High Voltage, Low Noise, Inductorless EL Lamp Driver

Features

- No external components required when using an external EL clock frequency
- Audible noise reduction with improved EMI
- EL frequency can be set by an external resistor
- DC to AC converter
- Drives up to 5.3nF (approx. 1.5in² lamp) load
- Output voltage regulation
- Enable function
- EL Lamp dimming
- Available in 10-Lead DFN and 8-Lead MSOP packages

Applications

- Cellular phone keypad
- Watches
- Small handheld wireless devices
- MP3 Players

General Description

The Supertex HV853 is a high voltage, low noise EL (electroluminescent) lamp driver. It is the low noise version of the HV852 with improved EMI performance, operating over an input voltage range of 3.2V to 5.0V. It is designed to drive EL lamps of up to 1.5in², with capacitive values up to 5.3nF. The HV853 converts a low voltage DC input to a high voltage AC output across an EL lamp. A nominal regulated output voltage of ±80V is applied to the EL lamp. It uses a charge pump scheme to boost the input voltage eliminating the need for an external inductor, diode, and high voltage capacitor commonly found in conventional topologies.

The charge pump circuit discharges its energy into an EL lamp through a high voltage H-bridge. Once the voltage reaches its regulated limit, it is turned off to conserve power. The EL lamp is then discharged to ground and the H-bridge changes state to allow the charge pump to charge the EL lamp in the opposite direction.

The EL lamp frequency can be set either by an external resistor R_{EL} or by applying an external clock where the clock frequency is divided by 128 to set the EL lamp frequency.

Typical Application Circuits

EL Lamp Frequency set by R_{FI}





Ordering Information

| | Package Options | | | | | | | | |
|--------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| DEVICE | 10-Lead DFN 3.00x3.00mm body 0.80mm height (max) 0.50mm pitch | 8-Lead MSOP 3.00x3.00mm body 1.10mm height (max) 0.65mm pitch | | | | | | | |
| HV853 | HV853K7-G | HV853MG-G | | | | | | | |

-G indicates package is RoHS compliant ('Green')



Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Value |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| V _{DD} , supply voltage | -0.5V to 6.5V |
| Storage temperature | -65°C to +150°C |
| Power dissipation (10-Lead DFN) | 1.6W |
| Power dissipation (8-Lead MSOP) | 300mW |
| Fower dissipation (6-Lead MISOF) | |

Absolute Maximum Ratings are those values beyond which damage to the device may occur. Functional operation under these conditions is not implied. Continuous operation of the device at the absolute rating level may affect device reliability. All voltages are referenced to device ground.

Pin Configurations





10-Lead DFN (K7)

Note: (top View) Pads are at the bottom of the package. Center heat slug should be connected to GND or left floating.

Product Marking



Y = Last Digit of Year Sealed W = Code for Week Sealed L = Lot Number _____ = "Green" Packaging 10-Lead DFN (K7)



Recommended Operating Conditions

| Sym | Parameter | Min | Тур | Max | Units | Conditions |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|------------|
| V _{DD} | Input voltage | 3.2 | - | 5.0 | V | |
| f _{EL} | EL lamp frequency | 50 | - | 500 | Hz | |
| C _{load} | EL lamp capacitance | 0 | - | 5.3 | nF | |
| T _A | Operating temperature | -25 | - | +85 | °C | |

Electrical Characteristics

(Over recommended operating conditions unless otherwise specified, $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$)

| Sym | Parameter | Min | Тур | Мах | Units | Conditions |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------------------------|
| I _{DDQ} | Quiescent current | - | - | 150 | nA | EN = 0V |
| V _A or V _B | Peak output voltage | 68 | 80 | 92 | V | No load |
| V _A -V _B | Peak to peak output voltage | 136 | 160 | 184 | V | No load |
| I _{DD} | Operating current | - | 15 | 30 | mA | See Figure 1 |
| V _A or V _B | Peak output voltage | 68 | 80 | 92 | V | $V_{DD} = 3.5V$ |
| V _A -V _B | Peak to peak output voltage | 136 | 160 | 184 | V | R _{EL} = 1.5MΩ |
| f _{EL} | EL lamp frequency | 240 | 280 | 320 | Hz | Load = 3.3nF + 1.0kΩ |

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Electrical Characteristics (cont.) (Over recommended operating conditions unless otherwise specified, $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C)

| Sym | Parameter | Min | Тур | Max | Units | Conditions |
|--------------------|---|------|-----|-----------------|-------|---|
| t _{rout} | Output voltage rise time | - | 450 | - | μs | 1.0in ² lamp 0V to 90% of final value |
| t _{fout} | Output voltage fall time | 150 | - | - | μs | 90% to 10% of final value |
| Logic In | puts | | | | | |
| V _{IL} | Input logic low voltage | 0 | - | 0.5 | V | |
| V _{IH} | Input logic high voltage | 2.0 | - | V _{DD} | V | |
| I | Input logic low current | - | - | 1.0 | μA | |
| I _{IH} | Input logic high current | - | - | 1.0 | μA | |
| EN | Enable input rise time (for delay turn off) | 0.01 | - | 10 | ms | Using external R-C circuit, |
| EN _{fall} | Enable input fall time (for delay turn off) | 10µ | - | 5.0 | S | see Figure 2 |
| C _{in} | Logic input capacitance | - | - | 10 | pF | |

Typical Output Waveform



Functional Block Diagram



Typical Performance

(The following was the observed performance when driving a 1.0in² green lamp)

| Load | R _{EL} (MΩ) | V _{DD} (V) | l _{DD} (mA) | V _A -V _B (V) | f _{EL} (Hz) |
|---------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | 3.2 | 13.1 | 158 | |
| | 1.5 | 3.5 | 12.9 | 158 | |
| 3.3nF + 1.0kΩ | | 3.8 | 12.7 | 158 | 294 |
| | | 4.2 | 12.5 | 158 | |
| | | 5.0 | 12.3 | 158 | |

Figure 1: Typical Application



Figure 2: Push Button Turn on with Delay Turn off



Figure 3: Independent Programmable Output Frequency (f_{EL})



Note: $f_{EL} = f_{CLK} / 128$

EL Lamp Dimming Using PWM

EL lamp dimming can be achieved by applying a PWM signal to the ENABLE pin. This is done by pulse skipping the output pulses. The PWM frequency should be kept below the EL frequency but above 50Hz to avoid flickering.

Figure 4: PWM Dimming Circuit



Pin Descriptions: 10-Lead DFN (K7) / 8-Lead MSOP (MG)

| K7 | MG | Pin | | | | | | | | |
|-----|------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | Pin # Name | | Description | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | VDD | Input supply voltage pin. | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | REL | An external resistor to VDD will set the EL lamp frequency. The EL frequency is inversely proportional to the R _{EL} resistor value. A 1.5M Ω resistor would provide a nominal lamp frequency of 280Hz $f_{EL} = (1.5M\Omega)(280Hz) / (R_{EL})$ | | | | | | | |
| | | | When using an external clock to set the EL lamp frequency, the REL pin should be connected to ground. | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 3 | EN | Enable input pin. Logic high will turn the device on. An external R-C circuit can be added for a delayed turn off. | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | CLKIN | Logic input pin. An external logic clock applied to this pin can be used to set the EL lamp frequency (see Figure 3). The EL lamp frequency is the external clock frequency divided by 128. This is useful for applications requiring the EL lamp to be synchronized to a system clock. Connect to ground when not in use. | | | | | | | |
| 5 | - | NC | No connect. | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 5 | CLKEN | Logic input pin. Logic high will cause the EL lamp frequency to be set by the CLKIN input. Logic low will cause the EL lamp frequency to be set by the external $R_{_{EL}}$ resistor. | | | | | | | |
| 7,8 | 6 | GND | IC ground pin. | | | | | | | |
| 9 | 7 | VB | EL lamp driver output pin. The EL lamp is connected across VA and VB terminals. | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 8 | VA | EL lamp driver output pin. The EL lamp is connected across VA and VB terminals. | | | | | | | |

10-Lead DFN Package Outline (K7) 3.00x3.00mm body, 0.80mm height (max), 0.50mm pitch



Side View

Notes:

- A Pin 1 identifier must be located in the index area indicated. The Pin 1 identifier can be: a molded mark/identifier; an embedded metal marker; or 1 a printed indicator.
- 2. Depending on the method of manufacturing, a maximum of 0.15mm pullback (L1) may be present.
- 3. The inner tip of the lead may be either rounded or square.

| Symbo | ol | Α | A1 | A3 | b | D | D2 | E | E2 | е | L | L1 | θ |
|-------------------|-----|------|------|-------------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------------|------|-------|-----------------|
| Dimension (mm) | MIN | 0.70 | 0.00 | 0.20 REF | 0.18 | 2.85* | 2.20 | 2.85* | 1.40 | 0.50 BSC | 0.30 | 0.00* | 0 0 |
| | NOM | 0.75 | 0.02 | | 0.25 | 3.00 | - | 3.00 | - | | 0.40 | - | - |
| | MAX | 0.80 | 0.05 | | 0.30 | 3.15* | 2.70 | 3.15* | 1.75 | | 0.50 | 0.15 | 14 ⁰ |

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8-Lead MSOP Package Outline (MG) 3.00x3.00mm body, 1.10mm height (max), 0.65mm pitch



Note:

1. A Pin 1 identifier must be located in the index area indicated. The Pin 1 identifier can be: a molded mark/identifier; an embedded metal marker; or a printed indicator.

| Symbo | ol | Α | A1 | A2 | b | D | E | E1 | е | L | L1 | L2 | θ | θ1 |
|-------------------|-----|-------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|
| | MIN | 0.75* | 0.00 | 0.75 | 0.22 | 2.80* | 4.65* | 2.80* | | 0.40 | | | 0 0 | 5° |
| Dimension (mm) | NOM | - | - | 0.85 | - | 3.00 | 4.90 | 3.00 | 0.65 BSC | 0.60 | 0.95 REF | 0.25 BSC | - | - |
| () | MAX | 1.10 | 0.15 | 0.95 | 0.38 | 3.20* | 5.15* | 3.20* | 200 | 0.80 | | | 8 0 | 15 ⁰ |

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