

# DRV8847 Dual H-Bridge Motor Driver

## 1 Features

- Dual H-bridge motor driver
  - Single or dual-brushed DC motors
  - One bipolar stepper motor
  - Solenoid loads
- 2.7-V to 18-V operating voltage range
- High output current per H-bridge
  - 1-A RMS driver current at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$
  - 2-A RMS driver current in parallel mode at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$
- Low on-state resistance at  $V_M > 5\text{-V}$ 
  - $1000\text{ m}\Omega R_{DS(ON)}$  (HS + LS) at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$
- Multiple control interface options
  - 4-Pin interface
  - 2-Pin interface
  - Parallel bridge interface
  - Independent bridge interface
- Current regulation with 20- $\mu\text{s}$  fixed off-time
- Torque scalar for scaling output current to 50%
- Supports 1.8-V, 3.3-V, 5-V logic inputs
- Low-power sleep mode
  - 1.7- $\mu\text{A}$  Sleep mode supply current at  $V_{VM} = 12\text{-V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$
- I<sup>2</sup>C Device Variant Available (DRV8847S)
  - Detailed diagnostics on I<sup>2</sup>C registers
  - Multi-slave operation support
  - Supports standard and fast I<sup>2</sup>C mode
- Small packages and footprints
  - 16 Pin TSSOP (no thermal pad)
  - 16 Pin HTSSOP PowerPAD™ package
  - 16 Pin WQFN thermal package
- Built-in protection features
  - VM undervoltage lockout
  - Overcurrent protection
  - Open load detection
  - Thermal shutdown
  - Fault condition indication pin (nFAULT)

## 2 Applications

- Refrigerator damper and ice maker
- Washers, dryers and dishwashers
- Electronic point-of-sale (ePOS) printers
- Stage lighting equipment
- Miniature circuit breakers and smart meters

## 3 Description

The DRV8847 device is a dual H-bridge motor driver for industrial applications, home appliances, ePOS printers, and other mechatronic applications. This device can be used for driving two DC motors, a

bipolar stepper motor, or other loads such as relays. A simple PWM interface allows an easy interface with the controller. The DRV8847 device operates off a single power supply and supports a wide input supply range from 2.7 to 18 V.

The output stage of the driver consists of N-channel power MOSFETs configured as two full H-bridges to drive motor windings or four independent half bridges (in an independent bridge interface). A fixed off time controls the peak current in the bridge which can drive a 1-A load (2-A in parallel mode with proper heat sinking, at  $25^\circ\text{C } T_A$ ).

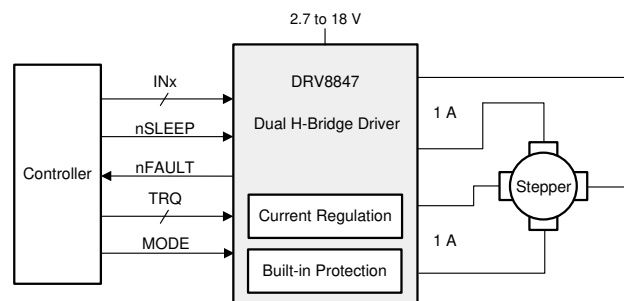
A low-power sleep mode is provided to achieve a low quiescent current draw by shutting down much of the internal circuitry. Additionally, a torque scalar is provided which dynamically scales the output current through a digital input pin. This feature lets the controller decrease the current required for lower power consumption.

Internal protection functions are provided for undervoltage-lockout, overcurrent protection on each FET, short circuit protection, open-load detection, and overtemperature. Fault conditions are indicated by the nFAULT pin. The I<sup>2</sup>C device variant (DRV8847S) has detailed diagnostics.

### Device Information<sup>(1)</sup>

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
DRV8847	HTSSOP (16)	5.00 mm × 4.40 mm
	TSSOP (16)	5.00 mm × 4.40 mm
	WQFN (16)	3.00 mm × 3.00 mm
DRV8847S	TSSOP (16)	5.00 mm × 4.40 mm
DRV88471	WQFN (16)	3.00 mm × 3.00 mm

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the data sheet.



**Simplified Schematic**



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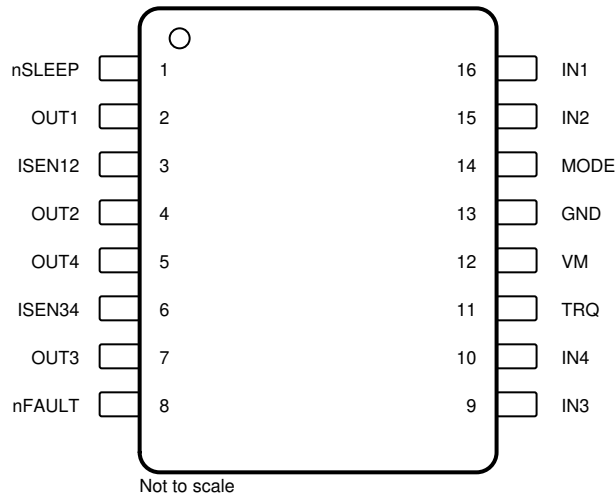
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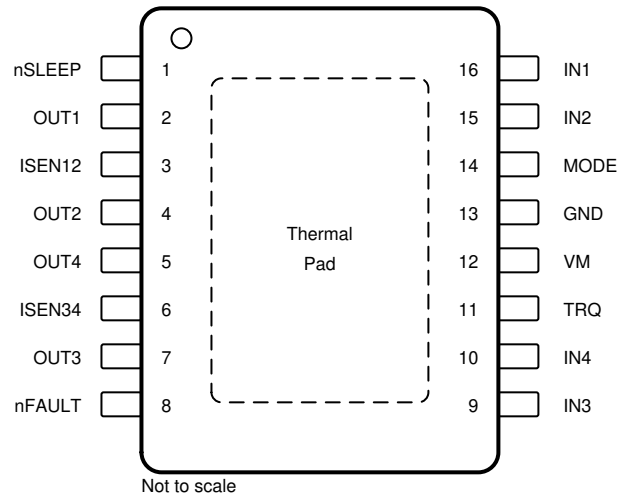
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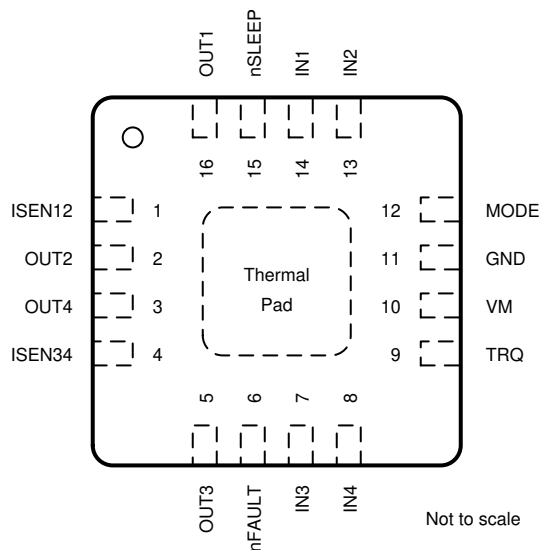
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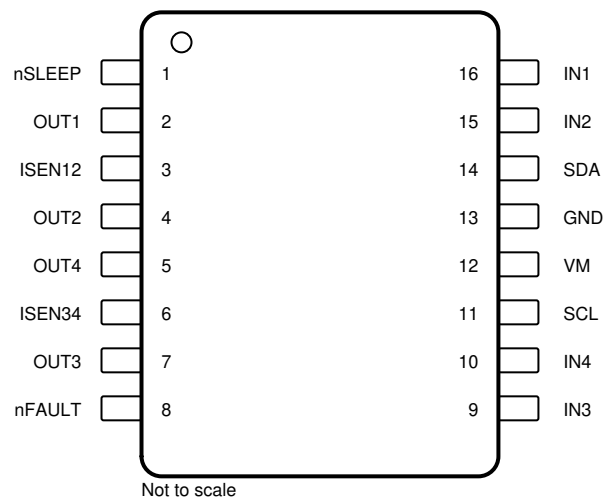
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**Figure 5-2. DRV8847 PWP PowerPAD™ Package 16-Pin HTSSOP Top View**



**Figure 5-3. DRV8847 RTE Package 16-Pin WQFN With Exposed Thermal Pad Top View**

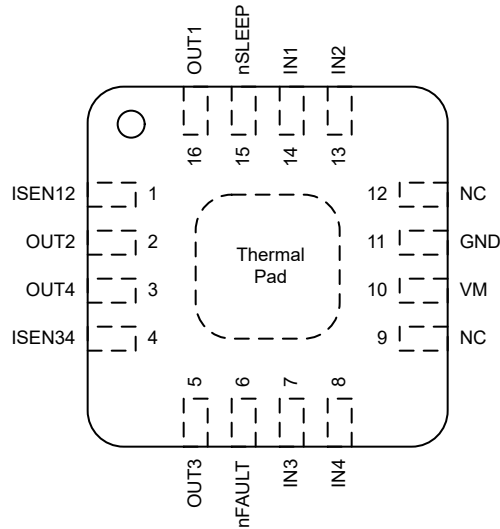


**Figure 5-4. DRV8847S PW Package 16-Pin TSSOP Top View**

**Table 5-1. Pin Functions**

NAME	PIN			TYPE <sup>(1)</sup>	DESCRIPTION
	DRV8847		DRV8847S		
	TSSOP HTSSOP	WQFN	TSSOP		
GND	13	11	13	PWR	Device ground. Recommended to connect the GND pin and device thermal pad (HTSSOP and WQFN packages) to ground
IN1	16	14	16	I	Half-bridge input 1
IN2	15	13	15	I	Half-bridge input 2
IN3	9	7	9	I	Half-bridge input 3
IN4	10	8	10	I	Half-bridge input 4
ISEN12	3	1	3	O	Full-bridge-12 sense. Connect this pin to the current sense resistor for full-bridge-12. Connect this pin to the GND pin if current regulation is not required.
ISEN34	6	4	6	O	Full-bridge-34 sense. Connect this pin to the to current sense resistor for full-bridge-34. Connect this pin to the GND pin if current regulation is not required.
MODE	14	12	—	I	Tri-state pin for selection of driver operating mode
nFAULT	8	6	8	OD / I	Fault indication pin. This pin is pulled logic low with a fault condition. This open-drain output requires an external pullup resistor. This pin is also used as an input pin for the DRV8847S device for releasing the I <sup>2</sup> C bus.
nSLEEP	1	15	1	I	Sleep mode input. Set this pin to logic high to enable the device. Set this pin to logic low to go to low-power sleep mode
OUT1	2	16	2	O	Half-bridge output 1
OUT2	4	2	4	O	Half-bridge output 2
OUT3	7	5	7	O	Half-bridge output 3
OUT4	5	3	5	O	Half-bridge output 4
SCL	—	—	11	I	I <sup>2</sup> C clock signal.
SDA	—	—	14	OD	I <sup>2</sup> C data signal. The SDA pin requires a pullup resistor.
TRQ	11	9	—	I	Torque current scalar
VM	12	10	12	PWR	Power supply. Connect the VM pin to the motor power supply. Bypass this pin to ground with a VM-rated 0.1- $\mu$ F (ceramic) and 10- $\mu$ F (minimum) capacitor.

(1) I = input, O = output, OD = open-drain output, PWR = power



**Figure 5-5. DRV88471 RTE Package 16-Pin WQFN With Exposed Thermal Pad Top View**

**Table 5-2. New Pin Functions**

PIN		TYPE <sup>(1)</sup>	DESCRIPTION
DRV8471 WQFN	NO.		
GND	11	PWR	Device ground. Recommended to connect the GND pin and device thermal pad to ground
IN1	14	I	Half-bridge input 1
IN2	13	I	Half-bridge input 2
IN3	7	I	Half-bridge input 3
IN4	8	I	Half-bridge input 4
ISEN12	1	O	Full-bridge-12 sense. Connect this pin to the current sense resistor for full-bridge-12. Connect this pin to the GND pin if current regulation is not required.
ISEN34	4	O	Full-bridge-34 sense. Connect this pin to the to current sense resistor for full-bridge-34. Connect this pin to the GND pin if current regulation is not required.
NC	9	-	No connect
NC	12	-	No connect
nFAULT	6	OD	Fault indication pin. This pin is pulled logic low with a fault condition. This open-drain output requires an external pullup resistor.
nSLEEP	15	I	Sleep mode input. Set this pin to logic high to enable the device. Set this pin to logic low to go to low-power sleep mode.
OUT1	16	O	Half-bridge output 1
OUT2	2	O	Half-bridge output 2
OUT3	5	O	Half-bridge output 3
OUT4	3	O	Half-bridge output 4
VM	10	PWR	Power supply. Connect the VM pin to the motor power supply. Bypass this pin to ground with a VM-rated 0.1-μF (ceramic) and 10-μF (minimum) capacitor.

(1) I = input, O = output, OD = open-drain output, PWR = power

## 6 Specifications

### 6.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating ambient temperature range (unless otherwise noted)<sup>(1)</sup>

	MIN	MAX	UNIT
Power supply pin voltage (VM)	-0.3	20	V
Power supply voltage ramp rate (VM)	0	2	V/μs
Digital pin voltage (IN1, IN2, IN3, IN4, TRQ, nSLEEP, nFAULT, SCL, SDA)	-0.3	5.75	V
Continuous phase node pin voltage (OUT1, OUT2, OUT3, OUT4)	-0.7	VM + 0.6	V
Shunt amplifier input pin voltage (ISEN12, ISEN34) <sup>(2)</sup>	-0.6	0.6	V
Peak drive current (OUT1, OUT2, OUT3, OUT4), V <sub>VM</sub> ≤ 16.5 V <sup>(3)</sup>	Internally Limited		A
Peak drive current (OUT1, OUT2, OUT3, OUT4), V <sub>VM</sub> > 16.5 V <sup>(3)</sup>	0	4	A
Ambient temperature, T <sub>A</sub>	-40	125	°C
Junction temperature, T <sub>J</sub>	-40	150	°C
Storage temperature, T <sub>stg</sub>	-65	150	°C

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under *Absolute Maximum Rating* 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 Condition*. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- (2) Transients of ±1 V for less than 25 ns are acceptable.
- (3) Power dissipation and thermal limits must be observed.

### 6.2 ESD Ratings

		VALUE	UNIT
V <sub>(ESD)</sub>	Electrostatic discharge	Human body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/ JEDEC JS-001, all pins <sup>(1)</sup>	±4000
		Charged device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101, all pins <sup>(2)</sup>	±500

- (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.

### 6.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

Over operating ambient temperature range (unless otherwise noted). Typical limits apply for T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C and V<sub>VM</sub> = 12 V.

		MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
V <sub>VM</sub>	Power supply voltage (VM)	2.7		18	V
V <sub>IN</sub>	Logic input voltage (IN1, IN2, IN3, IN4, TRQ, nSLEEP, SCL, SDA)	0		5	V
I <sub>RMS</sub>	Motor RMS current per bridge (OUT1, OUT2, OUT3, OUT4)	0		1 <sup>(1)</sup>	A
f <sub>PWM</sub>	PWM frequency (IN1, IN2, IN3, IN4)	0		250 <sup>(1)</sup>	kHz
V <sub>OD</sub>	Open drain pullup voltage (nFAULT)	0		5	V
I <sub>OD</sub>	Open drain output current (nFAULT)	0		5	mA
T <sub>A</sub>	Operating Ambient Temperature	-40		85	°C
T <sub>J</sub>	Operating Junction Temperature	-40		150	°C

- (1) Power dissipation and thermal limits must be observed. Dependent on the package thermal performance.

### 6.4 Thermal Information

THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup>		DRV8847, DRV8847S	DRV8847	DRV8847	UNIT
		PW (TSSOP)	PWP (HTSSOP)	RTE (QFN)	
		16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	
R <sub>θ JA</sub>	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	107.9	46.5	46.4	°C/W

THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup>		DRV8847, DRV8847S	DRV8847	DRV8847	UNIT
		PW (TSSOP)	PWP (HTSSOP)	RTE (QFN)	
		16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	
R <sub>θJC(top)</sub>	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	38.5	40.1	47.5	°C/W
R <sub>θJB</sub>	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	54.2	18.8	21.2	°C/W
Ψ <sub>JT</sub>	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	3.1	1.3	0.9	°C/W
Ψ <sub>JB</sub>	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	53.6	19.0	21.3	°C/W
R <sub>θJC(bot)</sub>	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	N/A	5.9	6.1	°C/W

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

## 6.5 Electrical Characteristics

Over recommended operating conditions unless otherwise noted. Typical limits apply for T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C and V<sub>VM</sub> = 12 V.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
<b>POWER SUPPLIES (VM)</b>						
I <sub>VM</sub>	VM operating supply current	VM = 2.7 V; nSLEEP = 1; INX = 0		2	2.5	mA
		VM = 5 V; nSLEEP = 1; INX = 0		3	3.5	mA
		VM = 12 V; nSLEEP = 1; INX = 0		3	3.5	mA
I <sub>VMQ</sub>	VM sleep mode current	VM = 2.7 V; nSLEEP = 0; TA = 25°C		0.1		μA
		VM = 2.7 V; nSLEEP = 0; TA = 85°C			0.5	μA
		VM = 5 V; nSLEEP = 0; TA = 25°C		0.2		μA
		VM = 5 V; nSLEEP = 0; TA = 85°C			1	μA
		VM = 12 V; nSLEEP = 0; TA = 25°C		1.7		μA
		VM = 12 V; nSLEEP = 0; TA = 85°C			2.5	μA
t <sub>SLEEP</sub>	Sleep time	nSLEEP = 0 to sleep mode		2		μs
t <sub>WAKE</sub>	Wake-up time	nSLEEP = 1 to output transition			1.5	ms
t <sub>ON</sub>	Turnon-time	VM > UVLO to output transition (nSLEEP = 1)			1.5	ms
<b>LOGIC-LEVEL INPUTS (IN1, IN2, IN3, IN4, NSLEEP, TRQ, SCL, SDA)</b>						
V <sub>IL</sub>	Input logic low voltage	VM < 7 V	0		0.6	V
		VM ≥ 7 V <sup>(1)</sup>	0		1.0	V
V <sub>IH</sub>	Input logic high voltage		1.6		5.5	V
V <sub>HYS</sub>	Input logic hysteresis	nSLEEP pin	40			mV
V <sub>HYS</sub>	Input logic hysteresis	IN1, IN2, IN3, IN4, TRQ, SCL pins	100			mV
V <sub>IL</sub>	nSLEEP		0		0.6	V
V <sub>IH</sub>	nSLEEP		1.6		5.5	V
V <sub>HYS</sub>	nSLEEP		40			mV
I <sub>IL</sub>	Input logic low current	V <sub>IN</sub> = 0 V	-1		1	μA
I <sub>IH</sub>	Input logic high current	IN1, IN2, IN3, IN4, TRQ, V <sub>IN</sub> = 5 V	18		35	μA
		nSLEEP, V <sub>IN</sub> = minimum (VM, 5 V)	10		25	μA
t <sub>PD</sub>	Propagation Delay	INx edge to output	100	400	600	ns
t <sub>DEGLITCH</sub>	Input logic deglitch			50		ns
<b>TRI-LEVEL INPUTS (MODE)</b>						
V <sub>IL</sub>	Tri-level input logic low voltage		0		0.6	V
V <sub>IZ</sub>	Tri-level input hi-Z voltage			1.2		V
V <sub>IH</sub>	Tri-level input logic high voltage		1.6		5.5	V
I <sub>IL</sub>	Tri-level input logic low current	V <sub>IN</sub> = 0 V	-9		-4	μA



Over recommended operating conditions unless otherwise noted. Typical limits apply for  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  and  $V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}$ .

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$I_{IH}$	Tri-level input logic high current	$V_{IN} = 5\text{ V}$	8		25	$\mu\text{A}$
<b>OPEN-DRAIN OUTPUTS (nFAULT)</b>						
$V_{OL}$	Output logic low voltage	$I_{OD} = 5\text{ mA}$			0.5	V
$I_{OH}$	Output logic high current	$V_{OD} = 3.3\text{ V}$	-1		1	$\mu\text{A}$
<b>OPEN-DRAIN OUTPUTS (SDA)</b>						
$V_{OL}$	Output logic low voltage	$I_{OD} = 5\text{ mA}$			0.5	V
$I_{OH}$	Output logic high current	$V_{OD} = 3.3\text{ V}$	-1		1	$\mu\text{A}$
$C_B$	Capacitive load for each bus line				400	pF
<b>DRIVER OUTPUTS (OUT1, OUT2, OUT3, OUT4)</b>						
$R_{DS(ON)_HS}$	High-side MOSFET on resistance	$V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		690		m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$			950	m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 5\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		530		m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 5\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$			740	m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		520		m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$			700	m $\Omega$
$R_{DS(ON)_LS}$	Low-side MOSFET on resistance	$V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		570		m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$			900	m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 5\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		460		m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 5\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$			690	m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		450		m $\Omega$
		$V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}; T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$			680	m $\Omega$
$I_{OFF}$	Off-state leakage current	$V_{VM} = 5\text{ V}; T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}; V_{OUT} = 0\text{ V}$	-1		1	$\mu\text{A}$
$t_{RISE}$	Output rise time	$V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}$		150		ns
$t_{FALL}$	Output fall time	$V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}; I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}$		150		ns
$t_{DEAD}$	Output dead time	Internal dead time		200		ns
$V_{SD}$	Body diode forward voltage	$I_{OUT} = 0.5\text{ A}$		1.1		V
<b>PWM CURRENT CONTROL (ISEN12, SEN34)</b>						
$V_{TRIP}$	ISENxx trip voltage	Torque at 100% (TRQ = 0)	140	150	160	mV
		Torque at 50% (TRQ = 1)	63.75	75	86.25	mV
$t_{BLANK}$	Current sense blanking time			1.8		$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{OFF}$	Current control constant off time			20		$\mu\text{s}$
<b>PROTECTION CIRCUITS</b>						
$V_{UVLO}$	Supply undervoltage lockout	Supply rising			2.7	V
		Supply falling	2.4			V
$V_{UVLO\_HYS}$	Supply undervoltage hysteresis	Rising to falling threshold		50		mV
$t_{UVLO}$	Supply undervoltage deglitch time	VM falling; UVLO report		10		$\mu\text{s}$
$I_{OCP}$	Overcurrent protection trip point <sup>(2)</sup>		1.6	2		A
$t_{OCP}$	Overcurrent protection deglitch time	$V_{VM} < 15\text{ V}$		3		$\mu\text{s}$
		$V_{VM} \geq 15\text{ V}$		1		$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{RETRY}$	Overcurrent protection retry time			1		ms
$I_{OL\_PU}$	Open load pull up current	$< 15\text{ nF}$ on OUTx Pin, $V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}$		100		$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OL\_PU}$	Open load pull-up current	$< 15\text{ nF}$ on OUTx Pin		200		$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OL\_PD}$	Open load pull down current	$< 15\text{ nF}$ on OUTx Pin, $V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}$		130		$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OL\_PD}$	Open load pull-down current	$< 15\text{ nF}$ on OUTx Pin		230		$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OL}$	Open load pull up and pull down current			230		$\mu\text{A}$

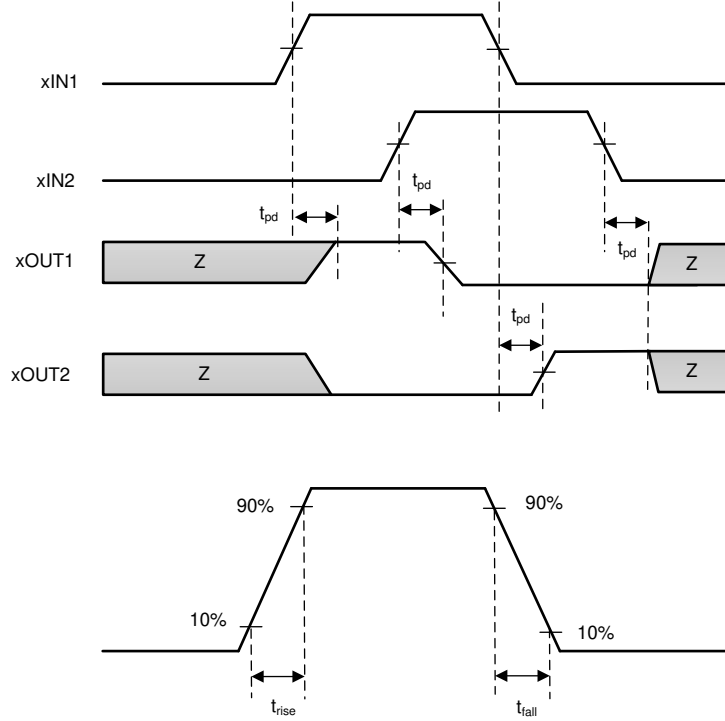
Over recommended operating conditions unless otherwise noted. Typical limits apply for  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  and  $V_{VM} = 12\text{ V}$ .

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$V_{OL\_HS}$	Open load detect threshold (high side)	$V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}$		1.3		V
$V_{OL\_HS}$	Open load detect threshold (high side)			2.3		V
$V_{OL\_LS}$	Open load detect threshold (low side)	$V_{VM} = 2.7\text{ V}$		0.67		V
$V_{OL\_LS}$	Open load detect threshold (low side)			1.2		V
$V_{OL}$	Open load detect threshold voltage			1.1		V
$T_{TSD}$	Thermal shutdown temperature		150	160	180	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_{HYS}$	Thermal shutdown hysteresis			40		$^\circ\text{C}$
$V_{b\_BJT\_27C}$	Base voltage of BJT in OTS (Testpad out at 12V supply)					

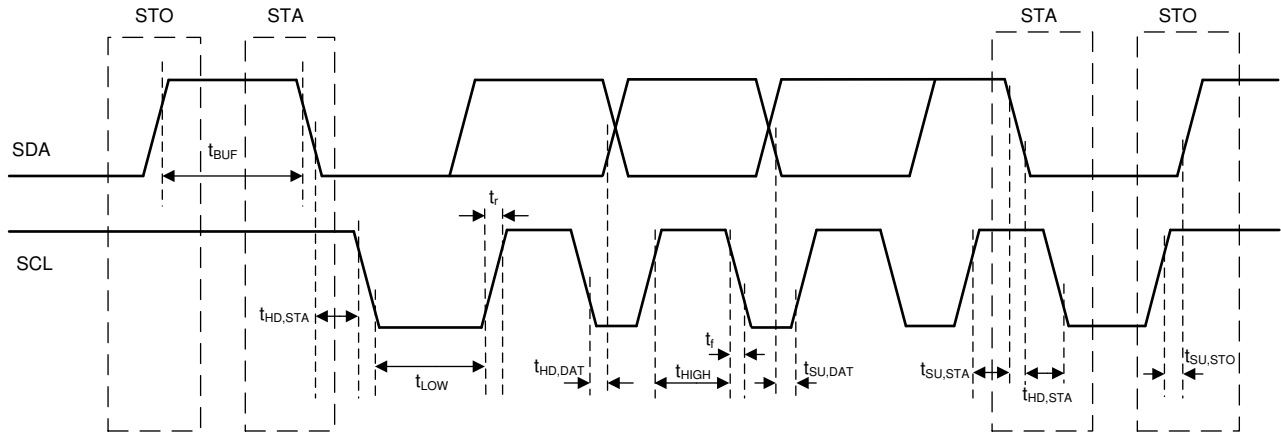
- (1) Specified by design and characterization  
 (2) For  $V_M > 16.5\text{ V}$ , the output current on OUTx must be limited to 4 A

## 6.6 I2C Timing Requirements

		MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
<b>STANDARD MODE</b>					
$f_{SCL}$	SCL Clock frequency	0		100	kHz
$t_{HD,STA}$	Hold time (repeated) START condition. After this period, the first clock pulse is generated	4			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{LOW}$	LOW period of the SCL clock	4.7			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{HIGH}$	HIGH period of the SCL clock	4			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{SU,STA}$	Setup time for a repeated START condition	4.7			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{HD,DAT}$	Data hold time: For I2C bus devices	0		3.45	$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{SU,DAT}$	Data set-up time	250			ns
$t_R$	SDA and SCL rise time			1000	ns
$t_F$	SDA and SCL fall time			300	ns
$t_{SU,STO}$	Set-up time for STOP condition	4			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{BUF}$	Bus free time between a STOP and START condition	4.7			$\mu\text{s}$
<b>FAST MODE</b>					
$f_{SCL}$	SCL Clock frequency	0		400	kHz
$t_{HD,STA}$	Hold time (repeated) START condition. After this period, the first clock pulse is generated	0.6			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{LOW}$	LOW period of the SCL clock	1.3			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{HIGH}$	HIGH period of the SCL clock	0.6			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{SU,STA}$	Setup time for a repeated START condition	0.6			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{HD,DAT}$	Data hold time: For I2C bus devices	0		0.9	$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{SU,DAT}$	Data set-up time	250			ns
$t_R$	SDA and SCL rise time			300	ns
$t_F$	SDA and SCL fall time			300	ns
$t_{SU,STO}$	Set-up time for STOP condition	0.6			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{BUF}$	Bus free time between a STOP and START condition	1.3			$\mu\text{s}$
$t_{SP}$	Pulse width of spikes to be suppressed by input noise filter		50		ns

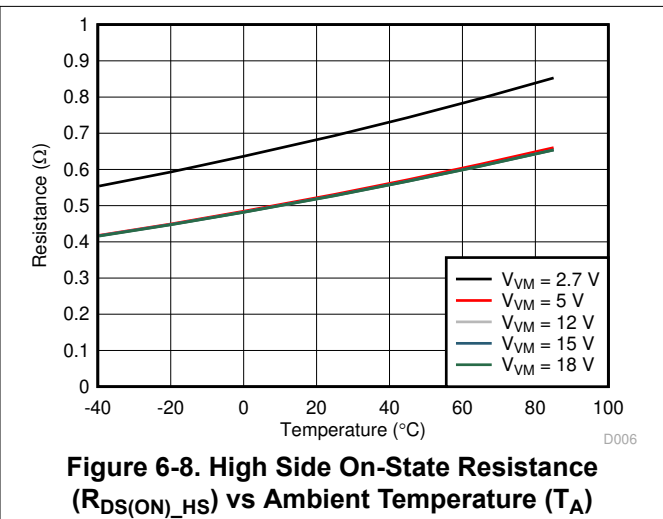
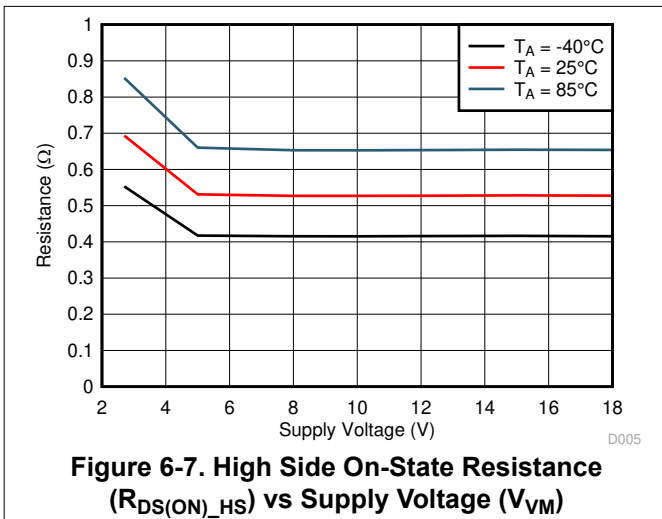
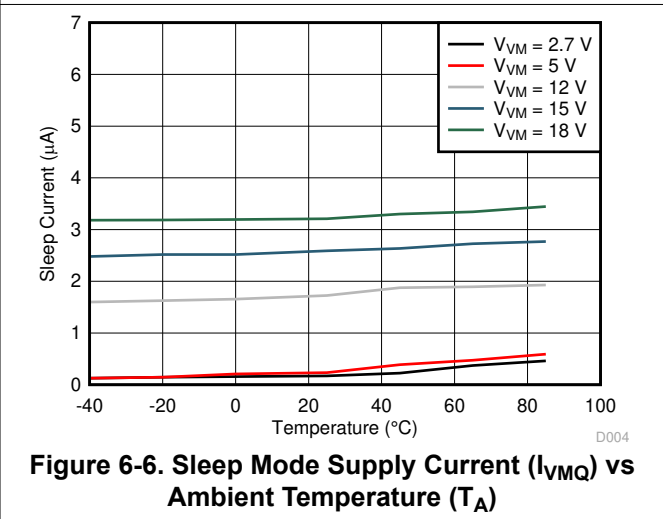
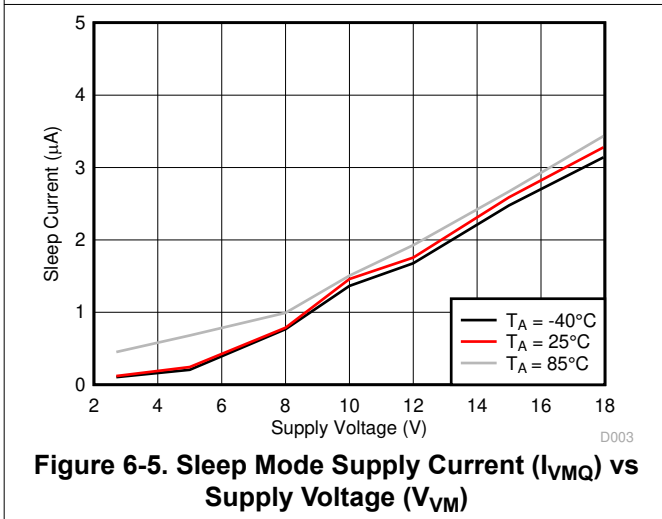
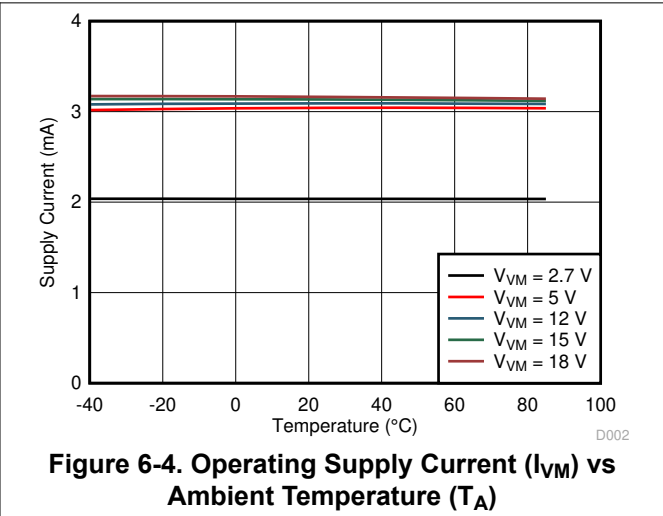
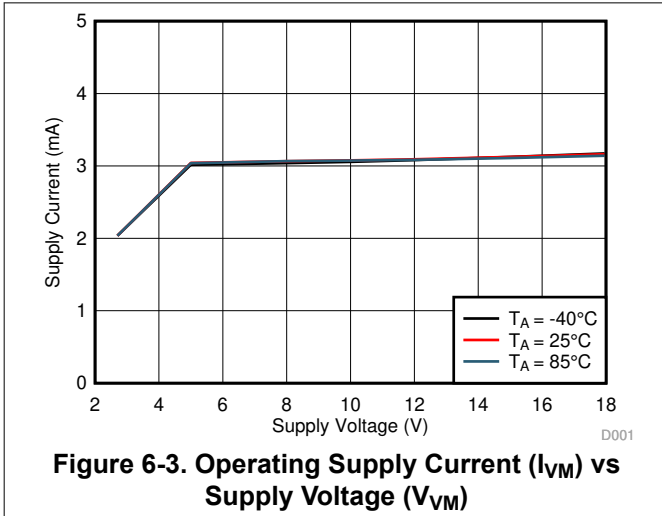


**Figure 6-1. Timing Diagram**



**Figure 6-2. I<sup>2</sup>C Timing Diagram**

### 6.7 Typical Characteristics



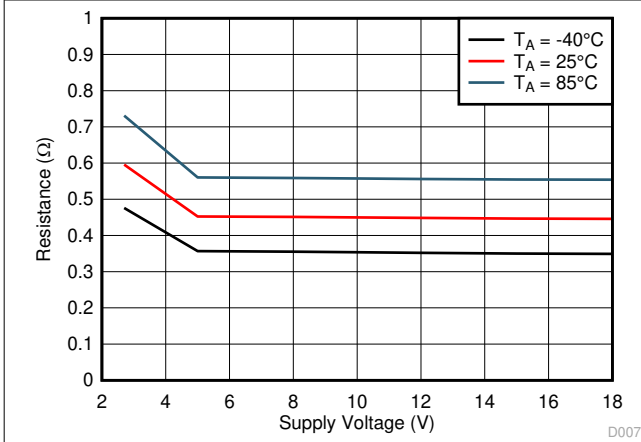


Figure 6-9. Low Side On-State Resistance ( $R_{DS(ON)_LS}$ ) vs Supply Voltage ( $V_{VM}$ )

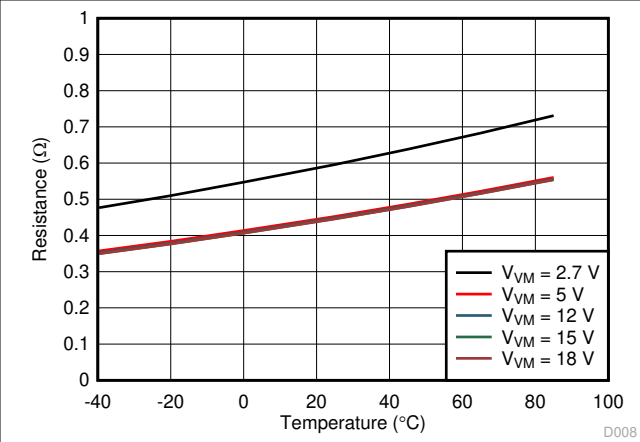


Figure 6-10. Low Side On-State Resistance ( $R_{DS(ON)_LS}$ ) vs Ambient Temperature ( $T_A$ )

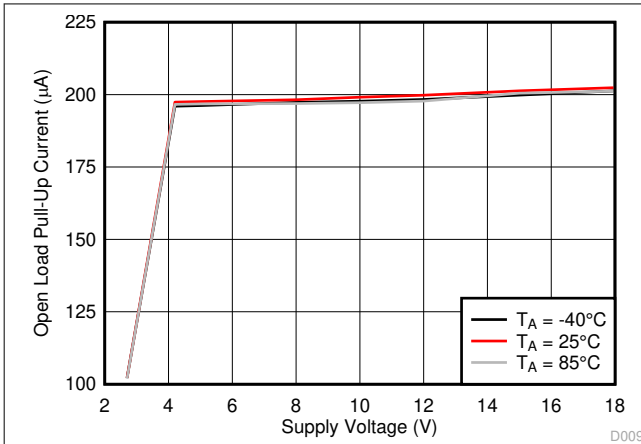


Figure 6-11. Open Load Pull-Up Current ( $I_{OL\_PU}$ ) vs Supply Voltage ( $V_{VM}$ )

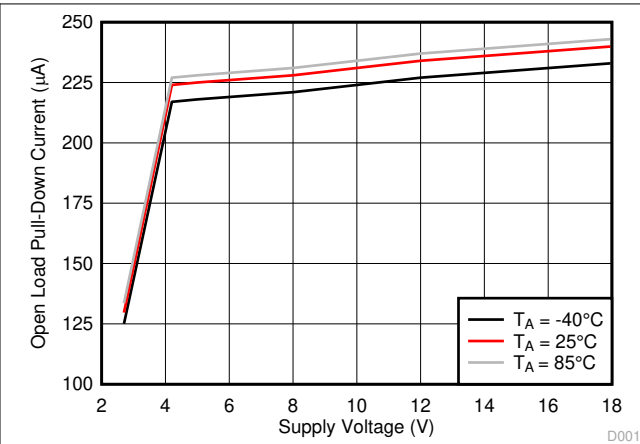


Figure 6-12. Open Load Pull-Down Current ( $I_{OL\_PD}$ ) vs Supply Voltage ( $V_{VM}$ )

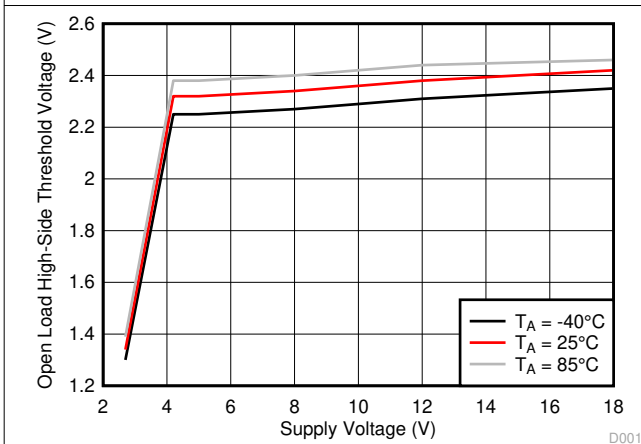


Figure 6-13. Open Load High-Side Threshold Voltage ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ) vs Supply Voltage ( $V_{VM}$ )

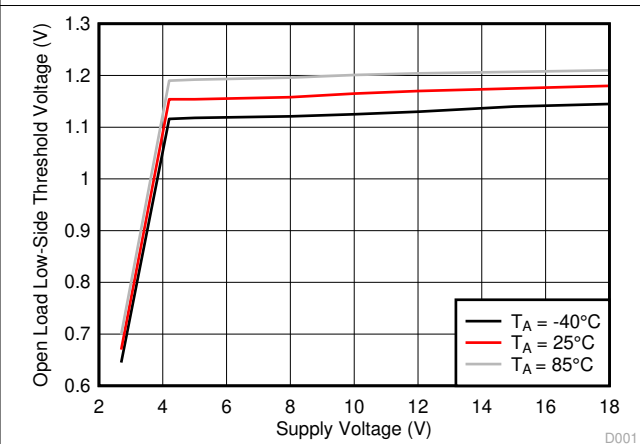


Figure 6-14. Open Load Low-Side Threshold Voltage ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ) vs Supply Voltage ( $V_{VM}$ )

## 7 Detailed Description

### 7.1 Overview

The DRV8847 device is an integrated 2.7-V to 18-V dual motor driver for industrial brushed and stepper motor applications. This driver can drive two DC motors, a bipolar stepper motor, or the solenoid loads. The device integrates two H-bridges that use NMOS low-side and high-side drivers and current-sense regulation circuitry. The DRV8847 device supports a high output current of 1-A RMS per H-bridge using low- $R_{DS(ON)}$  integrated MOSFETs.

A simple PWM interface option allows easy interfacing with the H-bridge outputs. The interface options can be configured using the MODE and IN3 pins in the DRV8847 device. The interface options can be configured through an I<sup>2</sup>C interface in the I<sup>2</sup>C device variant (DRV8847S).

The current regulation uses a fixed off-time ( $t_{OFF}$ ) PWM scheme. The trip point for current regulation is controlled by the value of the sense resistor and fixed internal  $V_{TRIP}$  value.

A low-power sleep mode is included which lets the system save power when not driving the motor.

The DRV8847 device is available in three different packages:

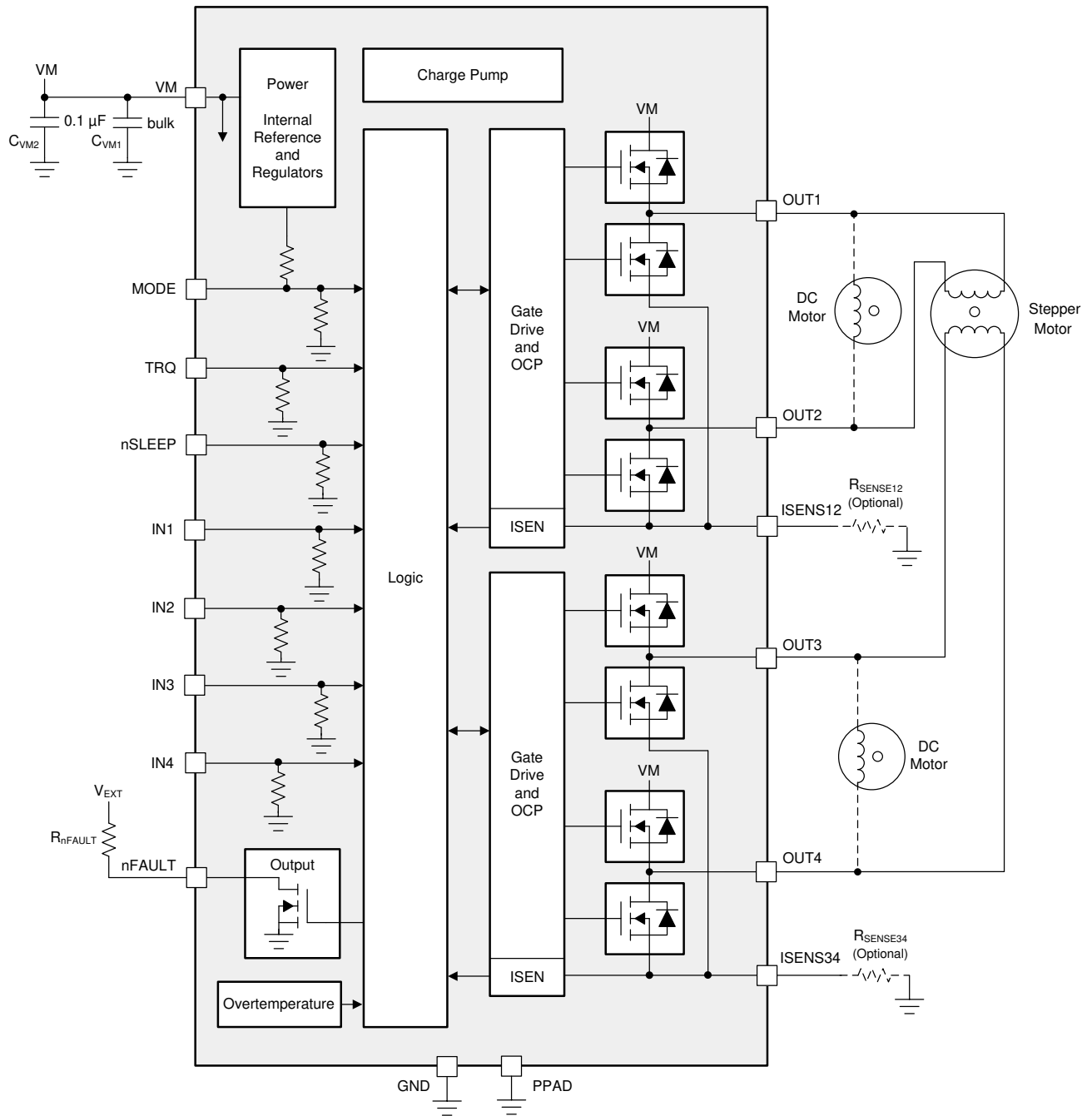
- 16-pin TSSOP (no thermal pad)
- 16 pin HTSSOP (PowerPAD)
- 16 pin WQFN (thermal pad)

The I<sup>2</sup>C variant of the DRV8847 device is also available for a detailed diagnostics requirement and multi-slave operation with multi-slave operation control over the I<sup>2</sup>C bus.

The DRV8847S device variant is available in one package which is the 16-pin TSSOP (no thermal pad).

The DRV8847 device has a broad range of integrated protection features. These features include power supply undervoltage lockout, open-load detection, overcurrent faults, and thermal shutdown.

## 7.2 Functional Block Diagram



**Figure 7-1. Block Diagram for DRV8847**

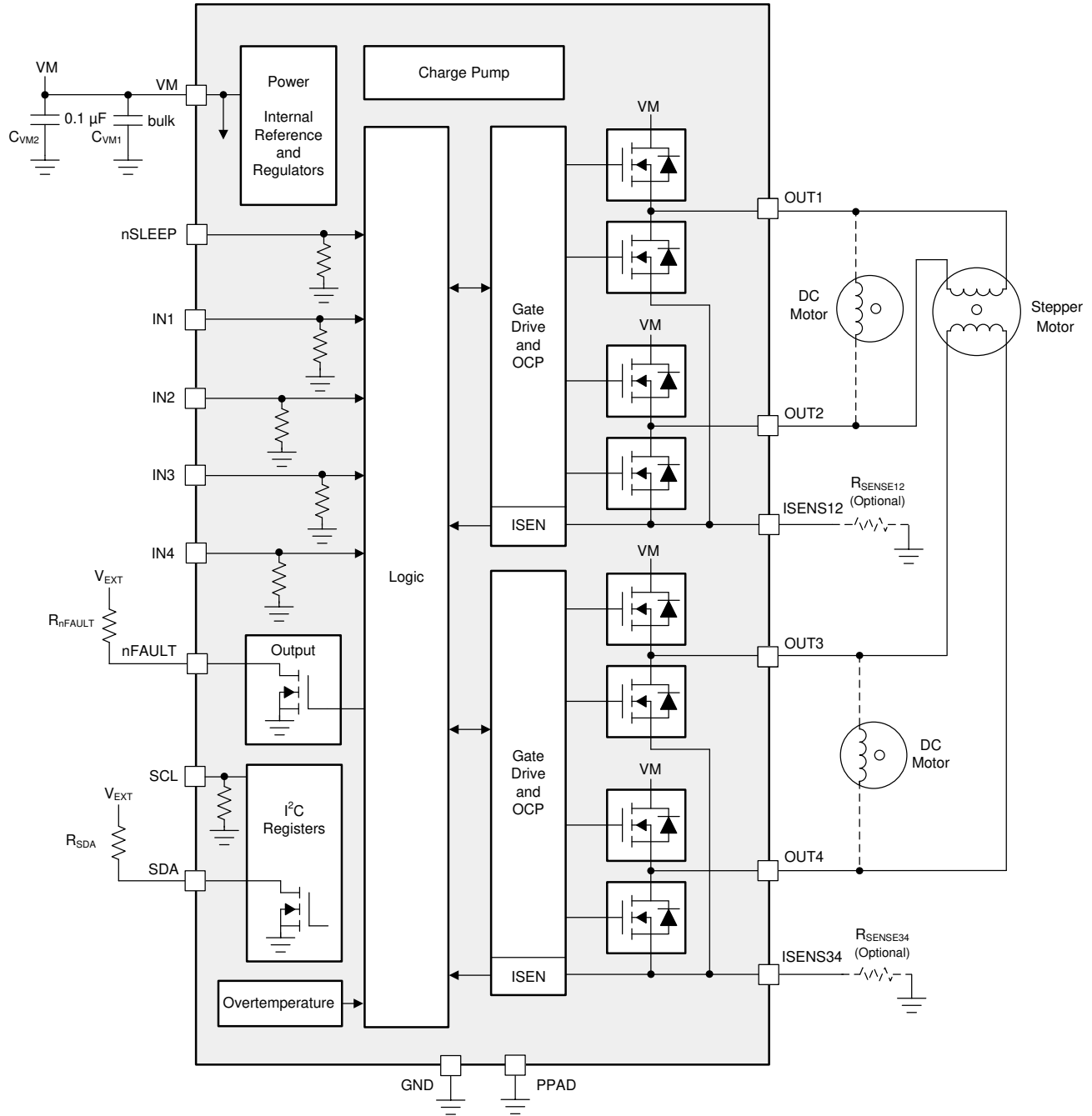


Figure 7-2. Block Diagram for DRV8847S



### 7.3 Feature Description

Table 7-1 lists the recommended values of the external components for the gate driver.

**Table 7-1. DRV8847 External Components**

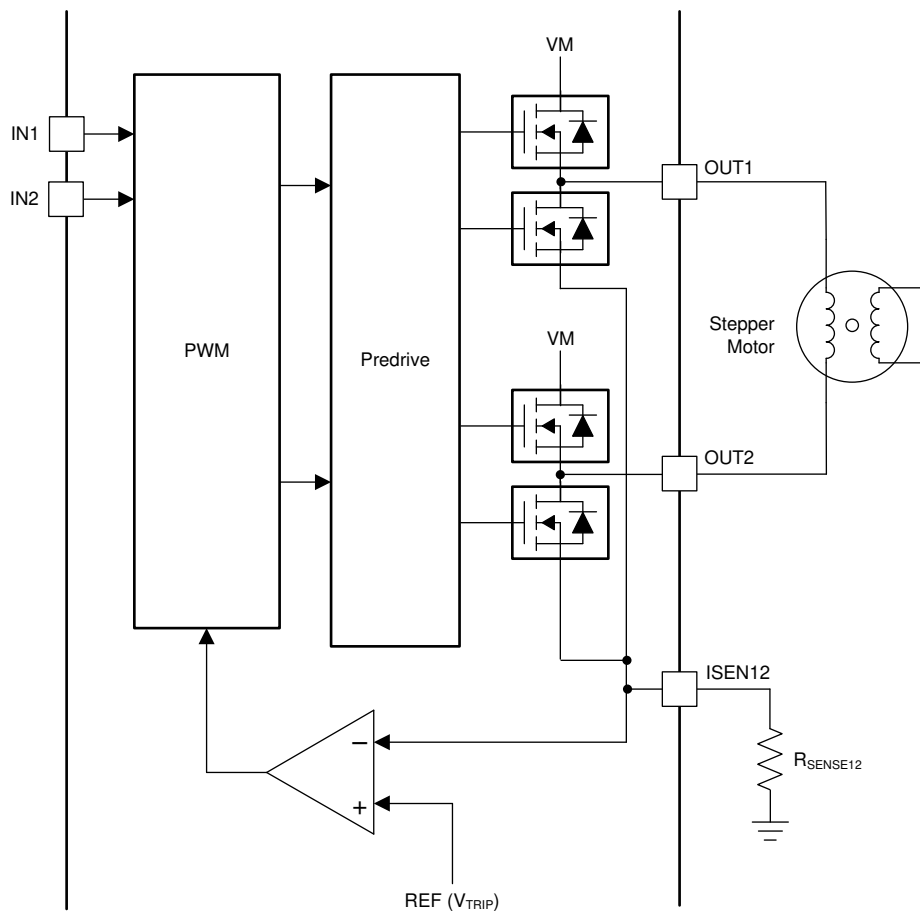
COMPONENT	PIN 1	PIN 2	RECOMMENDED
C <sub>VM1</sub>	VM	GND	10- $\mu$ F (minimum) VM-rated capacitor
C <sub>VM2</sub>	VM	GND	0.1- $\mu$ F VM-rated ceramic capacitor
R <sub>nFAULT</sub>	VEXT <sup>(1)</sup>	nFAULT	>1 k $\Omega$
R <sub>ISEN12</sub>	ISEN12	GND	Sense resistor, see the <a href="#">Section 8.2</a> for sizing
R <sub>ISEN34</sub>	ISEN34	GND	Sense resistor, see the <a href="#">Section 8.2</a> for sizing

(1) VEXT is not a pin on the DRV8847 device, but a pullup resistor on the VEXT external supply voltage is required for the open-drain output, nFAULT.

#### 7.3.1 PWM Motor Drivers

The DRV8847 device has two identical H-bridge motor drivers with current-control PWM circuitry. Figure 7-3 shows a block diagram of the circuitry.

The two H-bridges can also be used as four independent half-bridges depending upon the interface option. The ISENxx pin can be only used together with two half-bridges.



**Figure 7-3. PWM Motor Driver Circuitry**

### 7.3.2 Bridge Operation

The full-bridge can operate in four different operating modes: forward, reverse, coast (fast decay), and brake (slow decay) operation.

#### 7.3.2.1 Forward Operation

This operating mode refers to the forward rotation of the motor such that the current flows from terminal A (OUT1 or OUT3) to terminal B (OUT2 or OUT4) as shown in Figure 7-4. In this mode, terminal A is connected to VM, and terminal B is connected to ground.

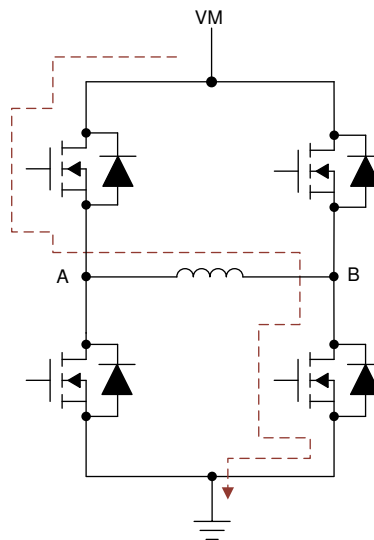


Figure 7-4. Forward Operation

#### 7.3.2.2 Reverse Operation

This operating mode refers to the reverse rotation of the motor such that the current flows from terminal B (OUT2 or OUT4) to terminal A (OUT1 or OUT3) as shown in Figure 7-5. In this mode, terminal A is connected to ground, and terminal B is connected to VM.

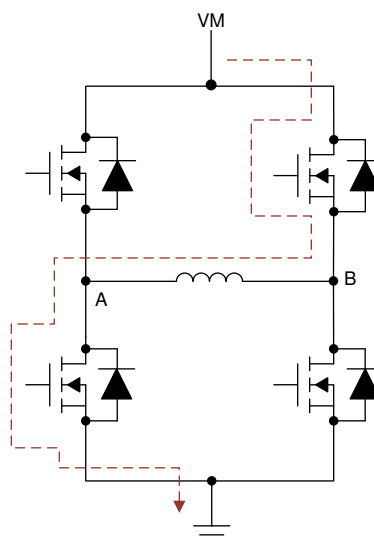
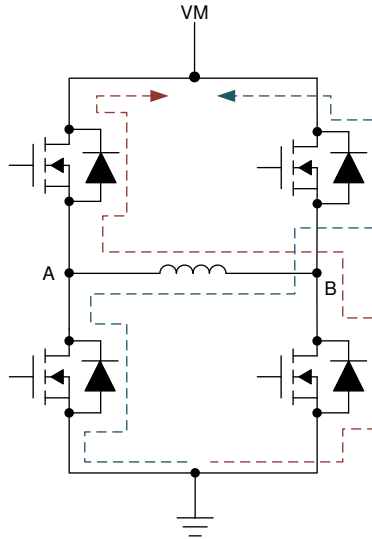


Figure 7-5. Reverse Operation

### 7.3.2.3 Coast Operation (Fast Decay)

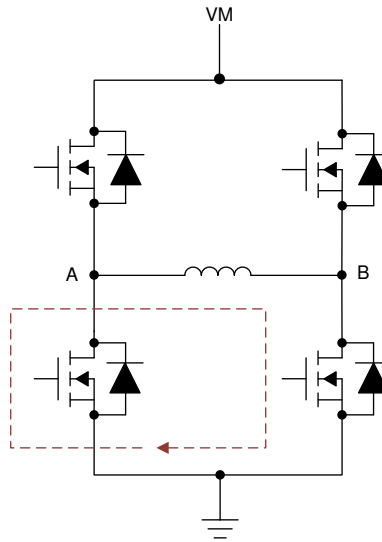
In this operating mode, all the FETs of the full-bridges are in the high impedance (Hi-Z) state. The motor also goes to the Hi-Z state, and the motor starts coasting. This operating mode also helps to decay the motor current faster and is therefore also referred to as a fast decay mode. If the motor was initially connected in forward operation (current flows from terminal A to terminal B) and if the coast operation is applied, then, because of the inductive nature of the motor load, the current continues to flow in the same direction (A to B), and the anti-parallel diodes of the alternate FETs start conducting as shown in [Figure 7-6](#). This flow of current through anti-parallel diodes lets the current decrease rapidly because of the higher negative potential created by the supply voltage, VM.



**Figure 7-6. Coast Operation (Fast Decay)**

### 7.3.2.4 Brake Operation (Slow Decay)

This operating mode is realized by switching on both of the low-side FETs of the full-bridge as shown in [Figure 7-7](#). A current circulation path is provided when both low-side FETs are turned on. Due to this circulation path, the current decays to the ground using the resistance of the motor and of the low-side FET. Because this current decay is less when compared to the coast operation because of the low potential difference, this mode is also referred to as the slow decay mode.



**Figure 7-7. Brake Operation (Slow Decay)**

### 7.3.3 Bridge Control

The DRV8847 device can be configured in four different operating modes depending on user requirements. The MODE and IN3 pins are used to configure the DRV8847 in one of the four different interfaces: a 4-pin interface, a 2-pin interface, a parallel bridge interface, and the independent bridge interface. Mode selection is done using the I<sup>2</sup>C registers in the DRV8847S device variant (see the [Section 7.5](#) section). [Table 7-2](#) lists the configurations to select the operating mode of the bridges.

**Note**

On the DRV88471, the bridge control mode is fixed to the 4-pin interface.

**Table 7-2. Bridge Mode Selection (DRV8847 Hardware Device Variant)**

nSLEEP	MODE	IN3	INTERFACE
0	X	X	Sleep mode
1	0	X	4-pin interface
1	1	0	2-pin interface
1	1	1	Parallel bridge interface
1	Z	X	Independent bridge interface

**Note**

The MODE pin is not latched during driver operation. Therefore, TI does not recommend connecting this pin to a controller to use at any time.

#### 7.3.3.1 4-Pin Interface

In the 4-pin interface, the DRV8847 device is configured to drive a stepper motor or two BDC motors with fully functional modes. To configure 4-pin interface operation, connect the MODE pin to ground and use the IN1, IN2, IN3, and IN4 pins to control the drivers. In this mode, the stepper or brushed DC motor can operate with all four modes (forward, reverse, coast, and brake mode) and the stepper motor can operate in either full-stepping mode or the non-circulating half-stepping mode. Sense resistors can be connected to the ISEN12 and ISEN34 pins for independent current regulation in bridge-12 and bridge-34 respectively.

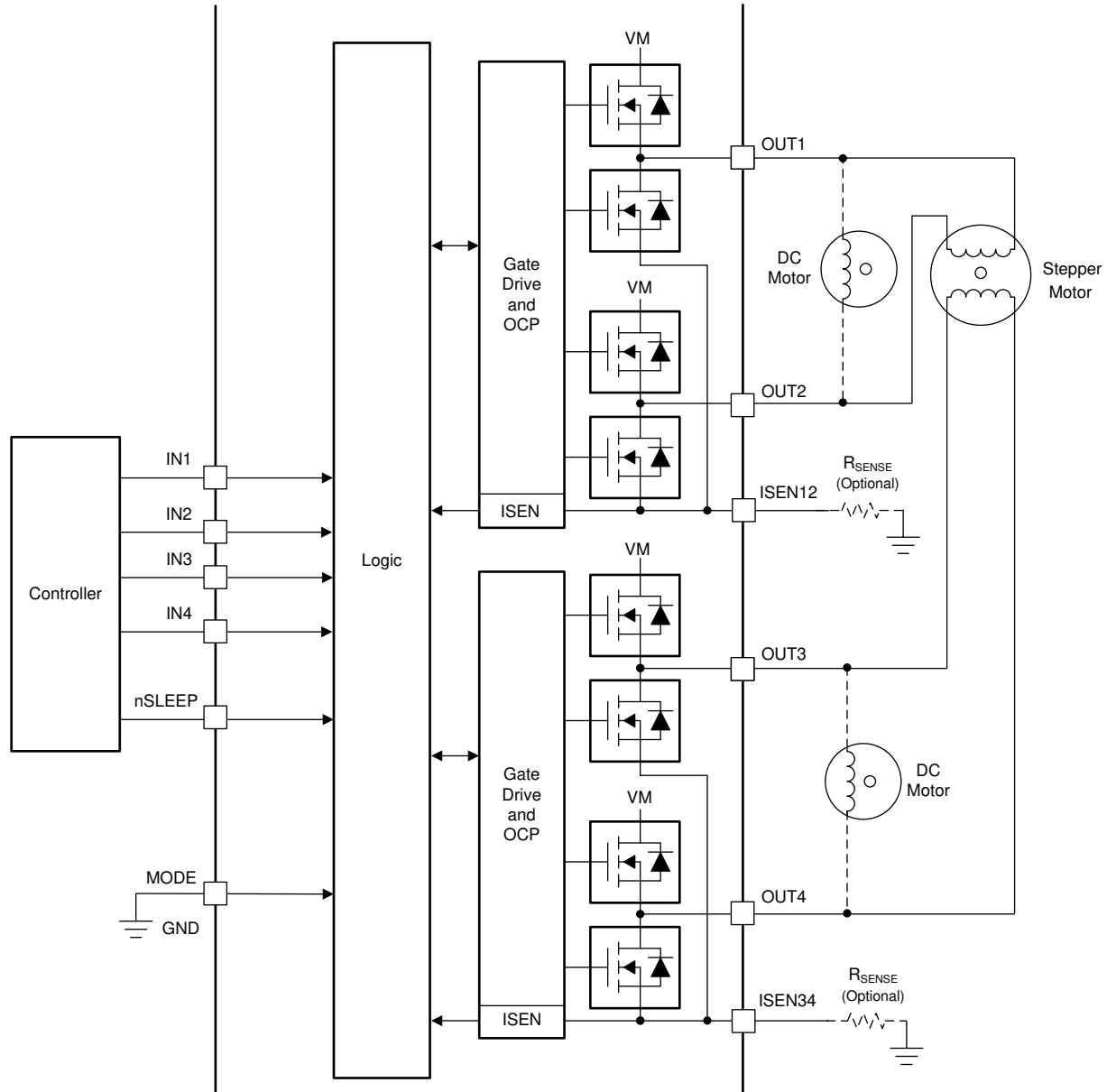
Use this interface option for the following loads:

- Stepper motor in full-stepping mode (with or without current regulation)
- Stepper motor in half-stepping mode (with or without current regulation)
- Single or dual BDC motor (with or without current regulation) with full functional BDC modes (forward, reverse, brake, and coast mode)

[Table 7-3](#) lists the configurations for 4-pin interface operation and [Figure 7-8](#) shows the application diagram for 4-pin interface operation.

**Table 7-3. 4-Pin Interface (MODE = 0)**

nSLEEP	IN1	IN2	IN3	IN4	OUT1	OUT2	OUT3	OUT4	FUNCTION (DC MOTOR)
0	X	X	X	X	Z	Z	Z	Z	Sleep mode
1	0	0			Z	Z			Motor coast (fast decay)
1	0	1			L	H			Reverse direction
1	1	0			H	L			Forward direction
1	1	1			L	L			Motor brake (slow decay)
1			0	0			Z	Z	Motor coast (fast decay)
1			0	1			L	H	Reverse direction
1			1	0			H	L	Forward direction
1			1	1			L	L	Motor brake (slow decay)



**Figure 7-8. 4-Pin Interface Operation**

**7.3.3.2 2-Pin Interface**

In the 2-pin interface, the DRV8847 device is configured to drive a stepper motor or two BDC motors with a lower number of control inputs from the microcontroller. To configure the 2-pin interface operation, connect the MODE pin to the external supply (3.3 V or 5 V), connect the IN3 pin to the ground, and use the IN1 and IN2 pins to control the driver. In this mode, the stepper or brushed DC motor operates in only two modes (forward mode and reverse mode) i.e. only full-step operation is supported for the stepper motor. This 2-pin interface is very useful for low GPIO applications such as refrigerator dampers. Sense resistors can be connected to the ISEN12 and ISEN34 pins for current regulation.

Use this interface option for the following loads:

- Stepper motor in full stepping mode (with or without current regulation)
- Single or dual BDC motor (with or without current regulation) with reduced functional BDC modes (forward and reverse mode only)

Table 7-4 lists the configurations for 2-pin interface operation and Figure 7-9 shows the application diagram for 2-pin interface operation.

Table 7-4. 2-Pin Interface (MODE = 1, IN3 = 0)

nSLEEP	IN1	IN2	IN3	IN4	OUT1	OUT2	OUT3	OUT4	FUNCTION (DC MOTOR)
0	X	X	X	X	Z	Z	Z	Z	Sleep mode
1	0		0	X	L	H			Reverse direction
1	1		0	X	H	L			Forward direction
1		0	0	X			L	H	Reverse direction
1		1	0	X			H	L	Forward direction

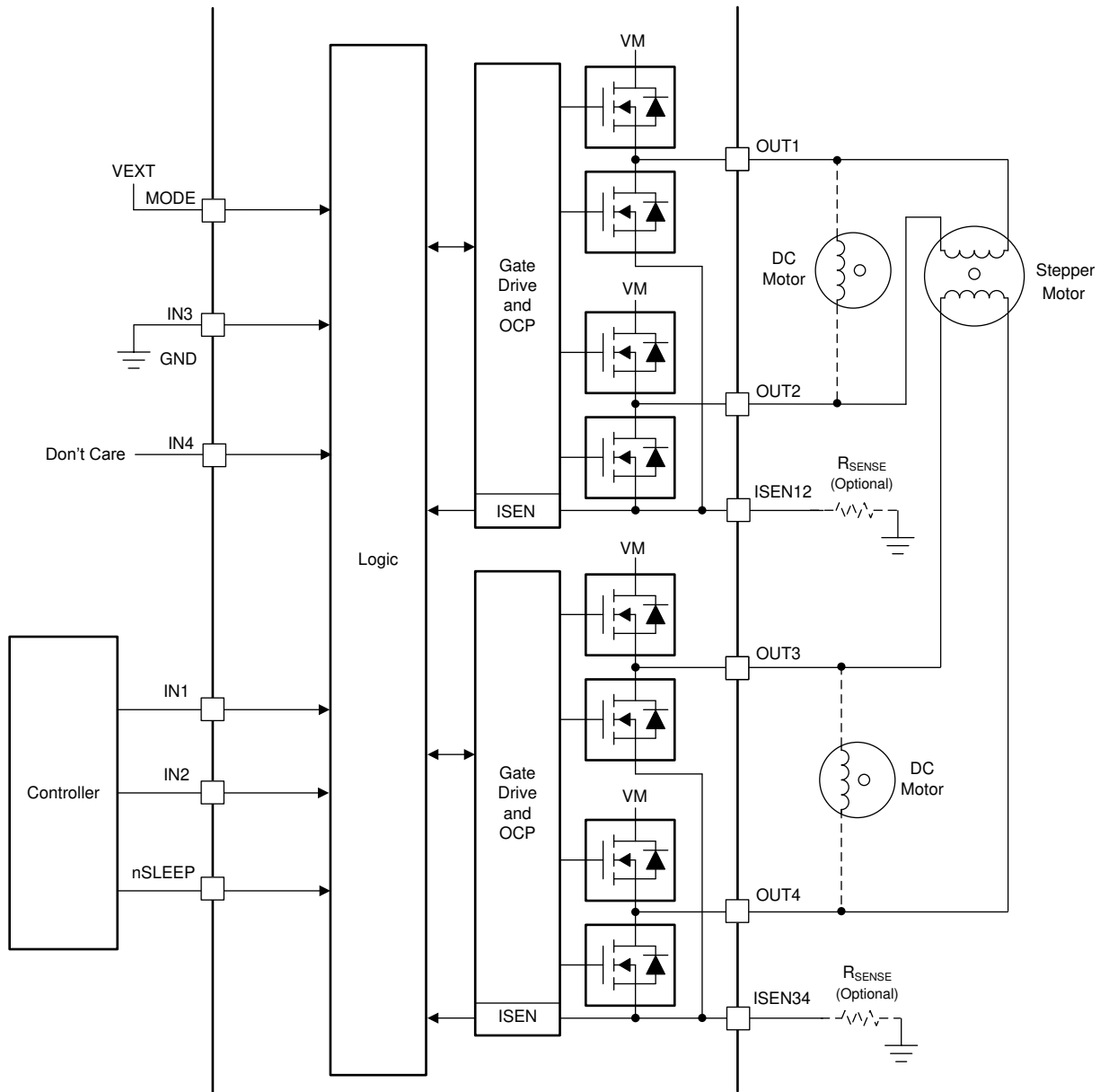


Figure 7-9. 2-Pin Interface Operation

### Note

In this mode, two of the OUTx pins are always 'ON' if the device is in a non-sleep state (nSLEEP = HIGH). Therefore, to completely de-energize the motor-coils connected to OUTx pins, the user has to pull-down the nSLEEP pin.

#### 7.3.3.3 Parallel Bridge Interface

In the parallel bridge interface, the DRV8847 device is configured to drive a higher current BDC motor by using the driver in parallel to deliver twice the motor current. To go to parallel bridge interface operation, connect the MODE and IN3 pins to the external supply (3.3 V or 5 V) and use the IN1 and IN2 pins to control the driver. This mode can deliver the full functionality of the BDC motor control with all four modes (forward, reverse, coast, and brake mode).

Use this interface option for the following loads:

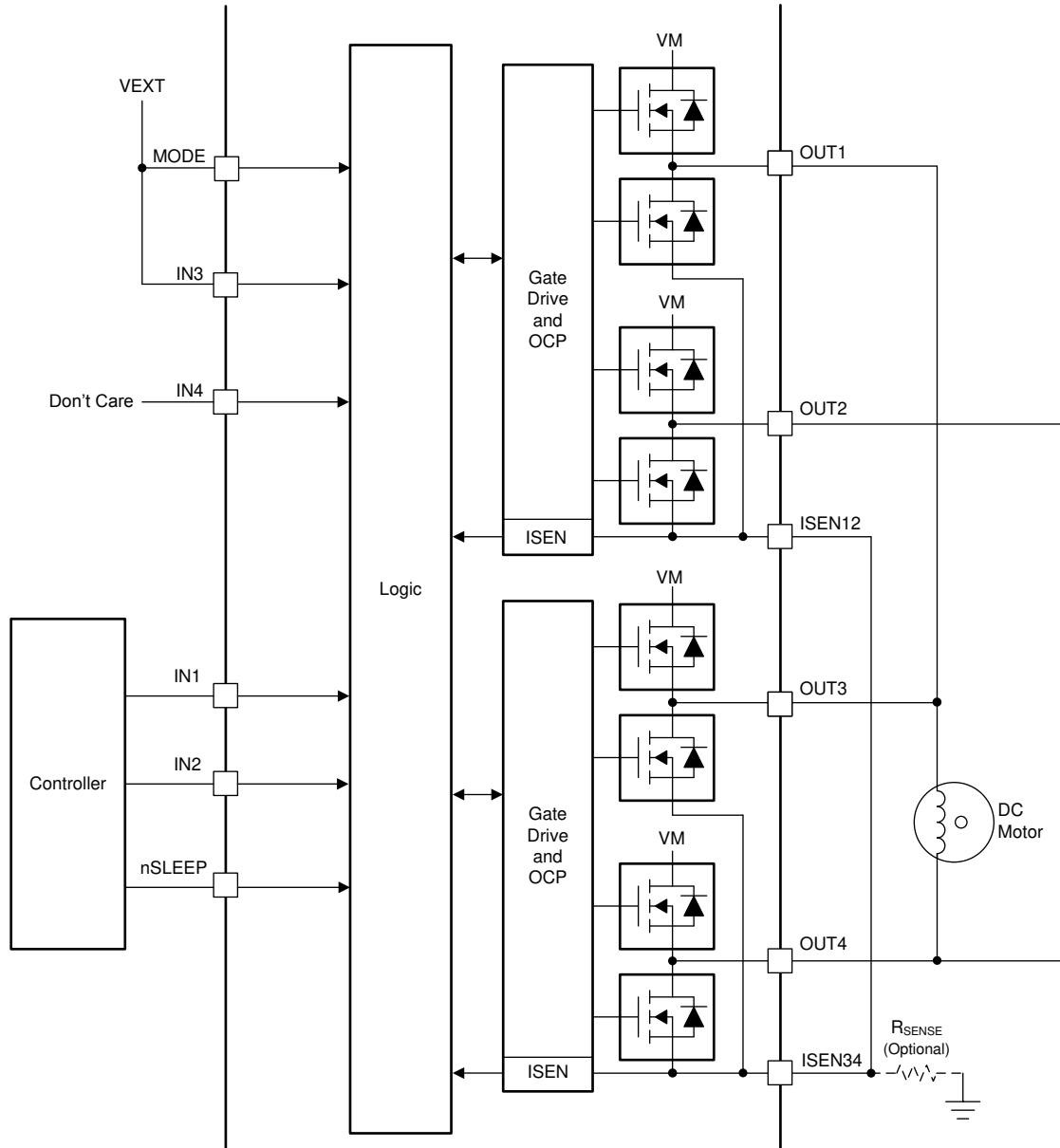
- One high current BDC motor (with or without current regulation) with full functional BDC modes (forward, reverse, brake, and coast mode)
- Two independent BDC motors operating together (with or without current regulation) with full functional BDC modes (forward, reverse, brake, and coast mode)

Table 7-5 lists the configurations for parallel bridge interface operation, and Figure 7-10 shows the application diagram for parallel bridge interface operation.

**Table 7-5. Parallel Interface (MODE = 1, IN3 = 1)**

nSLEEP	IN1	IN2	IN3	IN4	OUT1	OUT2	OUT3	OUT4	FUNCTION (DC MOTOR)
0	X	X	X	X	Z	Z	Z	Z	Sleep mode
1	0	0	1	X	Z	Z	Z	Z	Motor coast (fast decay)
1	0	1	1	X	L	H	L	H	Reverse direction
1	1	0	1	X	H	L	H	L	Forward direction
1	1	1	1	X	L	L	L	L	Motor brake (slow decay)





**Figure 7-10. Parallel Mode Operation**

### 7.3.3.4 Independent Bridge Interface

In the independent bridge interface, the DRV8847 device is configured for independent half-bridge operation. To configure independent bridge interface operation, leave the MODE pin unconnected (Hi-Z state) and use the IN1, IN2, IN3, and IN4 pins to independently control the OUT1, OUT2, OUT3, and OUT4 pins respectively. Only two output states of the OUTx pin can be controlled (either connected to VM or connected to GND). This mode is used to drive independent loads such as relays and solenoids.

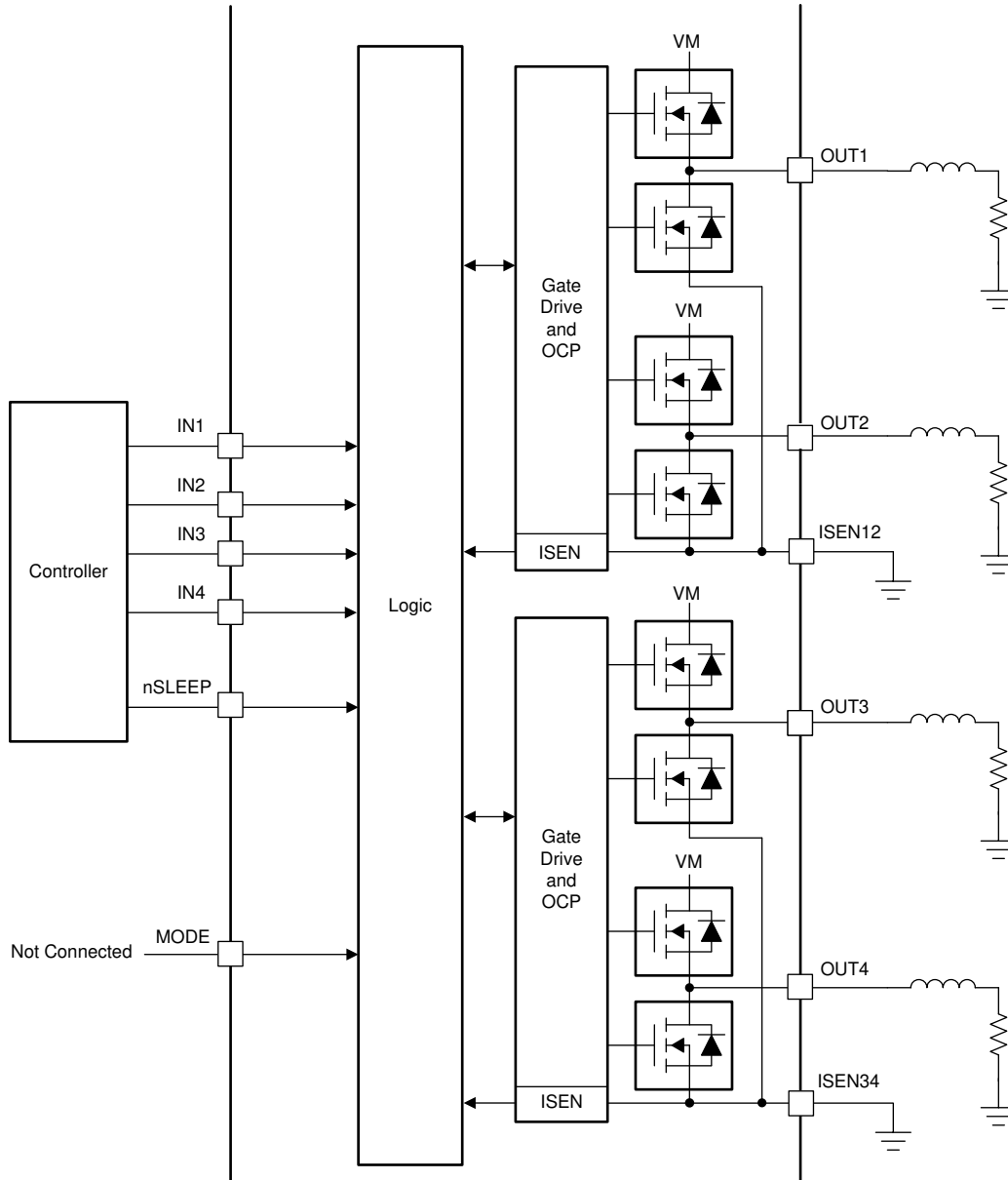
Use this interface option for the following loads:

- Relay or solenoid coils connected between OUTx and VM/ground pin without current regulation
- Single or dual BDC motor (with or without current regulation) with three functional BDC modes (forward, reverse, and braking mode only)
- Stepper motor in full-stepping mode (with or without current regulation)
- Stepper motor in half-stepping mode (with or without current regulation) using brake mode

Table 7-6 lists the configurations for independent bridge interface operation and Figure 7-11 shows the application diagram for independent bridge interface operation.

**Table 7-6. Independent Bridge Interface (MODE = Hi-Z)**

nSLEEP	IN1	IN2	IN3	IN4	OUT1	OUT2	OUT3	OUT4	FUNCTION (DC MOTOR)
0	X	X	X	X	Z	Z	Z	Z	Sleep mode
1	0				L				OUT1 connected to GND
1	1				H				OUT1 connected to VM
1		0				L			OUT2 connected to GND
1		1				H			OUT2 connected to VM
1			0				L		OUT3 connected to GND
1			1				H		OUT3 connected to VM
1				0				L	OUT4 connected to GND
1				1				H	OUT4 connected to VM



**Figure 7-11. Independent Bridge Interface**

### 7.3.4 Current Regulation

The current through the motor windings is regulated by a fixed off-time PWM current regulation circuit. With brushed DC motors, current regulation can be used to limit the stall current (which is also the start-up current) of the motor.

Current regulation works as follows: When an H-bridge is enabled, current rises through the winding at a rate dependent on the supply voltage and inductance of the winding. If the current reaches the current trip threshold, the bridge disables the current for a time  $t_{OFF}$  before starting the next PWM cycle.

#### Note

Immediately after the current is enabled, the voltage on the ISENxx pin is ignored for a while ( $t_{BLANK}$ ) before enabling the current sense circuitry. This blanking time also sets the minimum on-time of the PWM cycle.

The PWM trip current is set by a comparator which compares the voltage across a current sense resistor connected to the ISENxx pin with a reference voltage. This reference voltage ( $V_{TRIP}$ ) is generated on-chip and decides the current trip level.

The full-scale trip current in a winding is calculated as shown in [Equation 1](#).

$$I_{TRIP} = \text{Torque} \frac{V_{TRIP}}{R_{SENSExx}} \quad (1)$$

where

- $I_{TRIP}$  is the regulated current.
- $V_{TRIP}$  is the internally generated trip voltage.
- $R_{SENSExx}$  is the resistance of the sense resistor.
- Torque is the torque scalar, the value of which depends on the input on the TRQ pin. TRQ = 100% for TRQ pin connected to GND (DRV8847) or TRQ bit set to 0 (DRV8847S) and TRQ = 50% connected to  $V_{EXT}$  (DRV8847) or TRQ bit set to 1 (DRV8847S).

For example, if the  $V_{TRIP}$  voltage is 150 mV and the value of the sense resistor is 150 mΩ, the full-scale trip current is 1 A ( $150 \text{ mV} / (150 \text{ m}\Omega) = 1 \text{ A}$ ).

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#### Note

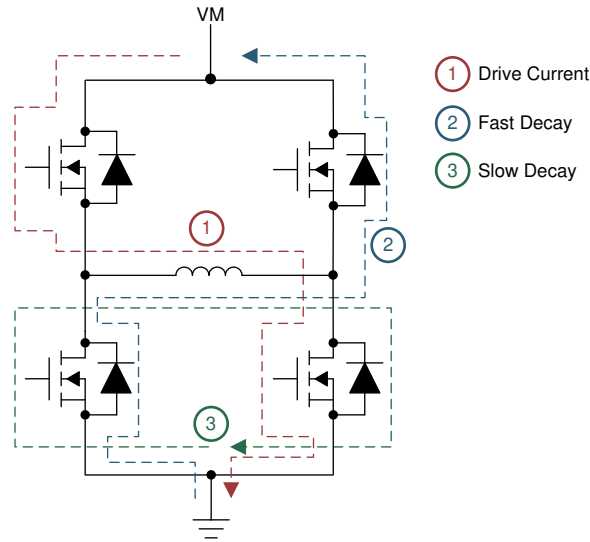
If the current control is not needed, connect the ISENxx pins directly to the ground.

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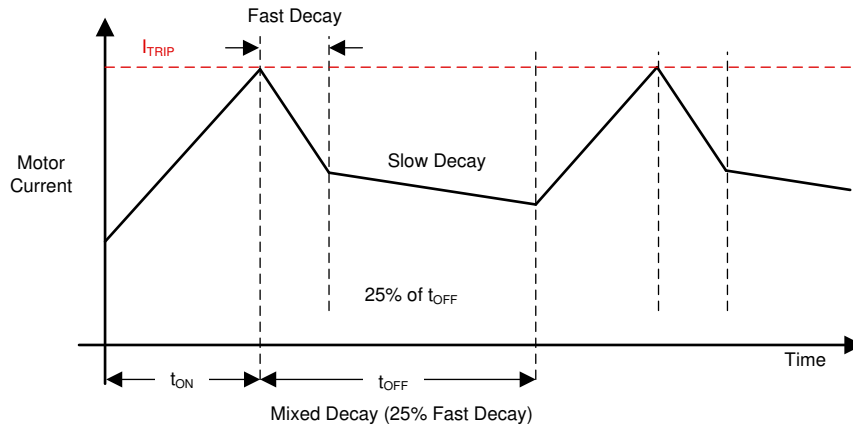
### 7.3.5 Current Recirculation and Decay Modes

During PWM current trip operation, the H-bridge is enabled to drive current through the motor winding until the trip threshold of the current regulation is reached. After the trip current threshold is reached, the drive current is interrupted, but, because of the inductive nature of the motor, the current must continue to flow for some time. This continuous flow of current is called recirculation current. A mixed decay allows better current regulation by optimizing the current ripple by using fast and slow decay.

Mixed decay is a combination of fast and slow decay modes. In fast decay mode, the anti-parallel diodes of the opposite FETs are conducting on to let the current decay faster as shown in [Figure 7-12](#) (see case 2). In slow decay mode, the winding current is recirculated by enabling both low-side FETs in the bridge (see case 3 in [Figure 7-12](#)). Mixed decay starts with fast decay, and then goes to slow decay. In the DRV8847 device, the mixed decay ratio is 25% fast decay and 75% slow decay as shown in [Figure 7-13](#).



**Figure 7-12. Decay Modes**



**Figure 7-13. Mixed Decay**

**Note**

The current regulation scheme uses a single sense resistor and hence always works for two-half bridges even when used in an "Independent Bridge Interface". It is recommended that current regulations not be used for loads using independent half bridges.

**7.3.6 Torque Scalar**

The torque scalar is used to dynamically adjust the output current through a digital input pin, TRQ. This torque scalar decreases the trip reference value of the output current to 50% (whenever the TRQ pin is pulled-high). A torque scalar can be used to scale the holding torque of the stepper motor. For the I<sup>2</sup>C device variant (DRV8847S), this feature is implemented through an I<sup>2</sup>C register.

**Note**

On the DRV88471, the torque scalar value is fixed to 100%.

When the TRQ pin is pulled-low (or the TRQ bit is reset in the DRV8847S device variant), the trip current is calculated using [Equation 2](#).

$$I_{\text{TRIP}} = \frac{\text{Torque} \times V_{\text{TRIP}}}{R_{\text{SENSExx}}} \quad (2)$$

When the TRQ pin is pulled-high (or the TRQ bit is set in the DRV8847S device variant), the trip current is calculated using [Equation 3](#).

$$I_{\text{TRIP}} = 0.5 \frac{V_{\text{TRIP}}}{R_{\text{SENSExx}}} \quad (3)$$

### 7.3.7 Stepping Modes

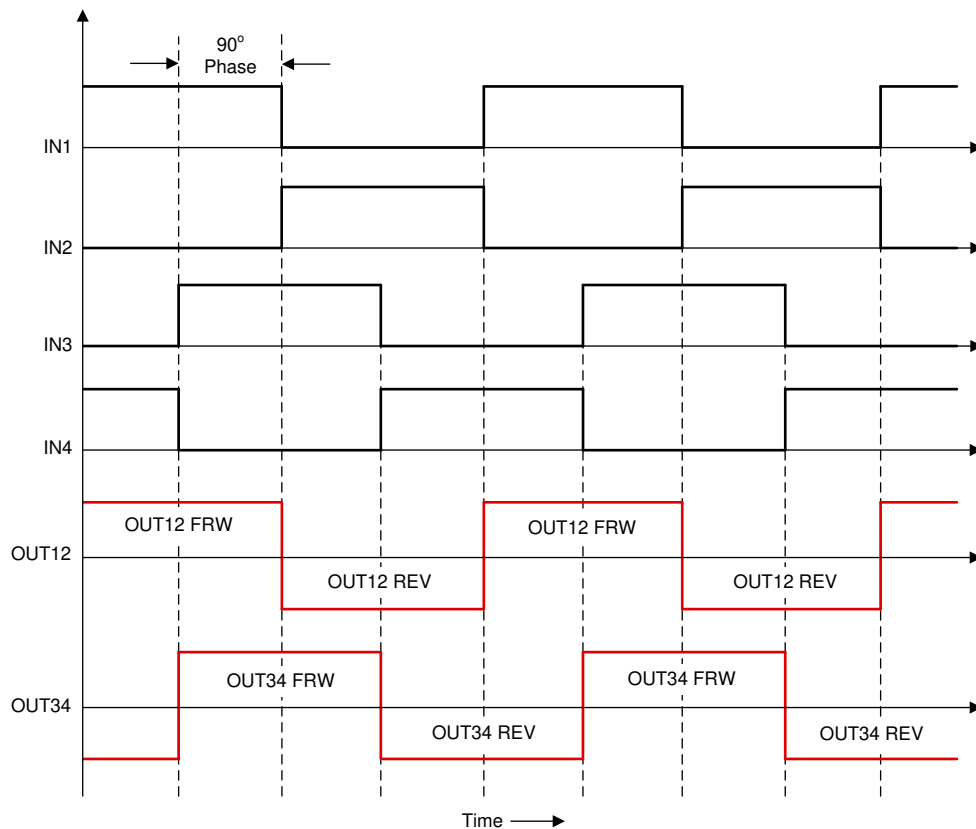
The DRV8847 device is used to drive a stepper motor in full-stepping mode or non-circulating half-stepping mode using the following bridge configurations:

- Full-stepping mode (with or without current regulation)
  - Using 4-pin interface configuration
  - Using 2-pin interface configuration
- Half-stepping mode (with or without current regulation)
  - Using 4-pin interface configuration

#### 7.3.7.1 Full-Stepping Mode (4-Pin Interface)

In full-stepping mode, the full-bridge operates in either of two modes (forward or reverse mode) with a phase shift of 90° between the two windings.

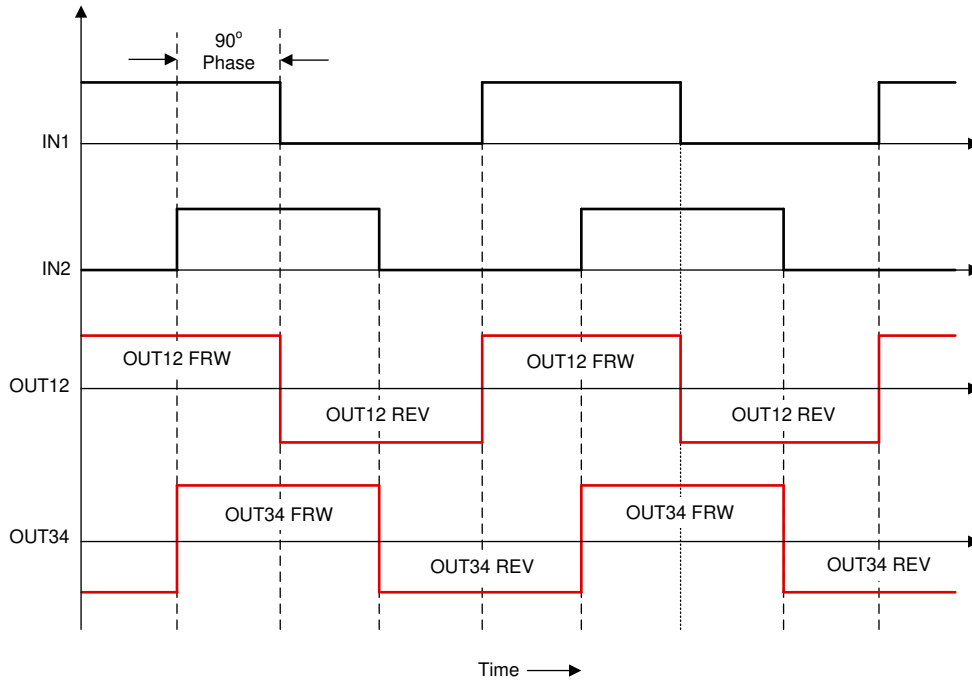
In 4-pin interface, the PWM input is applied to the IN1, IN2, IN3, and IN4 pins as shown in Figure 7-14 and the driver operates only in forward (FRW) and reverse (REV) mode.



**Figure 7-14. Full-Stepping Mode Using 4-Pin Interface**

### 7.3.7.2 Full-Stepping Mode (2-Pin Interface)

In full-stepping using the 2-pin interface, the PWM input is only applied to the IN1 and IN2 pins, and the IN3 is connected to ground (see the [Figure 7-9](#) section). [Figure 7-15](#) shows the full-stepping mode of stepper motor using the 2-pin interface



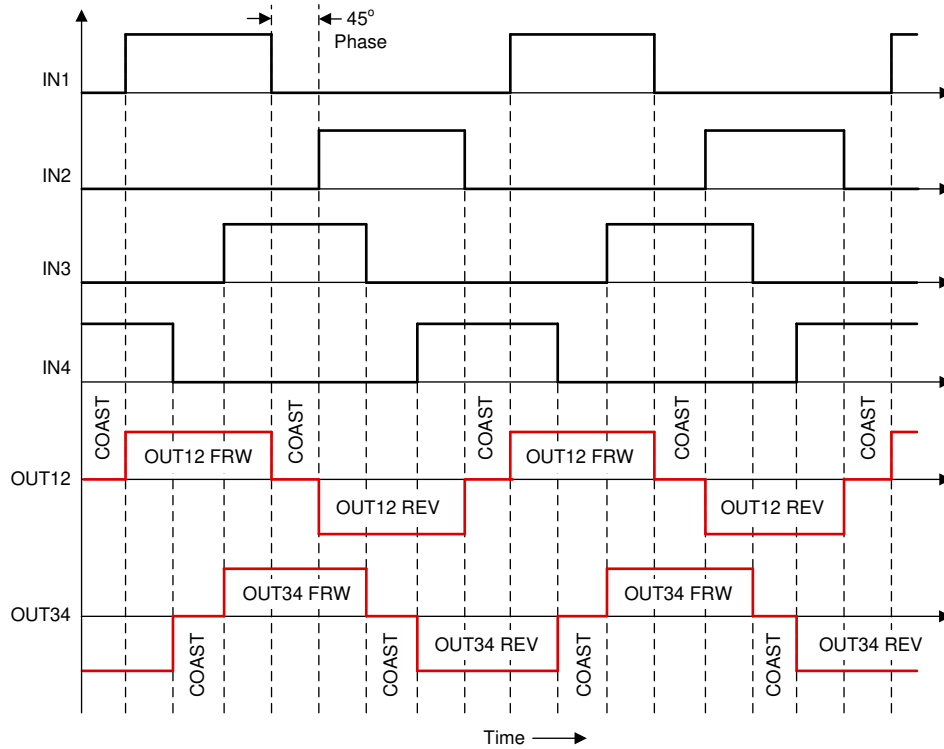
**Figure 7-15. Full-Stepping Mode Using 2-Pin Interface**



### 7.3.7.3 Half-Stepping Mode (With Non-Driving Fast Decay)

In half-stepping mode, the full-bridge operates in one of the three modes (forward, reverse, or coast mode) with a phase shift of  $45^\circ$  between the two windings.

In 4-pin interface, the PWM input is connected to the IN1, IN2, IN3, and IN4 pins as shown in Figure 7-16, and the driver operates in forward, reverse, and coast mode.

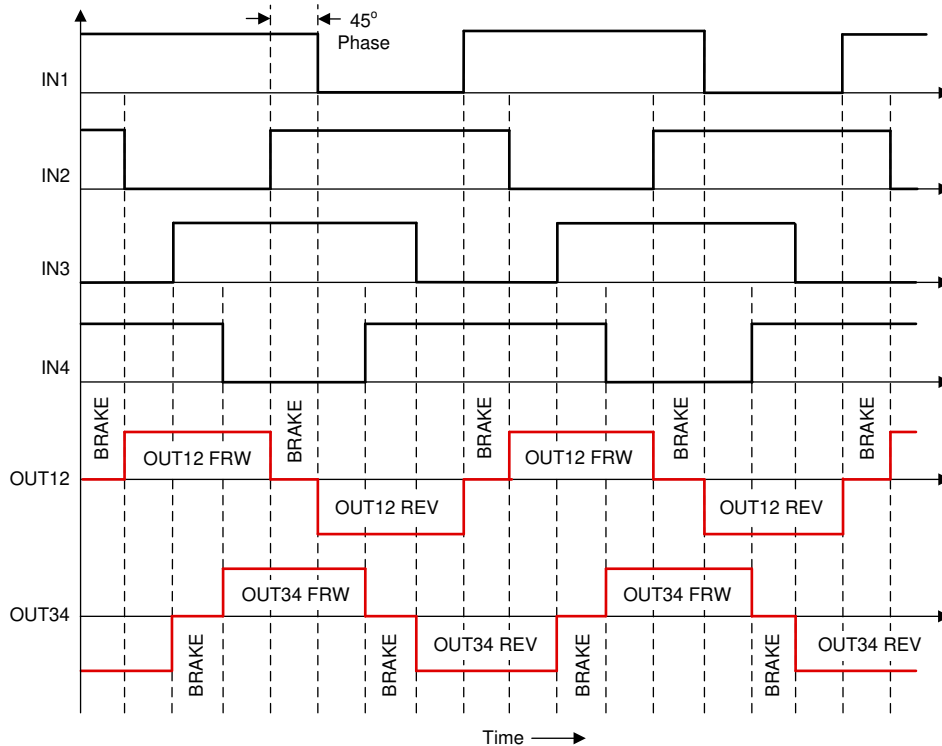


**Figure 7-16. Half-Stepping Mode Using 4-Pin Interface (With Non-Driving Fast Decay)**

### 7.3.7.4 Half-Stepping Mode (With Non-Driving Slow Decay)

In this half-stepping mode, the non-driving state is slow decay (braking mode). Therefore, the full-bridge operates in one of the three modes (forward, reverse, or brake mode) with a phase shift of 45° between the two windings.

In 4-pin interface, the PWM input is connected to the IN1, IN2, IN3, and IN4 pins as shown in Figure 7-17, and the driver operates in forward, reverse, and brake mode.



**Figure 7-17. Half-Stepping Mode Using 4-Pin Interface (With Non-Driving Slow Decay)**

### 7.3.8 Motor Driver Protection Circuits

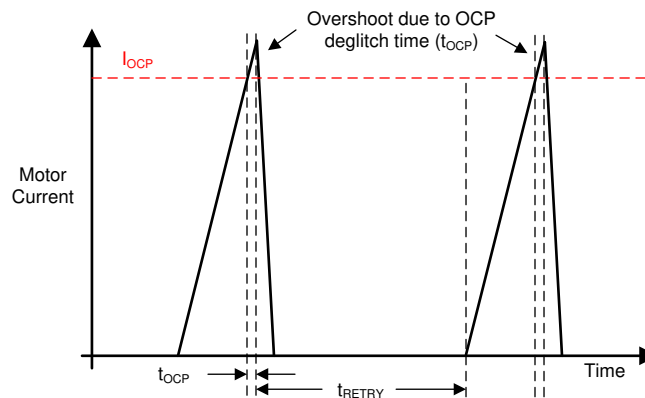
The DRV8847 device is protected against VM undervoltage, overcurrent, open load, and over temperature events.

#### 7.3.8.1 Overcurrent Protection (OCP)

The DRV8847 is protected against overcurrent by overcurrent protection trip. The OCP circuit on each FET disables the current flow through the FET by removing the gate drive. If this overcurrent detection continues for longer than the OCP deglitch time ( $t_{OCP}$ ), all FETs in the H-bridge (or half-bridge in the independent interface) are disabled and the nFAULT pin is driven low. The DRV8847 device stays disabled until the retry time  $t_{RETRY}$  occurs whereas the DRV8847S device has a programmable option for auto-retry or the latch mode.

##### 7.3.8.1.1 OCP Automatic Retry (Hardware Device and Software Device (OCPR = 0b))

After an OCP event in this mode, the corresponding half-bridges, full-bridge, or both bridges (depending on the MODE bits) are disabled and the nFAULT pin is driven low (see Table 7-13 and Table 7-14). The OCP and corresponding OCPx bits are latched high in the I<sup>2</sup>C registers (see the Section 7.6 section). Normal operation resumes automatically (motor driver operation and the nFAULT pin is released) after the  $t_{RETRY}$  time elapses as shown in Figure 7-18. The OCP and OCPx bits remain latched until the  $t_{RETRY}$  period expires.



**Figure 7-18. OCP Operation**

##### 7.3.8.1.2 OCP Latch Mode (Software Device (OCPR = 1b))

OCP latch mode is only available in the DRV8847S device. After an OCP event, the corresponding half-bridges, full-bridge, or both bridges (depending on the MODE bits) are disabled and the nFAULT pin is driven low. The OCP and corresponding OCPx bits are latched high in the I<sup>2</sup>C registers (see the Section 7.6 section). Normal operation continues (motor driver operation and the nFAULT pin is released) when the OCP condition is removed and a clear faults command is issued through the CLR\_FLT bit.

##### 7.3.8.1.3

#### Note

For supply voltage,  $V_{VM} > 16.5\text{-V}$ , if the OUTx current (FET current) exceeds 4-A, then the device operation is pushed beyond the safe operating area (SOA) of the device. User has to ensure that the FET-current is below 4-A for device safe operation for supply voltage above 16.5-V.

#### 7.3.8.2 Thermal Shutdown (TSD)

If the die temperature exceeds thermal shutdown limits ( $T_{TSD}$ ), all FETs in the H-bridge are disabled and the nFAULT pin is driven low. After the die temperature decreases to a value within the specified limits, normal operation resumes automatically. The nFAULT pin is released after operation starts again.

### 7.3.8.3 VM Undervoltage Lockout (VM\_UVLO)

Whenever the voltage on the VM pin falls below the UVLO falling threshold voltage,  $V_{UVLO}$ , all circuitry in the device is disabled, and all internal logic is reset. Operation continues when the  $V_{VM}$  voltage rises above the UVLO rising threshold as shown in Figure 7-19. The nFAULT pin is driven low during an undervoltage condition and is released after operation starts again.

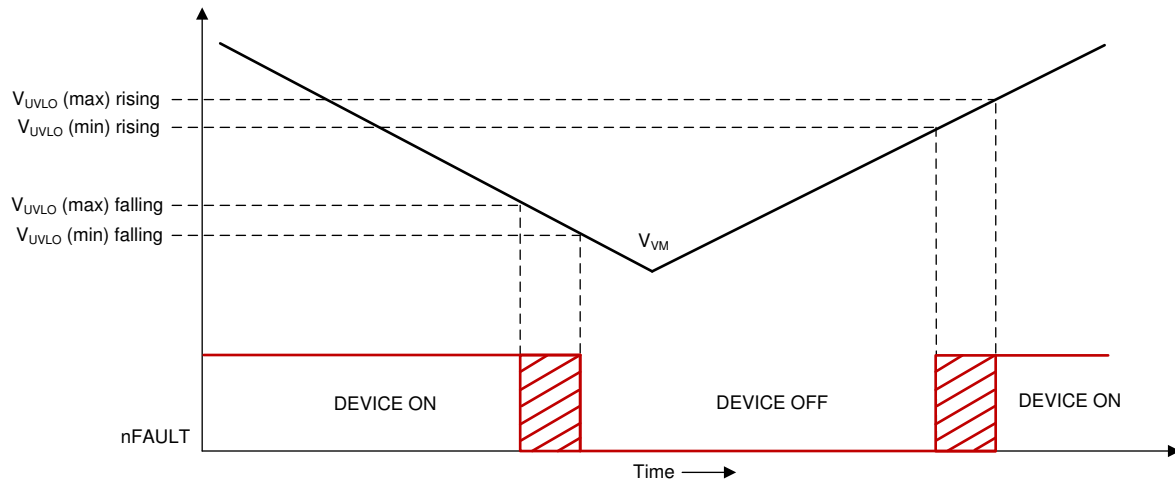


Figure 7-19. VM UVLO Operation

### 7.3.8.4 Open Load Detection (OLD)

An open load detection feature is also implemented in this device. This diagnostic test runs at device power up or when the DRV8847 device comes out from sleep mode (rising edge on the nSLEEP pin). The OLD diagnostic test can run any time in the I<sup>2</sup>C variant device (DRV8847S) using the OLDOD (OLD On Demand) bit.

The OLD implementation is done on the full-bridge and the half-bridge. In the DRV8847 device, during an open-load condition, the half-bridges, full-bridge, or both bridges (depending on the MODE pin) are always operating and the nFAULT pin is pulled-low. The user must reset the power to release the nFAULT pin by doing the OLD sequence again. Table 7-7 lists the different OLD scenarios for the DRV8847 device.

In the DRV8847S device, the user can program the full-bridge or half-bridge to be in the operating mode or the Hi-Z state, whenever an open-load condition is detected by using the OLDBO (OLD Bridge Operation) bit. Moreover, the nFAULT signaling on the OLD bit can be disabled using the OLDFD (OLD Fault Disable) bit. For detailed I<sup>2</sup>C register settings, see the Section 7.6 section. Table 7-8 lists the different OLD scenarios for the DRV8847S device.

#### Note

For accurate OLD operation, the user must ensure that the motor is stationary (or current in connected load becomes zero) before the open load on-demand command is executed.

**Table 7-7. Open Load Detection in DRV8847**

INTERFACE	LOAD TYPE	OLD	BRIDGE OPERATION	nFAULT
4-pin 2-pin	Full-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	NO
	Half-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	NO
	Bridge Open	YES	YES	YES
	One Half-Bridge Open	YES	YES	YES
Parallel bridge	Full-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	NO
	Half-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	NO
	Bridge Open	YES	YES	YES
	One Half-Bridge Open	YES	YES	YES
Independent bridge	Full-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	NO
	Half-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	NO
	Bridge Open	YES	YES	YES
	One Half-Bridge Open	YES	YES	YES

**Table 7-8. Open Load Detection in DRV8847S (Full-bridge-12)**

INTERFACE	LOAD TYPE	OLD	BRIDGE OPERATION <sup>(1)</sup>		nFAULT	OLD BITS			
			OLDBO = 0b	OLDBO = 1b		OLD1	OLD2	OLD3	OLD4
4-pin 2-pin	Full-bridge connected	NO	YES	YES	NO	0b	0b	X	X
	Half-bridge connected	NO	YES	YES	NO	0b	0b	X	X
	Bridge open	YES	YES	NO	YES	1b	1b	X	X
	One half-bridge open	YES	YES	NO	YES	1b or 0b <sup>(2)</sup>	0b or 1b	X	X
Parallel bridge	Full-bridge connected	NO	YES	YES	NO	0b	0b	X	X
	Half-bridge connected	NO	YES	YES	NO	0b	0b	X	X
	Bridge open	YES	YES	NO	YES	1b	1b	X	X
	One half-Bridge Open	YES	YES	NO	YES	1b or 0b	0b or 1b	X	X
Independent bridge	Full-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	YES	NO	0b	0b	X	X
	Half-Bridge Connected	NO	YES	YES	NO	0b	0b	X	X
	Bridge Open	YES	YES	NO	YES	1b	1b	X	X
	One Half-Bridge Open	YES	YES	NO	YES	1b or 0b	0b or 1b	X	X

- (1) The operation of the bridge is subjected to the selected mode type:
- In 4-pin or 2-pin interface, the corresponding bridge is in the operating or Hi-Z state.
  - In parallel bridge (BDC) interface, both bridges are in the operating or Hi-Z state.
  - In independent bridge interface, the corresponding half-bridge is in the operating or Hi-Z state.
- (2) Depending on which half-bridge is open, the corresponding bit in the I<sup>2</sup>C register is set.

The open-load detect sequence comprise of three detection states in which the driver ensures that any of the load is either connected or open as follows.

#### 7.3.8.4.1 Full-Bridge Open Load Detection

As shown in [Figure 7-20](#), during device wakeup, a constant current source pulls the OUT1 pin to the AVDD (internal) fixed voltage which allows current flow from OUT1 to OUT2 terminal. The current drawn is completely dependent on the motor resistance between OUT1 and OUT2. Depending on this current and the comparator threshold voltage ( $V_{OL\_HS}$  and  $V_{OL\_LS}$ ), the comparator output OL1\_HS and OL2\_LS are either set or reset which determines the open load status. [Table 7-9](#) shows the states of OL1\_HS and OL2\_LS for the open load detect. This test executes before the  $t_{WAKE}$  or  $t_{ON}$  time has elapsed. When an open load is detected, the nFAULT pin is latched low until the device is power cycled or device reset with nSLEEP pin. A similar implementation is done for the OUT3 and OUT4 pins.

**Table 7-9. Open Load Detection for Full-Bridge Connection**

OL1_HS	OL2_LS	OLD STATUS
0	0	NO OLD
0	1	
1	0	
1	1	OLD

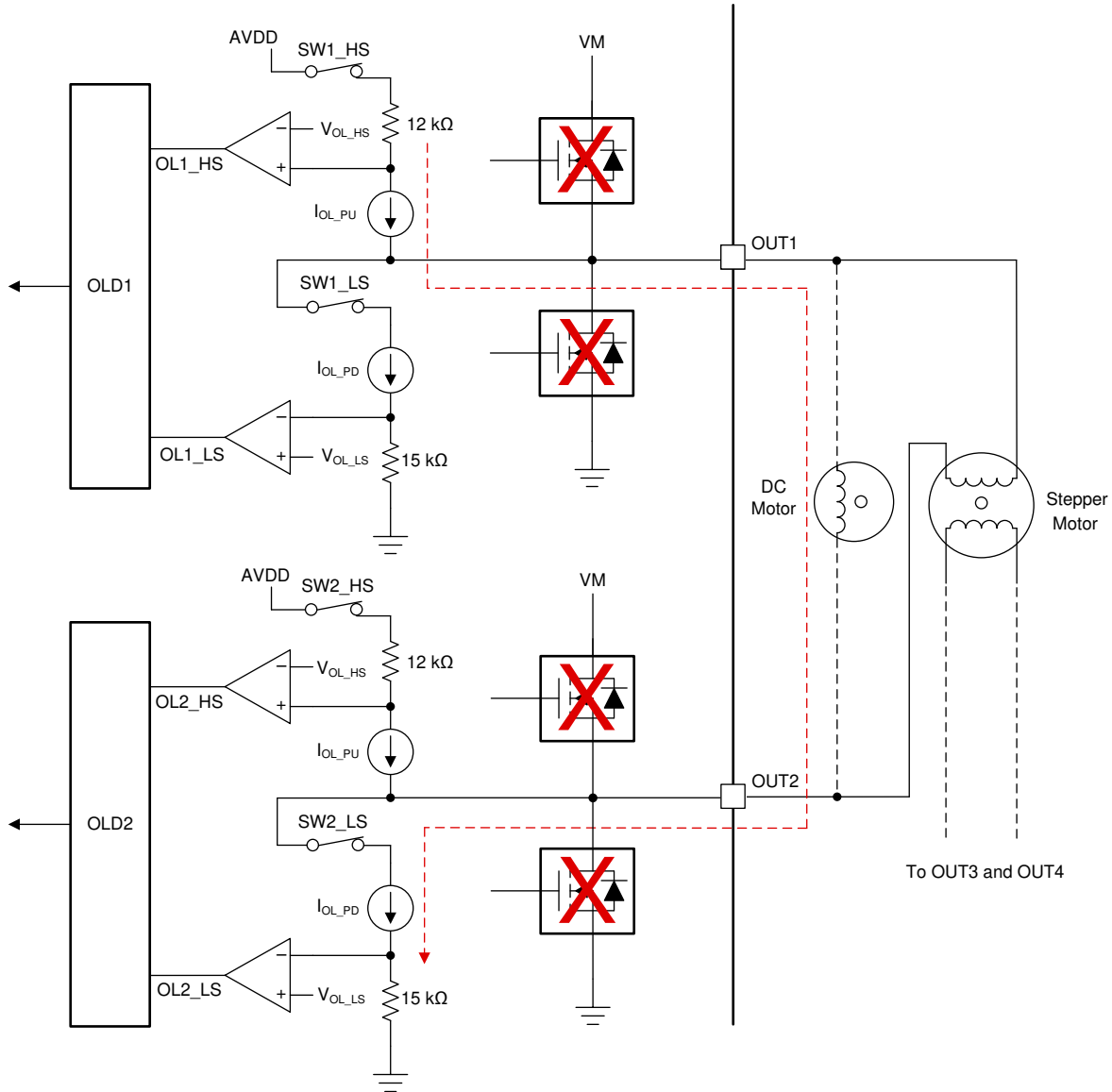


Figure 7-20. Open Load Detect Circuit for Full-Bridge Connection

**Note**

AVDD voltage is the internal regulator voltage and is determined as  $\min(V_{VM}, 4.2 \text{ V})$ . Hence, for supply voltage ( $V_{VM}$ ) higher than 4.2 V, this voltage is fixed at 4.2 V else it is equal to supply voltage ( $V_{VM}$ ).

**7.3.8.4.2 Load Connected to VM**

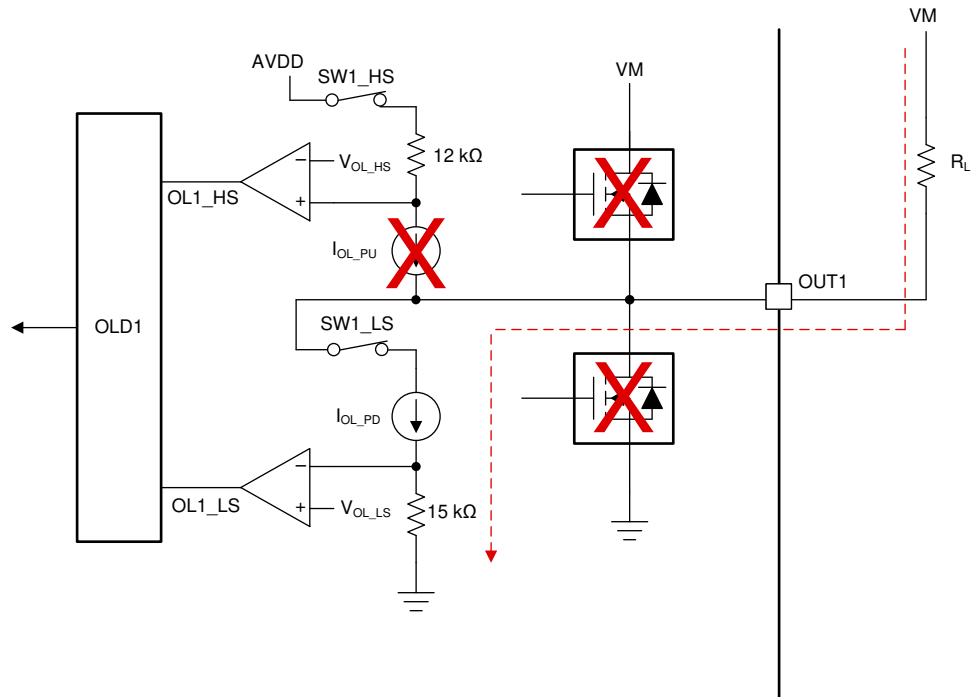
For detection of the VM connected load, a constant current source pull-down the OUT1 node as shown in Figure 7-21. This allows the current to flow from VM to OUT1 depending upon the value of load resistor ( $R_L$ ) connected between OUT1 and VM. Higher current (not open load) will allow the OL1\_LS comparator to set and higher current resets the comparator output as shown in Table 7-10 for open load detection.

**Table 7-10. Open Load Detection for VM Connected Load**

OL1_LS	OLD STATUS
0	NO OLD

**Table 7-10. Open Load Detection for VM Connected Load (continued)**

OL1_LS	OLD STATUS
1	OLD



**Figure 7-21. Open Load Detect Circuit for Load Connected to VM**

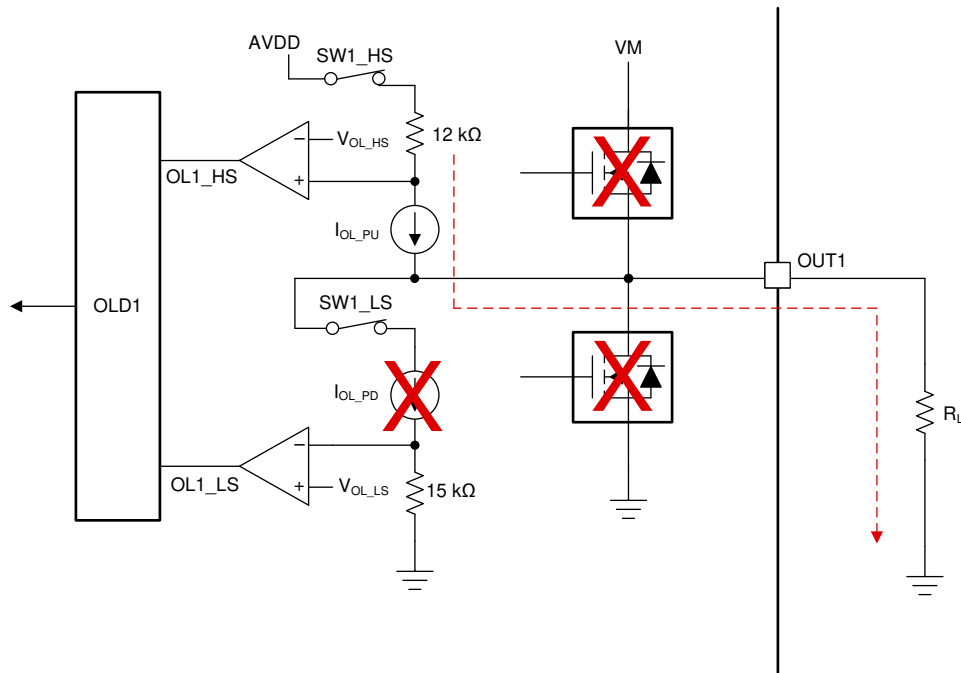


### 7.3.8.4.3 Load Connected to GND

For detection of the GND connected load, the OUT1 node is pulled-up by the internal current source and the internal (4.2-V) fixed voltage as shown in Figure 7-22. This allows the current to flow from OUT1 to GND depending upon the value of load resistor ( $R_L$ ) connected between OUT1 and GND. Higher current (not open load) will allow the OL1\_HS comparator to set and higher current resets the comparator output as shown in Table 7-11.

**Table 7-11. Open Load Detection for GND Connected Load**

OL1_HS	OLD STATUS
0	NO OLD
1	OLD



**Figure 7-22. Open Load Detect Circuit for Load Connected to GND**

## 7.4 Device Functional Modes

The DRV8847 device is active until the nSLEEP pin is pulled logic low. In sleep mode, the internal circuitry (charge pump and regulators) is disabled and all internal FETs are disabled (Hi-Z state).

The device goes to operating mode automatically if the nSLEEP pin is pulled logic high.  $t_{WAKE}$  must elapse before the device is ready for inputs. The nFAULT pin asserts for small duration during power-up. Various functional modes are described in [Table 7-12](#).

The DRV8847 device goes to a fault mode in the event of VM undervoltage (UVLO), overcurrent (OCP), open-load detection (OLD), and thermal shutdown (TSD). The functionality of each fault depends on the type of fault listed in [Table 7-13](#) for the DRV8847 device and [Table 7-14](#) for the DRV8847S device.

### Note

The  $t_{SLEEP}$  time must elapse before the device goes to sleep mode.

**Table 7-12. Functional Modes**

MODE	CONDITION	H-BRIDGE	INTERNAL CIRCUITS
Operating	$2.7\text{ V} < V_{VM} < 18\text{ V}$ nSLEEP pin = 1	Operating	Operating
Sleep	$2.7\text{ V} < V_{VM} < 18\text{ V}$ nSLEEP pin = 0	Disabled	Disabled
Fault	Any fault condition met	Depends on fault	Depends on fault

**Table 7-13. Fault Support for DRV8847**

FAULT	INTERFACE	CONDITION	REPORT	H-BRIDGE	INTERNAL CIRCUITS	RECOVERY
VM undervoltage (VM_UVLO)	All interfaces	$VM < V_{UVLO}$	nFAULT	Both H-bridges in Hi-Z state	Shutdown	<b>Automatic:</b> $VM > V_{UVLO}$
Overcurrent (OCP)	4-pin 2-pin	$I > I_{OCP}$	nFAULT	Corresponding H-bridges in Hi-Z state	Operating	<b>Automatic:</b> $t_{RETRY}$
	Parallel bridge			Both H-bridges in Hi-Z state		
	Independent bridge			Corresponding half-bridges in Hi-Z state		
Open load detect (OLD)	4-pin	Full-bridge open	nFAULT	H-bridge in operating mode	Operating	<b>Power cycle / RESET:</b> OUTx Connected
	2-pin Parallel bridge	Full-bridges open	nFAULT	Both H-bridges in operating mode		
	Independent bridge	Half-bridge open	nFAULT	Half-bridge in operating mode		
Thermal shutdown (TSD)	All interfaces	$T_J > T_{TSD}$ (min 150°C)	nFAULT	Both H-bridges in Hi-Z state	Operating	$T_J < T_{TSD}$ ( $T_{HYS}$ typ 40°C)

**Table 7-14. Fault Support for DRV8847S**

FAULT	MODE	CONDITION	REPORT	H-BRIDGE	INTERNAL CIRCUITS	RECOVERY
VM undervoltage (VM_UVLO)	All interfaces	$V_M < V_{UVLO}$	nFAULT	Both H-bridges in Hi-Z state	Shutdown	<b>Automatic:</b> $V_M > V_{UVLO}$
Overcurrent (OCP)	4-pin 2-pin	$I > I_{OCP}$	nFAULT	Corresponding H-bridges in Hi-Z state	Operating	<b>Automatic:</b> $t_{RETRY}$
	Parallel bridge			Both H-bridges in Hi-Z state		
	Independent bridge Interface			Corresponding half-bridges in Hi-Z state		
Open load detect (OLD)	4-pin	Full-bridge open	nFAULT	H-bridge in operating or Hi-Z state <sup>(1)</sup>	Operating	<b>Power cycle / RESET:</b> OUTx Connected
	2-pin Parallel bridge	Full-bridges open	nFAULT	Both H-bridges in operating or Hi-Z state		
	Independent bridge	Half-bridge open	nFAULT	Half-bridge in operating or Hi-Z state		
Thermal shutdown (TSD)	All interfaces	$T_J > T_{TSD}$ (min 150°C)	nFAULT	Both H-bridges in Hi-Z state	Operating	$T_J < T_{TSD}$ ( $T_{HYS}$ typ 40°C)

(1) The state of the bridge in OLD is dependent on the OLDBO bit as listed in [Table 7-19](#).

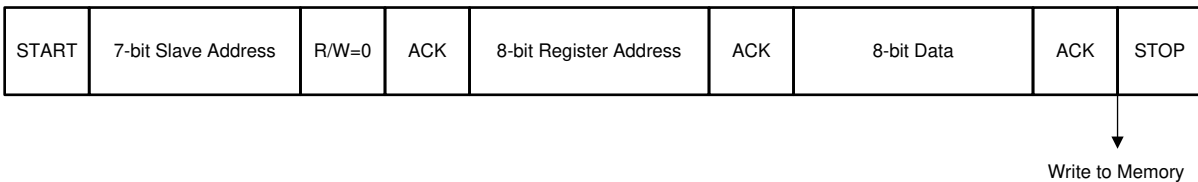
## 7.5 Programming

This section applies only to the DRV8847S device (I<sup>2</sup>C variant).

### 7.5.1 I<sup>2</sup>C Communication

#### 7.5.1.1 I<sup>2</sup>C Write

To write on the I<sup>2</sup>C bus, the master device sends a START condition on the bus with the address of the 7-bit slave device. Also, the last bit (the R/W bit) is set to 0b, which signifies a write. After the slave sends the acknowledge bit, the master device then sends the register address of the register to be written. The slave device sends an acknowledge (ACK) signal again which notifies the master device that the slave device is ready. After this process, the master device sends 8-bit write data and terminates the transmission with a STOP condition.

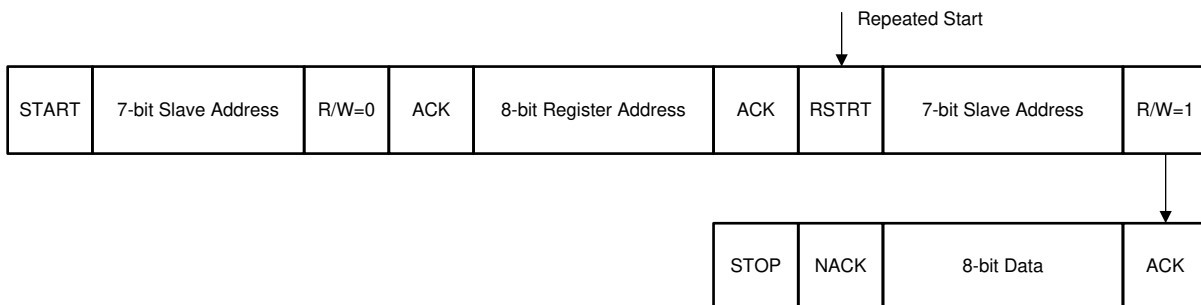


**Figure 7-23. I<sup>2</sup>C Write Sequence**

#### 7.5.1.2 I<sup>2</sup>C Read

To read from a slave device, the master device must first communicate to the slave device which register will be read from. This communication is done by the master starting the transmission similarly to the write process which is by setting the address with the R/W bit equal to 0b (signifying a write). The master device then sends the register address of the register to be read from. When the slave device acknowledges this register address, the master device sends a START condition again, followed by the slave address with the R/W bit set to 1b (signifying a read). After this process, the slave device acknowledges the read request and the master device releases the SDA bus, but continues supplying the clock to the slave device.

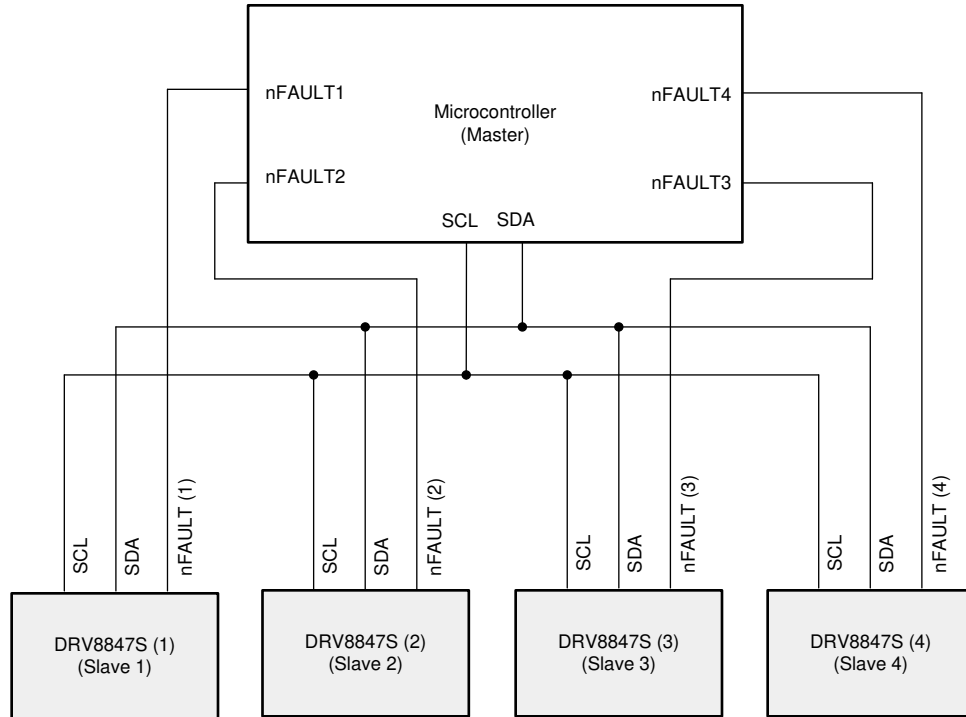
During this part of the transaction, the master device becomes the master-receiver, and the slave device becomes the slave-transmitter. The master device continues sending out the clock pulses, but releases the SDA line so that the slave device can transmit data. At the end of the byte, the master device send a negative-acknowledge (NACK) signal, signaling to the slave device to stop communications and release the bus. The master device then sends a STOP condition.



**Figure 7-24. I<sup>2</sup>C Read Sequence**

## 7.5.2 Multi-Slave Operation

Multi-slave operation is used to control multiple DRV8847S devices through one I<sup>2</sup>C line as shown in [Figure 7-25](#). The default device address of the DRV8847 device is 0x60 (7-bit address). Therefore, any DRV8847S device can be accessed using this address. The steps for multi-slave configuration for programming device-1 out of 4 connected devices (as shown in [Figure 7-25](#)) are as follows:



**Figure 7-25. Multi-Slave Operation of DRV8847S**

- The DRV8847S device variant is configured for multi-slave operation by writing the DISFLT bit (IC2\_CON register) of all connected devices to 1b. This step will disable the nFAULT output pin of all DRV8847S, to avoid any race condition between master and slave I<sup>2</sup>C device.
- Pull the nFAULT pins (nFAULT2, nFAULT3, and nFAULT4 pins) of three devices (2, 3, and 4) to low to release the I<sup>2</sup>C buses of the slave device (device-2, device-3 and device-4). Now only device-1 is connected to master.
- Since, only one device, DRV8847S (1), is connected to the controller, and, therefore, its slave address can be reprogrammed from default 0x60 (7-bit address) to another unique address.
- Similarly, the slave address (SLAVE\_ADDR) of the other three devices (device-2, device-3 and device-4) can be reprogrammed sequentially to unique addresses by a combination of nFAULT pins.
- When all slave addresses are reprogrammed, write the DISFLT bit to 0b (IC2\_CON register). This will enable the nFAULT output pin for fault flagging.
- All the nFAULT pins are released and a multi-slave setup is complete. Now all connected slave devices can be accessed using the newly reprogrammed address.
- The above steps should be repeated for any device in case of a power reset (nSLEEP).

## 7.6 Register Map

[Table 7-15](#) lists the memory-mapped I<sup>2</sup>C registers for the DRV8847 device. The I<sup>2</sup>C registers are used to configure the DRV8847S device and for device diagnostics.

### Note

Do not modify reserved registers or addresses not listed in the register map ([Table 7-15](#)). Writing to these registers may have unintended effects. For all reserved bits, the default value is 0b.

**Table 7-15. I<sup>2</sup>C Registers**

Address	Acronym	Register Name	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	Access	Section	
0x00	SLAVE_ADDR	Slave Address	RSVD	SLAVE_ADDR								RW	
0x01	IC1_CON	IC1 Control	TRQ	IN4	IN3	IN2	IN1	I2CBC	MODE		RW	<a href="#">Go</a>	
0x02	IC2_CON	IC2 Control	CLRFLT	DISFLT	RSVD	DECAY	OCPR	OLDOD	OLDFD	OLDBO	RW	<a href="#">Go</a>	
0x03	SLR_STATUS1	Slew Rate and Fault Status-1	RSVD	SLR	RSVD	nFAULT	OCP	OLD	TSDF	UVLOF	RW	<a href="#">Go</a>	
0x04	STATUS2	Fault Status-2	OLD4	OLD3	OLD2	OLD1	OCP4	OCP3	OCP2	OCP1	R	<a href="#">Go</a>	

Complex bit access types are encoded to fit into small table cells. [Table 7-16](#) shows the codes that are used for access types in this section.

**Table 7-16. Access Type Codes**

Access Type	Code	Description
Read Type		
R	R	Read
Write Type		
W	W	Write
Reset or Default Value		
-n		Value after reset or the default value

### 7.6.1 Slave Address Register (Address = 0x00) [reset = 0x60]

Slave Address is shown in [Figure 7-26](#) and described in [Table 7-17](#).

**Figure 7-26. Slave Address Register**

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
RSVD	SLAVE_ADDR						
R-0b	R/W-1100000b						

**Table 7-17. Slave Address Register Field Descriptions**

Bit	Field	Type	Reset	Description
7	RSVD	R	0b	Reserved
6-0	SLAVE_ADDR	R/W	1100000b	Slave address (8 bit) The default value is 0x60

### 7.6.2 IC1 Control Register (Address = 0x01) [reset = 0x00]

IC1 Control is shown in [Figure 7-27](#) and described in [Table 7-18](#).

**Figure 7-27. IC1 Control Register**

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
TRQ	IN4	IN3	IN2	IN1	I2CBC	MODE	
R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-00b	

**Table 7-18. IC1 Control Register Field Descriptions**

Bit	Field	Type	Reset	Description
7	TRQ	R/W	0b	0b = Torque scalar set to 100% 1b = Torque scalar set to 50%
6	IN4	R/W	0b	The INx bits are used to control the bridge operation.
5	IN3	R/W	0b	The INx bits are used to control the bridge operation.
4	IN2	R/W	0b	The INx bits are used to control the bridge operation.
3	IN1	R/W	0b	The INx bits are used to control the bridge operation.
2	I2CBC	R/W	0b	0b = Bridge control configured by using the INx pins 1b = Bridge control configured by using the INx bits
1-0	MODE	R/W	00b	00b = 4-pin interface 01b = 2-pin interface 10b = Parallel interface 11b = Independent mode

### 7.6.3 IC2 Control Register (Address = 0x02) [reset = 0x00]

IC2 Control is shown in [Figure 7-28](#) and described in [Table 7-19](#).

**Figure 7-28. IC2 Control Register**

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CLRFLT	DISFLT	RSVD	DECAY	OCPR	OLDOD	OLDFD	OLDBO
R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b	R/W-0b

**Table 7-19. IC2 Control Register Field Descriptions**

Bit	Field	Type	Reset	Description
7	CLRFLT	R/W	0b	Set this bit to issue a clear FAULT command. This command clears all FAULT bits other than the OLD and OLDx bits. This bit reset to 0b after clearing all the faults. 0b = No clear FAULT command issued 1b = Clear FAULT command issued
6	DISFLT	R/W	0b	0b = nFAULT pin not disable 1b = nFAULT pin is disabled
5	RSVD	R	0b	Reserved
4	DECAY	R/W	0b	0b = 25% fast decay 1b = 100% slow decay
3	OCPR	R/W	0b	0b = OCP auto retry mode 1b = OCP latch mode
2	OLDOD	R/W	0b	0b = Idle 1b = OLD on-demand is activated
1	OLDFD	R/W	0b	0b = Fault signaling on OLD 1b = No fault signaling on OLD
0	OLDBO	R/W	0b	0b = Bridge operating on OLD 1b = Bridge Hi-Z on OLD



### 7.6.4 Slew-Rate and Fault Status-1 Register (Address = 0x03) [reset = 0x40]

Fault Status-1 is shown in [Figure 7-29](#) and described in [Table 7-20](#).

**Figure 7-29. Fault Status-1 Register**

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
RSVD	SLR	RSVD	nFAULT	OCP	OLD	TSDF	UVLOF
R-0b	R/W-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b

**Table 7-20. Fault Status-1 Register Field Descriptions**

Bit	Field	Type	Reset	Description
7	RSVD	R	0b	Reserved
6	SLR	R/W	0b	0b = 150 ns 1b = 300 ns
5	RSVD	R	0b	Reserved
4	nFAULT	R	0b	0b = No FAULT detected (mirrors the nFAULT pin) 1b = FAULT detected
3	OCP	R	0b	0b = No OCP detected 1b = OCP detected
2	OLD	R	0b	0b = No open load detected 1b = Open load detected
1	TSDF	R	0b	0b = No TSD fault detected 1b = TSD fault detected
0	UVLOF	R	0b	0b = No UVLO fault detected 1b = UVLO fault detected

### 7.6.5 Fault Status-2 Register (Address = 0x04) [reset = 0x00]

Fault Status-2 is shown in [Figure 7-30](#) and described in [Table 7-21](#).

**Figure 7-30. Fault Status-2 Register**

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
OLD4	OLD3	OLD2	OLD1	OCP4	OCP3	OCP2	OCP1
R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b	R-0b

**Table 7-21. Fault Status-2 Register Field Descriptions**

Bit	Field	Type	Reset	Description
7	OLD4	R	0b	0b = No open load detected on OUT4 1b = Open load detected on OUT4
6	OLD3	R	0b	0b = No open load detected on OUT3 1b = Open load detected on OUT3
5	OLD2	R	0b	0b = No open load detected on OUT2 1b = Open load detected on OUT2
4	OLD1	R	0b	0b = No open load detected on OUT1 1b = Open load detected on OUT1
3	OCP4	R	0b	0b = No OCP detected on OUT4 1b = OCP detected on OUT4
2	OCP3	R	0b	0b = No OCP detected on OUT3 1b = OCP detected on OUT3
1	OCP2	R	0b	0b = No OCP detected on OUT2 1b = OCP detected on OUT2
0	OCP1	R	0b	0b = No OCP detected on OUT1 1b = OCP detected on OUT1

## 8 Application and Implementation

### Note

Information in the following applications sections is not part of the TI component specification, and TI does not warrant its accuracy or completeness. TI's customers are responsible for determining suitability of components for their purposes. Customers should validate and test their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

### 8.1 Application Information

The DRV8847 device is used in applications for stepper or brushed DC motor control.

### 8.2 Typical Application

The user can configure the DRV8847 for stepper motor and dual BDC motor applications as described in this section.

#### 8.2.1 Stepper Motor Application

Figure 8-1 shows the typical application of the DRV8847 device to drive a stepper motor.

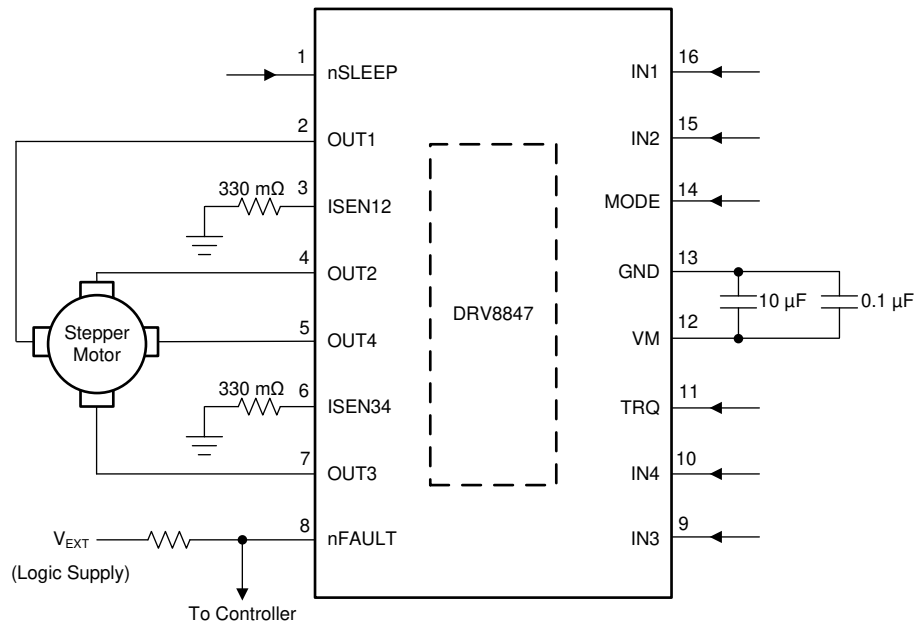


Figure 8-1. Typical Application Schematic of Device Driving Stepper Motor

#### 8.2.1.1 Design Requirements

Table 8-1 lists design input parameters for system design.

Table 8-1. Design Parameters

DESIGN PARAMETER	REFERENCE	EXAMPLE VALUE
Motor supply voltage	$V_M$	12 V
Motor winding resistance	$R_L$	34 $\Omega$ /phase
Motor winding inductance	$L_L$	33 mH/phase
Motor RMS current	$I_{RMS}$	350 mA
Target trip current	$I_{TRIP}$	350 mA
Trip current reference voltage (internal voltage)	$V_{TRIP}$	150 mV

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### **8.2.1.2 Detailed Design Procedure**

### 8.2.1.2.1 Stepping Modes

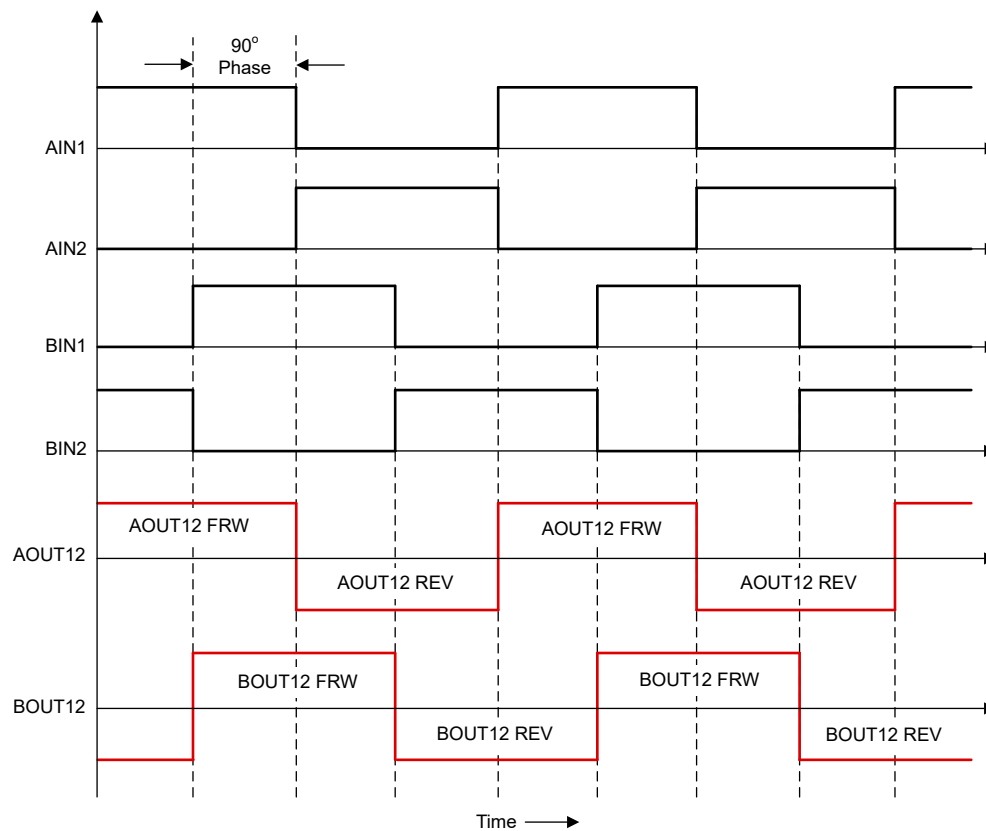
The DRV8410 DRV8411 DRV8411A is used to drive a stepper motor in full-stepping mode or non-circulating half-stepping mode using the following bridge configurations:

- Full-stepping mode
- Half-stepping mode with slow decay
- Half-stepping mode with fast decay

#### 8.2.1.2.1.1 Full-Stepping Operation

In full-stepping mode, the full-bridge operates in either of two modes (forward or reverse mode) with a phase shift of 90° between the two windings. Full stepping is simplest stepper control mode to implement in firmware and offers the best performance at high speeds.

The controller applies the PWM input to the AIN1, AIN2, BIN1, and BIN2 pins as shown in Figure 8-2 and the driver operates only in forward (FRW) and reverse (REV) mode.

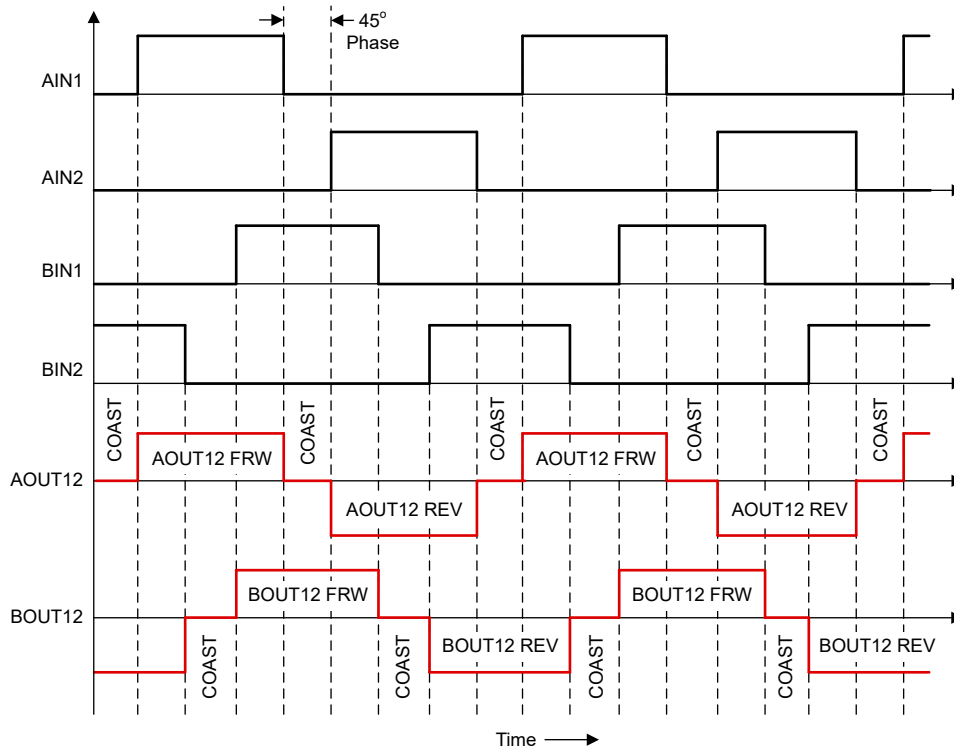


**Figure 8-2. Timing Diagram for Full-Stepping**

### 8.2.1.2.1.2 Half-Stepping Operation with Fast Decay

In half-stepping mode, the full-bridge operates in one of the three modes (forward, reverse, or coast mode) to position the rotor half-way between two full-step positions. The coast state allows the current in the motor winding to decay quickly to 0 A. This mode is best-used when half-stepping at high speeds.

The controller applies the PWM input to the AIN1, AIN2, BIN1, and BIN2 pins as shown in Figure 8-3, and the driver operates in forward, reverse, and coast mode.

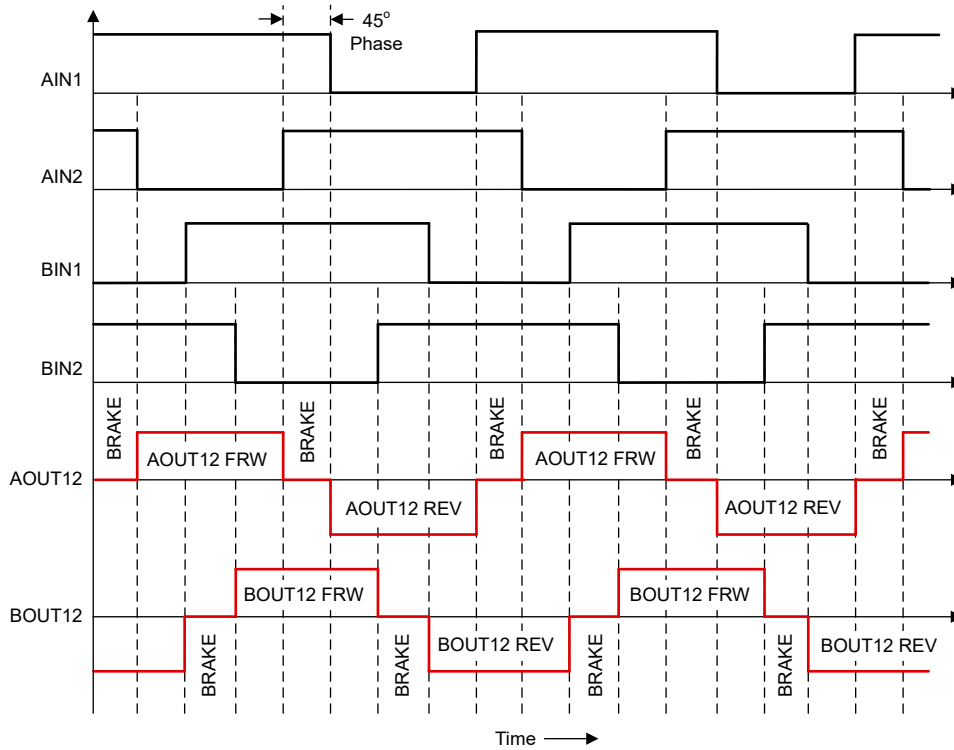


**Figure 8-3. Timing Diagram for Half-Stepping with Fast Decay**

### 8.2.1.2.1.3 Half-Stepping Operation with Slow Decay

In this half-stepping mode, the driver achieves the 0-A state using the slow decay control state (known as "brake mode" for BDC driving). Therefore, the full-bridge operates in one of the three modes (forward, reverse, or brake/slow-decay mode) to position the rotor half-way between two full-step positions. The slow decay state allows the current in the motor winding to decay slowly to 0 A. This mode is best-used when half-stepping at slow speeds and may help to reduce stepper noise and vibration.

The controller applies the PWM input to the AIN1, AIN2, BIN1, and BIN2 pins as shown in Figure 8-4, and the driver operates in forward, reverse, and brake mode.



**Figure 8-4. Timing Diagram for Half-Stepping with Slow Decay**

### 8.2.1.2.2 Current Regulation

The trip current ( $I_{TRIP}$ ) is the maximum current driven through either winding. The amount of this current depends on the sense resistor value ( $R_{SENSEXX}$ ) as shown in Equation 4 (Considering torque setting (TRQ) as 100%).

$$I_{TRIP} = \frac{\text{Torque} \times V_{TRIP}}{R_{SENSEXX}} \quad (4)$$

The  $I_{TRIP}$  current is set by a comparator which compares the voltage across the  $R_{SENSEXX}$  resistor to a reference voltage. To avoid saturation of the motor, the  $I_{TRIP}$  current must be calculated as shown in Equation 5.

$$I_{TRIP} = \frac{V_{VM}}{R_L (\Omega) + R_{DS(ON)_HS} (\Omega) + R_{DS(ON)_LS} (\Omega) + R_{SENSEXX} (\Omega)} \quad (5)$$

where

- $V_{VM}$  is the motor supply voltage.
- $R_L$  is the motor winding resistance.
- $R_{DS(ON)_HS}$  and  $R_{DS(ON)_LS}$  are the high-side and low-side on-state resistance of the FET.

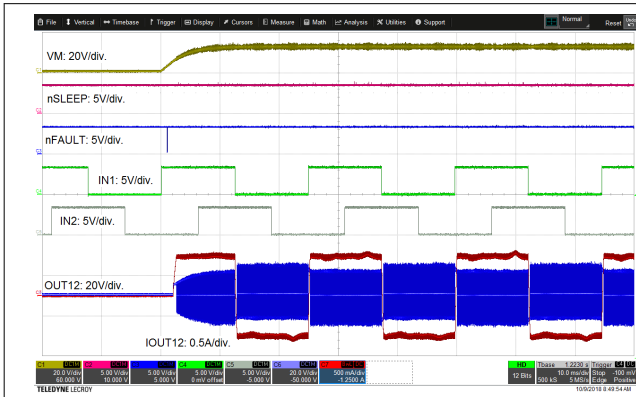
For an  $I_{TRIP}$  value of 350 mA, the value of the sense resistor ( $R_{SENSExx}$ ) is calculated as shown in [Equation 6](#).

$$R_{SENSE12} = R_{SENSE34} = \frac{V_{TRIP}}{I_{TRIP}} = \frac{150 \text{ mV}}{350 \text{ mA}} = 428.6 \text{ m}\Omega \quad (6)$$

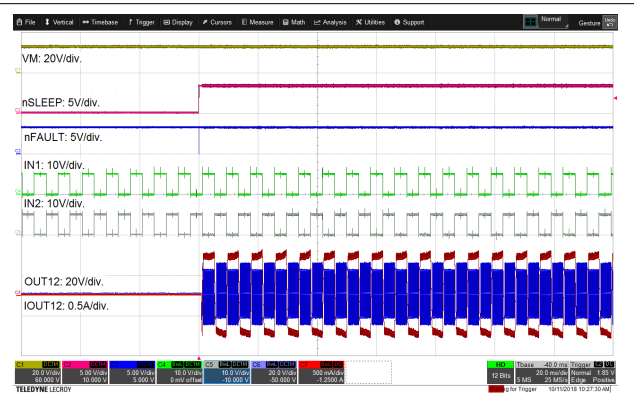
Select the closest available value of 440 m $\Omega$  for the sense resistors. Selecting this value will effect the current accuracy by 2.8%.



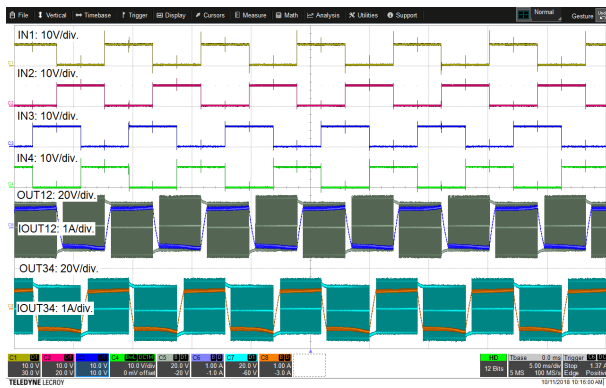
### 8.2.1.3 Application Curves



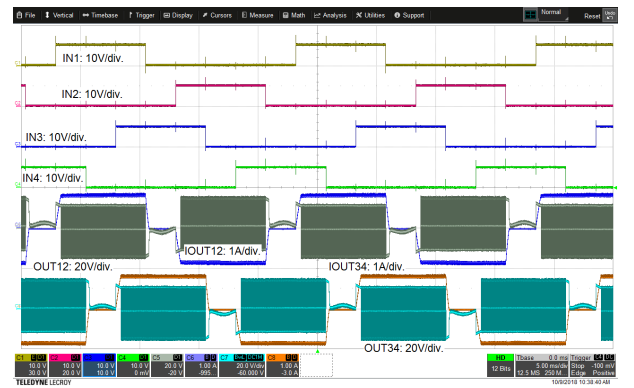
**Figure 8-5. Device Power-up with Supply Voltage (VM)**



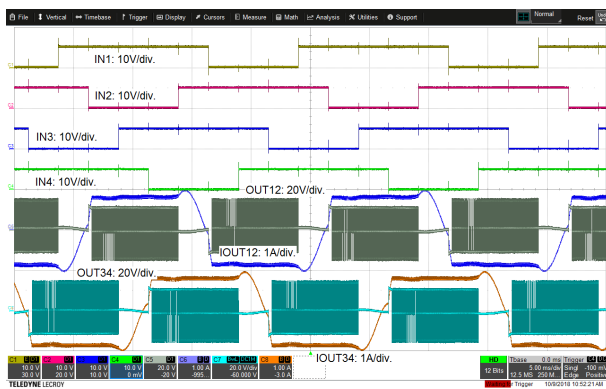
**Figure 8-6. Device Power-up with nSLEEP**



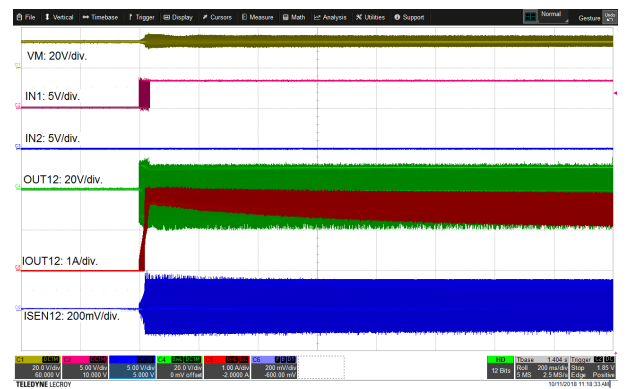
**Figure 8-7. Stepper Motor Full-Step Operation**



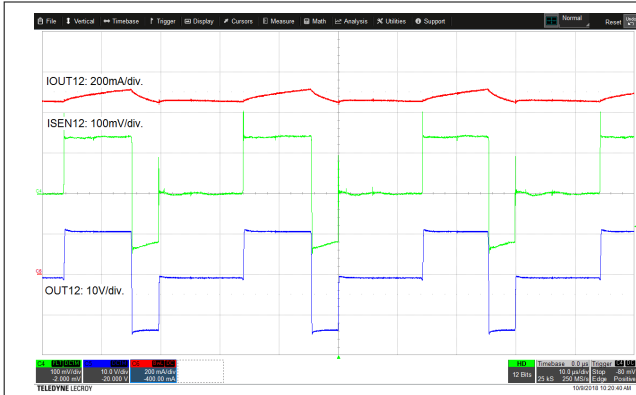
**Figure 8-8. Stepper Motor Half-Step Operation With Off-State as Hi-Z**



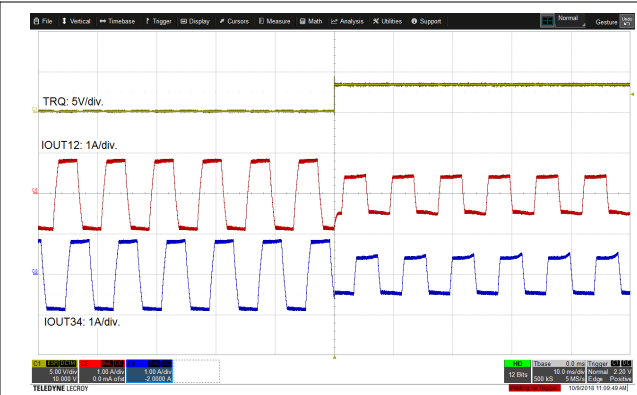
**Figure 8-9. Stepper Motor Half-Step Operation With Off-State as Brake**



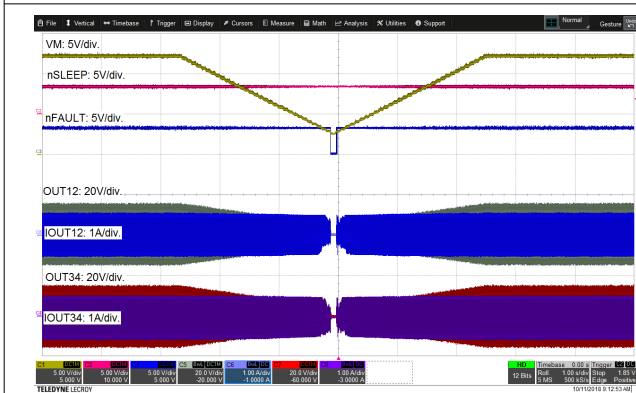
**Figure 8-10. Brushed DC Motor Operation in Parallel Mode Showing Current Regulation at 2-A**



**Figure 8-11. Zoomed Waveform Showing Current Regulation**



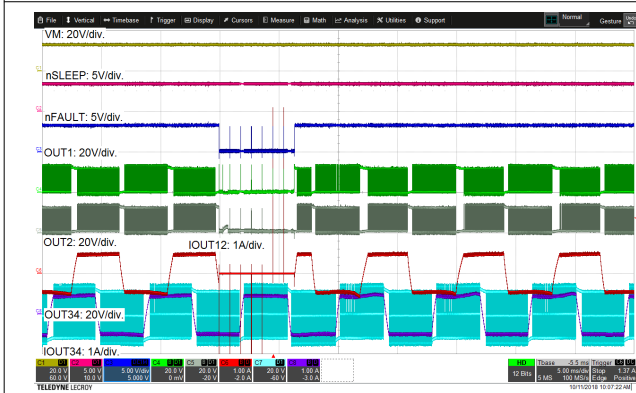
**Figure 8-12. Torque Pin Functionality for Current Scaling**



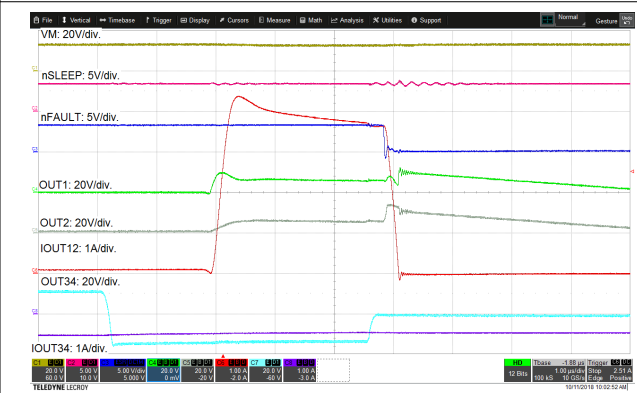
**Figure 8-13. Undervoltage Lockout Operation**



**Figure 8-14. Open Load Detect Operation**



**Figure 8-15. Over Current Protection and Recovery**



**Figure 8-16. Zoomed Waveform of Over Current Protection**

## 8.2.2 Dual BDC Motor Application

Figure 8-17 shows the typical application of DRV8847 device to drive dual BDC motors.

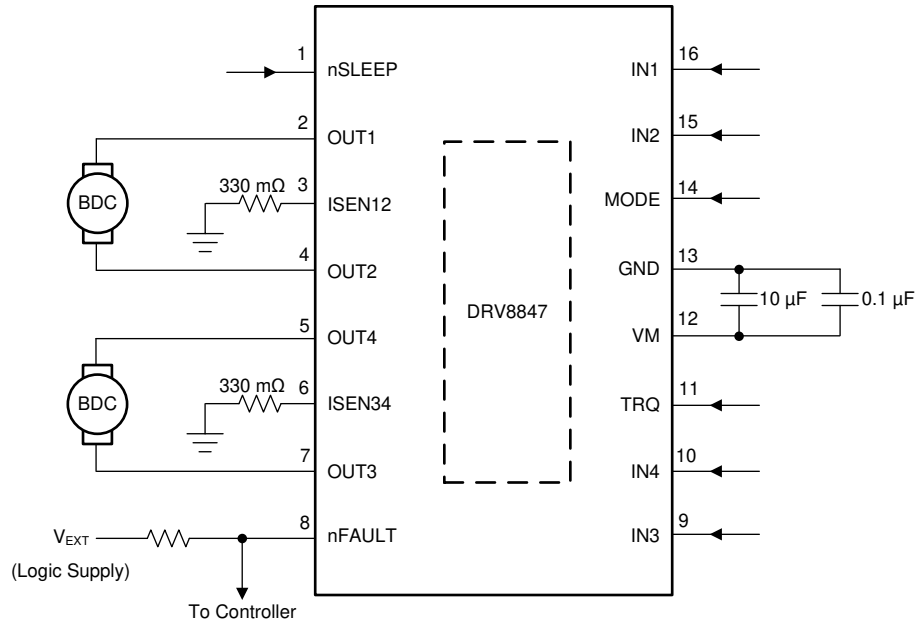


Figure 8-17. Typical Application Schematic of Device Driving Two BDC Motors

### 8.2.2.1 Design Requirements

Table 8-2 lists the design input parameters for system design.

Table 8-2. Design Parameters

DESIGN PARAMETER	REFERENCE	EXAMPLE VALUE
Motor supply voltage	$V_M$	12 V
Motor winding resistance	$R_L$	13.2 $\Omega$
Motor winding inductance	$L_L$	500 $\mu\text{H}$
Motor RMS current	$I_{\text{RMS}}$	490 mA
Motor start-up current	$I_{\text{START}}$	900 mA
Target trip current	$I_{\text{TRIP}}$	1.2 A
Trip current reference voltage (internal voltage)	$V_{\text{TRIP}}$	150 mV

### 8.2.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

#### 8.2.2.2.1 Motor Voltage

The motor voltage used in an application depends on the rating of the selected motor and the desired revolutions per minute (RPM). A higher voltage spins a brushed DC motor faster with the same PWM duty cycle applied to the power FETs. A higher voltage also increases the rate of current change through the inductive motor windings.

#### 8.2.2.2.2 Current Regulation

The trip current ( $I_{\text{TRIP}}$ ) is the maximum current driven through either winding. Because the peak current (start current) of the motor is 900 mA, the  $I_{\text{TRIP}}$  current level is selected to be just greater than the peak current. The selected  $I_{\text{TRIP}}$  value for this example is 1.2 A. Therefore, use Equation 7 to select the value of the sense resistors ( $R_{\text{SENSE12}}$  and  $R_{\text{SENSE34}}$ ) connected to the ISEN12 and ISEN34 pins.

$$R_{\text{SENSE12}} = R_{\text{SENSE34}} = \frac{V_{\text{TRIP}}}{I_{\text{TRIP}}} = \frac{150 \text{ mV}}{1.2 \text{ A}} = 125 \text{ m}\Omega \quad (7)$$

### 8.2.2.2.3 Sense Resistor

For optimal performance, the sense resistor must:

- Be a surface mount component
- Have low inductance
- Be rated for high enough power
- Be placed closely to the motor driver

The power dissipated by the sense resistor equals  $I_{\text{RMS}}^2 \times R$ . In this example, the peak current is 900 mA, the RMS motor current is 490 mA, and the sense resistor value is 125 m $\Omega$ . Therefore, the sense resistors ( $R_{\text{SENSE12}}$  and  $R_{\text{SENSE34}}$ ) dissipate 30 mW ( $490 \text{ mA}^2 \times 125 \text{ m}\Omega = 30 \text{ mW}$ ). The power quickly increases with higher current levels.

Resistors typically have a rated power within some ambient temperature range, along with a derated power curve for high ambient temperatures. When a printed circuit board (PCB) is shared with other components generating heat, margin should be added. For best practice, measure the actual sense resistor temperature in a final system, along with the power MOSFETs, because those components are often the hottest.

Because power resistors are larger and more expensive than standard resistors, the common practice is to use multiple standard resistors in parallel, between the sense node and ground. This practice distributes the current and heat dissipation.

## 8.2.3 Open Load Implementation

This section presents the open load detection circuit and the operation. The open load detection diagnostic test runs during the device power up or when the DRV8847 device comes out from sleep mode. In the I<sup>2</sup>C variant device (DRV8847S), the OLD diagnostic test can run any instant of time using the I<sup>2</sup>C register bits.

### 8.2.3.1 Open Load Detection Circuit

OLD circuit consists of four main components i.e. current source (and current sink), series sequencing switches (sequenced by the digital core), resistors and comparators. For ground (GND) connected load, the current source ( $I_{\text{OL\_PU}}$ ) pulls up the OUTx node to internal regulator voltage (AVDD) and allows the current to flow from internal regulator voltage (AVDD) to ground via the connected load as shown in [Figure 8-18](#). Moreover, for the supply (VM) connected load, the current sink ( $I_{\text{OL\_PD}}$ ) pulls down the current from supply voltage (VM) to ground via the connected load as shown in [Figure 8-20](#). The resistance of the load connected at the OUTx terminal will change the source / sink current and indirectly the voltage drop across two resistors (12-k $\Omega$  and 15-k $\Omega$ ). This voltage drop across resistors is compared with the reference voltage ( $V_{\text{OL\_HS}}$  and  $V_{\text{OL\_LS}}$ ) by the internal comparators to give the output as OL1\_HS and OL1\_LS. This comparator output is fed to the open load digital circuit to determine the open load condition.

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#### Note

Following are the values of various parameter shown above: AVDD voltage = 4.2-V,  $I_{\text{OL\_PU}} = 200\text{-}\mu\text{A}$ ,  $I_{\text{OL\_PD}} = 230\text{-}\mu\text{A}$ ,  $V_{\text{OL\_HS}} = 2.3\text{-V}$ ,  $V_{\text{OL\_LS}} = 1.2\text{-V}$ .

Note that the values taken above are at the typical condition of supply voltage and temperature. Refer to "Typical Characteristics" section in [Section 6](#) for detailed specifications.

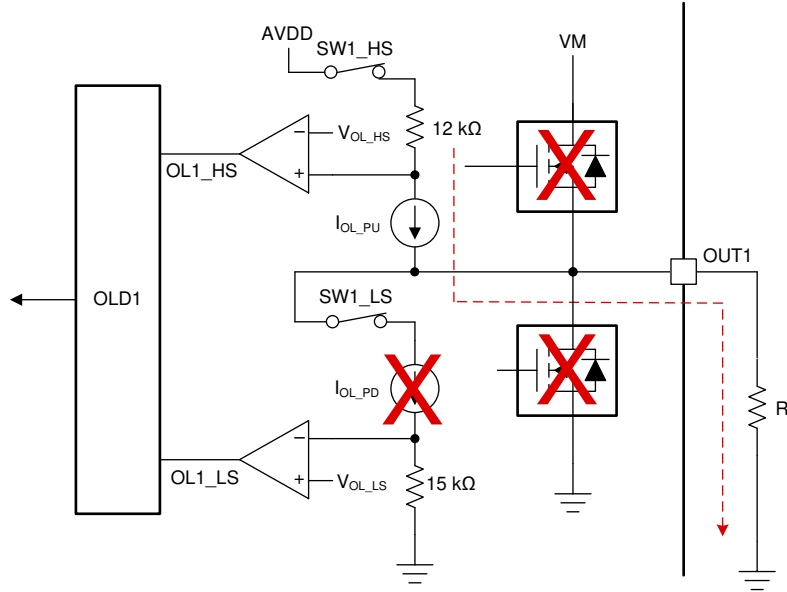
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### 8.2.3.2 OLD for Ground Connected Load

[Figure 8-18](#) shows the ground connected load with internal OLD circuit. When high-side open load sequence is activated (i.e. SW1\_HS is on and SW1\_LS is off), the current source ( $I_{\text{OL\_PU}}$ ) pulls up the OUT1 node to internal regulator voltage (AVDD) and current flows from internal regulator voltage (AVDD) to ground via the connected load ( $R_L$ ). Now, depending upon if the load is present or not, there can be three cases as follows:

### 8.2.3.2.1 Half Bridge Open

If no-load is connected at the OUT1, then no current flows from AVDD. This pulls up the positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator to 4.2-V (AVDD). This if compared with 2.3-V ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ) sets the comparator output to "1", which signifies an open load detect.



**Figure 8-18. Open Load Detect Circuit for Load Connected to Ground (GND)**

### 8.2.3.2.2 Half Bridge Short

If OUT1 pin is shorted to ground, then pull-up current of 200- $\mu$ A ( $I_{OL\_PU}$ ) flows from AVDD. Due to this, there is a voltage drop at the positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator as:

$$V_{OL1\_HS}(+) = V_{AVDD} - I_{OL\_PU} \times 12k\Omega \quad (8)$$

Using Equation 8, the  $V_{OL1\_HS}(+)$  is calculated as shown in Equation 9,

$$V_{OL1\_HS}(+) = 4.2V - 200\mu A \times 12k\Omega = 1.8V \quad (9)$$

This voltage, if compared with 2.3-V ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ) reset the OL1\_HS comparator output to "0", which signifies a no open load detect.

### 8.2.3.2.3 Load Connected

If a resistive load ( $R_L$ ) is connected between OUT1 and GND, then current flowing from AVDD depends on load reistance ( $R_L$ ) as:

$$I_{LOAD} = \frac{V_{AVDD}}{R_L + 12k\Omega} \quad (10)$$

Now, if the voltage drop at positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator is higher than 2.3-V ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ), the comparator sets output to "1" showing as open load. Hence, the voltage required to trip the OL1\_HS comparator is calculated as:

$$V_{OL\_HS} < V_{AVDD} - I_{LOAD} \times 12k\Omega \quad (11)$$

By putting Equation 10 to Equation 11,

$$V_{OL\_HS} < V_{AVDD} - \frac{V_{AVDD} \times 12k\Omega}{R_L + 12k\Omega} \quad (12)$$

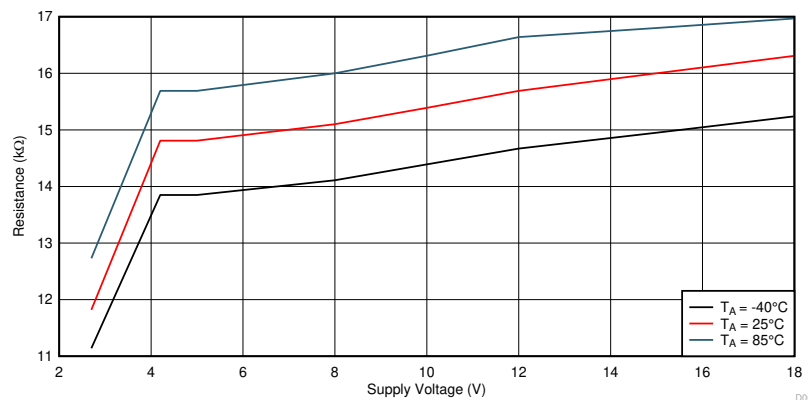
By solving Equation 12, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is expressed as,

$$R_L > \frac{V_{AVDD} \times 12k\Omega}{V_{AVDD} - V_{OL\_HS}} - 12k\Omega \quad (13)$$

By putting the values of  $V_{AVDD}$  and  $V_{OL\_HS}$  in Equation 13, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is calculated as 14.52-k $\Omega$ . Hence, any resistive load connected between OUTx and GND above this value is shown as an open-load.

#### Note

The values of these parameters are taken for a typical case for understanding. These parameters changes with supply voltage and temperature. User has to consider a design margin based on the above calculations.



**Figure 8-19. Resistance Threshold's for Open Load Detect in Ground (GND) Connected Load**

#### 8.2.3.3 OLD for Supply (VM) Connected Load

Figure 8-20 shows the supply (VM) connected load with internal OLD circuit. When low-side open load sequence is activated (i.e. SW1\_HS is off and SW1\_LS is on), the current sink ( $I_{OL\_PD}$ ) pulls down the OUT1 node to supply voltage ( $V_{VM}$ ) and current flows from supply (VM) to ground via the connected load ( $R_L$ ). Now, depending upon if the load is present or not, there can be three cases as follows:

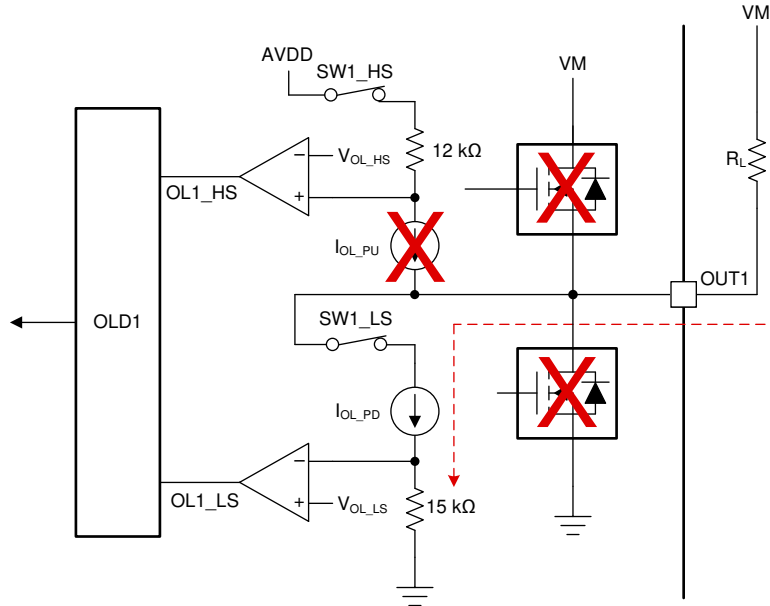


Figure 8-20. Open Load Detect Circuit for Load Connected to Supply Voltage (VM)

#### 8.2.3.3.1 Half Bridge Open

If no-load is connected at the OUT1, then no current flows from supply (VM). This pulls down the negative terminal of OL1\_LS comparator to 0-V (GND). This if compared with 1.2-V ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ) sets the comparator output to "1", which signifies an open load detect.

#### 8.2.3.3.2 Half Bridge Short

If OUT1 pin is shorted to supply (VM), then pull-down current of 230- $\mu$ A ( $I_{OL\_LS}$ ) flows from supply (VM). Due to this, there is a voltage drop at the negative terminal of OL1\_LS comparator as:

$$V_{OL1\_LS}(-) = I_{OL\_PD} \times 15k\Omega \quad (14)$$

Using Equation 14, the  $V_{OL1\_LS}(-)$  is calculated as shown in Equation 15,

$$V_{OL1\_LS}(-) = 230\mu A \times 15k\Omega = 3.45V \quad (15)$$

This voltage, if compared with 1.2-V ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ) reset the OL1\_LS comparator output to "0", signifying a no open load detect.

#### 8.2.3.3.3 Load Connected

If a resistive load ( $R_L$ ) is connected between OUT1 and VM, then current flowing from supply (VM) is as:

$$I_{LOAD} = \frac{V_{VM}}{R_L + 15k\Omega} \quad (16)$$

Now, if the voltage drop at negative terminal of OL1\_LS comparator is lower than 1.2-V ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ), the comparator sets output to "1" showing open load. Hence, the voltage required to trip OL1\_LS comparator is calculated as:

$$V_{OL\_LS} > I_{LOAD} \times 15k\Omega \quad (17)$$

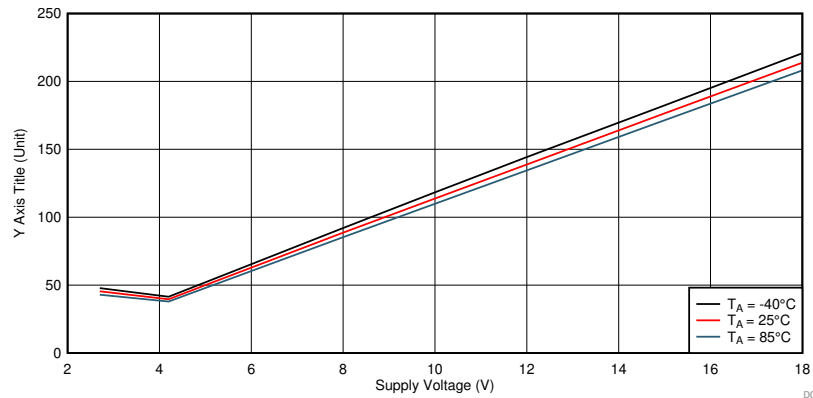
By putting Equation 16 to Equation 17,

$$V_{OL\_LS} > \frac{V_{VM} \times 15k\Omega}{R_L + 15k\Omega} \quad (18)$$

By solving Equation 18, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is expressed as,

$$R_L > \frac{V_{VM} \times 15k\Omega}{V_{OL\_LS}} - 15k\Omega \quad (19)$$

By putting the values of  $V_{VM}$  and  $V_{OL\_HS}$  in Equation 19, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is calculated as 135-k $\Omega$  for supply voltage ( $V_{VM}$ ) of 12-V. Hence, any resistive load connected between VM and OUTx above this value (at  $V_{VM} = 12$ -V) is shown as an open-load.



**Figure 8-21. Resistance Threshold's for Open Load Detect in Supply (VM) Connected Load**

#### Note

In the open load detection for load connected to supply (VM) configuration, the resistive load threshold for an open load also depends on the supply voltage ( $V_{VM}$ ).

#### 8.2.3.4 OLD for Full Bridge Connected Load

Figure 8-22 shows the load connected as a full bridge configuration with internal OLD circuit. Full-bridge open load sequence consists of turning-on the high-side switch (SW1\_HS) of half-bridge-1 and low-side switch (SW2\_LS) of half-bridge-2 together. In a similar manner, the full-bridge open-load sequence for the other half bridge with turning-on the high-side switch (SW2\_HS) of half-bridge-2 and low-side switch (SW1\_LS) of half-bridge-1 together is executed. Now, depending on the load presence, three cases are considered:

##### 8.2.3.4.1 Full Bridge Open

If no-load is connected between the OUT1 and OUT2 terminals, then no current flows from internal regulator (AVDD). Now, the voltage-drop at the positive terminal of high side comparator of half-bridge-1 (OL1\_HS) and the negative terminal of low side comparator of half-bridge-2 (OL2\_LS) will be as follows:

##### 8.2.3.4.1.1 High side comparator of half-bridge-1 (OL1\_HS)

Since no current is flowing from the internal regulator (AVDD), the voltage at the OUT1 node (which is also the positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator) is clamped to 4.2-V (i.e. AVDD). This if compared with 2.3-V ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ) sets the comparator output to "1".

##### 8.2.3.4.1.2 Low side comparator of half-bridge-2 (OL2\_LS)

For an open load condition, no current flows through the SW2\_LS switch, which pulls down the negative terminal of OL2\_LS comparator to 0-V (GND). This if compared with 1.2-V ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ) sets the comparator output to "1".



Now, if both the comparator outputs (OL1\_HS and OL2\_LS) is high, it signifies an open load.

#### 8.2.3.4.2 Full Bridge Short

If there is short between the OUT1 and OUT2 terminals, then a short current ( $I_{SC}$ ) will flows from internal regulator (AVDD) depending upon the high-side (12-k $\Omega$ ) and low-side (15-k $\Omega$ ) resistors as,

$$I_{SC} = \frac{V_{AVDD}}{15k\Omega + 12k\Omega} = \frac{V_{AVDD}}{27k\Omega} \quad (20)$$

Hence the short-current flowing using Equation 20 is calculated as,

$$I_{SC} = \frac{V_{AVDD}}{27k\Omega} = \frac{4.2V}{27k\Omega} = 155.56\mu A \quad (21)$$

Now, the voltage-drop at the positive terminal of high side comparator of half-bridge-1 (OL1\_HS) and the negative terminal of low side comparator of half-bridge-2 (OL2\_LS) will be as follows:

##### 8.2.3.4.2.1 High side comparator of half-bridge-1 (OL1\_HS)

Now, the pull up current of  $I_{SC}$  (155.56- $\mu A$ ) is flowing from the internal regulator (AVDD), therefore the voltage at the positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator (which is also the OUT1 node) is calculated as,

$$V_{OL1\_HS}(+) = V_{AVDD} - I_{SC} \times 12k\Omega \quad (22)$$

using Equation 22, the  $V_{OL1\_HS}(+)$  is calculated as,

$$V_{OL1\_HS}(+) = 4.2V - 155.56\mu A \times 12k\Omega = 2.33V \quad (23)$$

This voltage, if compared with 2.3-V ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ) sets the OL1\_HS comparator output to "1".

##### 8.2.3.4.2.2 Low side comparator of half-bridge-2 (OL2\_LS)

The pull down current of  $I_{SC}$  (155.56- $\mu A$ ) is flowing from the internal regulator (AVDD) to the SW2\_LS switch, therefore the voltage at the negative terminal of OL2\_LS comparator is calculated as,

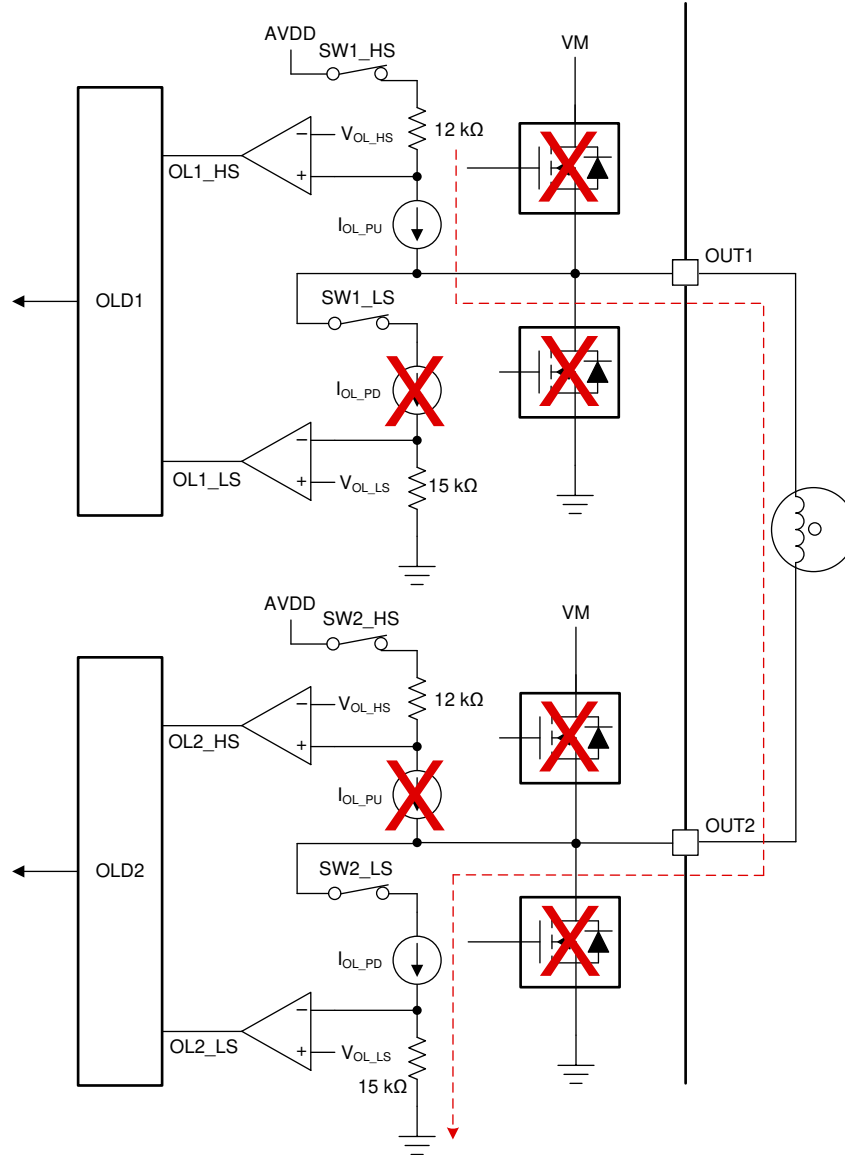
$$V_{OL2\_LS}(-) > I_{SC} \times 15k\Omega \quad (24)$$

Using Equation 24, the  $V_{OL2\_LS}$  is calculated as,

$$V_{OL2\_LS}(-) = 155.56\mu A \times 15k\Omega = 2.33V \quad (25)$$

This voltage, if compared with 1.2-V ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ) reset the OL2\_LS comparator output to "0".

Since, OL1\_HS comparator shows an output "1" and OL2\_LS comparator shows and output "0", therefore this case is considered as no-open load.



**Figure 8-22. Open Load Detect Circuit for Motor Connected in Full Bridge Configuration**

**8.2.3.4.3 Load Connected in Full Bridge**

If there is a load ( $R_L$ ) connected between the OUT1 and OUT2 terminals, then a load current ( $I_L$ ) is calculated as,

$$I_{LOAD} = \frac{V_{AVDD}}{12k\Omega + R_L + 15k\Omega} = \frac{V_{AVDD}}{R_L + 27k\Omega} \tag{26}$$

Now, the voltage-drop at the positive terminal of high side comparator of half-bridge-1 (OL1\_HS) and the negative terminal of low side comparator of half-bridge-2 (OL2\_LS) will be as follows:

**8.2.3.4.3.1 High side comparator of half-bridge-1 (OL1\_HS)**

If the voltage drop at positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator is higher than 2.3-V ( $V_{OL\_HS}$ ), the comparator sets output to "1" (for open load). Hence, the voltage required to trip the OL1\_HS comparator is calculated as:

$$V_{OL\_HS} < V_{AVDD} - I_{LOAD} \times 12k\Omega \quad (27)$$

By putting Equation 26 into Equation 27,

$$V_{OL\_HS} < V_{AVDD} - \frac{V_{AVDD} \times 12k\Omega}{R_L + 27k\Omega} \quad (28)$$

By solving Equation 28, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is expressed as,

$$R_L > \frac{V_{AVDD} \times 12k\Omega}{V_{AVDD} - V_{OL\_HS}} - 27k\Omega \quad (29)$$

By putting the values of  $V_{AVDD}$  and  $V_{OL\_HS}$  in Equation 29, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is calculated as (-)10.2-k $\Omega$ . Since, the value of resistance is negative, therefore, the voltage at positive terminal of OL1\_HS comparator is always higher than  $V_{OL\_HS}$  and comparator output is always high ("1").

#### 8.2.3.4.3.2 Low side comparator of half-bridge-2 (OL2\_LS)

If the voltage drop at negative terminal of OL2\_LS comparator is lower than 1.2-V ( $V_{OL\_LS}$ ), the comparator sets output to "1" showing as open load. Hence, the voltage required to trip the OL2\_LS comparator is calculated as:

$$V_{OL\_LS} > I_{LOAD} \times 15k\Omega \quad (30)$$

By putting Equation 26 to Equation 30,

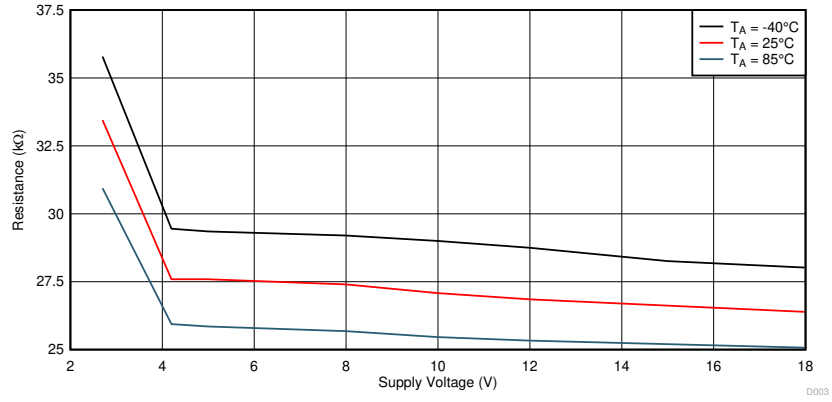
$$V_{OL\_LS} > \frac{V_{AVDD} \times 15k\Omega}{R_L + 27k\Omega} \quad (31)$$

By solving Equation 31, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is expressed as,

$$R_L > \frac{V_{AVDD} \times 15k\Omega}{V_{OL\_LS}} - 27k\Omega \quad (32)$$

By putting the values of  $V_{AVDD}$  and  $V_{OL\_LS}$  in Equation 32, the load resistance ( $R_L$ ) is calculated as 25.5-k $\Omega$ . Therefore, the output of OL2\_HS comparator sets to 1, if the load resistance is greater than 25.5-k $\Omega$ .

Since, the OL1\_HS comparator always outputs "1", therefore, the open load status is solely dependent on the output of OL2\_HS comparator. If OL2\_HS comparator output is "1", then an open load is detected.



**Figure 8-23. Resistance Threshold's for Open Load Detect for Load Connected in Full-Bridge Configuration**

## Power Supply Recommendations

The DRV8847 device is designed to operate from an input voltage supply ( $V_{VM}$ ) range from 2.7 V to 18 V. Place a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  ceramic capacitor rated for VM as close to the DRV8847 device as possible. In addition, a bulk capacitor with a value of at least 10  $\mu\text{F}$  must be included on the VM pin.

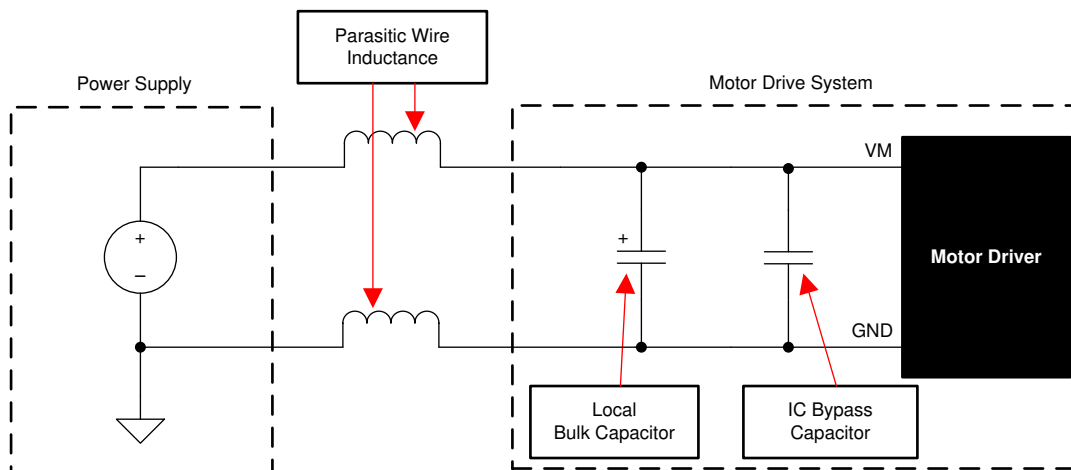
### 9.1 Bulk Capacitance Sizing

Bulk capacitance sizing is an important factor in motor drive system design. The amount of bulk capacitance depends on a variety of factors including:

- Type of power supply
- Acceptable supply voltage ripple
- Parasitic inductance in the power supply wiring
- Type of motor (brushed DC, brushless DC, stepper)
- Motor start-up current
- Motor braking method

The inductance between the power supply and motor drive system limits the rate that current can change from the power supply. If the local bulk capacitance is too small, the system responds to excessive current demands or dumps from the motor with a change in voltage. Size the bulk capacitance to meet acceptable voltage ripple levels.

The data sheet provides a recommended minimum value, but system-level testing is required to determine the appropriate-sized bulk capacitor.



**Figure 9-1. Setup of Motor Drive System With External Power Supply**

## 9 Layout

### 9.1 Layout Guidelines

Bypass the VM pin to ground using a low-ESR ceramic bypass capacitor with a recommended value of 10  $\mu$ F and rated for VM. Place this capacitor as close to the VM pin as possible with a thick trace or ground plane connection to the device GND pin.

### 9.2 Layout Example

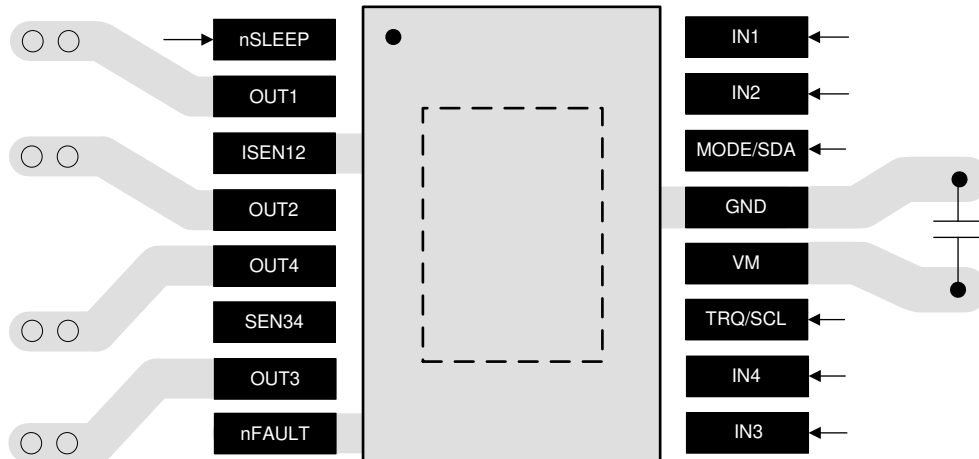


Figure 9-1. Layout Recommendation of 16-Pin TSSOP Package for Single-Layer Board

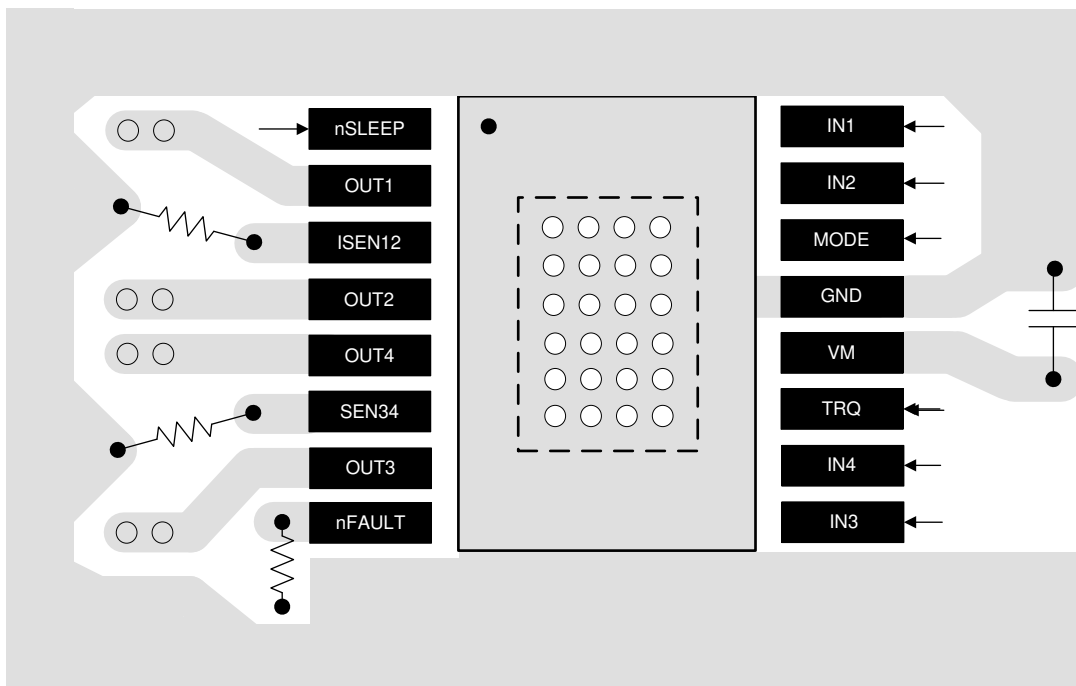


Figure 9-2. Layout Recommendation of 16-Pin HTSSOP Package for Double-Layer Board

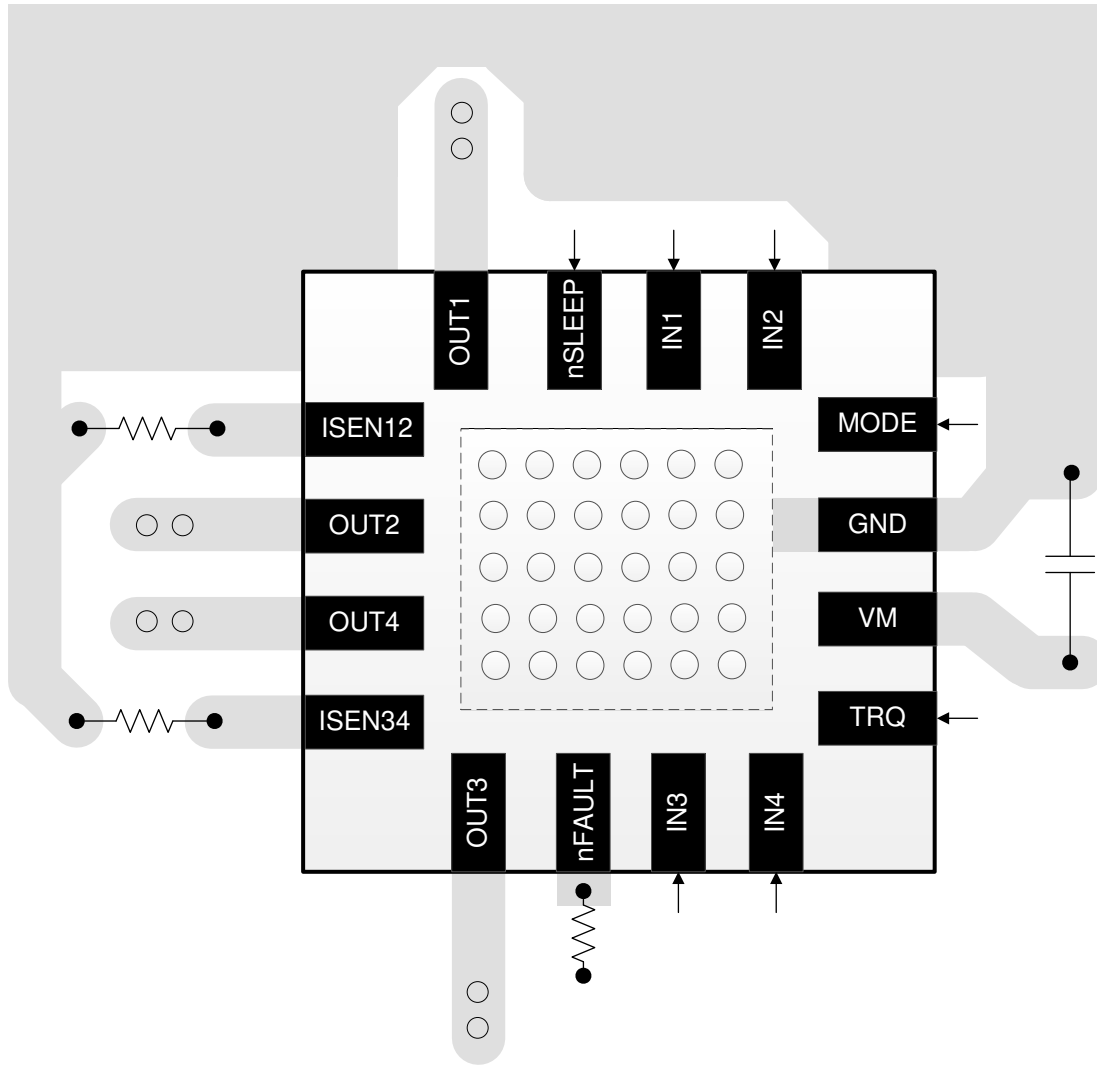


Figure 9-3. Layout Recommendation of 16-Pin QFN Package for Double-Layer Board

## 9.3 Thermal Considerations

### 9.3.1 Maximum Output Current

In actual operation, the maximum output current that is achievable with a motor driver is a function of the die temperature. This die temperature is greatly affected by ambient temperature and PCB design. Essentially, the maximum motor current is the amount of current that results in a power dissipation level that, along with the thermal resistance of the package and PCB, keeps the die at a low enough temperature to avoid thermal shutdown.

The dissipation ratings given in the data sheet can be used as a guide to calculate the approximate maximum power dissipation that can be expected without putting the device in thermal shutdown for several different PCB constructions. However, for accurate data, the actual PCB design must be analyzed through measurement or thermal simulation.

### 9.3.2 Thermal Protection

The DRV8847 device has thermal shutdown (TSD) as described in the [Section 9.3.1](#) section. If the die temperature exceeds approximately 150°C, the device is disabled until the temperature decreases 40°C.

Any tendency of the device to enter TSD is an indication of either excessive power dissipation, insufficient heat-sinking, or too high an ambient temperature.

## 9.4 Power Dissipation

Power dissipation in the DRV8847 device is dominated by the DC power dissipated in the output FET resistance ( $R_{DS(ON)_{HS}}$  and  $R_{DS(ON)_{LS}}$ ). Additional power is dissipated because of PWM switching losses. These losses are dependent on the PWM frequency, rise and fall times, and VM supply voltages. These switching losses are typically on the order of 10% to 30% of the DC power dissipation.

Use [Equation 33](#) to estimate the DC power dissipation of one H-bridge.

$$P_{TOT} = R_{DS(ON)_{LS}} \times I_{OUT(RMS)}^2 + R_{DS(ON)_{HS}} \times I_{OUT(rms)}^2 \quad (33)$$

where

- $P_{TOT}$  is the total power dissipation
- $I_{OUT(RMS)}$  is the RMS output current being applied to motor
- $R_{DS(ON)_{HS}}$  and  $R_{DS(ON)_{LS}}$  are the high-side and low-side on-state resistance of the FET

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#### Note

The value of  $R_{DS(ON)_{HS}}$  and  $R_{DS(ON)_{LS}}$  increases with temperature. Therefore, as the device heats, the power dissipation increases. This relationship must be considered when sizing the heat-sink.

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## 10 Device and Documentation Support

### 10.1 Device Support (Optional)

#### 10.1.1 Development Support (Optional)

#### 10.1.2 Device Nomenclature (Optional)

### 10.2 Documentation Support

#### 10.2.1 Related Documentation

For related documentation see the following:

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- Texas Instruments, [DRV8847EVM User's Guide](#)
- Texas Instruments, [DRV8847EVM and DRV8847SEVM Software User's Guide](#)
- Texas Instruments, [Small Motors in Large Appliances TI TechNote](#)

### 10.3 Receiving Notification of Documentation Updates

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### 10.4 Community Resources

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**PACKAGING INFORMATION**

Orderable Device	Status (1)	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan (2)	Lead finish/ Ball material (6)	MSL Peak Temp (3)	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
DRV88471RTER	ACTIVE	WQFN	RTE	16	3000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	88471	<a href="#">Samples</a>
DRV8847PWPR	ACTIVE	HTSSOP	PWP	16	2000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 125	8847PWP	<a href="#">Samples</a>
DRV8847PWPRG4	ACTIVE	HTSSOP	PWP	16	2000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 125	8847PWP	<a href="#">Samples</a>
DRV8847PWR	ACTIVE	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 125	8847PW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
DRV8847RTER	ACTIVE	WQFN	RTE	16	3000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	8847	<a href="#">Samples</a>
DRV8847RTET	LIFEBUY	WQFN	RTE	16	250	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	8847	
DRV8847SPWR	ACTIVE	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 125	8847SPW	<a href="#">Samples</a>

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**QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE**


\*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
DRV88471RTER	WQFN	RTE	16	3000	330.0	12.4	3.3	3.3	1.1	8.0	12.0	Q2
DRV8847PWPR	HTSSOP	PWP	16	2000	330.0	12.4	6.9	5.6	1.6	8.0	12.0	Q1
DRV8847PWPRG4	HTSSOP	PWP	16	2000	330.0	12.4	6.9	5.6	1.6	8.0	12.0	Q1
DRV8847PWR	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	330.0	12.4	6.9	5.6	1.6	8.0	12.0	Q1
DRV8847RTER	WQFN	RTE	16	3000	330.0	12.4	3.3	3.3	1.1	8.0	12.0	Q2
DRV8847RTET	WQFN	RTE	16	250	180.0	12.4	3.3	3.3	1.1	8.0	12.0	Q2
DRV8847SPWR	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	330.0	12.4	6.9	5.6	1.6	8.0	12.0	Q1

**TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS**


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Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
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DRV8847PWPR	HTSSOP	PWP	16	2000	356.0	356.0	35.0
DRV8847PWPRG4	HTSSOP	PWP	16	2000	356.0	356.0	35.0
DRV8847PWR	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	356.0	356.0	35.0
DRV8847RTER	WQFN	RTE	16	3000	367.0	367.0	35.0
DRV8847RTET	WQFN	RTE	16	250	210.0	185.0	35.0
DRV8847SPWR	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	356.0	356.0	35.0

## GENERIC PACKAGE VIEW

**RTE 16**

**WQFN - 0.8 mm max height**

3 x 3, 0.5 mm pitch

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK - NO LEAD

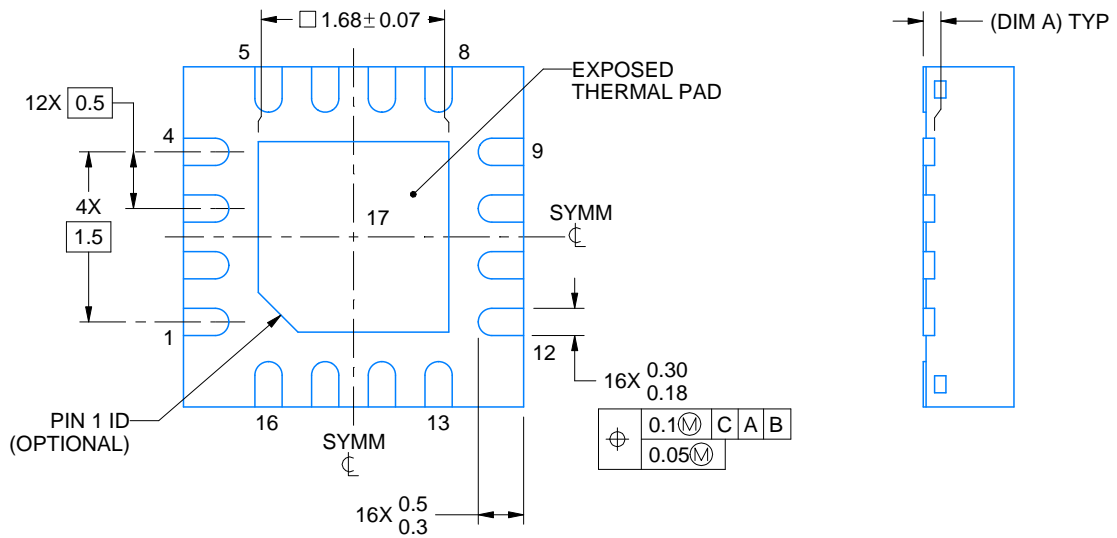
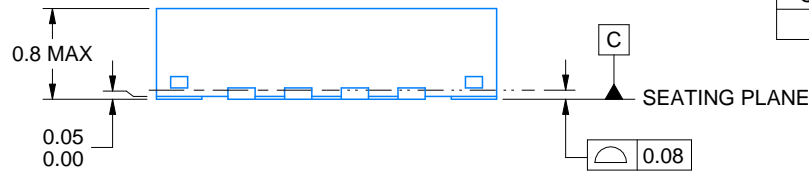
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SIDE WALL METAL THICKNESS DIM A	
OPTION 1	OPTION 2
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NOTES:

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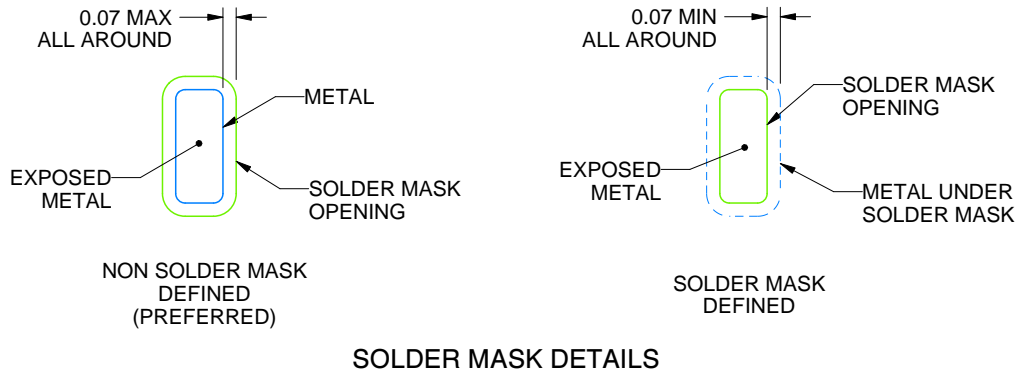
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WQFN - 0.8 mm max height

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK - NO LEAD



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
SCALE:20X



SOLDER MASK DETAILS

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# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

RTE0016C

WQFN - 0.8 mm max height

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK - NO LEAD



**SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE**  
BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL

EXPOSED PAD 17:  
85% PRINTED SOLDER COVERAGE BY AREA UNDER PACKAGE  
SCALE:25X

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NOTES: (continued)

6. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.



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5. Reference JEDEC registration MO-153.

# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

PW0016A

TSSOP - 1.2 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
SCALE: 10X



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NOTES: (continued)

- 6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.
- 7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.

# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

PW0016A

TSSOP - 1.2 mm max height

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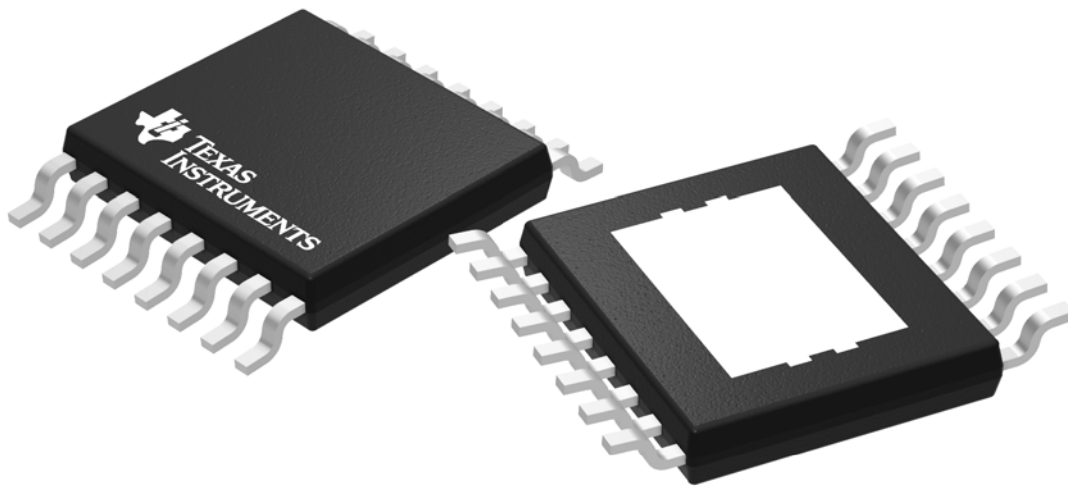


SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE  
BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL  
SCALE: 10X

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NOTES: (continued)

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