

## GMR Speed and Direction Crankshaft Sensor with Three-Wire, Pulse-Width Output

## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- GMR technology integrates high sensitivity MR (magnetoresistive) sensor elements and high precision BiCMOS circuits on a single silicon integrated circuit, offering high accuracy, low magnetic field operation
- Allegro SM package with integrated EMC components reduces need for external EMI protection
- ASIL B safety design process with integrated diagnostics (pending assessment)
- Integrated back-biasing magnetic circuit
- Digital speed and direction output provides ferromagnetic target position information
- Enhanced algorithm for low jitter, high output accuracy performance, and vibration tolerance
- · Center of package switching alignment option
- Programmable pulse location between center of target feature or edge of target feature
- EEPROM programmable performance optimizations and production traceability
- Target Profile Diagnostics<sup>™</sup>



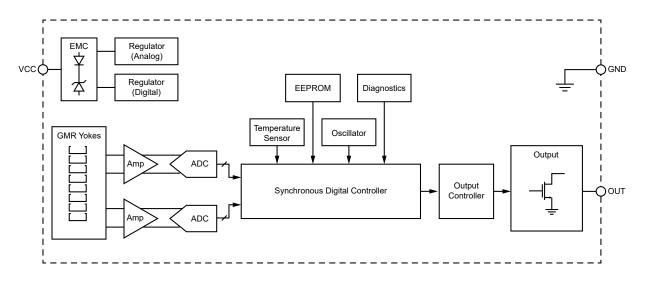
## DESCRIPTION

The ATS16951PSM is an optimized giant magnetoresistance (GMR) integrated circuit (IC) and permanent magnet pellet combined with integrated EMC protection components to provide a user-friendly solution for digital gear tooth sensing. The small package can be easily assembled and used in conjunction with a wide variety of gear tooth targets and is intended for automotive crankshaft applications.

The device incorporates multiple GMR elements into a single IC that switches in response to differential magnetic signals created by a ferromagnetic target. The IC contains a sophisticated compensation circuit designed to eliminate detrimental effects of magnet and system offsets. Digital processing of the analog signal provides high performance independent of air gap and allows for dynamic adaptation of device performance to address the typical operating conditions found in automotive applications. Threshold hysteresis reduces the negative effects of any anomalies in the magnetic signal associated with system or target anomalies typically seen in many automotive applications.

The ATS16951PSM is being developed in accordance with ISO 26262 as a safety element out of context targeting ASIL B capability (pending assessment) for use in automotive safety-related systems when integrated and used in the manner prescribed in the applicable safety manual and datasheet.

The ATS16951PSM is available in a 3-pin package (SM) that is lead (Pb) free, with NiPdAu plating.





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#### **PROGRAMMABLE OPTIONS**

Name			Available	Selections*		
Sensor Output Protocol	protocol conveys rotational speed and relative direction)			Speed Only Option (Digital square wave output only conveys rotational speed, no relative direction information is available) (O option)		
Forward Pulse, $t_{W(FWD)},$ Rotation Direction	Target movement from pin (F Option)				from pin	3 to pin 1
Output Pulse Location	Pulse in middle of the tooth with ferromagnetic target or rising mechanical edge (decided by M1 or M2 option) (N Option)			Pulse in middle of the valley with ferromagnetic target or falling mechanical edge (decided by M1 or M2 option) (S Option)		
Pulse sent in the n tooth decided by o ( <b>Option M1</b> )		ddle of the target feature (valley or tion N or S)		Pulse sent on the mechanical edge (rising or fallin mechanical edge decided by option N or S) (Option M2)		
Typical Forward Pulse Width, t <sub>W(FWD)</sub>	22.5 µs (F1 Option)			45 μs (F2 Option)		
Typical Reverse Pulse Width, t <sub>W(REV)</sub>	45 μs ( <b>R1 Option</b> )	90 µs (F	2 Option)	135 µs (R3 Option)		180 µs ( <b>R4 Option</b> )
Typical Fall Time (with $V_{PU}$ = 5 V and $R_{PU}$ = 1 k $\Omega$ )	3 µs (T1 option)	6 µs (T2	option)	1 μs (T3 option) 2 μs (T4 opt		2 µs (T4 option)
Target Profiling Diagnostics	Target profile Diagnostics enabled (D option)		Target profile Diagnostics not available (NA)		not available <b>(NA)</b>	
ASIL Protocol	ASIL enabled with Open Sh Detection enabled (1 V / 4 V A Option)			Open Short (0 V / 5 V Output,	ASIL disabled (NA)	

\*Not all combinations are available. Contact Allegro sales for pricing and availability of custom programming options.

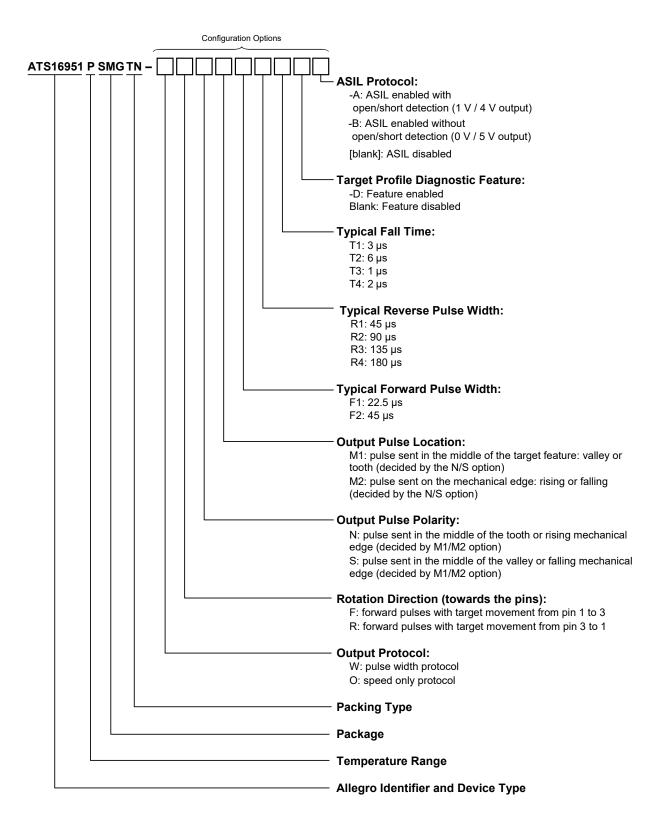
#### **SELECTION GUIDE**

Part Number	Package	Packing
ATS16951PSMGTN-WFNM2F2R2T1-D-B		
ATS16951PSMGTN-WFNM2F2R2T1-D-A	3-pin SIP with NiPdAu leadframe plating	Tape and reel, 800 pieces per 13-inch reel
ATS16951PSMGTN-WFNM2F2R2T1-D		





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#### **ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Characteristic	Symbol	Notes	Rating	Unit
Supply Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>		26.5	V
Output Voltage	V <sub>PU</sub>		26.5	V
Reverse Supply Voltage	V <sub>RCC</sub>		-18	V
Reverse Supply Current	I <sub>RCC</sub>		50	mA
Reverse Output Voltage	V <sub>ROUT</sub>		-0.5	V
Output Sink Current	I <sub>OUT</sub>		25	mA
Operating Ambient Temperature	T <sub>A</sub>	Range P	-40 to 160	°C
Maximum Junction Temperature	T <sub>J(max)</sub>		175	°C
Storage Temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>		-65 to 170	°C
Applied Magnetic Flux Density	В	In any direction	500	G

#### INTERNAL DISCRETE COMPONENT RATINGS

PINOUT LIST

1

2

3

Name

VCC

GND

OUT

Symbol	Characteristic	Rating	Unit
C <sub>SUPPLY</sub>	Nominal Capacitance	220	nF
C <sub>OUT</sub>	Nominal Capacitance	2.2	nF
R <sub>SUPPLY</sub>	Nominal Resistance	33	Ω
R <sub>OUT</sub>	Nominal Resistance	20	Ω

Function

Supply voltage

Device output

Ground

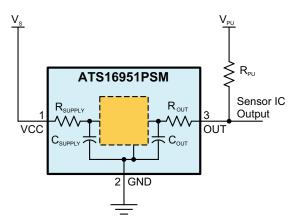


Figure 2: Typical Application Circuit

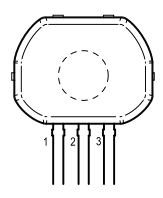


Figure 3: Pinout Diagram



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#### **OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS:** Valid throughout full operating and temperature ranges; using Reference Target 60+2,

unless otherwise noted

Characteristics	Symbol	Test Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTIC	S	1					
Supply Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	Operating, T <sub>J</sub> < T <sub>J (max)</sub>		4.5	_	24	V
Supply Current	I <sub>CC</sub>			_	10	14	mA
Reverse Supply Current	I <sub>RCC</sub>	V <sub>CC</sub> = -18 V		-14	_	-	mA
OUTPUT STAGE							
ASIL or Open/Short Detection	M	I <sub>OUT</sub> = 10 mA		_	300	500	mV
Disabled (ASIL option -B or [blank])	V <sub>OUT(SAT)</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> = 20 mA		_	600	950	mV
Output Leakage Current, ASIL Disabled	I <sub>OUT(OFF)</sub>	V <sub>OUT</sub> = 18 V, Output = HIGH		_	-	10	μA
ASIL and Open/Short Detection	V <sub>OUT(LOW)</sub>	4.75 V < V <sub>PU</sub> < 5.25 V, 1.455 kΩ <	R <sub>PU</sub> < 3.399 kΩ <sup>[1]</sup>	500	1000	1500	mV
Enabled (ASIL option -A)	V <sub>OUT(HIGH)</sub>	4.75 V < V <sub>PU</sub> < 5.25 V, 1.455 kΩ <	<sup>Ξ</sup> R <sub>PU</sub> < 3.399 kΩ	3500	4000	4500	mV
Output Current Limit	I <sub>OUT(LIM)</sub>	$V_{OUT}$ = 12 V, $T_J < T_{J(max)}$		30	60	80	mA
Output ASIL Safe State	V <sub>OUT(SAFE)</sub>	See Figure 11; I <sub>OUT</sub> < 10 mA		_	_	499	mV
Output ASIL Safe State Reset Timeout	t <sub>w(ASIL_safe)</sub>	See Figure 11		_	5	-	ms
POWER-ON CHARACTERISTICS							
Power-On State	POS	Connected as in Figure 2	output off (high voltage)			-	
Power-On Time	t <sub>PO</sub>	f <sub>OP</sub> < 100 Hz, time from V <sub>CC</sub> > V IC enters Calibration mode	-	-	1	ms	
OUTPUT PULSE CHARACTERIST	TICS						
	t <sub>W(CAL)</sub>	During calibration; $R_{PU}$ = 900 $\Omega$ C <sub>OUT</sub> = 2.2 nF in package	to 1.1 kΩ;	_	t <sub>W(FWD</sub>	_	μs
	+	Forward running mode; $R_{PU} = 900 \Omega$ to 1.1 k $\Omega$ ;	Option F2	39.5	45	50.5	μs
Pulse Width [2]	t <sub>W(FWD)</sub>	$C_{OUT} = 2.2 \text{ nF}$ in package	Option F1	19.3	22.5	25.7	μs
			Option R2	80	90	100	μs
		Reverse running mode;	Option R3	120.5	135	149.5	μs
	t <sub>W(REV)</sub>	$R_{PU}$ = 900 Ω to 1.1 kΩ; $C_{OUT}$ = 2.2 nF in package	Option R4	153	180	207	μs
			Option R1	38.3	45	51.7	μs
Minimum Separation Between	4		Option F2	30.6	36	41.4	μs
Consecutive Output Pulses	t <sub>OUTsep</sub>		Option F1	15.3	18	20.7	μs
Output Rise Time	t <sub>r</sub>	10%-90%, R <sub>PU</sub> = 1 kΩ, C <sub>OUT</sub> = 2	2.2. nF	_	10	-	μs
		Measured 90% to 10% of V <sub>OUT</sub> ;	see Figure 4	_	1	_	μs
Output Fall Time		Measured 90% to 10% of V <sub>OUT</sub> ;	V <sub>PU</sub> = 5 V	1.6	2.3	3.3	μs
Output Fall Time	t <sub>f</sub>	$R_{PU} = 1 k\Omega, C_{OUT} = 2.2. nF;$	V <sub>PU</sub> = 12 V	_	3.4	_	μs
		see Figure 4 $V_{PU} = 24 V_{PU}$		_	5.8	_	μs
Output Delay Time	t <sub>d</sub>	1 kHz sinusoidal input signal (fa	st fall time)	13	17	20	μs

<sup>[1]</sup> With ASIL ON option, recommended R<sub>PU</sub> resistor is 1.455 k $\Omega$  < V<sub>PU</sub> < 3.399 k $\Omega$ . <sup>[2]</sup> Pulse widths measured at 50% threshold on both rising and falling edges.



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## OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS (continued): Valid throughout full operating and temperature ranges;

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Characteristics	Symbol	Note		Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	
FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTI	cs			·	<u>.</u>			
Switchpoint	V <sub>PROC(ST)</sub>	Speed Channel, Standard targe option; see Figure 6	45	50	55	%V <sub>pk-pk</sub>		
Internal Hysteresis	V <sub>PROC(hys)</sub>	Speed Channel, one-sided; see	Figure 6	-	12.5	_	%V <sub>pk-pk</sub>	
Input LPF Frequency	BW	Multi-pole, –3 dB point		-	20	_	kHz	
Signal Variation		B <sub>SEQ(min)</sub> / B <sub>SEQ(max)</sub> , does not in Signature Region; see Figure 7	nclude	0.5	_	_	_	
-		B <sub>SEQ(n)</sub> / B <sub>SEQ(n+1)</sub> ; see Figure 7		0.9	_	1.1	_	
Signature Amplification Ratio		B <sub>SEQ(sig)</sub> / B <sub>SEQ</sub> of feature direct signature region; see Figure 7	ly before	0.8	_	2.0	_	
	f <sub>FWD</sub>	Correct speed information, forwa	ard rotation	0	_	10	kHz	
Operating Frequency			Option R1	0	_	10	kHz	
(input frequency f <sub>IN</sub> )	f <sub>REV</sub>	Correct speed information, reverse rotation	Option R2	0	_	7	kHz	
			Option R3	0	_	5	kHz	
PERFORMANCE CHARACTERIS	TICS		·					
Absolute Phase Error During Calibration				–0.5 × T <sub>TARGET</sub>	_	0.5 × T <sub>TARGET</sub>	_	
	10	Switching in the middle of Tooth or Valley with direction detection (based on Reference 60+2 Target)		1	_	3	mm	
Air Gap Range	AG	Switching on Edges with direction Speed only mode (based on Re Target)		1	- 3.5	3.5	mm	
1944 191		Switching in the middle of Tooth Sinusoidal input signal with 6-de $f_{\rm IN}$ = 1000 Hz; 3-sigma, 1-3 mm	gree period;	_	_	±0.025	degrees	
Jitter <sup>[3]</sup>		Switching on Edges; Sinusoidal with 6-degree period; f <sub>IN</sub> = 1000 1-3 mm air gap range.		_	_	±0.015	degrees	
Time to First Output Edge	t <sub>OUT(init)</sub>	After t <sub>PO</sub> elapses, f <sub>IN</sub> < 600 rpm		_	1 × T <sub>TARGET</sub>	_	_	
Initial Calibration Interval	CAL	After t <sub>PO</sub> elapses, f <sub>IN</sub> < 600 rpm; No Signature Region encounter		_	_	4	output pulse	
Initial Calibration Interval	CAL	After t <sub>PO</sub> elapses, f <sub>IN</sub> < 600 rpm; Signature Region encountered		After t <sub>PO</sub> elapses, f <sub>IN</sub> < 600 rpm;	_	_	9	output pulse
Missed or Extra Output Pulses in Running Mode	err <sub>OUT</sub>			_	0	_	output pulse	
Direction Change Recognition	N <sub>CD</sub>			_	1	_	switch point	
Vibration Tolerance During Calibration				_	_	4 × T <sub>TARGET</sub>	_	

<sup>[3]</sup> The jitter is bench tested with a 60-2 Target, switching in the middle of the tooth.



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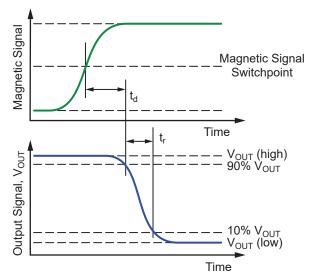
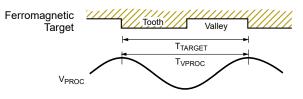


Figure 4: Definition of Output Fall Time and Delay Time



V<sub>PROC</sub> = the processed analog signal of the sinusoidal magnetic input (per channel)

T<sub>TARGET</sub> = period between successive sensed target magnetic edges of the same polarity (for a ferromagnetic target, both rising or both falling mechanical edges )

Figure 5: Definition of T<sub>TARGET</sub>

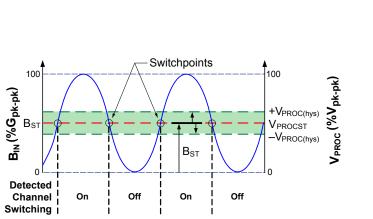


Figure 6: Establishment of Thresholds

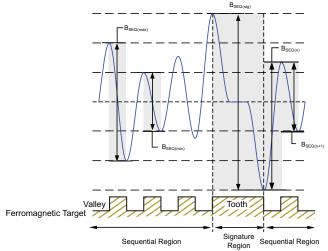


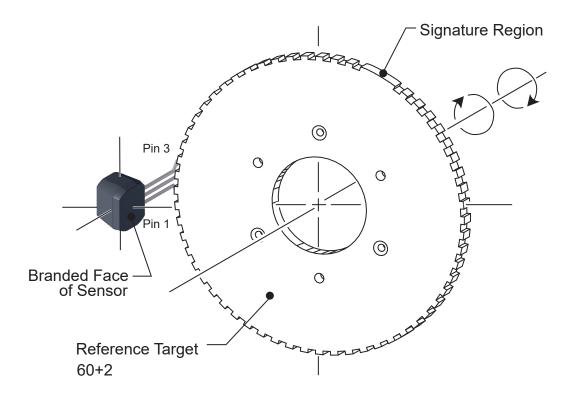
Figure 7: Differential Signature Amplification and Sequential Signal Variation



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#### ALLEGRO REFERENCE TARGET 60+2

Characteristics	Symbol	Test Conditions	Тур.	Units	Symbol Key
Outside Diameter	Do	Outside diameter of target	120	mm	
Face Width	F	Breadth of tooth, with respect to branded face	6	mm	
Angular Tooth Thickness	t	Length of tooth, with respect to branded face; measured at D <sub>o</sub>	3	degrees	tsig, trutter
Signature Region Angular Tooth Thickness	t <sub>SIG</sub>	Length of signature tooth, with respect to branded face; measured at D <sub>o</sub>	15	degrees	
Angular Valley Thickness	t <sub>v</sub>	Length of valley, with respect to branded face; measured at D <sub>o</sub>	3	degrees	Air Gap
Tooth Whole Depth	h <sub>t</sub>		3	mm	Branded Face of Package
Material		Low Carbon Steel	_	_	





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## FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

## Sensing Technology

The ATS16951PSM contains two GMR bridge elements that provide an electrical output signal containing information regarding target edge position and—if Pulse Width Protocol optioned direction of rotation.

## **Target Profiling**

After proper power is applied to the ATS16951PSM, digital information—representative of the mechanical features of a rotating target—will be available at the OUT pin. The waveform diagram in Figure 8 shows the translation of the induced magnetic profile to a digital speed and direction signal. The two digital signals are used to determine the location of the switching feature as well as the direction of rotation.

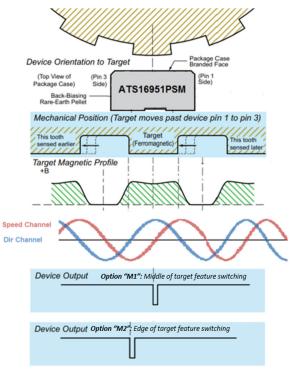


Figure 8: Magnetic Profile

If the device is set on option M1 (switch in the middle of the target feature), the output pulse is based on the 50% of the speed channel.

If the device is set on option M2 (switch on the mechanical edge of the target), the output pulse is based on the 50% of the Dir channel.

## **Switch Points**

The ATS16951PSM switch points are established dynamically as a percentage of the internal  $V_{PROC}$  signal amplitude (see Figure 5) to minimize the signal shift effect. This is accomplished by independently tracking the speed and direction peaks of each  $V_{PROC}$  channel, where the switching thresholds are established at fixed percentages of the two tracking signals.

Output switching threshold percentage on the speed channel is programmable to ensure the most accurate and consistent output switching. Additionally, the dynamic switch point thresholds allow the ATS16951PSM to properly detect direction of rotation when used with targets containing signature regions. A 50% threshold is recommended for standard crank targets, while the other programmable options allow for functionality on targets with different mechanical geometries.

## **Sensor Output Protocol**

If Pulse Width Protocol optioned, the ATS16951PSM compares the relative amplitude values of the two GMR bridges to determine which direction the target is rotating. The direction of rotation is then communicated through the output pulse width. While in calibration mode, direction information is not available. As a result of this, forward output pulses ( $t_{W(FWD)}$ ) are always given, independent of the true target rotation direction.

If speed only is programmed (Option O), no direction information is available. Only forward output pulses  $(t_{W(FWD)})$  are produced.

NOTE: For proper functionality, the output must be programmed such that the signature region is a non-switching feature (see Application Information section).

## **Forward Pulse Rotation Direction**

The ATS16951PSM can be programmed such that the output will provide forward pulses ( $t_{W(FWD)}$ ) when the target rotation is from pin 1 to pin 3 (Option F) or from pin 3 to pin 1 (Option R). This is illustrated in Figure 9 with the arrow on the target indicating direction of rotation.



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Option F Forward pulses (t<sub>W(FWD)</sub>) generated for rotation from pin 1 to pin 3 Branded Face of SM Package Option R Forward pulses (t<sub>W(FWD)</sub>) generated for rotation from pin 3 to pin 1 Forward pulses (t<sub>W(FWD)</sub>) generated for rotation from pin 3 to pin 1 Rotating Target (Ferromagnetic) Pin 1 Pin 3

#### Figure 9: Rotation Direction Definition

## **Pulse Occurrence Location**

The output pulse can be programmed to occur at the target mechanical features of either polarity, i.e. the output pulse can be programmed to occur at the center of a tooth (Option N) or at the center of a valley (Option S) with a ferromagnetic target. The output pulse can also be programmed to occur at the mechanical edge of the target (Option M).

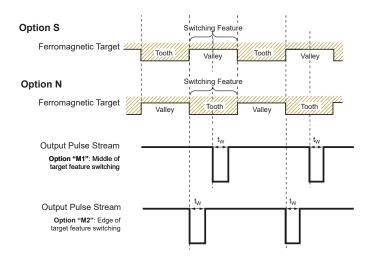


Figure 10: Output Pulse Location

## **Operating Modes**

#### STARTUP HYSTERESIS

The ATS16951PSM powers up into a startup hysteresis mode and internally senses the magnetic profile of the target. This operating mode is used to ensure the measured magnetic signal amplitude exceeds the minimum signal amplitude (lockout) for the ATS16951PSM algorithm to function properly. A forward pulse ( $t_{W(FWD)}$ ) is given if the magnetic signal amplitude meets the minimum requirements and is powered on over a switching feature.

#### CALIBRATION MODE

Once the magnetic signal amplitude exceeds the minimum magnetic signal requirements, the ATS16951PSM enters calibration mode. The calibration period allows the internal signal tracking algorithms to properly acquire the magnetic signals.

While in calibration mode, direction information is not available. As a result of this, only forward output pulses  $(t_{W(FWD)})$  are given on speed channel switch point crossings, independent of target rotation direction. This pulse width is programmable to meet specific application requirements (see Programmable Options table).

The calibration mode is considered complete when the correct direction information is given. As defined in the Operating Characteristics table, the calibration time  $(CAL_I)$  can be up to 4 periods (or 9 if the startup occurs at the signature region).

## RUNNING MODE

After calibration is complete, the target's relative rotation direction is known and available. This information is communicated through the variable pulse-width protocol. Forward rotation is indicated with pulses of width  $t_{W(FWD)}$  and reverse rotation is indicated with pulses of width  $t_{W(REV)}$ . The width of the forward pulse  $(t_{W(FWD)})$ and the reverse pulse  $(t_{W(REV)})$  can be programmed for applicationspecific performance optimization, (see Programmable Options table). Additionally, see the Forward Pulse Rotation Detection section for a description of the target's relative direction of rotation.

In running mode, signal tracking algorithms are employed, allowing the ATS16951PSM to track signal drift from temperature changes, and target variations such as tooth-to-tooth variation and runout, while still maintaining high output switching accuracy.

The ATS16951PSM provides vibration tolerance during calibration and running mode. The vibration recovery algorithm allows the part to recover within a few features.

The ATS16951PSM also contains a special smart optimization



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method. If chosen to be activated, during the first or second revolution, the device will self-adapt to improve the signal and achieve better performances. During this self-adaptation period, only the edge accuracy might be slightly affected. Once this period is finished, the device will function with its highest performances for accuracy and repeatability.

## STOP & GO MODE

In certain engine management applications, it is possible for large temperature changes to occur while the target is stationary. These temperature changes can affect the differential magnetic signals. The Stop & Go algorithm compensates for such shifts in the processed signal. Once normal rotation resumes, the part will return to running mode.

## **Diagnostic Capability**

When diagnostic functionality is activated, the device continuously monitors itself, from the signal chain to output levels, and reports a fault by driving the output to the safe state ( $V_{OUT(SAFE)}$ ) for a period of time defined by  $t_{w(ASIL\_safe)}$ . After this period of time, the device will attempt to recover by self-reset. In case of permanent detectable failure, the sequence is repeated indefinitely (see Figure 11).

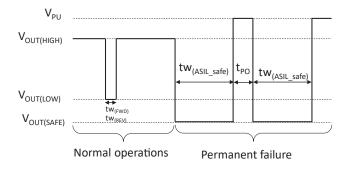


Figure 11: ASIL Output Behavior (ASIL Option -A) Note: For ASIL option -B, V<sub>OUT(HIGH)</sub> and V<sub>OUT(LOW)</sub> would be at the same level as V<sub>PU</sub> or V<sub>OUT(SAFE)</sub>

The ATS16951PSM is programmable to allow for system failure detection such as Output Pin short circuit or open wire. In such cases, output goes above or below normal operating voltage range ( $V_{OUT(LOW)}$  or  $V_{OUT(HIGH)}$ ), depending on the failure mode (ASIL option -A).

## **Target Profile Diagnostics**

Target Profile Diagnostics allows customers to characterize a gear target during manufacturing, and to detect any subtle gear tooth anomalies that may exist before an engine is installed into the vehicle, thus saving cost. It has the potential to reduce warranty returns, thus increasing customer satisfaction.

## **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

## **Power Supply Protection**

The ATS16951PSM contains an on-chip regulator and can operate across a wide supply voltage range. With only a single pull-up resistor necessary for proper operation, as shown in Figure 2, design time and assembly costs are reduced for most applications. Contact Allegro MicroSystems for information on EMC specification compliance.

## **Target Design**

The ATS16951PSM is designed to provide highly accurate switching at each switching feature detected, including switching at the first switching feature after power-on, as well as at the first switching feature after a reversal in the direction of target rotation. Contact Allegro for support on target design.



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## POWER DERATING

The device must operate below the rated maximum junction temperature of the device,  $T_{J(max)}$ . Under certain peak operating conditions, reliable operation may require power supply voltage derating and/or improved heat dissipation to ensure proper operation. This section presents a procedure for correlating factors that affect the operating junction temperature  $T_{J}$ . (Thermal data is also available on the Allegro MicroSystems website.)

The Package Thermal Resistance,  $R_{\theta JA}$ , is a figure of merit summarizing the ability of the package to dissipate heat from the junction (die), through all paths, to the ambient air. Its primary component is the Effective Thermal Conductivity, K, of the printed circuit board, including adjacent devices and traces. Radiation from the die through the device case,  $R_{\theta JC}$ , is a relatively small component of  $R_{\theta JA}$ . Ambient air temperature,  $T_A$ , and air motion are significant external factors, damped by overmolding.

The effect of varying power levels (Power Dissipation,  $P_D$ ), can be estimated. The following formulas represent the fundamental relationships used to estimate  $T_J$ , at  $P_D$ .

$$P_D = V_{IN} \times I_{IN} \tag{1}$$

$$\Delta T = P_D \times R_{0.14} \tag{2}$$

$$T_J = T_A + \varDelta T \tag{3}$$

For example, given common conditions such as:  $T_A$ = 25°C,  $V_{CC}$ = 12 V,  $I_{CC}$ = 7 mA, and  $R_{\theta JA}$  = 147°C/W, then:

$$P_D = V_{CC} \times I_{CC} = 12 \ V \times 7 \ mA = 84 \ mW$$
  
$$\Delta T = P_D \times R_{\theta JA} = 84 \ mW \times 147^{\circ}C/W = 12.3^{\circ}C$$
  
$$T_I = T_A + \Delta T = 25^{\circ}C + 12.3^{\circ}C = 37.3^{\circ}C$$

A worst-case estimate,  $P_{D(max)}$ , represents the maximum allowable power level ( $V_{CC(max)}$ ,  $I_{CC(max)}$ ), without exceeding  $T_{J(max)}$ , at a selected  $R_{\theta JA}$  and  $T_A$ .

#### Example:

Reliability for  $V_{CC}$  at  $T_A=160$  °C, estimated values based on package SM, using single layer PCB.

Observe the worst-case ratings for the device, specifically:

$$R_{0JA} = 147^{\circ}C/W$$
,  $T_{J(max)} = 175^{\circ}C$ ,  $V_{CC(absmax)} = 24$  V, and  $I_{CC} = 14$  mA.

Calculate the maximum allowable power level,  $P_{D(max)}$ . First, solve equation 3 for  $\Delta T_{(max)}$ , the specified  $T_{J(max)}$ , and  $T_A$ :

$$\Delta T_{(max)} = T_{J(max)} - T_A = 175^{\circ}C - 160^{\circ}C = 15^{\circ}C$$

This provides the allowable increase to  $T_J$  resulting from internal power dissipation. Then, solve equation 2 for  $P_{D(max)}$ :

$$P_{D(max)} = \Delta T_{(max)} \div R_{\theta JA} = 15^{\circ}C \div 147^{\circ}C/W = 102 \, mW$$

Finally, solve equation 1 with respect to supply voltage:

$$V_{CC(est)} = P_{D(max)} \div I_{CC} = 102 \text{ mW} \div 14 \text{ mA} = 7.3 \text{ V}$$

The result indicates that, at  $T_A$ , the application and device can dissipate adequate amounts of heat at voltages  $\leq V_{CC(est)}$ .

Compare  $V_{CC(est)}$  to  $V_{CC(max)}$ . If  $V_{CC(est)} \leq V_{CC(max)}$ , then reliable operation between  $V_{CC(est)}$  and  $V_{CC(max)}$  requires enhanced  $R_{\theta JA}$ . If  $V_{CC(est)} \geq V_{CC(max)}$ , then operation between  $V_{CC(est)}$  and  $V_{CC(max)}$  is reliable under these conditions.

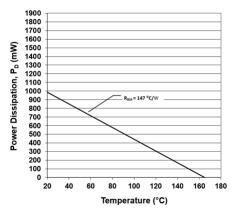
#### THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS: May require derating at maximum conditions

Characteristic	Symbol	Test Conditions*	Value	Unit
Package Thermal Resistance	$R_{ extsf{ heta}JA}$	1-layer PCB with copper limited to solder pads	147	°C/W

\*Additional thermal information available on the Allegro website.

# Power Derating Curve

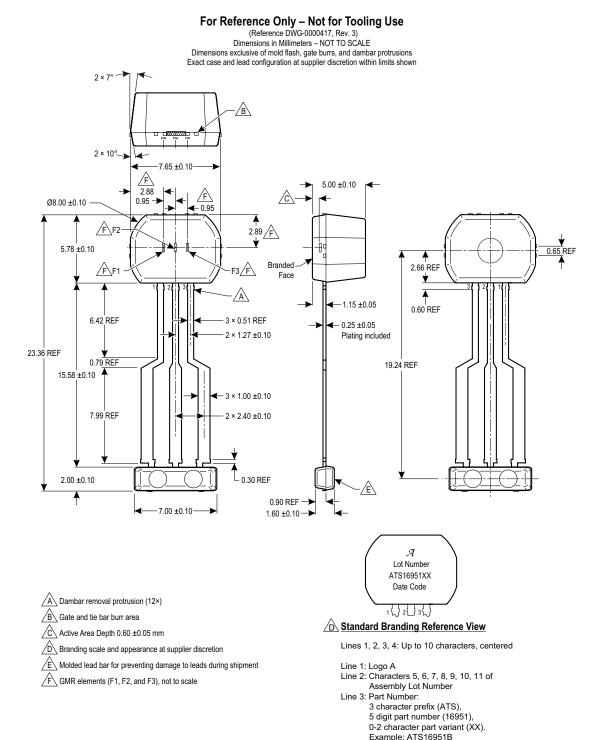
#### Power Dissipation versus Ambient Temperature





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#### Package SM, 3-Pin SIP





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