

Communication IC for Automotive Battery Applications

KA84922UA Product Brief

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Functional safety standards for automobiles ISO26262	Yes
AECQ-100	Yes
Market failure rate	10Fit

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FEATURES

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- Converts SPI protocol to differential data stream
- Simple electrical insulation using standard transformer
- Dual 4MHz serial interface with packet error check
- Bidirectional daisy communication up to 2.5Mbps (Support upper and lower side communication)
- Dual channel bidirectional daisy communication
- Alarm detection capability with MCU wakeup function during low power consumption mode
- Designed for ISO26262-compliant safety systems, up to ASIL-D
- AEC-Q100 Compliant
- Operating temperature range : -40 to 125degC
- Package : TSSOP type 24 pins

TYPICAL APPLICATION

DESCRIPTION

KA84922UA is a communication IC that converts 2 channels of SPI protocol to differential data stream. It can communicate with slave devices such as battery monitoring IC (KA84950UA, KA84930UA), pack monitoring IC (KA84917UA) via an isolation device, such as transformer. The communication IC also supports a low power consumption mode that detects alarm signal from the battery monitoring IC and wakes up the external LDO which supplies power to the MCU, during an abnormal event.

APPLICATIONS

- Electric vehicle (EV)
- Plug in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEV)
- Hybrid electric vehicles
- Power applications which utilize multi stacked battery Cells



Note)

This application circuit is an example. The operation of the mass production set is not guaranteed. Customers shall perform enough evaluation and verification on the design of mass production set. Customers shall be fully responsible for the incorporation of the above application circuit and information in the design of the equipment.

Dimensions

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TSSOP24L 4.4 x 7.8mm², Thickness 0.90mm, Lead Pitch 0.65mm, Lead Length 1.00mm



Usage Notes

- 1. Pay attention to the direction of the IC. When mounting it in the wrong direction onto the PCB (printed-circuit-board), it might be damaged.
- 2. Pay attention in the PCB (printed-circuit-board) pattern layout in order to prevent damage due to short circuit between pins. In addition, refer to the Pin Description for the pin configuration.
- 3. Perform visual inspection on the PCB before applying power, otherwise damage might happen due to problems such as solder-bridge between the pins of the IC. Also, perform full technical verification on the assembly quality, because the same damage possibly can happen due to conductive substances, such as solder ball, that adhere to the IC during transportation.
- 4. Take notice in the use of this IC that it might be damaged when an abnormal state occurs such as output pin power supply pin (VDD50, CVDD, VCHG) short (Power supply fault), output pin-GND short (Ground fault), output-to-output-pin short (load short), or leakage current between pins. Safety measures such as installation of fuses are recommended because the extent of the above-mentioned damage will depend on the current capability of the power supply.
- 5. The protection circuit is for maintaining safety against abnormal operation. Therefore, the protection circuit should not work during normal operation. Especially for the thermal protection circuit, if the area of safe operation or the absolute maximum rating is momentarily exceeded due to Power supply fault, or Ground fault, the IC might be damaged before the thermal protection circuit could operate.
- 6. Verify the risks which might be caused by the malfunctions of external components.

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