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TPS7H3014-SP Radiation-Hardened, 14V, 4-Channel Sequencer

1 Features

TEXAS

• Radiation performance:

INSTRUMENTS

- Radiation hardness assurance (RHA) up to a total ionizing dose (TID) of 100krad(Si)
- Single-event latchup (SEL), single-event burnout (SEB), and single-event gate rupture (SEGR) immune up to linear energy transfer $(LET) = 75MeV-cm²/mg$
- Single-event functional interrupt (SEFI) and single-event transient (SET) characterized up to $LET = 75MeV-cm²/mg$
- Wide supply IN voltage range (V_{IN}) : 3V to 14V
- Sequence and monitor up to 4 voltage rails with a single device
	- Daisy chain capability for extended channel count
- Single resistor programmable global timers for:
	- Sequence up and down delay
	- Sequence up time to regulation
- Reverse order sequence down
- Precision threshold voltage and hysteresis current
	- V_{TH} sensex of 599mV $±1%$ across: voltage, temperature, and radiation (TID)
	- $I_{HYS, SFNSEx}$ of 24µA $±3%$ across: voltage, temperature, and radiation (TID)
- Push-pull outputs with programmable pull-up voltage between 1.6V to 7V
	- $-$ Global ENx pull-up domain (V_{PULL_UP1})
	- Common SEQ DONE and PWRGD pull-up domain (V_{PULL} UP2)
- FAULT open drain output for monitoring of state machine induced faults
- Available in military (–55°C to 125°C) temperature range

2 Applications

- [Satellite electrical power system \(EPS\)](https://www.ti.com/solution/satellite-electrical-power-system-eps)
- Control sequence and monitoring for complex digital processors such as: FPGAs, SoCs, AFEs, and power systems for space applications

3 Description

The TPS7H3014 is an integrated, 3V to 14V, fourchannel radiation-hardness-assured power-supply sequencer. Channel count can be expanded by connecting multiple devices in a daisy-chain configuration. The device provides sequence up and down control signals for integrated circuits (IC) with active high ("on") inputs. In addition SEQ_DONE and PWRGD flags are provided to monitor the sequence and power status of the monitored power tree.

An accurate 599mV ±1% threshold voltage and a 24μA ±3% hysteresis current provide programmable rise and fall monitoring voltages. The rise and fall delay time is globally programmed via a single resistor. Also, a time-to-regulation timer is provided to track the rising voltage on SENSEx. In addition to these features, a FAULT detection pin is incorporated to monitor internally generated faults and provide increased system level reliability for power sequencing space applications. A standard microcircuit drawing (SMD) is available for the QML variant, 5962R2320101VXC.

Device Information

(1) For additional information view the [Device Options](#page-2-0) table.

(2) For additional information about part grade, view [SLYB235](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/slyb235).

(3) Dimensions and mass are nominal values.

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4 Device Options

(1) TID is total ionizing dose and DSEE is destructive single event effects. Additional information is available in the associated TID reports and SEE reports for each product.

(2) For additional information about part grade, view [SLYB235](https://www.ti.com/lit/ml/slyb235/slyb235.pdf).

(3) These units are intended for engineering evaluation only. They are processed to a non-compliant flow (such as no burn-in and only 25°C testing). These units are not suitable for qualification, production, radiation testing, or flight use. Parts are not warranted as to performance over temperature or operating life.

5 Pin Configuration and Functions

Figure 5-1. HFT Package, 22-Pin CFP (Top View)

Table 5-1. Pin Functions

Table 5-1. Pin Functions (continued)

(1) $I = Input, O = Output, I/O = Input or Output, $---$ Other$

6 Specifications

6.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted) (1) (2)

(1) Operation outside the Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent device damage. Absolute Maximum Ratings do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those listed under Recommended Operating Conditions. If used outside the Recommended Operating Conditions but within the Absolute Maximum Ratings, the device may not be fully functional, and this may affect device reliability, functionality, performance, and shorten the device lifetime.

(2) All voltages values are with respect to GND.

6.2 ESD Ratings

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

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

6.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating temperature range, $T_A = -55^{\circ}$ C to 125°C (unless otherwise noted) (1)

(1) All voltages values are with respect to GND.

6.4 Thermal Information

(1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the [Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics](http://www.ti.com/lit/SPRA953) application report.

6.5 Electrical Characteristics

Over 3V ≤ V_{IN} ≤ 14V, R_{DLY_TMR} = 10.5kΩ_, R_{REG_TMR} = 10.5kΩ, C_{REFCAP} = 470nF, C_{VLDO} = 1μF, V_{PULL_UP1} = 3.3V, V_{PULL_UP2} = 3.3V, C_{PULL_UP1} = 1µF, C_{PULL_UP2} = 1µF, over temperature range (T_A= –55°C to 125°C), unless otherwise noted; includes group E radi̇̃ation testing at T̄ $_A^-$ = 25°C for QML RHA devices $^{(1)}$ $^{(1)}$ $^{(1)}$ $^{(2)}$ $^{(2)}$ $^{(2)}$

6.5 Electrical Characteristics (continued)

Over 3V ≤ V_{IN} ≤ 14V, R_{DLY_TMR} = 10.5kΩ_, R_{REG_TMR} = 10.5kΩ, C_{REFCAP} = 470nF, C_{VLDO} = 1μF, V_{PULL_UP1} = 3.3V, V_{PULL_UP2} = 3.3V, C_{PULL_UP1} = 1µF, C_{PULL_UP2} = 1µF, over temperature range (T_A= –55°C to 125°C), unless otherwise noted; includes group E radīation testing at T̄ $_A^-$ = 25°C for QML RHA devices ^{[\(1\)](#page-9-0) [\(2\)](#page-9-0)}

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(1) See the 5962R2320101VXC SMD (standard microcircuit drawing) for additional information on the RHA devices.

(2) All voltage values are with respect to GND.

(3) For subgroup definitions, see [Quality Conformance Inspection](#page-10-0) table.

(4) V_{POR_IN} is the minimum V_{IN} voltage for a controlled output state, when 1.6V ≤ V_{PULL_UPx} ≤ 7V. Below V_{POR_IN}, the output cannot be determined.

(5) V_{POR_PULL_UPx} is the minimum V_{PULL_UPx} voltage for a controlled output state, when V_{IN} ≤ 3V. Below V_{POR_PULL_UPx} the output cannot be determined.

6.6 Timing Requirements

Over 3V ≤ V_{IN} ≤ 14V, R_{DLY_TMR} = 10.5kΩ_, R_{REG_TMR} = 10.5kΩ, C_{REFCAP} = 470nF, C_{VLDO} = 1μF, V_{PULL_UP1} = 3.3V, V_{PULL_UP2} = 3.3V, CPULL_UP1 = 1µF, CPULL_UP2 = 1µF, over temperature range (TA = –55°C to 125°C) unless otherwise noted; includes group E radīation testing at T̄ $_A^-$ = 25°C for RHA devices $^{(1)}$

(1) See the 5962R2320101VXC SMD (standard microcircuit drawing) for additional information on the RHA devices.

(2) For subgroup definitions, see Quality Conformance Inspection table.

(3) During the power-on, V_{IN} must be at or above V_{IN} (MIN) for at least t_{Start_up_delay} for all internal references to be within specification.

6.7 Quality Conformance Inspection

MIL-STD-883, Method 5005 - Group A

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6.8 Typical Characteristics

R_{DLY_TMR} = 10.5kΩ, R_{REG_TMR} = 10.5kΩ, V_{PULL_UP1} = 3.3V, V_{PULL_UP2} = 3.3V, V_{FAULT} = 10kΩ pull-up to VLDO, R_{HYS} = 50kΩ, C_{REFCAP} = 470nF, C_{VLDO} = 1μF, C_{PULL_UP1} = 1μF, C_{PULL_UP2} = 1μF, unless otherwise noted.

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7 Parameter Measurement Information

A. V_{IN(STEADY-STATE)} is a valid operating voltage between 3V and 14V

Figure 7-1. tStart_up_delay Time Measurement

Figure 7-3. ENx Propagation Delay (tpd_ENx) Time Measurement - Falling Voltage

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Figure 7-4. SEQ_DONE Propagation Delay (tpd_SEQ_DONE) Time Measurement - Rising Voltage

Figure 7-6. PWRGD Propagation Delay (tpd_PWRGD) Time Measurement - Rising Voltage

Figure 7-5. SEQ_DONE Propagation Delay (tpd_SEQ_DONE) Time Measurement - Falling Voltage

Figure 7-7. PWRGD Propagation Delay (t_{pd_PWRGD}) Time Measurement - Falling Voltage

time(s)

- A. V_{SENSE1} is pulled-low after the state machine is in the waiting to sequence down state.
- B. The slew rates are exaggerated for easier visualization.

Figure 7-8. State Machine Detected Fault Propagation Delay (tpd_SM_FAULT)

time(s)

time(s)

time(s)

Figure 7-11. Rising Threshold on SENSEx Hold Time (th_VTH_RISE)

time(s)

8 Detailed Description

8.1 Overview

The TPS7H3014 is a four-Channel, 3V to 14V, sequencer and supervisor for space applications. The device is intended to drive devices with enable high logic inputs. The channel count can be incremented as needed for the application by connecting multiple ICs. in a daisy-chain configuration. Each output incorporates a push-pull architecture. The logic high of these outputs are externally provided by the user by supplying a voltage to the PULL-UPx inputs. All ENx push-pull outputs are tied to the PULL_UP1 domain while SEQ_DONE and PWRGD are tied to the PULL_UP2 domain.

The SENSEx inputs are connected to the non-inverting input (undervoltage) of a comparator which is used to determine the on (in regulation) and off (not in regulation) voltage level of the monitored power supply (V_{OUTx}). Each of these inputs feature a threshold level of 599mV (typ) with an accuracy of ±1% across: voltage, temperature, and radiation (TID). The hysteresis voltage threshold level can be adjusted by the user and determined by the R_{TOPx} resistance and the hysteresis current (I_{HYS}). The I_{HYS} becomes active once the rising voltage at SENSEx exceeds the threshold (599mV typ), indicating the monitored voltage rail is in regulation. I_{HYS} is 24μA with an accuracy of ±3% across: voltage, temperature, and radiation (TID).

The device incorporates two timers:

- 1. **DLY_TMR**: Set the rising and falling ENx delay. Once the SENSEx-1 is above the on voltage during a sequence up, the EN_x will be asserted high once the delay set by the user using the DLY_TMR input is expired. The same is true during sequence down, this means that once SENSE_x is below the off voltage the EN_{x-1} will be asserted low once the timer is expired. This timer can be set from 0.25ms to 25ms, by using a 10.5kΩ to a 1.18MΩ, respectively.
- 2. **REG_TMR**: Set the allowed time that a sensed voltage rail has to be above the on threshold (in regulation). Once the EN_x is asserted high, the SENSE_x has up to the time set by the user, using REG_TMR, to be above 599mV (typ). Otherwise a reverse sequence down from EN_{x-1} is started.

Separate UP and DOWN pins are provided by the device in order to enable daisy-chain configurations. The UP pin has a threshold (V_{TH UP}) of 599mV (typ), while the DOWN pin has an threshold (V_{TH DOWN}) of 498mV. A fixed hysteresis of 100mV is incorporated in both input comparators for noise stability. These pins are edge sensitive, a rising edge in UP starts the sequence up, while a falling edge in DOWN will start the sequence down.

When using a single device and driven externally, both pins (UP and DOWN) are typically tied together. Since UP and DOWN inputs have an accurate threshold, they can be used to initiate the sequence up and down by accurately sensing another rail (using a resistive divider), or they can be externally driven by a controller. Once UP is driven above V_{TH-UP} , the device will start a sequence up by asserting EN1 high after the programmed delay time (DLY_TMR), at which point the SENSE1 will start rising up. If SENSE1 crosses the on voltage before the REG_TMR is expired, then EN2 will be asserted high after the programmed delay. This process continues until the SEQ_DONE and PWRGD are asserted high indicating a complete sequence up and system power good, respectively.

Once the DOWN pin is driven below V_{TH} $_{\overline{DOWN}}$, the device will start a sequence down by forcing EN4 low after the programmed delay. At this point, the SENSE4 voltage will start falling until is lower than the set off voltage. Once this happens, EN3 will be asserted low after the programmed delay. This will continue until EN1 is forced low. As the discharge time of the sequenced devices is unknown, the REG_TMR is not active during power down.

During sequence up, SEQ DONE and PWRGD are asserted high after the last used channel crosses the on voltage threshold and the programmed DLY TMR is expired (assuming it is active). During sequence down, SEQ_DONE is forced low once V_{OUT1} is below the off voltage and the DLY_TMR is expired. However PWRGD is forced low immediately after the commanded sequence down.

The TPS7H3014 also incorporates a comprehensive FAULT management system described in the [State](#page-36-0) [Machine](#page-36-0) section.

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8.2 Functional Block Diagram

8.3 Feature Description

8.3.1 Input Voltage (IN), VLDO and REFCAP

During steady state operation, the input voltage of the TPS7H3014 must be between 3V and 14V. A minimum bypass capacitance of at least 0.1μ F is needed between V_{IN} and GND. The input bypass capacitors should be placed as close to the sequencer IC as possible. Is recommended that V_{IN} slew rate is controlled between 10V/μs to 1mV/μs for proper IC operation.

The voltage applied at V_{IN} serves as the input for the internal regulator that generates the VLDO voltage, typically 3.29V. At input voltages less the 3.29V (typ), the VLDO voltage will follow the voltage at V_{IN}. Recommended capacitance for VLDO is 1μF. Unused SENSE2 to SENSE4 can be tied to VLDO to by-pass the channel delay during sequence up and down. It is recommended to pull-up the FAULT pin to VLDO via a 10kΩ resistor, but otherwise it is recommended not to externally load this pin due to limited output current capability. During power up, the user should wait at least the 2.8ms (t_{Start up delay}) after V_{IN} > UVLO_{RISE} before attempting to start a sequence up, this is due to internal time constants in the device.

Each device generates an internal 1.2V bandgap reference that is utilized throughout the various internal control logic blocks. This is the voltage present on the REFCAP pin during steady state operation. This voltage is divided down to produce the reference for the comparator inputs SENSE_x (599mV typ), UP (598mV typ) and DOWN (498mV typ). The V_{TH-SSE} reference is measured at the EN_x outputs to account for offsets in the error amplifier and maintains regulation within ±1% across: voltage, temperature, and radiation TID (up to 100krad in Silicon). This tight reference tolerance allows the user to monitor voltage rails with high accuracy. A 470nF capacitor to GND is required at the REFCAP pin for proper electrical operation as well as to ensure robust SET performance of the device.

8.3.1.1 Undervoltage Lockout (VPOR_IN < VIN < UVLO)

When the voltage on V_{IN} is less than the UVLO (2.79V typ) voltage, but greater than the power-on reset voltage (V_{POR_IN}, 1.41V typ), the output pins (ENx, SEQ_DONE and PWRGD) will be in a logic low state, regardless of the voltage at the inputs of the device, named as:

- SENSE^x
- UP
- DOWN

8.3.1.2 Power-On Reset (V_{IN} < V_{POR_IN})

When the voltage on V_{IN} is lower than the power on reset voltage (V_{PORIN}), the output signal is undefined and is not to be relied upon for proper device function.

[Figure 8-1](#page-23-0) shows the ENx outputs relationship to a rising input voltage (V_{N}) . As can be observed, the ENx are undefined when V_{IN} is lower than V_{POR_{IN} (typically 1.41V). During this time the outputs can be any value from} 0V to V_{IN} . In this case, the input voltages to all undervoltage (UV) input comparators (SENSEx) are below the $V_{TH\;SENSE}$ (599mV). For this reason (in conjunction with waiting for a rising edge on UP), the ENx, SEQ_DONE and PWRGD stays low after V_{IN} rises above UVLO_{RISF} (typically 2.79V).

Figure 8-1. Outputs in a Valid Low State After V_{IN} > V_{IN-MIN}

- A. This figures assumes:
	- 1. A valid external pull-up voltage is connected to the PULL_UPx inputs (1.6V ≤ V_{PULL_UPx} ≤ 7V).
	- 2. $V_{IN(STEADY-SATE)}$ is a valid V_{IN} voltage between 3V to 14V.
	- 3. $V_{\overline{FAULT}}$ pull up to VLDO.
	- 4. Device is in the: Waiting to Sequence UP State (Refer to [State Machine f](#page-36-0)or more details).
	- 5. V_{OL} represents: V_{OL_ENx}, V_{OL_SEQ_DONE}, and V_{OL_PWRGD}, or the low logic output voltage for all outputs.

8.3.2 SENSEx Inputs

8.3.2.1 VTH_SENSEX and VONx

The TPS7H3014 sequencer integrates four under-voltage (UV) comparators, with an accurate (±1%) threshold voltage ($V_{TH\text{ SENSEX}}$) of 599mV nominal. $V_{TH\text{ SENSEX}}$ is measured at the ENx outputs to account for comparator offsets in the threshold. Maximum flexibility is provided as external resistive dividers can be adjusted to sense any voltage rail (V_{OUTx}). Figure 8-2 shows a conceptual diagram of the comparators connected to the SENSEx inputs. As can be observed, the sensed voltage rail $(V_{\text{OUT}x})$ is attenuated (using an external resistive divider, R_{TOPx} and $R_{BOTTOMx}$) and compared against the $V_{TH-SENSEx}$ voltage. Is recommended to maintain the steadystate SENSEx voltage below 1.6V, in order to maintain the threshold ($V_{TH-SENSEx}$) accuracy.

When the voltage at the monitored rail (V_{OUTx}) is rising, the hysteresis current (I_{HYS}) is not connected to SENSEx input. At this time the SENSEx (attenuated V_{OUTX}) voltage is compared against the SENSEx threshold ($V_{TH\text{ SENSEX}}$). When V_{SENSEx} > $V_{TH\text{ SENSEX}}$ the voltage is considered within regulation limits. We can calculate the on (within regulation) voltage by doing a simple voltage divider as:

$$
V_{ONx}\text{NOMINAL} \quad \left(V\right) = \left(1 + \frac{R_{TOPx}}{R_{BOTTOMx}}\right) \times V_{TH_SENSEx} \tag{1}
$$

Where:

• $V_{TH-SENSEx}$ is the nominal sense threshold voltage of 599mV.

As with any system, there is some variation (or errors) of the design variables, in this case the top and bottom resistors and the SENSEx threshold voltage. Using the derivative method to calculate the total error (and assuming these variables are uncorrelated) with both resistors having the same tolerance value, the V_{ONx} error can be calculated as:

$$
V_{ONx_ERROR} \left(v \right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{v_{TH_SENSEx}^2 \times \left[\left(2 \times R_{TOL}^2 \times R_{TOPx}^2 \right) + \left(v_{TH_SENSEx_ACC}^2 \times \left(R_{TOPx} + R_{BOTTONx} \right)^2 \right) \right] }{R_{BOTTONx}^2}}
$$
(2)

Where:

- R_{TOL} is the resistors tolerance (same for top and bottom resistors) as numeric value. For example, for 0.1% tolerance resistors, we use 0.001.
- $V_{TH_SENSEx_ACC}$ is the SENSEx threshold accuracy as numeric value (in this case 0.01).
- R_{TOPX} and \bar{R}_{BOTTOMX} are in Ohms (Ω).
- V_{TH SENSEx is 0.599 Volts.

Using [Equation 1](#page-24-0) and [Equation 2](#page-24-0) we can calculate the on voltage range as:

 $V_{\text{ONx}} = V_{\text{ONx}}$ NOMINAL \pm V_{ONx} ERROR (3)

Note

Remember $V_{TH\text{ SENSEX}}$ is the reference voltage when accounting for the comparator offsets V_{TH SENSEx = V_{REF} + $V_{OFFSETX}$.

As this device is intended for sequencing of multirail systems, the ENx to SENSEx order is defined in ascending channel number (EN1 to EN4) for sequence up, and descending (EN4 to EN1) for sequence down. When a channel of the sequencer is not needed (unused) the channel can be connected to VLDO to skip the channel during sequence up/down. Is recommended to connect all disabled channels to VLDO, but an external voltage greater than 91% of VLDO (max) will disabled the channel (the voltage at SENSEx cannot exceed 3.5V). Only channels 2 through 4 can be disabled. It is recommended to disabled channels starting from high (channel #4) to low (channel #2). The channels are disabled starting from the lowest channel count and higher. This means that if channel #2 is disabled, by definition channels #3 and #4 will also be disabled.

Note

The channels to be disabled must be valid at power up and not be dynamically changed during the sequence up and down.

Any voltage at SENSE 2 to SENSE4 > V_{TURN OFF [91% of VLDO(max)] will disable (or turn-off) the channel. This will disable the delay (set by TMR_DLY) for those channels during sequence up and down.

Although it is not required, in noisy applications it is good analog design practice to place a small bypass capacitor at the SENSEx inputs in order to reduce sensitivity to transient voltages on the monitored signal.

8.3.2.2 IHYS_SENSEx and VOFFx

The TPS7H3014 has a built-in hysteresis current of 24μA with an accuracy of ±3% (with R_{HYS} = 50kΩ). The hysteresis current is equivalent to REFCAP/R_{HYS}. A tolerance of 0.1% for the R_{HYS} is recommended as it ultimately affects the hysteresis current accuracy.

Note

A resistor of R_{HYS}=49.9kΩ can be used instead of 50kΩ. In this case the nominal I_{HYS} SENSEx</sub> current will be 24.05μA instead of 24μA.

This current is mirrored internally across all SENSEx inputs. This hysteresis current becomes active when the SENSEx voltage is greater than the threshold voltage (599mV ±1%), same as V_{OUTX} > V_{ONX} (Refer to Equation 3 and [Figure 8-2](#page-24-0)). This current (I_{HYS}) multiplied by the R_{TOPx} resistance induces a voltage (V_{HYSx}) that is added to the SENSEx node, effectively boosting (incrementing) the node voltage. During sequence down, or an undervoltage event when the V_{OUTx} is decrementing, it will need to drop below the V_{OFF} voltage in order to be considered as an out of regulation (or fault). The hysteresis voltage is defined as:

$$
V_{HYSx_NOMINAL} (V) = I_{HYS_SENSEx} \times R_{TOPx}
$$
 (4)

Where:

- I_{HYS SENSEx = 24 × 10⁻⁶ Amps (or 24 μ A)
- R_{TOPx} units are in Ohms (Ω)

The "off" voltage (or out of regulation) voltage can be calculated as:

$$
V_{OFFX}\text{nominal} \quad (V) = V_{ONX}\text{nominal} - V_{HYSX}\text{nominal} \tag{5}
$$

Using [Equation 1](#page-24-0) and Equation 5

$$
V_{OFFX_NOMINAL}(v) = \left[\left(1 + \frac{R_{TOPX}}{R_{BOTTOM_X}} \right) \times V_{TH_SENSEX} \right] - \left(I_{HYS_SENSEX} \times R_{TOPX} \right) \tag{6}
$$

Where:

- $V_{TH-SENSEx}$ is the nominal sense threshold voltage of 0.599V
- I_{HYS} sensex = 24 × 10⁻⁶ Amps (or 24 μ A)
- R_{TOPX} and R_{BOTTOMX} units are in Ohms (Ω)

The V_{OFF} error (using the derivative method and assuming all variables are uncorrelated) can be calculated as:

$$
V_{OFFx_ERROR}\left(V\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{A + B + C + D}{R_{BOTTOMx}^2}}\tag{7}
$$

Where the equation terms are:

$$
A = I_{HYS_SENSEx}^2 \times I_{HYS_SENSEx_ACC}^2 \times R_{TOPx}^2 \times R_{BOTTOMx}^2
$$
 (8)

$$
B = R_{\text{TOL}}^2 \times R_{\text{TOPx}}^2 \times V_{\text{TH_SENSEx}}^2 \tag{9}
$$

$$
C = R_{\text{TOL}}^2 \times R_{\text{TOPx}}^2 \times \left[\left(I_{\text{HYS_SENSEx}} \times R_{\text{BOTTONx}} \right) - V_{\text{TH_SENSEx}} \right]^2 \tag{10}
$$

$$
D = V_{TH_SENSEx}^2 \times V_{TH_SENSEx_ACC}^2 \times (R_{TOPx} + R_{BOTTOMx})^2
$$
\n(11)

Where:

- R_{TOL} is the resistors tolerance (same for top and bottom resistors) as numeric value. For example, for 0.1% tolerance resistors, we use 0.001.
- $V_{TH\text{ SENSEX ACC}}$ is the SENSEx threshold accuracy as numeric value (in this case 0.01).
- I_{HYS} sensex ACC is the hysteresis current accuracy as numeric value (in this case 0.03)
- $V_{TH-SENSEx}$ is the nominal sense threshold voltage of 0.599V
- I_{HYS} $\overline{\text{SENSE}_x}$ = 24 × 10⁻⁶ Amps (or 24µA)
- R_{TOP} and R_{BOTTOMX} units are in Ohms (Ω)

 $V_{\text{OFFx}} = V_{\text{OFFx}}$ NOMINAL $\pm V_{\text{OFFx}}$ ERROR (12)

Using Equation 6 and Equation 7 we can calculate the off voltage range as:

[Figure 8-3,](#page-27-0) shows a conceptual diagram of the rising and falling voltage, it also shows the errors on this voltage due to V_{TH} accuracy, I_{HYS} accuracy, and the resistive divider tolerances. At the system level, these errors have to be taken into account for a robust design.

8.3.2.3 Top and Bottom Resistive Divider Design Equations

At the system level the designer knows (or selects) the V_{ONx} and V_{OFFx} levels. Usually these voltages are selected as percentages of the nominal rail voltage (V_{OUTX}) being monitored. Knowing this information, we can calculate the resistive divider components values (R_{TOPx} and $R_{BOTTOMx}$) for the desired target levels. Using [Equation 4](#page-25-0) and [Equation 5](#page-26-0) we can calculate the top resistor as:

$$
R_{TOPx} = \frac{V_{ONx} - V_{OFFx}}{I_{HYS_SENSEx}}
$$
(13)

From [Equation 1](#page-24-0) we can calculate the bottom resistor as:

$$
R_{\text{BOTTOMx}} = \frac{R_{\text{TOPx}} \times V_{\text{TH_SENSEx}}}{V_{\text{ONx}} - V_{\text{TH_SENSEx}}} \tag{14}
$$

It's important to notice that the larger the separation between V_{ONx} and V_{OFFx} (referred as V_{HYSx}), the bigger the error in the off voltage. [Figure 8-4](#page-28-0) shows a plot of the error in the V_{OFFX} for different hysteresis voltages (V_{HYSX} = V_{ONx} – V_{OFFx}). The plot is created for three different V_{ON} voltages (or percentages of the nominal output voltage: 90, 95, and 97%) and two different output voltages (0.8V and 28V). As can be observed, the output voltage has very little impact on the off voltage error (differences cannot be appreciated on the plot). The error (in percent) can go from approximately 1% (at V_{HYS} = 3%) to around 2.6% (at V_{HYS} = 80%).

Figure 8-4. V_{OFFx} Error vs V_{HYS}

- A. This plot does not includes the error on the V_{OFFx} due to the difference between the calculated top and bottom resistors using Equation [13](#page-27-0) and [Equation 14](#page-27-0) and the actual resistance values that a designer can procure.
- B. The resistor tolerance used for the calculation is 0.1%, V_{TH_SENSEx} accuracy is 1%, and the I_{HYS_SENSEx} accuracy is 3%.
- C. In this plot the V_{HYS} (%) represents the separation as percentages of the nominal output voltage (V_{OUTx}).
- D. In this plot, the V_{OFF} error in % is normalized with respect to the full-scale voltage (or V_{OUTx}).

8.3.3 Output Stages (ENx,SEQ_DONE,PWRGD,PULL_UP1 and PULL_UP2)

The output stage's (EN1 to EN4), SEQ_DONE and PWRGD are of push-pull, active high type. The pull-up voltage for the push-pull outputs is externally provided by the user. PULL_UP1 (input) is the pull-up voltage domain for all ENx outputs (EN1 to EN4), while PULL UP2 (input) is the pull-up voltage domain for the SEQ_DONE and PWRGD outputs.

Note

There are no sequencing requirements for IN, PULL_UP1, and PULL_UP2; however, all must be biased before commanding a sequence up and down.

Note

TI recommends to decouple PULL_UPx inputs with a 1μ F ceramic capacitor as close to the pins as possible. This is to ensure clean voltages signals at the outputs (ENx, PWRGD, and SEQ_DONE).

Each output stage consists of a PMOS/NMOS (CMOS) pair. Each leg has an output resistance of typically 7Ω for V_{PULL} UPx > 3.3V. PULL_UP1 and PULL_UP2, have a voltage range of 1.6V to 7V, and can be independently biased or tied to the same voltage rail, however both most be biased. The output resistance of the PMOS leg has a PULL_UPx voltage dependency. The lower the PULL_UPx voltage, the higher the PMOS resistance.

When V_{IN} < V_{PORT} and V_{PULL} UP_X > V_{PORT} pull up_x (1.4V maximum) the output will be in a known pull-down state. At this condition the outputs have reduced sinking capabilities with V_{OL} ≤ 320mV when the device is sinking 100μA of current into the outputs:

- ENx
- PWRGD
- SEQ DONE

Once the input voltage range is withing the recommended input voltage range of 3V to 14V, the output will have the full strength capabilities of ±10mA, per output.

Figure 8-7. PWRGD Push-Pull Output Stage

8.3.4 User-Programmable TIMERS

The TPS7H3014 has two global (or common to all SENSEx channels) adjustable timers:

- DLY_TMR
- REG_TMR

Both timers are programmed via a single resistor from the DLY_TMR and REG_TMR pin to GND. The resistors are used to program the internal oscillator frequency of the timers. Leaving the DLY_TMR or the REG_TMR pin floating will disable the timer, respectively. Disabling the timers results in a reduced current consumption on the device (I_{QIN}). The range for both timers is 250μs to 25ms.

Note Timers conditions must be valid at power up and must not be dynamically changed.

[Figure 8-8](#page-31-0) shows a sequence up and down assuming no faults and UP/DOWN pins tied together. The DLY_TMR is shown in orange and the REG TMR time is shown with arrows (starting from ENx going high).

Figure 8-8. Sequence UP and DOWN

- A. It's important to notice the t_{pd} ENx, t_{pd} PWRGD, and t_{pD} sEQ DONE in blue. This is a propagation delay in the outputs (ENx,PWRGD and SEQ_DONE). If no DLY_TMR (floating) is used, the output signals will change to the valid state after this delay. When using the DLY_TMR, then this time has to be added to the programmed timer time.
- B. The REG_TMR is only valid during sequence up.

8.3.4.1 DLY_TMR

The TPS7H3014 includes an adjustable time delay. A single resistor connected between the DLY_TMR pin and GND will program the delay. Possible resistor (R_{DLY}) values are between 10.5kΩ and 1.18MΩ for a 268µs to 23.63ms delay, respectively. During sequence up, this delay holds the EN_{x+1}, SEQ_DONE, and PWRGD low after the monitored voltage crosses the "on" voltage ($V_{\text{OUTx}} > V_{\text{ONx}}$) for the user programmed time. During sequence down, the EN_{x-1} and SEQ_DONE are held high for the programmed delay time after the monitored voltage crosses the "off" voltage (V_{OUTX} < V_{OFFX}).

If no delay is preferred for the system, the pin (DLY_TMR) can be left floating. When no delay is preferred, an inherent propagation delay of 6.5µs (max) will be observed during sequence up, between V_{OUTx} crossing the V_{ONx} and EN_{x+1} going high. The propagation delay is also observed during sequence down when V_{OUTx} cross the V_{OFFX} and the EN_{X-1} is forced low. SEQ_DONE and PWRGD also have this propagation delay during V_{OUT4} > V_{ON4} during sequence up. During sequence down, SEQ_DONE will go low after the propagation delay when $V_{OUT1} < V_{OFF1}$ and PWRGD will go low after the propagation delay when the sequence down is commanded. [Figure 8-8](#page-31-0) shows the propagation delay in blue (t_{pdENx} , t_{pdSEQ} pone, $t_{pdPWRGD}$) and the programmed delay (t_{DLY} _{TMR}) in orange. The DLY_TMR resistor can be selected using Equation 15 or Equation 16. Figure 8-9 and Figure 8-10 shows the linear trend between the DLY_TMR resistor and the delay time.

For t_{DLYTMR} between 0.268ms and 12.5ms use:

$$
R_{DLY_TMR}(k\Omega) = [49.75 \times t_{DLY_TMR}(ms)] - 2.832
$$
\n(15)

For $t_{DLY,TMR}$ greater than 12.5ms use:

$$
R_{DLY_TMR}(k\Omega) = [51.61 \times t_{DLY_TMR}(ms)] - 26.12
$$
\n(16)

Table 8-1 shows nominal resistors value for different delay times.

100 150 200 250 300 350 400 450 500 550 600 650 $R_{\text{DLY TMR}}(k\Omega) = 49.75 \cdot [t_{\text{DLY TMR}} (ms)] - 2.832$

 $t_{\text{DI}} \vee \tau_{\text{MP}}$ (ms)

0 2 4 6 8 10 12 14

 $R_{\text{DLY_TMR}}$ (kΩ)

TMR (KΩ) $R_{\rm DIV}$

> 0 50

8.3.4.2 REG_TMR

The REG TMR (for regulation timer) is an adjustable time monitor that monitors the time it takes to V_{OUTx} > V_{ONx}. The user can program the REG_TMR using a single resistor between REG_TMR and GND. The range of the resistor (R_{RFG}) is between 10.5kΩ to 1.18MΩ, for a 264µs to 23.63ms, respectively. If the user does not want the REG_TMR to be active, the pin can be left floating. In this case, V_{OUTx} has infinite time to cross the V_{ONx} voltage. The REG_TMR is only active during the sequence up.

Note If the REG_TMR is left floating and the V_{ONx} voltage is never crossed, the state machine will stay waiting indefinitely.

If active, the REG_TMR will monitor the time a V_{OUTX} takes to cross the V_{ONX} voltage once the ENx signal is forced high. In the case the REG_TMR is expired and V_{OUTX} has not crossed the V_{ONX} voltage, a reverse sequence down from the previously sequenced rail will be started as described in the [State Machine s](#page-36-0)ection. [Figure 8-8](#page-31-0) shows the REG_TMR active during sequence up, from the time ENx is forced high (V_{OUTX} starts rising). In this case, V_{OUTX} always crosses V_{ON} before the timer is expired. The REG_TMR resistor can be selected using Equation 17 and Equation 18. Figure 8-11 or Figure 8-12 shows the linear trend between the REG_TMR resistor and the regulation time allowed for the rail to be in regulation ($V_{\text{OUTx}} > V_{\text{ONx}}$).

For $t_{DLY-TMR}$ between 0.264ms and 12.4ms use:

$$
R_{DLY_TMR}(k\Omega) = [50.14 \times t_{DLY_TMR}(ms)] - 2.737
$$
\n(17)

For $t_{DLY,TMR}$ greater than 12.4ms use:

$$
R_{DLY_TMR}(k\Omega) = [49.96 \times t_{DLY_TMR}(ms)] - 0.4479
$$
\n(18)

Table 8-2 shows typical resistor values for different allowed regulation times.

650 $R_{DLY~TMR}(k\Omega) = 50.14 \cdot [t_{DLY~TMR} (ms)] - 2.737$ 600 550 500 450 $(K2)$ R_{REG_TMR} (K²) 400 **TMR** 350 300 R_{REG} 250 200 150 100 50 Ω 0 2 4 6 8 10 12 14

Figure 8-12. RREG_TMR vs tREG_TMR From 12.4ms to 23.63ms

8.3.5 UP and DOWN

The UP and DOWN pins are the inputs that initiate a sequence up or down. Both pins incorporate an accurate comparator with a threshold voltage of V_{TH_UP} = 599mV (for UP) and V_{TH_DOWN} = 498mV (for DOWN) with an accuracy of ±3% for both inputs.

A fixed hysteresis of 100mV is incorporated in both comparators for noise stability. The edges on these pins are used to initiate the command as:

- Rising edge on UP starts a sequence up.
- Falling edge on DOWN starts a sequence down.

The UP voltage is also used in the state machine as a latch method to prevent oscillations during a FAULT. In order to move away from the Fault state, the UP voltage has to be logic low. As UP is a comparator with 100mV of hysteresis, depending on whether the V_{UP} have been previously above the V_{TH} _{UP}, the logic low level is:

- $V_{TH-UP} \le 599$ mV (typ) if UP has not previously been above V_{TH UP}.
- V_{UP} _{TH} (typically 600mV) 100mV ≤ 500mV (typ) if UP has previously crossed V_{UP}_{TH}.

These inputs can be driven externally by a house-keeping controller or via a resistive divider connected to a voltage source.

As these inputs are edge sensitive, is important to have a stable input voltage (UVLO_{RISE} < V_{IN} < 14V) for at least 2.8ms (t_{Start up delay}) before sending the sequence up command. This is due to internal time constants in the device. During sequence down, it's important to maintain a stable input voltage until the SEQ_DONE flag is set low to allow all rails to be properly sequenced down.

As both the UP and DOWN pins have accurate undervoltage comparators, the user can program the voltage at which the system will automatically start the sequence up and down when monitoring a main power rail (V_{MAIN}) via a resistive divider. However, in this case it is important to make sure the rising and falling edge are sent when V_{IN} is stable, as mentioned before. A capacitor can be added from UP to GND to delay the signal when the slew rate at V_{MAIN} is fast.

Usually the designer knows the voltages at which it's desired to start the sequence up (referred to as $V_{UP-IDEAL}$) and down (referred to as $V_{\overline{DOWN}}|_{\overline{DEA}}$). With that information we can calculate the resistive divider values using Equation 19 and Equation 20. Usually the top resistor is fixed to a 10kΩ value.

$$
R_{\text{BOTTOM_UP}} = R_{\text{TOP_UP}} \times \frac{V_{\text{TH_UP}}}{V_{\text{UP_IDEAL}} - V_{\text{TH_UP}}}
$$
(19)

$$
R_{\text{BOTTOM}_\text{DOWN}} = R_{\text{TOP}_\text{DOWN}} \times \frac{V_{\text{TH}_\text{DOWN}}}{V_{\text{DOWN}_\text{IDEAL}} - V_{\text{TH}_\text{DOWN}}}
$$
(20)

where:

- V_{TH-UP} = 598mV (typical)
- V_{TH} _{DOWN}= 498mV (typical)

Once the designer knows the actual (real) resistive divider values, Equation 21 and Equation 22 can be used to calculate the sequence up and down nominal voltages as:

$$
V_{UP_NOMINAL} \quad (v) = \left(1 + \frac{R_{TOP_UP}}{R_{BOTTOM_UP}}\right) \times V_{TH_UP}
$$
 (21)

$$
V_{\overline{DOWN}}_{\overline{NOWLEDMINAL}} \left(V\right) = \left(1 + \frac{R_{\overline{TOP}}_{\overline{DOWN}}}{R_{\overline{BOTTOM}}_{\overline{DOWN}}}\right) \times V_{\overline{TH}}_{\overline{DOWN}} \tag{22}
$$

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If desired, to select the capacitance (C_{DELAY}) for the UP pin we can use Equation 23.

$$
C_{DELAY}\left(F\right) > \frac{t_{DELAY}(s)}{R_{TH}\left(\Omega\right) \times \ln\left(-\frac{V_{TH}(V)}{V(t) - V_{TH}(V)}\right)}
$$
(23)

where:

- t_{DELAY} (s) is the desired delay time in seconds (at least 2.8ms after V_{IN} > UVLO_{RISE}).
- R_{TH} is the Thévenin equivalent resistance. In this case the parallel between R_{TOP} and R_{BOTTOM} in ohms.

$$
- \qquad R_{TH}\left(\Omega\right) = \frac{R_{TOP}\left(\Omega\right) \times R_{BOTTOM}\left(\Omega\right)}{R_{TOP}\left(\Omega\right) + R_{BOTTOM}\left(\Omega\right)}\tag{24}
$$

• V_{TH} is the Thévenin equivalent voltage. In this case the voltage at V_{UP} during steady state operation in volts.

$$
- \qquad V_{TH}\left(V\right) = \left(\frac{R_{BOTTOM}(\Omega)}{R_{TOP}(\Omega) + R_{BOTTOM}(\Omega)}\right) \times V_{MAIN}\left(V\right) \tag{25}
$$

V(t) is the voltage at UP (V_{UP}) which will start the sequence up. In this case 598mV ±3%, in volts.

Figure 8-13. Monitor a Main Rail to Automatically Start the Sequence UP and DOWN

8.3.6 FAULT

The FAULT pin is an open-drain output that the user can use to monitor if an internal fault has been induced by the state machine. Is recommended to pull this pin to the VLDO output via a 10kΩ resistor. Another voltage source can be used if needed, but is important that this voltage is stable and greater than 1V at all times. The maximum voltage at this pin is 7V. For proper operation this voltage must be stable before attempting a sequence up/down and must never go below 1V during the device operation. The open-drain FET is forced low when the internal state machine of the sequencer detects a fault as described in State Machine .

8.3.7 State Machine

The TPS7H3014 incorporates a comprehensive state machine engine. Three possible outcomes are possible depending on the detected inputs states.

- 1. A reverse sequence down from previously deemed-good (forced high) ENx signals, is started if:
	- V_{OUTX} fails to reach the V_{ONX} voltage during sequence up within the time establish by the REG_TMR, when ENx is high.
	- Any V_{OUTx} crosses the V_{OFFx} after previously crossing the V_{ONx} and the V_{OUTx+1} has not yet crossed the V_{ONx+1} .
	- The users command a sequence down in the middle of a sequence up.
- 2. All outputs (ENx, SEQ_DONE and PWRGD) are forced low if an out-of-order is detected, this means:
	- A previously deemed-good rail V_{OUTx} drops below V_{OFFx} when at least the V_{OUTx+1} is already in regulation (deemed-good).
	- Any V_{OUTX} > V_{ONX} when EN_X is not high. **Valid only during sequence up**.

Note

It is typical in sequencers to set V_{ONx} as some percentage of the nominal voltage to be monitored (E.g. V_{ONx} = 0.8 × V_{OUTx}). There is a period of time during sequence down at which the V_{OUTx} ≥ V_{ONx} . As the discharge rate of the rail (V_{OUTx}) is unknown to the TPS7H3014, this feature is only valid during sequence up.

- 3. A sequence up from previously forced low ENx signals, after the DLY_TMR is expired is started if:
	- The users command a sequence up in the middle of a sequence down.

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8.4 Daisy Chain

The TPS7H3014 incorporates four input channels to sequence/monitor up to four voltage rails. However, in the case where more than four channels are needed in the application, multiple devices can be daisy chained as needed. The daisy chain configuration is shown in Figure 8-15. In this case, only two devices are shown, however multiple IC can be configured as needed by the application.

Figure 8-15. Daisy Chain Configuration

9 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, as well as validating and testing their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

9.1 Application Information

The TPS7H3014 is a radiation hardened 4-channel sequencer. It can be used to sequence FPGAs, ASICs, AFEs, and various power systems

9.2 Typical Application

9.2.1 Self Contained – Sequence UP and DOWN

In many modern systems (or sub-systems), multiple voltage rails are often needed (we refer to this as the power tree). Often these power trees have a specified sequencing up order and reverse sequence down needed to guarantee reliable system operation. Is not uncommon for these systems to also have timing specifications which cannot be infringed for correct operation. In this example, four voltage rails are sequenced and monitored via the ENx outputs and SENSEx inputs, respectively. Detailed design procedure and component selection is provided below. The design is summarized in Figure 9-1.

Figure 9-1. Self Contained Sequence UP/DOWN Design for a Four Voltage Rail Power Tree

9.2.1.1 Design Requirements

This design requires voltage sequencing of four voltage rails. The nominal TPS7H3014 input voltage is 12V and the sequencer is set to start the sequence up and down automatically when the voltage reaches the desired target voltage levels. All the voltage regulators are powered by a nominal 5V voltage rail. The system housekeeping microcontroller can monitor a fault via the voltage at the FAULT pin, which is pulled-up to VLDO. The PWRGD is the flag to be connected to the non-maskable interrupt of the system if it exists, or monitored by the MCU to know the status of the power tree. The SEQ_DONE can also be monitored to know if the sequence up/down are completed. All design conditions are defined in Table 9-1.

Table 9-1. Design Conditions

9.2.1.2 Detailed Design Procedure

9.2.1.2.1 Input Power Supplies and Decoupling Capacitors

The TPS7H3014 has three input power supplies:

- 1. IN, the input supply to provide power to the TPS7H3014 IC. It is recommended to decouple this power supply with at least 1µF as close to the pin as possible. In this application, V_{IN} = 12V.
- 2. PULL_UP1, which is the input supply to program the output voltage high (V_{OH}) of all the enable outputs (ENx). These outputs are connected to the regulator enable inputs to control the sequence up and down. It is recommended to decouple this power supply with at least 1μF as close to the pin as possible. In this application, the V_{PULL} UP₁ = 3.3V. This is a typical voltage used in electronic systems and satisfies the logic inputs of most regulators in the market.
- 3. PULL_UP2, which is the input supply to program the output voltage high (V_{OH}) of PWRGD and SEQ_DONE outputs. These outputs are typically connected to the system controller (typically an FPGA or ASIC) and/or to the house-keeping controller. In daisy chain configurations, SEQ_DONE is connected to UP of subsequent TPS7H3014 I.C. as shown in [Figure 8-15](#page-38-0). It is recommended to decouple this power supply with at least 1µF as close to the pin as possible. In this application, the V_{PULL_UP1} = 3.3V. This is a typical voltage of controller I/Os.

The TPS7H3014 also has two regulated voltage outputs that need to be decoupled for good electrical and radiation performance. These are:

1. REFCAP, the 1.2V reference, used internally in the device to generate all ratiometric voltage reference such as:

- V_{TH} SENSEX
- **IHYS_SENSEX**
- VTH_UP
- V_{TH} DOWN

Decouple this reference with a 470nF ceramic capacitor as close to the pin as possible. Do not load this pin externally.

- 2. VLDO, this is the output of the internal regulator used to provide power to the internal circuits on the TPS7H3014. Is recommended to decouple this regulator with at least 1μF as close to the pin as possible. The valid loading of this regulator is:
	- To turn-off channels 2–4 as needed.
	- To pull-up the FAULT open-drain output.

9.2.1.2.2 UP and DOWN Thresholds

In this application the UP and DOWN pins are used to monitored the input voltage supply of 12V. A sequence up is started when the rail voltage is greater than 10.7 (typ) and down when the voltage is lower than 6V (typ). As the TPS7H3014 has an internal time constant (t_{Startup delay}) of 2.8ms (max), a delay capacitor of 3.3µF is added to UP pin. This capacitor is added to introduce \bar{a} delay in the UP pin when V_{IN} is rising. This capacitor adds a second condition to start the sequence up, if $V_{IN} \ge 10.7V$ (typ) for at least 2.8ms then the sequence up is commanded.

Fixing the upper resistor for the resistive divider in UP and DOWN, we can calculate the bottom resistor per our design requirements. The upper resistor is fixed to 10kΩ for both cases. Using the equations in [Equation 19](#page-34-0) and [Equation 20](#page-34-0), the bottom resistors for up and down are calculated as:

$$
R_{\text{BOTTOM_UP}} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega \times \frac{0.598 \text{ V}}{10.7 \text{ V} - 0.589 \text{ V}} \cong 594 \text{ }\Omega \tag{26}
$$

$$
R_{\text{BOTTOM}_\text{DOWN}} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega \times \frac{0.498 \text{ V}}{6 \text{ V} - 0.498 \text{ V}} \cong 905 \text{ }\Omega \tag{27}
$$

Now that the reference resistors are calculated, we can select the actual (or real) resistors. In this case 0.1% tolerance resistors are used to select the closest value as:

- $R_{\text{ROTTOM-UP}} = 619\Omega$
- R_{BOTTOM} DOWN = 909 Ω

With the actual resistor values, we can back-calculate the nominal voltage to start the sequence up and down using [Equation 21](#page-34-0) and [Equation 22](#page-34-0) as:

$$
V_{\text{UP_NOMINAL}}(V) = \left(1 + \frac{10 \text{ k}\Omega}{619 \Omega}\right) \times 12 \text{ V} \cong 10.66 \text{ V}
$$
\n(28)

$$
V_{\overline{DOWN}}_{\text{NOMINAL}}(V) = \left(1 + \frac{10 \,\text{k}\Omega}{909 \,\Omega}\right) \times 12 \,\text{V} \cong 5.97 \,\text{V}
$$
\n
$$
\tag{29}
$$

The delay capacitor is calculated using [Equation 23, Equation 24,](#page-35-0) and [Equation 25](#page-35-0) as:

$$
R_{TH}\left(\Omega\right) = \frac{10 \text{ k}\Omega \times 619 \Omega}{10 \text{ k}\Omega + 619 \Omega} = 582.9 \Omega
$$
\n
$$
(30)
$$

$$
V_{TH}\left(\Omega\right) = \left(\frac{619\,\Omega}{10\,\text{k}\Omega + 619\,\Omega}\right) \times 12\,\text{V} = 0.7\,\text{V}
$$
\n
$$
\tag{31}
$$

$$
C_{\text{DELAY}}\left(F\right) \ge \frac{0.0028 \text{ s}}{582.9 \text{ }\Omega \times \ln\left(-\frac{0.7 \text{ V}}{0.598 \text{ V} - 0.7 \text{ V}}\right)} = 2.49 \text{ }\mu\text{F}
$$
\n(32)

The delay capacitor is selected as 3.3μF.

9.2.1.2.3 SENSEx Thresholds

The SENSEx inputs are used to monitor the voltage rails to be sequenced up and down. For this design the output voltages to be sequenced and monitored are:

- 1. $V_{\text{OUT1}} = 3.3V$
- 2. $V_{\text{OUT2}} = 0.8V$
- 3. $V_{\text{OUT3}} = 1.5V$
- 4. $V_{OUT4} = 0.88V$

The V_{ON} and V_{OFF} are selected to be 90% and 10% of the nominal voltage rail, for all the rails. Using [Equation](#page-27-0) [13](#page-27-0) and [Equation 14](#page-27-0) we can calculate the top and bottom reference resistors and select the closest resistor values using 0.1% resistor values. Table 9-2 shows the reference (or calculated) top and bottom resistors. Table 9-3 shows the selected resistors for the application.

Table 9-2. SENSEx Reference Nominal Resistors

(1) Values are rounded to one decimal place.

An example of how the top and bottom resistors for channel 1 (or SENSE1) were calculated are shown below:

 $\frac{110 \text{ k}\Omega \times 0.599 \text{ V}}{2.970 \text{ V} - 0.599 \text{ V}} = 39.88 \text{ k}\Omega$ (34)

Table 9-3. SENSEx Selected Resistors Using 0.1 % Tolerance Resistors

Now that the actual resistors are known, we can calculate the actual on and off nominal voltages and the error voltages by using [Equation 1,](#page-24-0) [Equation 2,](#page-24-0) [Equation 3,](#page-25-0) [Equation 6,](#page-26-0) [Equation 7,](#page-26-0) and [Equation 12.](#page-26-0) Using the errors, we can calculate the upper and lower voltages and normalize the values with respect to the nominal output voltage.

Table 9-4. V_{ON} Nominal Values With Statistics in Volts and Percentage

Channel #	VON_NOMINAL $\bar{N}^{(1)}$	VON NOMINAL $(\frac{9}{6})^{(1)}$ (4)	V _{ON_ERROR} $(mV)^{(1)}$	V_{ON_LSL} $(V)^{(1)}$	V_{ON_LSL} (%) ⁽¹⁾ (2) (4)	V_{ON_USL} (V) ⁽¹⁾	V_{ON_USL} $\binom{96}{1}$
	2.978	90.232	29.966	2.948	89.325	3.008	91.141
ົ	1.343	89.502	13.466	1.329	88.605	1.356	90.400
3	0.722	90.253	7.222	0.715	89.350	0.729	91.156
4	0.793	90.084	7.932	0.785	89.182	0.801	90.985

(1) Values are rounded to three decimal places.

(2) LSL stands for lower specification limit or the min.

(3) USL stands for upper specification limit or the max.

(4) Values are normalized to the nominal output voltage for that rail.

Channel #	$ \sim$ $ \sim$ \sim \sim \sim $\bar{(\mathbf{V})}^{(1)}$	\sim 11 NUINNE $(9\overline{0})^{(1)(4)}$	\sim \sim \sim \sim \sim $(mV)^{(1)}$	$-$ (2) (2)	(2) (4)	\sim \sim \sim \sim \sim \sim \sim (3)	(3)(4)
	0.338	10.233	84.613	0.253	7.669	0.422	12.797
	0.145	9.662	38.354	0.107	7.105	0.183	12.219
	0.081	10.153	20.535	0.061	7.586	0.102	12.720
	0.087	9.902	22.604	0.065	7.333	0.110	12.470

(1) Values are rounded to three decimal places.
(2) LSL stands for lower specification limit.

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9.2.1.3 Application Curves

Figure 9-2. V_{IN} vs Time During Sequence UP

Figure 9-3. EN1 and V_{OUT1} vs Time During Sequence UP

Figure 9-4. EN2 and V_{OUT2} vs Time During Sequence UP

Figure 9-5. EN3 and V_{OUT3} vs Time During Sequence UP

Figure 9-6. EN4 and V_{OUT4} vs Time During Sequence UP

Figure 9-7. PWRGD and SEQ_DONE vs Time During Sequence UP

Figure 9-8. V_{IN} vs Time During Sequence DOWN

Figure 9-9. PWRGD and SEQ_DONE vs Time During Sequence DOWN

Figure 9-10. EN4 and V_{OUT4} vs Time During Sequence DOWN

Figure 9-11. EN3 and V_{OUT3} vs Time During Sequence DOWN

Figure 9-12. EN2 and V_{OUT2} vs Time During Sequence DOWN

Figure 9-13. EN1 and V_{OUT1} vs Time During Sequence DOWN

9.2.2 Sequencing of Negative Voltage Rails

It is possible to sequence negative voltage rails using the TPS7H3014 with the support of some external circuitry such as:

- 1. Stable positive voltage reference.
- 2. Comparator with hysteresis.

Figure 9-14, shows the typical connections to sense a negative voltage rail. When $-V_{\text{OUTx}}$ is at zero volts (initial state), the voltage at the inverting input of the external comparator is given by Equation 35. The resistive divider is selected such that the initial voltage at the non-inverting input of the comparator is greater than the reference voltage by a desired factor. This factor depends on the desired threshold at which the negative voltage must be considered to be in regulation.

When the negative voltage rail $(-V_{\text{OUTx}})$ is turned-on the voltage at the non-inverting inputs starts decrementing until $-V_{OUTX}$ reaches steady-state. When the voltage at the non-inverting input is lower than the reference voltage the output of the comparators is forced high (the high value is determined by the positive bias of the comparator, V_{+}).

As the TPS7H3014 implements the hysteresis via a current, when the output of the external comparator is high, a typical 24μA (I_{HYS SESNSEx}) are sunk into the output of the comparator. The selected comparator needs to be able to withstand this current sinking while maintaining a constant output.

 R_{x} , R_{y} and R_{h} resistors attenuate the V₊ voltage to provide the thresholds that ultimately determines when the $-V_{\text{OUTX}}$ is considered to in or out of regulation. For more details refer to [TIDU020](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/TIDU020) and [Section 9.2.2.1](#page-47-0).

Figure 9-14. Sensing Negative Rails Using External Circuitry

Note

- • When using external components to sense negative voltage rail the rising and falling threshold accuracy are dependent upon the external circuitry selected.
- The high voltage of the comparator most be below $V_{TURN-OFF}$, otherwise the channel is internally disabled. An resistive divider can be used to attenuate the output of the comparator if needed.

9.2.2.1 Negative Voltage Design Equations

For the purpose of this discussion the following assumptions are made:

- 1. V_{+} is provide from 2.5V stable reference voltage.
- 2. The output stage of the comparator is push-pull.
- 3. The negative voltage to be sequenced is –1.8V at steady-state.

The first step in the design is to select the voltages (or percent of the steady-state voltage) at which the negative rail is considered to be:

- In regulation
	- The –1.8V rail is considered to be in regulation when it is > to 97% of the final value. In this case 1.746V. We refer to this as the on voltage (V_{ON})
- Not in regulation.
	- The –1.8V rail is considered not be in regulation when it is < to 95% of the final value. In this case 1.71V. We refer to this as the off voltage (V_{OFF})

With this information we can calculate the hysteresis voltage as:

$$
V_{hys}(V) = V_{ON}(V) - V_{OFF}(V) = 1.746V - 1.71V = 0.036V
$$
\n(36)

The second step is determine the R_{x} , R_{y} and R_{h} resistors values used to generate the hysteresis reference voltages. These voltages are called V_L and V_H . We select V_L to be an attenuated value from the 2.5V reference. In this example we select V_L as 0.6V. V_H is calculated as:

$$
V_{H}(V) = V_{L}(V) + V_{hys}(V) = 0.6V + 0.036V = 0.636V
$$
\n(37)

With this information we can calculate the resistor ratio as:

$$
\frac{R_h}{R_x} = \frac{V_L(V)}{V_{hys}(V)} = \frac{0.6}{0.036} = 16.67
$$
\n(38)

$$
\frac{R_y}{R_x} = \frac{V_L(V)}{V + (V) - V_H(V)} = \frac{0.6}{2.5 - 0.636} = 0.32
$$
\n(39)

The R_x value selected is 10kΩ and R_y and R_h are calculated using Equation 38 and Equation 39. Using 0.1% tolerance resistors the selected values are:

• R_y = 3.2kΩ

• $R_h = 165k\Omega$

As the actual resistors are known, we can calculate the actual V_L and V_H to be:

- V_H _{REAL} = 0.633V
- $V_{L_REAI} = 0.597V$

Finally we want to calculate the resistors for R_{TOP} and R_{BOTTOM} per [Figure 9-14](#page-46-0). For this we can calculate an equivalent voltage at the inverting input when the $-V_{\text{OUTx}}$ must be considered to be on regulation as:

$$
-V_{OUT_EQ}(V) = V_{OFFSET}(V) - V_{ON}(V) = 2.5V - 1.746V = -0.754V
$$
\n(40)

Using this equivalent voltage and V_L _{REAL} we can calculate the ratio of the bottom to top resistor as:

$$
\frac{R_{\text{BOTTOM}}}{R_{\text{TOP}}} = \frac{V_{\text{L}}_{\text{REAL}}(V)}{|-V_{\text{OUT}}_{\text{EQ}}(V)| - V_{\text{L}}_{\text{REAL}}(V)|} = \frac{0.597}{0.754 - 0.597} = 3.8
$$
\n(41)

Using 0.1 % tolerance resistors and fixing R_{TOP} to 10kΩ, R_{BOTTOM} is selected as 38.2kΩ.

Now that all the final components are selected, we can calculate the real (or expected) on and off voltages as V_{ON} = 1.746V and V_{OFF} = 1.701V

9.3 Externally Induced System RESET

In applications when it is necessary to propagate an externally detected fault into the TPS7H3014, an external FET can be connected from SENSE1 to GND. If SENSE1 is pulled to zero by turning on the FET connected to this pin, the internal state machine forces all outputs low. The FET off leakage ultimately affects the V_{OUT1} on and off accuracy. For this reason, it is important to choose a FET with minimal leakage. For more details, refer to section 3.6 (Externally Induced System RESET) in the [TPS7H3014EVM-CVAL EVM User Guide.](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLVUCT9)

9.4 Power Supply Recommendations

The TPS7H3014 is designed to operate from an input supply (V_{N}) with a voltage range between 3V to 14V. It is recommended to add at least one 1µF ceramic capacitor from V_{IN} to GND as close to the pin as possible.

The PULL_UP1 and PULL_UP2 are also considered power inputs in this case for the push-pull outputs. The voltage range on these inputs are 1.6V to 7V. For these inputs, it is also recommend to add at least one 1μF ceramic capacitor from PULL_UP1 to GND and from PULL_UP2 to GND. This capacitor must be placed as close to the pins as possible.

9.5 Layout

9.5.1 Layout Guidelines

- Make sure that the connection to the V_{IN} pin is low impedance. Place a greater than 1µF ceramic capacitor as near as possible to the V_{IN} pin.
- Make sure that the connection to the V_{PULL} _{UP1} and V_{PULL} _{UP2} pins are low impedance. Place a greater than 1µF ceramic capacitor as near as possible to the pins.
- If needed, place a small capacitor between the SENSEx pins and GND to reduce the sensitivity to transient voltages on the monitored signal.

9.5.2 Layout Example

Figure 9-15. Printed Circuit Board Layout Example: Top Layer

Figure 9-16. Printed Circuit Board Layout Example: Bottom Layer

Figure 9-17. Printed Circuit Board Layout Example: Top Layer 3D View

Figure 9-18. Printed Circuit Board Layout Example: Bottom Layer 3D View

10 Device and Documentation Support

10.1 Documentation Support

10.1.1 Related Documentation

The following related documents are available for download at [www.ti.com:](http://www.ti.com)

- *TPS7H3014EVM-CVAL EVM User Guide*, [SLVUCT9](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLVUCT9)
- *TPS7H3014-SP Total Ionizing Dose (TID)*, [SLVK170](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLVK170)
- *TPS7H3014-SP Neutron Displacement Damage (NDD) Characterization Report*, [SLVK171](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLVK171)
- *TPS7H3014-SP Single-Event Effects (SEE) Report*, [SLVK172](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLVK172)
- [Standard Microcircuit Drawing](https://landandmaritimeapps.dla.mil/Downloads/MilSpec/Smd/23201.pdf)
- *Comparator with Hysteresis Reference Design*, [TIDU020](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/TIDU020)
- *IQ vs Accuracy Tradeoff In Designing Resistor Divider Input To A Voltage Supervisor*, [SLVA450](https://www.ti.com/lit/pdf/SLVA450)

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10.6 Glossary

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

11 Revision History

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12 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

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B - Alignment groove width

*All dimensions are nominal

PACKAGE OUTLINE

HFT0022A CFP - 2.428mm max height

CERAMIC FLATPACK

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- 4. The leads are gold plated.
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EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

HFT0022A CFP - 2.428mm max height

CERAMIC FLATPACK

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