ACPL-P349 and ACPL-W349

2.5-Amp Output Current SiC/GaN MOSFET and IGBT Gate Drive Optocoupler in Stretched SO6

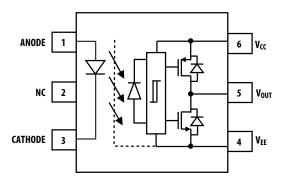


Data Sheet

Description

The ACPL-P349/W349 contains an AlGaAs LED, which is optically coupled to an integrated circuit with a power output stage. This optocoupler is ideally suited for driving SiC/GaN (Silicon Carbide / Gallium Nitride) MOSFETs and IGBTs used in power conversion applications. The high operating voltage range of the output stage provides the drive voltages required by gate controlled devices. The voltage and high peak output current supplied by this optocoupler make it ideally suited for direct driving SiC/GaN MOSFET and IGBT with ratings up to 1200V/100A.

Functional Diagram



NOTE Design Note: A $1-\mu F$ bypass capacitor must be connected between pins V_{CC} and V_{EE}.

Features

- 2.5-A maximum peak output current
- Wide operating VCC range: 15V to 30 V
- 110-ns maximum propagation delay
- 50-ns maximum propagation delay difference
- Rail-to-rail output voltage
- 50 kV/µs minimum Common Mode Rejection (CMR) at V_{CM} = 1500V
- LED current input with hysteresis
- I_{CC} = 4.2 mA maximum supply current
- Under Voltage Lock-Out protection (UVLO) with hysteresis
- Industrial temperature range: –40°C to 105°C
- Safety Approval
 - UL Recognized 3750/5000 V_{RMS} for 1min.
 - CSA
 - IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5 V_{IORM} = 891/1140 V_{PEAK}

Applications

- SiC/GaN MOSFET and IGBT gate drive
- Motor drives
- Industrial Inverters
- Renewable energy inverters
- Switching power supplies
- **CAUTION** It is advised that normal static precautions be taken in handling and assembly of this component to prevent damage and/or degradation which may be induced by ESD. The components featured in this datasheet are not to be used in military or aerospace applications or environments.

LED	V _{CC} – V _{EE} "Postive Going" (i.e., Turn-On)	V _{CC} – V _{EE} "Negative Going" (i.e., Turn-Off)	vo
OFF	0V–30 V	30V-0V	LOW
ON	0V–12.1 V	11.1V–0V	LOW
ON	12.1V–13.9 V	12.9V–11.1V	TRANSITION
ON	13.9V–30V	30V-12.9V	HIGH

Truth Table

Ordering Information

ACPL-P349 is UL Recognized with 3750 VRMS for 1 minute per UL1577. ACPL-W347 is UL Recognized with 5000 V_{RMS} for 1 minute per UL1577.

Part Number	Option	Package	Surface Mount	Tape and Reel	IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5	Quantity
	RoHS Compliant					
ACPL-P349	-000E	Stretched SO-6	Х			100 per tube
ACPL-W349	-500E		Х	Х		1000 per reel
	-060E		Х		Х	100 per tube
	-560E		Х	Х	Х	1000 per reel

To order, choose a part number from the part number column and combine with the desired option from the option column to form an order entry.

Example 1:

ACPL-P349-560E to order product of Stretched SO-6 Surface Mount package in Tape and Reel packaging with IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5 Safety Approval in RoHS compliant.

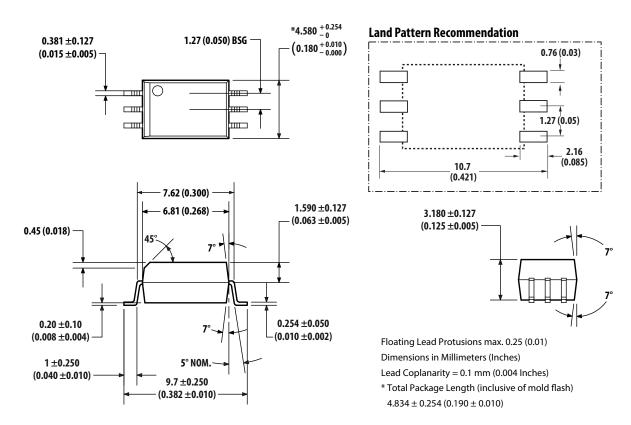
Example 2:

ACPL-W349-000E to order product of Stretched SO-6 Surface Mount package in Tube packaging and RoHS compliant.

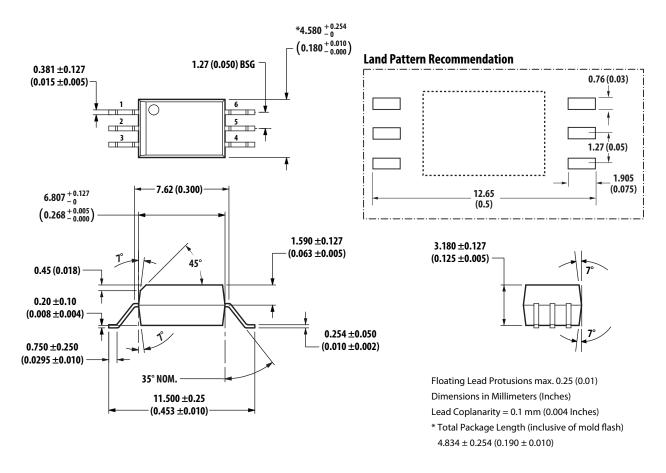
Option datasheets are available. Contact your Broadcom sales representative or authorized distributor for information.

Package Outline Drawings

ACPL-P349 Stretched SO-6 Package (7-mm Clearance)



ACPL-W349 Stretched SO-6 Package (8-mm Clearance)



Recommended Pb-Free IR Profile

Recommended reflow condition as per JEDEC Standard, J-STD-020 (latest revision). Non-Halide Flux should be used.

Regulatory Information

The ACPL-P349/W349 is approved by the following organizations.

	Recognized under UL 1577, component recognition program up to $V_{ISO} = 3750 V_{RMS}$ (ACPL-P349) and $V_{ISO} = 5000 V_{RMS}$ (ACPL-W349).
CSA	CSA Component Acceptance Notice #5, File CA 88324
IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5 (Option 060 Only)	Maximum Working Insulation Voltage $V_{IORM} = 891 V_{peak}$ (ACPL-P349) and $V_{IORM} = 1140 V_{peak}$ (ACPL-W349)

IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5 Insulation Characteristics (Option 060)

Description	Symbol	ACPL-P349 Option 060	ACPL-W349 Option 060	Units
Installation classification per DIN VDE 0110/39, Table 1				
for rated mains voltage \leq 150 Vrms		I – IV	I – IV	
for rated mains voltage \leq 300 Vrms		I – IV	I – IV	
for rated mains voltage \leq 450 Vrms		I – III	I – IV	
for rated mains voltage \leq 600 Vrms		I – III	I – IV	
for rated mains voltage \leq 1000 Vrms			I – III	
Climatic Classification		40/105/21	40/105/21	
Pollution Degree (DIN VDE 0110/39)		2	2	
Maximum Working Insulation Voltage	V _{IORM}	891	1140	V _{PEAK}
Input to Output Test Voltage, Method b ^a	V _{PR}	1671	2137	V _{PEAK}
$V_{IORM} \times 1.875 = V_{PR}$, 100% Production Test with $t_m = 1s$, Partial discharge < 5 pC				
Input to Output Test Voltage, Method a ^a	V _{PR}	1426	1824	V _{PEAK}
$V_{IORM} \times 1.6 = V_{PR}$, Type and Sample Test, t _m = 10s, Partial discharge < 5 pC				
Highest Allowable Overvoltage ^a	V _{IOTM}	6000	8000	V _{PEAK}
(Transient Overvoltage t _{ini} = 60s)				
Safety-limiting values – maximum values allowed in the event of a failure				
Case Temperature	Τ _S	175	175	°C
Input Current	I _{S,INPUT}	230	230	mA
Output Power	P _{S, OUTPUT}	600	600	mW
Insulation Resistance at TS, VIO = 500 V	RS	>10 ⁹	>10 ⁹	Ω

a. Refer to IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5 Optoisolator Safety Standard section of the Broadcom Regulatory Guide to Isolation Circuits, AV02-2041EN for a detailed description of Method a and Method b partial discharge test profiles.

NOTE These optocouplers are suitable for "safe electrical isolation" only within the safety limit data. Maintenance of the safety data shall be ensured by means of protective circuits. Surface mount classification is Class A in accordance with CECC 00802.

Insulation and Safety Related Specifications

Parameter	Symbol	ACPL-P349	ACPL-W349	Units	Conditions
Minimum External Air Gap (Clearance) ^a	L(101)	7.0	8.0	mm	Measured from input terminals to output terminals, shortest distance through air.
Minimum External Tracking (Creepage) ^a	L(102)	8.0	8.0	mm	Measured from input terminals to output terminals, shortest distance path along body.
Minimum Internal Plastic Gap (Internal Clearance) ^a		0.08	0.08	mm	Through insulation distance conductor to conductor, usually the straight line distance thickness between the emitter and detector.
Tracking Resistance (Comparative Tracking Index)	СТІ	> 175	> 175	V	DIN IEC 112/VDE 0303 Part 1
Isolation Group		Illa	Illa		Material Group (DIN VDE 0110, 1/89, Table 1)

a. All Broadcom data sheets report the creepage and clearance inherent to the optocoupler component itself. These dimensions are needed as a starting point for the equipment designer when determining the circuit insulation requirements. However, once mounted on a printed circuit board, minimum creepage and clearance requirements must be met as specified for individual equipment standards. For creepage, the shortest distance path along the surface of a printed circuit board between the solder fillets of the input and output leads must be considered (the recommended Land Pattern does not necessarily meet the minimum creepage of the device). There are recommended techniques such as grooves and ribs which may be used on a printed circuit board to achieve desired creepage and clearances. Creepage and clearance distances will also change depending on factors such as pollution degree and insulation level.

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Units	Note
Storage Temperature	Τ _S	-55	125	°C	
Operating Temperature	T _A	-40	105	°C	
Output IC Junction Temperature	Τj	—	125	°C	
Average Input Current	I _{F(AVG)}	_	25	mA	а
Peak Transient Input Current (<1 ms pulse width, 300pps)	I _{F(TRAN)}	—	1	A	
Reverse Input Voltage	V _R		5	V	
"High" Peak Output Current	I _{OH(PEAK)}	_	2.5	А	b
"Low" Peak Output Current	I _{OL(PEAK)}	_	2.5	A	b
Total Output Supply Voltage	$(V_{CC} - V_{EE})$	0	35	V	
Output Voltage	V _{O(PEAK)}	-0.5	V _{CC}	V	
Output IC Power Dissipation	P _O	_	500	mW	с
Total Power Dissipation	P _T		550	mW	d

a. Derate linearly above 85° C free-air temperature at a rate of 0.3 mA/°C.

b. Maximum pulse width = 10 µs. This value is intended to allow for component tolerances for designs with IO peak minimum = 2.0A. See applications section for additional details on limiting I_{OH} peak.

c. Derate linearly above 85°C free-air temperature at a rate of 12.5 mW/°C.

d. Derate linearly above 85°C free-air temperature at a rate of 13.75 mW/°C . The maximum LED junction temperature should not exceed 125°C.

Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Units	Note
Operating Temperature	Τ _Α	-40	105	°C	
Output Supply Voltage	$(V_{CC} - V_{EE})$	15	30	V	
Input Current (ON)	I _{F(ON)}	7	11	mA	
Input Voltage (OFF)	V _{F(OFF)}	-3.6	0.8	V	

Electrical Specifications (DC)

All typical values are at $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C, $V_{CC} - V_{EE} = 15$ V, $V_{EE} =$ Ground. All minimum and maximum specifications are at recommended operating conditions ($T_A = -40^{\circ}$ C to 105° C, $I_{F(ON)} = 7$ mA to 11 mA, $V_{F(OFF)} = -3.6$ V to 0.8V, $V_{EE} =$ Ground, $V_{CC} = 15$ V to 30V), unless otherwise noted.

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Test Conditions	Figure	Note
High Level Peak Output Current	I _{ОН}	-2.0	-3.4	—	А	$V_{CC} - V_{O} = 15V$	2, 3	а
Low Level Peak Output Current	I _{OL}	2.0	4.4	_	A	$V_{O} - V_{EE} = 15 V$	5,6	а
High Output Transistor RDS(ON)	R _{DS,OH}	0.5	1.7	3.5	Ω	I _{OH} = -2.0 A	7	b
Low Output Transistor RDS(ON)	R _{DS,OL}	0.3	0.7	2.0	Ω	I _{OL} = 2.0 A	8	b
High Level Output Voltage	V _{OH}	V _{CC} – 0.4	V _{CC} – 0.2	_	V	$I_0 = -100 \text{ mA}, I_F = 9 \text{ mA}$	1, 3	c, d
High Level Output Voltage	V _{OH}	—	V _{CC}	_	V	$I_{O} = 0 \text{ mA}, I_{F} = 9 \text{ mA}$	3	
Low Level Output Voltage	V _{OL}	—	0.1	0.25	V	I _O = 100 mA	4, 6	
High Level Supply Current	I _{CCH}	—	2.6	4.2	mA	l _F = 9 mA	9, 10	
Low Level Supply Current	I _{CCL}	—	2.6	4.2	mA	$V_F = 0V$		
Threshold Input Current Low to High	I _{FLH}	0.4	1.3	4.0	mA	V _O > 5 V	11,12	
Threshold Input Voltage High to Low	V _{FHL}	0.8	—	—	V			
Input Forward Voltage	V _F	1.2	1.55	1.95	V	I _F = 9 mA	18	
Temperature Coefficient of Input Forward Voltage	$\Delta V_{F} / \Delta T_{A}$	_	-1.7		mV/°C			
Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage	BV _R	5	—	—	V	I _R = 100 μA		
Input Capacitance	C _{IN}	—	70	—	pF	f = 1 MHz, V _F = 0 V		
UVLO Threshold	V _{UVLO+}	12.1	13	13.9	V	$V_{O} > 5 V, I_{F} = 9 mA$		
	V _{UVLO-}	11.1	12	12.9	1			
UVLO Hysteresis	UVLO _{HYS}	0.5	1.0	—	V			

a. Maximum pulse width = 10 μ s.

b. Output is sourced at -2.0A/2.0A with a maximum pulse width = 10 μ s.

c. In this test, V_{OH} is measured with a dc load current. When driving capacitive loads, V_{OH} will approach V_{CC} as I_{OH} approaches zero amps.

d. Maximum pulse width = 1 ms.

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Switching Specifications (AC)

All typical values are at $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C, $V_{CC} - V_{EE} = 15$ V, $V_{EE} =$ Ground. All minimum and maximum specifications are at recommended operating conditions ($T_A = -40^{\circ}$ C to 105°C, $I_{F(ON)} = 7$ mA to 11 mA, $V_{F(OFF)} = -3.6$ V to 0.8V, $V_{EE} =$ Ground, $_{VCC} = 15$ V to 30V), unless otherwise noted.

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Test Conditions	Figure	Note
Propagation Delay Time to High Output Level	t _{PLH}	30	55	110	ns	Rg = 7.5 Ω, Cg = 10 nF, f = 20 kHz , Duty Cycle = 50%,	13, 14, 15, 16, 17	
Propagation Delay Time to Low Output Level	t _{PHL}	30	55	110	ns	V _{CC} = 15V		
Pulse Width Distortion	PWD		0	40	ns			а
Propagation Delay Difference Between Any Two Parts	PDD (t _{PHL} – t _{PLH})	-50	_	50	ns		22, 23	b
Propagation Delay Skew	t _{PSK}		—	50	ns			с
Rise Time	t _R		8	28	ns	Cg = 1 nF, f = 20 kHz,		
Fall Time	t _F		8	28	ns	Duty Cycle = 50%, V _{CC} = 15V		
Output High Level Common Mode Transient Immunity	CM _H	50	70	_	kV/μs	$T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C, $I_F = 9 \text{ mA}$, $V_{CC} = 30$ V, $V_{CM} = 1500$ V with split resistors	19	d e
Output Low Level Common Mode Transient Immunity	CM _L	50	70	_	kV/μs	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C, V_F = 0V,$ $V_{CC} = 30V, V_{CM} = 1500V$ with split resistors		d f

a. Pulse Width Distortion (PWD) is defined as $|t_{PHL} - t_{PLH}|$ for any given device.

b. Propagation Delay Difference (PDD) is the difference between t_{PHL} and t_{PLH} between any two units under the same test condition.

c. Propagation Delay Skew (t_{PSK}) is the difference in t_{PHL} or t_{PLH} between any two units under the same test condition.

d. Pin 2 needs to be connected to LED common. Split resistor network in the ratio 1.5:1 with 232 at the anode and 154 at the cathode.

e. Common mode transient immunity in the high state is the maximum tolerable dV_{CM}/dt of the common mode pulse, V_{CM} , to assure that the output will remain in the high state (that is, $V_O > 15.0V$).

f. Common mode transient immunity in a low state is the maximum tolerable dV_{CM}/dt of the common mode pulse, V_{CM} , to assure that the output will remain in a low state (that is, $V_O < 1.0V$).

Package Characteristics

All typical values are at $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C. All minimum/maximum specifications are at recommended operating conditions, unless otherwise noted.

Parameter	Symbol	Device	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Test Conditions	Figure	Note
Input-Output Momentary Withstand Voltage ^a	V _{ISO}	ACPL-P349	3750	—	—	V _{RMS}	RH < 50%, t = 1 min., T _A = 25°C		b,c
		ACPL-W349	5000	—	_	V _{RMS}	RH < 50%, t = 1 min., T _A = 25°C		c, d
Input-Output Resistance	R _{I-O}		_	>10 ¹⁴	_	Ω	$V_{I-O} = 500 V_{DC}$		с
Input-Output Capacitance	C _{I-O}		—	0.6	—	pF	f=1 MHz		
LED-to-Ambient Thermal Resistance	R ₁₁		_	135	_	°C/W			e
LED-to-Detector Thermal Resistance	R ₁₂			27					
Detector-to-LED Thermal Resistance	R ₂₁		_	39	_				
Detector-to-Ambient Thermal Resistance	R ₂₂		—	47	—				

a. The Input-Output Momentary Withstand Voltage is a dielectric voltage rating that should not be interpreted as an input-output continuous voltage rating. For the continuous voltage rating, refer to your equipment level safety specification or Broadcom Application Note 1074 entitled *Optocoupler Input-Output Endurance Voltage*.

b. In accordance with UL1577, each optocoupler is proof tested by applying an insulation test voltage ≥ 4500 V_{RMS} for 1 second (leakage detection current limit, I_{LO} ≤ 5 μA).

c. Device considered a two-terminal device: pins 1, 2, and 3 shorted together and pins 4, 5, and 6 shorted together.

d. In accordance with UL1577, each optocoupler is proof tested by applying an insulation test voltage ≥ 6000 V_{RMS} for 1 second (leakage detection current limit I_{1-O} ≤ 5 µA).

e. The device was mounted on a high conductivity test board as per JEDEC 51-7.

Figure 1 V_{OH} vs. Temperature

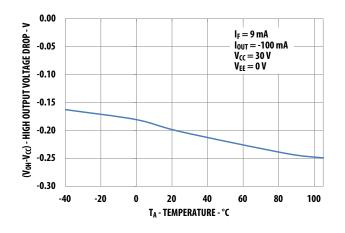


Figure 2 I_{OH} vs. Temperature

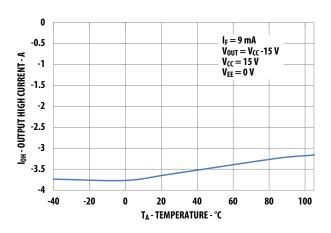


Figure 3 I_{OH} vs. V_{OH}

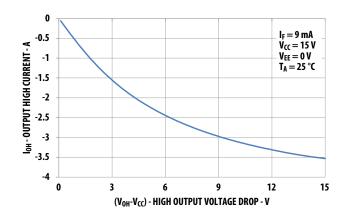


Figure 4 V_{OL} vs. Temperature

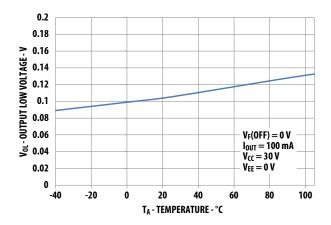


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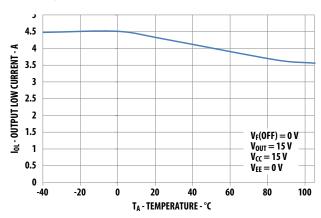


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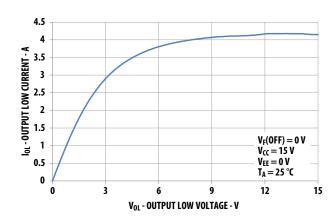
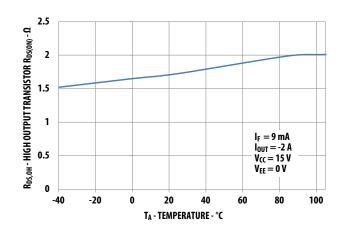


Figure 7 R_{DS,OH} vs. Temperature



 G
 1.8

 SQ
 1.6

 VD 125
 1.2

 VD 125
 1.4

 1
 1

 0.8
 0.6

 0.7
 0.4

 0.6
 Vc(0FF) = 0 V

 0.2
 Vcc = 15 V

 VEE = 0 V
 VEE = 0 V

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TA - TEMPERATURE - °C

40

60

80

100

Figure 9 I_{CC} vs. Temperature

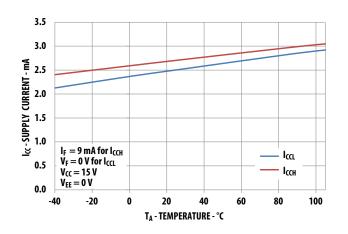


Figure 10 I_{CC} vs. V_{CC}

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Figure 8 R_{DS,OL} vs. Temperature

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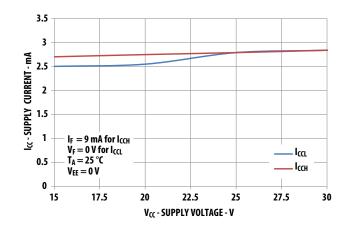


Figure 11 I_{FLH} Hysteresis

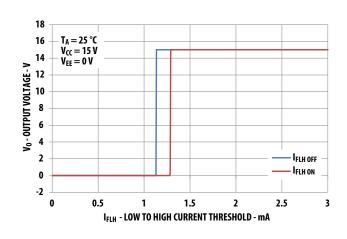


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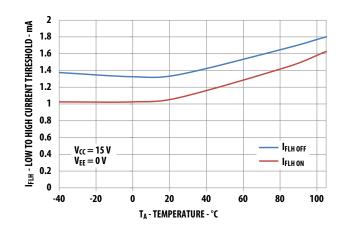
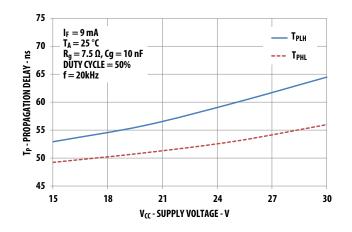


Figure 13 Propagation Delay vs. V_{CC}



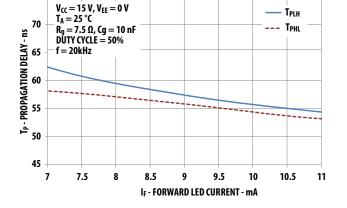


Figure 15 Propagation Delay vs. Temperature

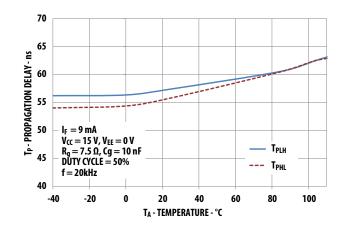


Figure 17 Propagation Delay vs. Cg

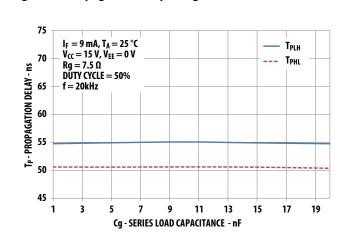


Figure 16 Propagatiuon Delay vs. Rg

Figure 14 Propagation Delay vs. IF

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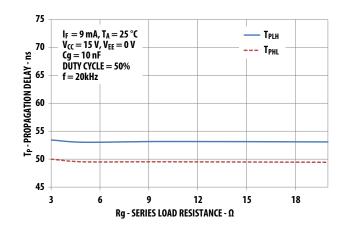


Figure 18 Input Current vs. Forward Voltage

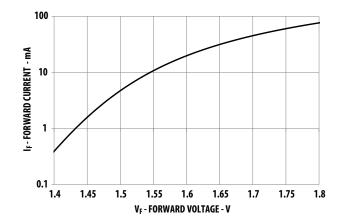
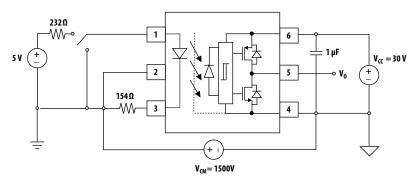
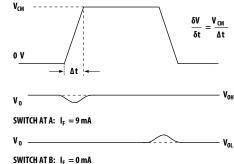


Figure 19 .CMR Test Circuit with Split Resistors Network and Waveforms





Application Information

Product Overview Description

The ACPL-P349/W349 is an optically isolated power output stage capable of driving SiC/GaN MOSFET or IGBT. Based on BCDMOS technology, this gate drive optocoupler delivers higher peak output current, better rail-to-rail output voltage performance and two times faster speed than the previous generation products.

The high peak output current and short propagation delay are needed for fast SiC/GaN MOSFET switching to reduce dead time and improve system overall efficiency. Rail-to-rail output voltage ensures that the SiC/GaN MOSFET or IGBT's gate voltage is driven to the optimum intended level with no power loss. This helps the designer lower the system power which is suitable for bootstrap power supply operation.

It has very high CMR(common mode rejection) rating which allows the microcontroller and the SiC/GaN MOSFET or IGBT to operate at very large common mode noise found in industrial motor drives and other power switching applications. The input is driven by direct LED current and has a hysteresis that prevents output oscillation if insufficient LED driving current is applied. This will eliminates the need of additional Schmitt trigger circuit at the input LED. The stretched SO6 package which is up to 50% smaller than conventional DIP package facilitates smaller more compact design. These stretched packages are compliant to many industrial safety standards such as IEC/EN/DIN EN 60747-5-5, UL 1577 and CSA.

Recommended Application Circuit

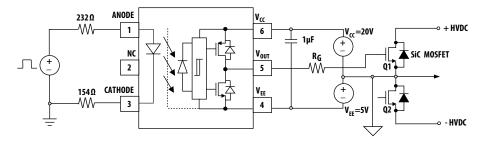
The recommended application circuit shown in Figure 20 illustrates a typical gate drive implementation using the ACPL-P349/W349.

The supply bypass capacitors (1 μ F) provide the large transient currents necessary during a switching transition. Because of the transient nature of the charging currents, a low current (4.2 mA) power supply will be enough to power the device. The split resistors (in the ratio of 1.5:1) across the LED will provide a high CMR response by providing a balanced resistance network across the LED.

The gate resistor RG serves to limit gate charge current and controls the MOSFET switching times.

In PC board design, care should be taken to avoid routing the SiC/GaN MOSFET drain or source traces close to the ACPL-P349/W349 input as this can result in unwanted coupling of transient signals into ACPL-P349/W349 and degrade performance.

Figure 20 Recommended Application Circuit with Split Resistors LED Drive



Step 1: Calculate RG minimum from the IOL peak specification. The SiC/GaN MOSFET and RG in Figure 20 can be analyzed as a simple RC circuit with a voltage supplied by ACPL-P349/W349.

The external gate resistor, RG and internal minimum turn-on resistance, RDSON will ensure the output current will not exceed the device absolute maximum rating of 2.5 A. In this case, we will use the worst case RG 9.7.

Step 2: Check the ACPL-P349/W349 power dissipation and increase RG if necessary. The ACPL-P349/W349 total power dissipation (P_T) is equal to the sum of the emitter power (P_E) and the output power (P_O).

$$P_T = P_E + P_O$$

 $P_E = I_F \times V_F \times Duty Cycle$

 $P_{O} = P_{O(BIAS)} + P_{O(SWITCHING)}$

$$= I_{CC} \times (V_{CC} - V_{EE}) + P_{HS} + P_{LS}$$

- $P_{HS} = (V_{CC} \times Q_G \times f) \times R_{DS,OH(MAX)} / (R_{DS,OH(MAX)} + R_G) / 2$
- $P_{LS} = (V_{CC} \times Q_G \times f) \times R_{DS,OL(MAX)} / (R_{DS,OL(MAX)} + R_G) / 2$

Using I_F(worst case) = 11 mA, Rg = 9.7 Ω , Max Duty Cycle = 80%, Q_G = 100 nC(1200V 30A SiC/GaN MOSFET), f = 200 kHz and T_A max = 85°C:

 $P_E = 11 \text{mA} \times 1.95 \text{V} \times 0.8 = 17 \text{ mW}$

 $P_{HS} = (25V \times 100 \text{ nC} \times 200 \text{ kHz}) \times 3.5 / (3.5 + 9.7) / 2 = 66.3 \text{ mW}$

- $P_{LS} = (25V \times 100 \text{ nC} \times 200 \text{ kHz}) \cdot 2.0 / (2.0 + 9.7) / 2 = 42.7 \text{ mW}$
- $P_0 = 4.2 \text{ mA} \times 25\text{V} + 66.3 \text{ mW} + 42.7 \text{ mW}$
 - = 214 mW < 500 mW (P_{O(MAX)} @ 85°C)

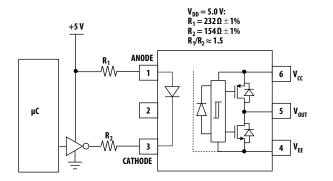
The value of 4.2 mA for I_{CC} in the previous equation is the maximum I_{CC} over the entire operating temperature range.

Since P_O is less than $P_{O(MAX)}$, $Rg = 9.7\Omega$ is alright for the power dissipation.

LED Drive Circuit Considerations for High CMR Performance

Figure 21 shows the recommended drive circuit for the ACPL-P349/W349 that gives optimum common-mode rejection. The two current setting resistors balance the common mode impedances at the LED's anode and cathode. The balanced I_{LED}-setting resistors help equalize the common mode voltage change at the anode and cathode. The shunt drive input circuit will also help to achieve high CML performance by shunting the LED in the off state.

Figure 21 Recommended High-CMR Drive Circuit for the ACPL-P349/W349



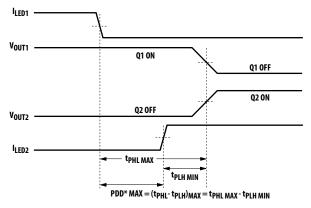
Dead Time and Propagation Delay Specifications

The ACPL-P349/W349 includes a Propagation Delay Difference (PDD) specification intended to help designers minimize "dead time" in their power inverter designs. Dead time is the time period during which both the high and low side power transistors (Q1 and Q2 in Figure 20) are off. Any overlap in Q1 and Q2 conduction will result in large currents flowing through the power devices between the high and low voltage motor rails.

To minimize dead time in a given design, the turn on of LED2 should be delayed (relative to the turn off of LED1) so that under worst-case conditions, transistor Q1 has just turned off when transistor Q2 turns on, as shown in Figure 22. The amount of delay necessary to achieve this condition is equal to the maximum value of the propagation delay difference specification, PDD_{MAX}, which is specified to be 100 ns over the operating temperature range of 40° C to 105° C.

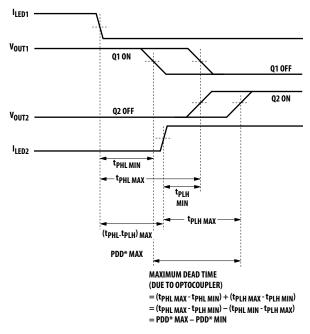
Delaying the LED signal by the maximum propagation delay difference ensures that the minimum dead time is zero, but it does not tell a designer what the maximum dead time will be. The maximum dead time is equivalent to the difference between the maximum and minimum propagation delay difference specifications as shown in Figure 23. The maximum dead time for the ACPL-P349/W349 is 100 ns (= 50 ns – (-50 ns)) over an operating temperature range of -40°C to 105°C.

Note that the propagation delays used to calculate PDD and dead time are taken at equal temperatures and test conditions since the optocouplers under consideration are typically mounted in close proximity to each other and are switching identical MOSFETs. Figure 22 Minimum LED Skew for Zero Dead Time



*PDD = PROPAGATION DELAY DIFFERENCE NOTE: FOR PDD CALCULATIONS THE PROPAGATION DELAYS ARE TAKEN AT THE SAME TEMPERATURE AND TEST CONDITIONS.





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LED Current Input with Hysteresis

The detector has optical receiver input stage with built in Schmitt trigger to provide logic compatible waveforms, eliminating the need for additional wave shaping. The hysteresis (Figure 11) provides differential mode noise immunity and minimizes the potential for output signal chatter.

Thermal Model for ACPL-P347/W347 Stretched SO6 Package Optocoupler

Definitions:

R ₁₁ :	Junction to Ambient Thermal Resistance of LED due to heating of LED
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- R₁₂: Junction to Ambient Thermal Resistance of LED due to heating of Detector (Output IC)
- R₂₁: Junction to Ambient Thermal Resistance of Detector (Output IC) due to heating of LED.
- R₂₂: Junction to Ambient Thermal Resistance of Detector (Output IC) due to heating of Detector (Output IC).
- P₁: Power dissipation of LED (W).
- P₂: Power dissipation of Detector / Output IC (W).
- T_1 : Junction temperature of LED (°C).
- T₂: Junction temperature of Detector (°C).
- T_A: Ambient temperature.

Ambient Temperature: Junction to Ambient Thermal Resistances were measured approximately 1.25 cm above the optocoupler at ~23°C in still air

Thermal Resistance	°C/W	Thermal Resistance	°C/W
R ₁₁	135	R ₂₁	39
R ₁₂	27	R ₂₂	47

This thermal model assumes that an 6-pin single-channel plastic package optocoupler is soldered into a 7.62 cm × 7.62 cm printed circuit board (PCB) per JEDEC standards. The temperature at the LED and Detector junctions of the optocoupler can be calculated using the equations below.

 $T_1 = (R_{11} \times P_1 + R_{12} \times P_2) + T_A - (1)$

$$T_2 = (R_{21} \times P_1 + R_{22} \times P_2) + T_A - (2)$$

Using the given thermal resistances and thermal model formula in this data sheet, we can calculate the junction temperature for both LED and the output detector. Both junction temperatures should be within the absolute maximum rating.

For example, given $P_1 = 17 \text{ mW}$, $P_2 = 214 \text{ mW}$, $T_A = 85^{\circ}\text{C}$:

LED junction temperature,

$$T_1 = (R_{11} \times P_1 + R_{12} \times P_2) + T_A$$

= (135 × 0.017 + 27 × 0.214) + 85
= 93.1°C

Output IC junction temperature,

$$T_2 = (R_{21} \times P_1 + R_{22} \times P_2) + T_A$$

= (39 × 0.017 + 47 × 0.214) + 85
= 95.7°C

 T_1 and T_2 should be limited to 125°C based on the board layout and part placement.

Related Application Notes

AV02-0421EN	AN-5336	Gate Drive Optocoupler Basic Design for IGBT / MOSFET
AV02-3698EN	AN-1043	Common-Mode Noise: Sources and Solutions
AV02-0310EN	Reliability Data	Plastics Optocouplers Product ESD and Moisture Sensitivity

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