

Integrated Digital Light Sensor with Interrupt

ISL29023

The ISL29023 is an integrated ambient and infrared light to digital converter with $\rm I^2C$ (SMBus Compatible) Interface. Its advanced self-calibrated photodiode array emulates human eye response with excellent IR rejection. The on-chip ADC is capable of rejecting 50Hz and 60Hz flicker caused by artificial light sources. The lux range select feature allows users to program the lux range for optimized counts/lux.

For ambient light sensing, an internal 16-bit ADC has been designed based upon the charge-balancing technique. The ADC conversion time is nominally 90ms and is user adjustable from 11 μ s to 90ms, depending on oscillator frequency and ADC resolution. In normal operation, typical current consumption is 70 μ A. In order to further minimize power consumption, two power-down modes have been provided. If polling is chosen over continuous measurement of light, the auto-power-down function shuts down the whole chip after each ADC conversion for the measurement. The other power-down mode is controlled by software via the I²C interface. The power consumption can be reduced to less than 0.3 μ A when powered down.

The ISL29023 supports a software and hardware interrupt that remains asserted until the host clears it through I 2 C interface. Function of ADC conversion continues without stopping after interrupt is asserted.

Designed to operate on supplies from 2.25V to 3.63V with an I^2C supply from 1.7V to 3.63V, the ISL29023 is specified for operation over the -40°C to +85°C ambient temperature range.

Features

• Resolution
Integrated noise reduction
Light sensor close to human eye response
Excellent light sensor IR and UV rejection
Range selection via I ² C
- Range1 = 0.015 to 1,000 Lux
- Range2 = 0.06 to 4,000 Lux
- Range3 = 0.24 to 16,000 Lux
- Range4 = 0.96 to 64,000 Lux
Shutdown modes Software & Automatic
• Supply current (Max)
• Shutdown current (Max)
Control interface I ² C and SMB Compatible
• I ² C power supply

• Small form factor package 6 Ld 2.0x2.1x0.7 ODFN

Applications

- . Mobile devices: smart phone, PDA, GPS
- · Computing devices: Notebook PC, Webpad
- Consumer devices: LCD-TV, digital picture frame, digital camera
- · Industrial and medical light sensing

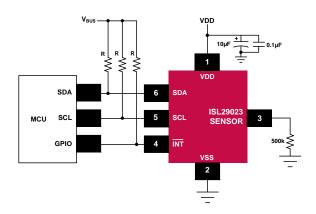


FIGURE 1. ISL29023 TYPICAL APPLICATION DIAGRAM

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