

Specifications

Typical for 25 °C unless otherwise specified.

Specifications in *italic* text are guaranteed by design.



Analog input

Table 1. Analog input specifications

Parameter	Conditions	Specification
A/D converter type		16-bit successive approximation type
Number of channels		Eight differential Eight single-ended
Input configuration		Individual A/D per channel
Sampling method		Simultaneous
Analogue input modes	Power up and reset state	CHx_H and CHx_L inputs are disconnected from their screw terminal pins and internally connected to GND (recommended configuration for unused inputs).
	Single-ended	CHx_H inputs are connected directly to their screw terminal pins. CHx_L inputs are disconnected from their screw terminal pins and internally connected to GND.
	Differential	CHx_H and CHx_L inputs are connected directly to their screw terminal pins.
<i>Absolute maximum input voltage</i>	<i>CHx IN to GND.</i> <i>TRIG_IN to GND</i>	$\pm 25\text{ V}$ maximum (power on) $\pm 15\text{ V}$ maximum (power off)
<i>Input impedance</i>	<i>CHx IN</i>	$1\text{ G}\Omega$ (power on) $1.5\text{ k}\Omega$ (power off)
Input bandwidth (-3 dB)	All input ranges	330 kHz
<i>Input leakage current</i>		$\pm 25\text{ pA}$
<i>Input capacitance</i>		50 pf
Input ranges	Software-selectable per channel	$\pm 10\text{ V}$, $\pm 5\text{ V}$, $\pm 2\text{ V}$, $\pm 1\text{ V}$
A/D pacing		Onboard A/D clock, external source (SYNC_IN). See Table 8 on page 4.
A/D trigger source		TRIG_IN input. See Table 7 on page 3.
A/D trigger modes		External analog. See Table 7 on page 3.
Maximum working voltage (signal + common mode)		$\pm 0.05\%$ FSR maximum.
Sampling rate		0.009 S/s to 250 kS/s, software-programmable
Throughput	Software-paced	33 to 8000 S/s all channels, system-dependent
	Scan to PC memory	250-kS/s per channel maximum (throughput rate may be limited on USB 1.1 ports).
Resolution		16 bits
Differential non-linearity (Note 1)	Calibrated	± 2.0
	Un-calibrated	± 0.5 LSB typical. ± 1.0 LSB max.
<i>CMRR (60 Hz)</i>	$\pm 10\text{ V}$ range	81 db minimum
	$\pm 5\text{ V}$ range	81 db minimum
	$\pm 2\text{ V}$ range	92 db minimum
	$\pm 1\text{ V}$ range	92 db minimum

Note 1: The maximum differential non-linearity specification applies to the entire 0-55 °C temperature range of the USB-1608HS. This specification also accounts for the maximum errors due to the software calibration (in Calibrated mode only) and the AD7685 analog to digital converter nonlinearities.

Table 2. Calibrated absolute accuracy

Range	Accuracy (mV)
±10 V	± 7.019
±5 V	± 3.509
±2 V	± 1.403
±1 V	± 0.702

Table 3. Accuracy components - All values are (\pm)

Range	Integral Non Linearity (% FSR)	Gain error at FS (mV)	Offset (mV)	Gain tempco (ppm/°C)	Offset tempco (μV/°C)
±10 V	0.00915	4.578	1.526	3.8	19.5
±5 V	0.00915	2.289	0.763	7.0	19.5
±2 V	0.00915	0.916	0.305	16.5	24.3
±1 V	0.00915	0.458	0.153	40.1	29.2

Note 2: When connecting differential inputs to floating input sources, the user must provide a DC return path from each differential input to ground. This can be accomplished by simply connecting a resistor from each of the differential inputs to AGND. A value of approximately 100 kΩ can be used for most applications.

Table 4. Noise performance – all values are (\pm)

Range	Peak to Peak Noise (counts)	RMS noise LSBrms
±10 V	8	1.21
±5 V	8	1.21
±2 V	8	1.21
±1 V	8	1.21

Table 4 summarizes the noise performance for the USB-1608HS. Noise distribution is determined by gathering 50 kS with inputs tied to ground at the user connector. Samples are gathered at the maximum specified sampling rate of 250 kS/s.

Analog input calibration

Table 5. Analog input calibration specifications

Parameter	Specifications
Recommended warm-up time	15 minutes minimum
Calibration method	Software calibration
Calibration interval	1 year
Calibration reference	+10.000 V, ±5 mV maximum. Actual measured values stored in EEPROM
	Tempco: 5 ppm/°C maximum
	Long term stability: 30 ppm/1000 h

Digital input/output

Table 6. Digital I/O specifications

Digital type	5 V CMOS
Number of I/O	16
Configuration	Eight input, eight output
Pull-up/pull-down configuration	The eight input pins have 47 k resistors that may be configured to either pull-up or pull-down with a jumper
Digital I/O transfer rate (system-paced)	System-dependent, 33 to 8000 port reads/writes or single bit reads/writes per second.
Input high voltage	2.0 V minimum, 5.5 V absolute maximum
Input low voltage	0.8 V maximum, -0.5 V absolute minimum
Output high voltage ($IOH = -2.5 \text{ mA}$)	3.8 V minimum
Output low voltage ($IOL = 2.5 \text{ mA}$)	0.7 V maximum
Power on and reset state	Outputs: driven low
LED indicators	Each I/O pin has an associated LED status indicator. A high at the pin will cause the LED to be on. The LEDs may be disabled with jumpers - one jumper for the input LEDs (JP1), and one jumper for the output LEDs (JP2).

External trigger

Table 7. External trigger specifications

Parameter	Conditions	Specification
Trigger source		TRIG_IN input
Trigger input range		$\pm 10 \text{ V}$ max.
Absolute maximum input voltage	TRIG_IN to GND	$\pm 25 \text{ V}$ maximum (power on) $\pm 15 \text{ V}$ maximum (power off)
Trigger threshold levels		$\pm 10\text{V}/4096$; Software configurable
Input impedance		$1 \text{ M}\Omega$ (power on) $1.5 \text{ k}\Omega$ (power off)
Trigger modes		Software configurable for: ▪ Positive or negative slope ▪ Edge/level ▪ Retrigger
Threshold resolution		12 bits, 1 in 4096
Threshold accuracy		$\pm 0.25\%$ FSR
Hysteresis		$\pm 5 \text{ mV}$
Full power bandwidth (-3 dB)		640 kHz

External clock input/output

Table 8. External clock I/O specifications

Parameter	Conditions	Specification
Pin names		SYNC_IN, SYNC_OUT
Pin type		SYNC_IN: Input SYNC_OUT: Output
Pin descriptions	SYNC_OUT	Outputs A/D pacer clock.
	SYNC_IN	Receives A/D pacer clock from external source. Rising edge sensitive.
Input clock rate		250 kHz maximum.
Clock pulse width	SYNC_IN	1 μ s minimum
	SYNC_OUT	2 μ s minimum
<i>Input leakage current</i>		$\pm 2.0 \mu A$
Input high voltage		3.5 V minimum, 6.5 V absolute maximum
Input low voltage		1.5 V maximum, -0.5 V absolute minimum
Output high voltage (see Note 3)	IOH = -2.5 mA	3.3 V minimum
	No load	3.8 V minimum
Output low voltage (see Note 3)	IOL = 2.5 mA	1.1 V maximum
	No load	0.6 V maximum

Note 3: SYNC_OUT is over-current protected with a 200 Ω series resistor.

Counter

Table 9. Counter specifications

Pin name (see Note 4)	CTR
Counter type	Event counter
Number of channels	1
Input type	TTL, rising edge triggered
Input source	CTR screw terminal
Resolution	32 bits
<i>Schmidt trigger hysteresis</i>	0.58 V to 0.93 V
<i>Input leakage current</i>	$\pm 5 \mu A$
Maximum input frequency	1 MHz
<i>High pulse width</i>	500 ns minimum
<i>Low pulse width</i>	500 ns minimum
Input high voltage	2.4 V minimum, 6.5 V absolute maximum
Input low voltage	2.19 V maximum, -0.5 V absolute minimum

Note 4: CTR is a Schmitt trigger input protected with a 1 k Ω series resistor.

Memory

Table 10. Memory specifications

Data FIFO	65536 samples, 131,072 bytes
EEPROM	512 bytes

Microcontroller

Table 11. Microcontroller specifications

Type	<i>High performance 8-bit RISC microcontroller</i>
Program memory	16,384 words
Data memory	2,048 bytes

Power

Table 12. Power specifications

Parameter	Conditions	Specification
Supply current (see Note 5)	Continuous mode	920 mA
+5V EXT output voltage range (see Note 6)	▪	4.5 V minimum, 5.25 V maximum
+5V EXT output current (see Note 7)		+10 mA maximum

Note 5: This is the total current requirement for the USB-1608HS. This specification does not include any additional contribution due to +5VEXT output current, analog output source current, or DIO loading.

Note 6: Output voltage range assumes input power supply is within specified limits.

Note 7: This refers to the total amount of current that can be sourced from the +5VEXT terminal pin for general use.

External power input

Table 13. External power input specifications

External power input	+5.0 VDC (+5 V power supply included)
External power adapter	+5 V, ±5% @ 2 A

USB specifications

Table 14. USB specifications

USB device type	USB 2.0 (high-speed)
USB device compatibility	USB 1.1, 2.0
USB cable length	Three meters maximum.
USB cable type	A-B cable, UL type AWM 2527 or equivalent (minimum 24 AWG VBUS/GND, minimum 28 AWG D+/D-).

Environmental

Table 15. Environmental specifications

Operating temperature range	0 to 55 °C maximum
Storage temperature range	-40 to 85 °C maximum
Humidity	0 to 90% non-condensing

Mechanical

Table 16. Mechanical specifications

Dimensions	127 mm (L) x 88.9 mm (W) x 35.56 (H)
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Main connector and pin out

Table 17. Main connector specifications

Connector type	Screw terminal
Wire gauge range	16 AWG to 30 AWG

Table 18. Main connector pin out, 8-channel differential mode

Pin	Signal name	Pin	Signal name
1	GND	28	NC
2	DI0	29	NC
3	DI1	30	AGND
4	DI2	31	CH0_L
5	DI3	32	CH0_H
6	DI4	33	AGND
7	DI5	34	CH1_L
8	DI6	35	CH1_H
9	DI7	36	AGND
10	GND	37	CH2_L
11	DO0	38	CH2_H
12	DO1	39	AGND
13	DO2	40	CH3_L
14	DO3	41	CH3_H
15	DO4	42	AGND
16	DO5	43	CH4_L
17	DO6	44	CH4_H
18	DO7	45	AGND
19	GND	46	CH5_L
20	SYNC_IN	47	CH5_H
21	SYNC_OUT	48	AGND
22	+5V EXT	49	CH6_L
23	CTR	50	CH6_H
24	TRIG_IN	51	AGND
25	NC	52	CH7_L
26	NC	53	CH7_H
27	AGND	54	AGND

Table 19. Main connector pin out, 8-channel single-ended mode

Pin	Signal name	Pin	Signal name
1	GND	28	NC
2	DI0	29	NC
3	DI1	30	AGND
4	DI2	31	NC
5	DI3	32	CH0_H
6	DI4	33	AGND
7	DI5	34	NC
8	DI6	35	CH1_H
9	DI7	36	AGND
10	GND	37	NC
11	DO0	38	CH2_H
12	DO1	39	AGND
13	DO2	40	NC
14	DO3	41	CH3_H
15	DO4	42	AGND
16	DO5	43	NC
17	DO6	44	CH4_H
18	DO7	45	AGND
19	GND	46	NC
20	SYNC_IN	47	CH5_H
21	SYNC_OUT	48	AGND
22	+5V EXT	49	NC
23	CTR	50	CH6_H
24	TRIG_IN	51	AGND
25	NC	52	NC
26	NC	53	CH7_H
27	AGND	54	AGND