.4.5.2 1-Wire Mode

Figure 7-15 shows the register addresses that correspond to the bit positions for each resolution setting and lane used for 1-wire mode. The default values shown for each address are after configuring the ADC3664-SP into the 1-wire interface mode.

Figure 7-15. Default Bit Mapping for 1-wire

7.3.4.5.3 1/2-Wire Mode

In 1/2-wire mode, both channels multiplexed on the same lane and is provided only on lane DA0. [Figure 7-16\)](#page-29-0) shows the register addresses that correspond to the bit positions on the lane for each resolution setting in 1-wire mode. The default values shown for each address are after configuring the ADC3664-SP into the 1/2-wire interface mode.

Figure 7-16. Default Bit Mapping for 1/2-wire

7.3.4.6 Output Data Format

The ADC3664-SP samples can be configured for either two's complement format (default) or offset binary via SPI (D2 of 0x8F and 0x92). Table 7-4 provides an overview for minimum and maximum output codes for the two formatting options based on resolution.

Table 7-4. Minimum and Maximum ADC Codes

7.3.4.7 Test Pattern

[Figure 7-9](#page-22-0) shows the location of the test pattern blocks within the device. When the digital signal processing (DSP) features are disabled (D2 of 0x24), a test pattern block can be enabled to replace the ADC data. Similarly, when using the DDC, a test pattern is available to replace the DDC data.

Note No test pattern block is available when the DSP features are enabled and the DDC is not used.

Each test pattern block has the capability to generate one of the following outputs:

- Ramp pattern with programmable step size set by PAT_DATA.
- Constant pattern with a programmable custom pattern set by PAT_DATA.

As shown in [Figure 7-9,](#page-22-0) there are two test pattern blocks, test pattern 0 and test pattern 1. The test pattern mode for each block can be configured via D7:D5 and D4:D2 of 0x16. A shared set of data bits (PAT_DATA) is given to the test pattern blocks and this data is used as ramp pattern step size and/or the constant pattern. The PAT_DATA is an 18-bit value located across three different registers: D17:D16 in 0x16, D15:D8 in 0x15, and D7:D0 in 0x14. The PAT_DATA is MSB aligned. For example, if the device is configured for 14-bit resolution and constant pattern, only the top 14-bits of the PAT DATA are used for the constant pattern. Additionally, in ramp mode, the test pattern counter operates at a 18-bit resolution; therefore, the ramp pattern step size must be configured based on the desired resolution and the step size at that resolution.

Note

When not using the test pattern in the DDC path. Only the top 14-bits of PAT DATA are used. Therefore, for higher resolutions, zeros are appended as LSBs.

- The test pattern data must be configured to the following for a step size of one at each resolution:
	- 0x00001: 18-bit output resolution
	- 0x00004: 16-bit output resolution
	- 0x00010: 14-bit output resolution

7.3.5 Digital Down Converter

The ADC3664-SP includes an optional digital down converters (DDCs). The DDCs Supports real and complex decimation by 2, 4, 8, 16 and 32. Additionally, each DDC has a 32-bit numerically controlled oscillator (NCO) available in complex decimation.

Internally, the DDC data path operates at a 20-bit resolution to avoid any SNR degradation due to quantization. Depending on the configured resolution, the DDC output is truncated to the selected resolution prior to outputting the data on the digital interface.

Figure 7-17 shows a detailed view of the DDCs. The DDC MUX maps one of three different inputs to each DDC. By default, ADC A and ADC B are mapped to DDC0 and DDC1, respectively. However, the DDC MUX allows for one ADC to be mapped to both DDCs or the average of both ADCs to be mapped to each DDC.

Figure 7-17. Digital Down Converter Overview

7.3.5.1 Decimation Operation

The complex decimation operation is illustrated with an example in Figure 7-18. First, the input signal (and the negative image) are frequency shifted by the NCO frequency as shown on the left side of the figure. Next, a digital filter is applied (centered around 0Hz) and the output data rate is decimated by 8 complex, In this example, the output data rate is complex of $F_{OUT} = F_S/8$ complex with a spectrum from - $F_S/16$ to $F_S/16$. During the complex mixing operation, the spectrum (signal and noise) is split into real and complex parts, and the amplitude is reduced by 6dB. To compensate for the amplitude reduction, there is a 6dB digital gain option in the decimation filter block that can be enabled via SPI.

The real decimation operation is shown in Figure 7-19. There is no mixing in this mode, only the real portion of the complex digital filter is exercised, and the output data rate is reduced. A real decimation by 8 results in an output data rate of $F_{OUT} = F_S/8$ with a spectrum from 0 to $F_S/16$.

Figure 7-19. Real Decimation Examples

7.3.5.2 Numerically Controlled Oscillator (NCO)

The DDC blocks are equipped with a 32-bit NCOs for mixing in the complex decimation mode prior to the digital filtering. The NCOs provide a complex output of:

$$
e^{j\omega n} \text{ or } e^{-j\omega n} \tag{1}
$$

where the frequency ω is specified as a 32-bit signed number also known as the frequency control word (FCW).

The complex output is multiplied with the real input from the ADC to mix the desired carrier to a frequency equal to f_{IN} ± f_{NCO} . The NCO frequency can be tuned from $-F_S/2$ to $F_S/2$ and is processed as a signed, 2s complement number. After programming a new NCO frequency, either the NCO_RES (D5 & D1 of 0x26) or the SYNC pin have to be toggled for the new frequency to take effect.

The NCO FCW is calculated as follows:

$$
FCW = f_{NCO} \times 2^{32} / F_S \text{ for an } f_{NCO} \text{ in range of 0 to + } F_S/2
$$
 (2)

$$
FCW = (f_{NCO} + F_S) \times 2^{32} / F_S \text{ for an } f_{NCO} \text{ in range of } -F_S/2 \text{ to 0}
$$
 (3)

7.3.5.3 Decimation Filters

Table 7-5 provides an overview of the passband bandwidths and output data rates of the different decimation settings with respect to the ADC sampling rate F_S .

Table 7-5. Decimation Filter Summary and Maximum Available Output Bandwidth

The decimation filter responses are normalized to the ADC sampling clock frequency F_S and illustrated in [Figure](#page-34-0) [7-20](#page-34-0) to [Figure 7-29.](#page-35-0) Each figure contains the filter passband, transition band(s) and stopband(s).

7.3.5.4 SYNC

The PDN/SYNC pin can be used to synchronize multiple devices using an external SYNC signal. The PDN/ SYNC pin can be configured via SPI to function as the synchronization input. Once configured for SYNC, the SYNC signal is latched by the rising edge of the sampling clock as shown in Figure 7-30.

Figure 7-30. External SYNC Timing Diagram

The synchronization signal is only required when using the DDCs. When using the SPI based SYNC or the PDN/SYNC pin, the internal clock divider is reset. If no SYNC signal is given, the internal clock dividers may not be synchronized across devices. The SYNC signal also resets the NCO phase, and loads the new NCO frequency. The SYNC signal should be provided as a single pulse with a pulse width of at least 256 clock cycles.

7.3.5.5 Output Data Format with Decimation

When using decimation, the digital output data is formatted as shown in Figure 7-31 (complex decimation) and [Figure 7-32](#page-37-0) (real decimation). The figures are representative of 14-bit output resolution.

Figure 7-31. Output Data Format in Complex Decimation (14-bit Output Resolution)

Figure 7-32. Output Data Format in Real Decimation (14-bit Output Resolution)

7.4 Device Functional Modes

7.4.1 Low Latency Mode

The ADC3664-SP low latency mode can be configured by disabling the digital signal processing (DSP) features. The DSP features can be disabled via SPI (D2 of 0x24) to make sure the ADC latency is 2 clock cycles in 2-wire mode or 1 clock cycle in 1-wire mode.

7.4.2 Averaging Mode

The ADC3664-SP includes a digital channel averaging feature which enables improvement of the ADC SNR (see Figure 7-33). The same input signal is given to both ADC inputs externally and the outputs of the two ADCs are averaged internally. Through averaging, uncorrelated noise (such as ADC thermal noise) adds incoherently which improves SNR by about 3dB.

Figure 7-33. Averaging Diagram

7.5 Programming

The device is primarily configured and controlled using the Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI); however, the device can operate in a default configuration without requiring the SPI. The power down state, internal or external reference selection, and sampling clock input type are configurable via the PDN/SYNC and CTRL pins.

Note The power down functionality requires the ADC sampling clock to be present.

7.5.1 Pin Control

The ADC voltage reference and sampling clock input type can be selected using the CTRL pin. Even though there is an internal 100kΩ pull-up resistor to AVDD, the CTRL pin should be set to a voltage externally and not left floating. When using a voltage divider to set the CTRL pin voltage, resistor values less than 5kΩ should be used.

Table 7-6. CTRL Pin Settings

7.5.2 Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI)

The device has a set of internal registers that can be accessed via SPI formed by the SEN (serial interface enable), SCLK (serial interface clock) and SDIO (serial interface data input/output) pins. Bits are serially shifted into the device when SEN is low. Input data is latched at every SCLK rising edge when SEN is active (low). The serial data is loaded into the register at the 24th SCLK rising edge when SEN is low. When the word length exceeds a multiple of 24 bits, the excess bits are ignored. Data can be loaded in multiples of 24-bit words within a single active SEN pulse. The interface can function with SCLK frequencies from 20MHz down to as slow as a few hertz.

7.5.2.1 Register Write

The internal registers can be programmed by following these steps:

- 1. Drive the SEN pin low.
- 2. Set the R/W bit to 0 (bit A15 of the 16-bit address) and bits A[14:12] in the address field to 0.
- 3. Initiate a serial interface cycle by specifying the address of the register (A[11:0]) whose content is to be written.
- 4. Write the 8-bit data that to be latched on the SCLK rising edges.

Figure 7-34 shows the relevant timing requirements for the register write operation.

Figure 7-34. Serial Register Write Timing Diagram

7.5.2.2 Register Read

The device includes a mode where the contents of the internal registers can be read back using the SDIO pin. This read back mode can be useful as a diagnostic check to verify the serial interface communication between the external controller and the ADC. The procedure to read the contents of the serial registers is as follows:

- 1. Drive the SEN pin low.
- 2. Set the R/W bit (A15) to 1. Set A[14:12] in the address field to 0.
- 3. Initiate a serial interface cycle specifying the address of the register (A[11:0]) whose content will be read.
- 4. The device launches the contents (D[7:0]) of the selected register on the SDIO pin on SCLK falling edge.
- 5. The external controller can capture the contents on the SCLK rising edge.

Figure 7-35. Serial Register Read Timing Diagram

7.5.3 Device Configuration Steps

The following sequence summarizes all the relevant registers for changing the ADC3664-SP modes including the digital signal processing (DSP) features and the output interface. Steps 1 and 2 must come first since the E-Fuse load resets some of the device registers, the remaining steps can come in any order.

7.5.4 Register Map

Table 7-8. Register Map Summary

7.5.4.1 Detailed Register Description

Figure 7-36. Register 0x00

Table 7-9. Register 0x00 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-37. Register 0x07

Table 7-10. Register 0x07 Field Descriptions

Table 7-11. Register 0x08 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-39. Register 0x09

Table 7-12. Register 0x09 Field Descriptions

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Figure 7-40. Register 0x0E

Table 7-13. Register 0x0E Field Descriptions

Figure 7-41. Register 0x11

Table 7-14. Register 0x11 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-42. Register 0x13

Table 7-15. Register 0x13 Field Descriptions

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Table 7-16. Register 0x14/15/16 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-44. Register 0x19

Table 7-17. Register 0x19 Field Descriptions

Table 7-18. FCLK Settings Based on Device Mode

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Figure 7-45. Register 0x1A

Table 7-19. Register 0x1A Field Descriptions

Figure 7-46. Register 0x1B

Table 7-20. Register 0x1B Field Descriptions

Table 7-21. Setting Output Resolution Based on Mode

Figure 7-47. Register 0x1E

Table 7-22. Register 0x1E Field Descriptions

Figure 7-48. Register 0x20/21/22

Table 7-23. Register 0x20/21/22 Field Descriptions

Table 7-24. FCLK Pattern in Different Modes

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Figure 7-49. Register 0x24

Table 7-25. Register 0x24 Field Descriptions

Table 7-26. Register 0x25 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-51. Register 0x26

Table 7-27. Register 0x26 Field Descriptions

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Figure 7-52. Register 0x27

Table 7-28. Register 0x27 Field Descriptions

Table 7-29. IQ_ORDER and Q_DEL Register Settings for Complex Decimation

Figure 7-53. Register 0x2A/B/C/D 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 FCW0[7:0] FCW0[15:8] FCW0[23:16] FCW0[31:24] R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0

Table 7-30. Register 0x2A/2B/2C/2D Field Descriptions

Figure 7-54. Register 0x2E 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 0 0 IQ1_ORDER Q1_DEL 0 0 0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0 R/W-0

Table 7-31. Register 0x2E Field Descriptions

Figure 7-55. Register 0x31/32/33/34

Table 7-32. Register 0x31/32/33/34 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-56. Register 0x39..0x60

Table 7-33. Register 0x39..0x60 Field Descriptions

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Table 7-34. Register 0x61..0x88 Field Descriptions

Figure 7-58. Register 0x8F

Table 7-35. Register 0x8F Field Descriptions

Figure 7-59. Register 0x92

Table 7-36. Register 0x92 Field Descriptions

Table 7-37. Register 0x244

Table 7-38. Register 0x244 Field Descriptions

8 Application Information Disclaimer

Note

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8.1 Application Information

The ADC3664-SP can be used in a variety of space applications as a high speed and low latency digitizer. Some of the common applications for the ADC3664-SP are found in [optical imaging payloads](https://www.ti.com/solution/optical-imaging-payload).

8.2 Typical Application

8.2.1 Design Requirements

8.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

The application requirements are provided in [Table 8-1.](#page-56-0) Since the supported signal bandwidth is as low as DC, an amplifier is used to DC couple the signal to the input of the ADC. Additionally, the ADC VCM output provides the amplifier common-mode as shown in [Figure 8-1.](#page-56-0)

When designing the amplifier or filter driving circuit, the ADC input full-scale voltage needs to be taken into consideration. For example, the ADC3664-SP input full-scale is 3.2V_{PP}. Texas Instruments (TI) offers a variety of amplifiers to be used in space applications such as [LMH5485-SP](https://www.ti.com/product/LMH5485-SP) and [THS4511-SP.](https://www.ti.com/product/THS4511-SP) For best DC accuracy an external reference can be used.

8.3 Initialization Set Up

The following steps should be followed for device initialization.

- 1. Apply AVDD and IOVDD (no specific sequence required). After AVDD is applied, the internal reference powers up and settles in approximately 2ms.
- 2. Configure the CTRL pin and apply the sampling clock.
- 3. Apply a hardware reset. After the hardware reset is released, the default registers are loaded from internal fuses and the internal power up calibration is initiated. The calibration takes approximately 200000 clock cycles.
- 4. Begin programming via the SPI.

Table 8-2. Power Up Timing

8.4 Power Supply Recommendations

The ADC3664-SP requires two different power supplies. The A_{VDD} supply provides power for the internal analog circuits and to the ADC while the I_{OVDD} supply powers the digital interface and the internal digital circuits. Power sequencing is not required.

A low noise power supply should supply the AVDD rail to achieve data sheet performance.

There are two recommended power-supply architectures:

- 1. A high efficiency switching regulator followed by a low noise LDO to suppress the switching noise and improve voltage accuracy.
- 2. Directly step down to the final ADC supply voltage using a high efficiency switching regulator. This approach provides the best efficiency; however, care must be taken to make sure the switching regulator noise doesnot degrade the ADC performance.

The [TPS7H4002-SP](https://www.ti.com/product/TPS7H4002-SP) is recommended as the first stage radiation hardened switching regulator. The switching regulator can be followed by either the [TPS7A4501-SP](https://www.ti.com/product/TPS7A4501-SP) or the [TPS7H1111-SP](https://www.ti.com/product/TPS7H1111-SP) which are both space hardened LDOs.

Note

 A_{VDD} and I_{OVDD} supply voltages should not be shared to prevent digital switching noise from coupling into the analog signal chain.

Figure 8-2. Example LDO Based Approach

Figure 8-3. Example Switcher Only Approach

8.5 Layout

8.5.1 Layout Guidelines

There are several critical signals which require specific care during board design:

- 1. Analog inputs and clock signals:
	- Traces should be as short as possible and vias should be avoided where possible to minimize impedance discontinuities.
	- Traces should be routed using loosely coupled 100Ω differential traces.
	- Differential trace lengths should be matched as close as possible to minimize phase imbalance and HD2 degradation.
- 2. Digital output interface:
	- Traces should be routed using tightly coupled 100Ω differential traces.
	- Make sure the LVDS lanes are routed as far as possible from the analog inputs to minimize coupling.
- 3. Voltage reference:
	- The decoupling capacitors should be placed as close to the device pins as possible and connected between VREF and REFGND – avoid using vias by having the capacitors on the same layer as the device.
- 4. Power and ground connections:
	- Provide low resistance connection paths to all power and ground pins.
	- Avoid narrow and isolated paths which increase the connection resistance.
	- Add GND layers between power and signal layers in the PCB stack up.

8.5.2 Layout Example

The following is an example showing the top layer layout of the ADC3664-SP on the ADC3664-SP EVM.

- Signal and clock inputs are routed as differential signals on the top layer.
- LVDS lanes go through vias to the bottom layer to minimize coupling on the analog inputs.

Figure 8-4. Layout Example for the ADC3664-SP EVM

9 Device and Documentation Support

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9.5 Glossary

[TI Glossary](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLYZ022) This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

10 Revision History

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11 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

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11.1 Mechanical Data

NOTES:

1. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Any dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing

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- per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. This package is hermetically sealed with a metal lid.
4. Ground pad to be electronic connected to heat sink and seal ring.
5. The leads are gold plat
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