Features

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Notes:
(1) Per channel

- Output current: 0.7 A per channel
- Serial/parallel selectable interface
- Short-circuit protection
- 8-bit and 16-bit SPI Interface for IC command and control diagnostic
- Channel overtemperature detection and protection
- Thermal independence of separate channels
- Drives all type of loads (resistive, capacitive, inductive load)
- Loss of GND protection
- Power Good diagnostic
- Undervoltage shutdown with hysteresis
- Overvoltage protection ($V_{CC}$ clamping)
- Very low supply current
- Common fault open drain output
- IC warning temperature detection
- Channel output enable
- 100 mA high efficiency step-down switching regulator with integrated boot diode
- Adjustable regulator output
- Switching regulator disable
- 5 V and 3.3 V compatible I/Os
- Channel output status LED driving 4x2 multiplexed array
- Fast demagnetization of inductive loads
- ESD protection
- Designed to meet IEC61131-2, IEC61000-4-4, and IEC61000-4-5

Applications
- Programmable logic control
- Industrial PC peripheral input/output
- Numerical control machines

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1 Description

The VNI8200XP is a monolithic 8-channel driver featuring a very low supply current, with integrated SPI interface and high efficiency 100 mA micropower step-down switching regulator peak current control loop mode. The IC, realized in STMicroelectronics™ VIPower™ technology, is intended to drive any kind of load with one side connected to ground.

Active channel current limitation combined with thermal shutdown, independent for each channel, and automatic restart, protect the device against overload.

Additional embedded functions are: loss of GND protection that automatically turns off the device outputs in case of ground disconnection, undervoltage shutdown with hysteresis, Power Good diagnostic for valid supply voltage range recognition, output enable function for immediate power outputs ON/OFF, and programmable watchdog function for microcontroller safe operation; case overtemperature protection to control the IC case temperature.

The device embeds a four-wire SPI serial peripheral with selectable 8 or 16-bit operations; through a select pin the device can also operate with a parallel interface.

Both the 8-bit and 16-bit SPI operations are compatible with daisy chain connection.

The SPI interface allows command of the output driver by enabling or disabling each channel featuring, in 16-bit format, a parity check control for communication robustness. It also allows the monitoring of the status of the IC signaling Power Good, overtemperature condition for each channel, IC pre-warning temperature detection.

Built-in thermal shutdown protects the chip from overtemperature and short-circuit. In overload condition, the channel turns OFF and ON again automatically after the IC temperature decreases below a threshold fixed by a temperature hysteresis so that junction temperature is controlled. If this condition makes case temperature reaching case temperature limit, $T_{CSD}$, overloaded channels are turned OFF and restart, non-simultaneously, when case and junction temperature decrease below their own reset threshold. If the case of thermal reset, the channels loaded are not switched on until the junction temperature reset event. Non-overloaded channels continue to operate normally.

Case temperature above $T_{CSD}$ is reported through the $TWARN$ open drain pin.

An internal circuit provides a not latched common $FAULT$ indicator reporting if one of the following events occurs: channel OVT (overtemperature), parity check fail. The Power Good diagnostic warns the controller that the supply voltage is below a fixed threshold.

The watchdog function is used to detect the occurrence of a software fault of the host controller. The watchdog circuitry generates an internal reset on expiry of the internal watchdog timer. The watchdog timer reset can be achieved by applying a negative pulse on the WD pin. The watchdog function can be disabled by the WD_EN dedicated pin. This pin also allows the programming of a wide range of watchdog timings.

An internal LED matrix driver circuitry (4 rows, 2 columns) allows the detection of the status of the single outputs. An integrated step-down voltage regulator provides supply voltage to the internal LED matrix driver and logic output buffers and can be used to supply the external optocouplers if the application requires isolation. The regulator is protected against short-circuit or overload conditions thanks to pulse-by-pulse current limit with a peak current control loop.
2 Block diagram

Figure 1: Block diagram
3 Pin connection

Table 2: Pin description

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<td>Logic input</td>
<td>SPI/parallel selection mode</td>
</tr>
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<td>2</td>
<td>SEL1/IN1</td>
<td>Logic input</td>
<td>8/16-bit SPI selection mode/channel 1 input</td>
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<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>WD_EN/IN2</td>
<td>Logic/anallog</td>
<td>Watchdog enable_setting/channel 2 input</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>OUT_EN/IN3</td>
<td>Logic input</td>
<td>Output enable/channel 3 input</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>WD/IN4</td>
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<td>Watchdog input. The internal watchdog counter is cleared on the falling edges/channel 4 input</td>
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<td>Serial data input/channel 5 input</td>
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<td>Serial clock/channel 6 input</td>
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<td>Serial data output/channel 8 input</td>
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<td>Power supply</td>
<td>SPI/inputs/LED supply voltage</td>
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<td>COL0</td>
<td>Open source output</td>
<td>LED source output</td>
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<td>LED source output</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>DCVDD</td>
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<td>IC case warning temperature detection, active low</td>
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| TAB | TAB  | Power supply     | Exposed tab internally connected to V_


# Maximum ratings

## Table 3: Absolute maximum ratings

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<td>(V_{CC})</td>
<td>Power supply voltage</td>
<td>45</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>(-V_{CC})</td>
<td>Reverse supply voltage</td>
<td>-0.3</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>(V_{REG})</td>
<td>Logic supply voltage</td>
<td>-0.3 to +6</td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>(V_{FAULT}, V_{TWARN}, V_{PG})</td>
<td>Voltage range at pins (\text{TWARN}, \text{FAULT}, \text{PG})</td>
<td>-0.3 to +6</td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>(V_{BOOT})</td>
<td>Bootstrap peak voltage (V_{PHASE} = V_{CC})</td>
<td>(V_{CC}+6)</td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>(V_{ROW})</td>
<td>Voltage range on ROW pins</td>
<td>-0.3 to +6</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>(V_{COL})</td>
<td>Voltage range on COL pins</td>
<td>-0.3 to +6</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>(V_{dig})</td>
<td>Voltage level range on logic input pins</td>
<td>-0.3 to +6</td>
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<td>Output current (continuous)</td>
<td>Internally limited (^{(1)})</td>
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<td>(I_{R})</td>
<td>Reverse output current (per channel)</td>
<td>-5</td>
<td>A</td>
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<td>(I_{GND})</td>
<td>DC ground reverse current</td>
<td>-250</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td>(I_{REG})</td>
<td>(V_{REG}) input current</td>
<td>(-1/10)</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td>(I_{FAULT, \text{TWARN}, \text{PG}})  (I_{G})</td>
<td>Current range on pins (\text{TWARN}, \text{FAULT}, \text{PG})</td>
<td>-1 to +10</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td>(I_{IN})</td>
<td>Input current range</td>
<td>-1 to +10</td>
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<td>(I_{ROW})</td>
<td>Current range on ROW pins (ROW in ON-state)</td>
<td>+20</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Current range on ROW pins (ROW in OFF-state)</td>
<td>-1 to +10</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<tr>
<td>(I_{COL})</td>
<td>Current range on COL pins (COL in ON-state)</td>
<td>-10</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td>Current range on COL pins (COL in OFF-state)</td>
<td>-1 to +10</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<tr>
<td>(V_{ESD})</td>
<td>Electrostatic discharge (R = 1.5 , \text{k}\Omega; C = 100 , \text{pF})</td>
<td>2000</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>(E_{AS})</td>
<td>Single pulse avalanche energy per channel not simultaneously @(T_{amb} = 125, ^\circ\text{C}), (I_{OUT} = 0.5, \text{A})</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>J</td>
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<td>(P_{TOT})</td>
<td>Power dissipation at (T_C = 25, ^\circ\text{C})</td>
<td>Internally limited (^{(1)})</td>
<td>W</td>
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<tr>
<td>(T_J)</td>
<td>Junction operating temperature</td>
<td>Internally limited</td>
<td>°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>(T_{STG})</td>
<td>Storage temperature</td>
<td>-55 to 150</td>
<td>°C</td>
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**Notes:**

\(^{(1)}\)Protection functions are intended to avoid IC damage in fault conditions and are not intended for continuous operation. Continuous and repetitive operation of protection functions may reduce the IC lifetime.
### Table 4: Thermal data

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<td>Thermal resistance junction-case $^{(1)}$</td>
<td>Max.</td>
<td>2 °C/W</td>
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<td>$R_{th(JA)}$</td>
<td>Thermal resistance junction-ambient $^{(2)}$</td>
<td>Max.</td>
<td>15 °C/W</td>
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**Notes:**

$^{(1)}$ Per channel.

$^{(2)}$ PowerSSO-36 mounted on the STEVAL-IFP022V1 developed on four-layer FR4, with about 8 cm$^2$ for each layer.
5 Electrical characteristics

5.1 Power section

10.5 V < \( V_{CC} \) < 36 V; -40 °C < \( T_J \) < 125 °C; unless otherwise specified

Table 5: Power section

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<thead>
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<th>Parameter</th>
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<th>Min.</th>
<th>Typ.</th>
<th>Max.</th>
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<td>( V_{CC} )</td>
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<td>10.5</td>
<td>36</td>
<td></td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( V_{CC} ) clamp</td>
<td>Clamp on ( V_{CC} )</td>
<td>Current 20 mA</td>
<td>45</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>52</td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( R_{DS(on)} )</td>
<td>On-state resistance</td>
<td>( I_{OUT} = 0.5 ) A at ( T_J = 25 ) °C</td>
<td>0.11</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Ω</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>( I_{OUT} = 0.5 ) A</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>( I_S )</td>
<td>( V_{CC} ) supply current</td>
<td>All channels in OFF-state, DC-DC in OFF-state, ( V_{REG} = 5 ) V, SPI OFF (1)</td>
<td>0.65</td>
<td>1.1</td>
<td></td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td>All channels in ON-state, DC-DC in OFF-state ( V_{REG} = 5 ) V, SPI ON (2)</td>
<td>3.5</td>
<td>5.2</td>
<td></td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td></td>
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<td>All channels in ON-state, DC-DC in ON-state ( V_{REG} = 5 ) V, SPI</td>
<td></td>
<td>5.3</td>
<td></td>
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<td>( I_{DS} )</td>
<td>( V_{REG} ) supply current</td>
<td>DC-DC OFF ( V_{REG} = 5 ) V SPI OFF WD_EN = 0</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>µA</td>
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<td>DC/DC OFF ( V_{REG} = 5 ) V SPI ON WD_EN = ( V_{REG} )</td>
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<td>( I_{GND} )</td>
<td>Output current at GND disconnection</td>
<td>All pins at 0 V except ( V_{OUT} = 24 ) V</td>
<td>0.5</td>
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<td>( V_{OUT(OFF)} )</td>
<td>OFF-state output voltage</td>
<td>( V_{IN} = 0 ) V, ( I_{OUT} = 0 ) A</td>
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<td></td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( I_{OUT(OFF)} )</td>
<td>OFF-state output current</td>
<td>( V_{IN} = V_{OUT} = 0 ) V</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>2</td>
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<td>( F_{CP} )</td>
<td>Charge pump frequency</td>
<td>Channel in ON-state (3)</td>
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Notes:

(1) \( S \) S signal high, no communication.

(2) \( S \) S signal low, communication ON.

(3) To cover EN55022 class A and class B normative.
5.2 SPI characteristics

10.5 V < $V_{CC}$ < 36 V; 2.7 V < $V_{REG}$ < 5 V; -40 °C < $T_J$ < 125 °C; unless otherwise specified

Table 6: SPI characteristics

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<td>$f_{CLK}$</td>
<td>SPI clock frequency</td>
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<td>$t_r(CLK)$, $t_f(CLK)$</td>
<td>SPI clock rise/fall time</td>
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<td></td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>$t_{su}(\overline{SS})$</td>
<td>$\overline{SS}$ setup time</td>
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<td>$t_{h}(\overline{SS})$</td>
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<td>-</td>
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<td>$t_{su}(CLK)$</td>
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<td>-</td>
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<td></td>
<td>ns</td>
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<td>$V_{SDO}$</td>
<td>Voltage on serial data output</td>
<td>$I_{SDO}=15$ mA</td>
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5.3 Switching

$V_{CC} = 24$ V; -40 °C < $T_J$ < 125 °C

Table 7: Switching

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<tr>
<td>$t_{d}(ON)$</td>
<td>Turn-ON delay time</td>
<td>$I_{OUT} = 0.5$ A, resistive load, input rise time &lt; 0.1 $\mu$s</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>5</td>
<td></td>
<td>$\mu$s</td>
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<tr>
<td>$t_r$</td>
<td>Rise time</td>
<td>$I_{OUT} = 0.5$ A, resistive load, input rise time &lt; 0.1 $\mu$s</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td></td>
<td>$\mu$s</td>
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<tr>
<td>$t_{d}(OFF)$</td>
<td>Turn-OFF delay time</td>
<td>$I_{OUT} = 0.5$ A, resistive load, input rise time &lt; 0.1 $\mu$s</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>10</td>
<td></td>
<td>$\mu$s</td>
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<tr>
<td>$t_f$</td>
<td>Fall time</td>
<td>$I_{OUT} = 0.5$ A, resistive load, input rise time &lt; 0.1 $\mu$s</td>
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<tr>
<td>$dV/dt_{(ON)}$</td>
<td>Turn-ON voltage slope</td>
<td>$I_{OUT} = 0.5$ A, resistive load, input rise time &lt; 0.1 $\mu$s</td>
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<td>3</td>
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<td>V/$\mu$s</td>
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<td>$dV/dt_{(OFF)}$</td>
<td>Turn-OFF voltage slope</td>
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<td>4</td>
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<td>V/$\mu$s</td>
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5.4 Logic inputs

10.5 V < \( V_{CC} \) < 36 V; -40 °C < \( T_J \) < 125 °C; unless otherwise specified

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<tr>
<td>( V_{IL} )</td>
<td>Input low level voltage</td>
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<td>0.8</td>
<td></td>
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<td>V</td>
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<td>( V_{IH} )</td>
<td>Input high level voltage</td>
<td>2.20</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( V_{(HYS)} )</td>
<td>Input hysteresis voltage</td>
<td>0.15</td>
<td></td>
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<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>( I_{IN} )</td>
<td>Input current</td>
<td>( V_{IN} = 5 ) V</td>
<td>8</td>
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<td></td>
<td>( \mu A )</td>
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5.5 Protection and diagnostic

10.5 V < \( V_{CC} \) < 36 V; -40 °C < \( T_J \) < 125 °C; unless otherwise specified

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<tr>
<td>( V_{PGH1} )</td>
<td>Power Good diagnostic ON threshold</td>
<td></td>
<td>16.5</td>
<td>17.5</td>
<td>18.4</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>( V_{PGH2} )</td>
<td>Power Good diagnostic OFF threshold</td>
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<td>15.2</td>
<td>16.5</td>
<td>17.4</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>( V_{PGHYS} )</td>
<td>Power Good diagnostic hysteresis</td>
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<td>( V_{USD} )</td>
<td>Undervoltage ON protection</td>
<td></td>
<td>9.5</td>
<td></td>
<td>10</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Undervoltage OFF protection</td>
<td></td>
<td>8.4</td>
<td>9</td>
<td></td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>( V_{USDHYS} )</td>
<td>Undervoltage hysteresis</td>
<td></td>
<td>0.4</td>
<td>0.5</td>
<td></td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( V_{demag} )</td>
<td>Output voltage at turn-OFF</td>
<td>( I_{OUT} = 0.5 ) A; ( L_{LOAD} \geq 1 ) mH</td>
<td>( V_{CC} )-52</td>
<td>( V_{CC} )-50</td>
<td>( V_{CC} )-45</td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( V_{TWARN} )</td>
<td>( TWARN ) pin low-state output voltage</td>
<td>( I_{TWARN} = 3 ) mA (active condition)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>0.6</td>
<td>V</td>
</tr>
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<td>( V_{FAULT} )</td>
<td>( FAULT ) pin low-state output voltage</td>
<td>( I_{FAULT} = 3 ) mA (fault condition)</td>
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<td></td>
<td>0.6</td>
<td>V</td>
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<tr>
<td>( V_{PG} )</td>
<td>( PG ) pin low-state output voltage</td>
<td>( I_{PG} = 3 ) mA (active condition) ( V_{REG} = 3.3 ) V ( V_{CC} = 0 )</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>0.7</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>( I_{PEAK} )</td>
<td>Maximum DC output current before limitation</td>
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<td>Symbol</td>
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<td>$I_{\text{LIM}}$</td>
<td>Short-circuit current limitation per channel</td>
<td>$R_{\text{LOAD}} = 0$ $V_{\text{CC}} = 24 \text{ V}$ $T_{\text{J}} = 25 ^{\circ}\text{C}$</td>
<td>0.7</td>
<td>1.1</td>
<td>1.7</td>
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<td>Hyst</td>
<td>$I_{\text{LIM}}$ tracking limits</td>
<td>$R_{\text{LOAD}} = 0$</td>
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<td>$I_{\text{FAULT}}$</td>
<td>FAULT leakage current</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>A</td>
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<tr>
<td>$I_{\text{WARN}}$</td>
<td>TWARN leakage current</td>
<td>$V_{\text{pin}} = 5 \text{ V}$</td>
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<td>$I_{\text{PG}}$</td>
<td>PG leakage current</td>
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<td>A</td>
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<td>$T_{\text{TSD}}$</td>
<td>Junction shutdown temperature</td>
<td></td>
<td>160</td>
<td>180</td>
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<td>$^{\circ}\text{C}$</td>
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<tr>
<td>$T_{\text{R}}$</td>
<td>Junction reset temperature</td>
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<td>$^{\circ}\text{C}$</td>
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<td>$T_{\text{HIST}}$</td>
<td>Junction thermal hysteresis</td>
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<td>$T_{\text{CSD}}$</td>
<td>Case shutdown temperature</td>
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<td>$t_{\text{WM}}$</td>
<td>Watchdog time</td>
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<td>OUT_EN pin propagation delay</td>
<td>$V_{\text{CC}} = 24 \text{ V}$ $I_{\text{OUT}} = 72 \text{ mA}$</td>
<td>10</td>
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<td>$t_{\text{es}}$</td>
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<td>$t_{\text{Wo}}$</td>
<td>Watchdog timeout</td>
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<td>$t_{\text{WM}} + t_{\text{d_off}}$</td>
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**Notes:**

(1) Time from reset active low and power out disable.

(2) The time from $t_{\text{WM}}$ elapsed to power out disable.
5.6 Step-down switching regulator
10.5 V < $V_{CC}$ < 36 V; -40 °C < $T_J$ < 125 °C; unless otherwise specified

Table 10: Step-down switching regulator

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<tr>
<td>$V_{DC_{out}}$</td>
<td>Regulated output voltage</td>
<td>$I_{REG}$ from 0 to 100 mA $V_{REG}$ 3.3 V</td>
<td>3.1</td>
<td>3.3</td>
<td>3.5</td>
<td>V</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>$I_{REG}$ from 0 to 100 mA $V_{REG}$ 5 V</td>
<td>5</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>$V_{FB}$</td>
<td>Voltage feedback</td>
<td></td>
<td>3.1</td>
<td>3.3</td>
<td>3.5</td>
<td>V</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>$R_{DS(on)}$</td>
<td>MOSFET on-resistance</td>
<td></td>
<td>1.5</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Ω</td>
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<td>$I_{lim}$</td>
<td>Limitation current</td>
<td></td>
<td>0.55</td>
<td>0.9</td>
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<td>$I_{op}$</td>
<td>Total operating quiescent current</td>
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<td>0.6</td>
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<td>mA</td>
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<td>$I_{qst-by}$</td>
<td>Total standby quiescent current</td>
<td>Regulator standby</td>
<td>15.8</td>
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<td></td>
<td>μA</td>
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<td>$f_s$</td>
<td>Switching frequency</td>
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<td>kHz</td>
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<td>$D_{max}$</td>
<td>Maximum duty cycle</td>
<td></td>
<td>80%</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>%</td>
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<td>$T_{on_{min}}$</td>
<td>Minimum on-time</td>
<td></td>
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<td>$f_{sc}$</td>
<td>Frequency in short-circuit condition</td>
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<td>50</td>
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<td>kHz</td>
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5.7 LED driving array
10.5 V < $V_{CC}$ < 36 V; -40 °C < $T_J$ < 125 °C; unless otherwise specified

Table 11: LED driving array

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<td>$V_{COL}$</td>
<td>Output source voltage on COL pins</td>
<td>Output current 0 to 7 mA $V_{REG}$-0.3 $V_{REG}$-0.2</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<td>V</td>
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<td>$V_{ROW}$</td>
<td>Open drain voltage on ROW pins</td>
<td>Output current 0 to 15 mA</td>
<td>0.2</td>
<td>0.3</td>
<td></td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>$F_{sw}$</td>
<td>Row refresh frequency with duty=25%</td>
<td></td>
<td>780</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Hz</td>
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6 Reverse polarity protection

Reverse polarity protection can be implemented on board using two different solutions:

1. Placing a resistor ($R_{\text{GND}}$) between IC GND pin and load GND
2. Placing a diode between IC GND pin and load GND

If option 1 is selected, the minimum resistance value has to be selected according to the following equation:

$$R_{\text{GND}} \geq \frac{V_{\text{CC}}}{I_{\text{GND}}}$$

where $I_{\text{GND}}$ is the DC reverse ground pin current and can be found in of this datasheet.

Power dissipated by $R_{\text{GND}}$ (when $V_{\text{CC}} < 0$: during reverse polarity situations) is:

$$P_D = \frac{(V_{\text{CC}})^2}{R_{\text{GND}}}$$

If option 2 is selected, the diode has to be chosen by taking into account $V_{\text{RRM}} > |V_{\text{CC}}|$ and its power dissipation capability:

$$P_D \geq I_S \times V_F$$

In normal conditions (no reverse polarity), due to the diode, there is a voltage drop between GND of the device and GND of the system.

![Figure 3: Reverse polarity protection](image)

This schematic can be used with any type of load.
7 Demagnetization energy

Figure 4: Maximum demagnetization energy vs. load current, typical values
8 Truth table

Table 12: Truth table

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<th>Condition</th>
<th>Input</th>
<th>Output</th>
<th>SPI status bit</th>
<th>FAULT</th>
<th>TWARN</th>
<th>Power Good</th>
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<tr>
<td>Normal operation</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>On</td>
<td>Reset</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>High</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Reset</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>High</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Junction overtemperature</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Set</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>X</td>
<td>X</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Set(^{(1)})</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>X</td>
<td>X</td>
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<tr>
<td>Case overtemperature</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Set(^{(1)})</td>
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<td>Reset</td>
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<td>Off</td>
<td>Reset</td>
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<td>X</td>
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<tr>
<td>Power Good</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>On</td>
<td>Set(^{(2)})</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Low</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Set(^{(2)})</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>High</td>
<td>Low</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Notes:

\(^{(1)}\)This signal becomes high after the temperature falls below the reset threshold.

\(^{(2)}\)If fault expires, the reset condition occurs after SPI communication, otherwise it is set again.
9 Pin function description

9.1 SPI/parallel selection mode (SEL2)

This pin allows the selection of the IC interfacing mode. The SPI interface is selected if SEL2 = H, while the parallel interface is selected if SEL2 = L, according to:

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SEL2 = H
- SPI operation
- Serial data output
- Slave select
- Serial clock
- Serial data input
- Watchdog input
- IC OUTPUT enable / disable
- Watchdog enable / disable and timing preset
- 8/16-bit SPI selection mode

SEL2 = L
- parallel operation
- Input to channel 8
- Input to channel 7
- Input to channel 6
- Input to channel 5
- Input to channel 4
- Input to channel 3
- Input to channel 2
- Input to channel 1

Table 13: Pin function description

9.2 Serial data in (SDI)

If SEL2 = H, this pin is the input of the serial control frame. SDI is read on CLK rising edges and, therefore, the microcontroller must change SDI state during the CLK falling edges. After the SS falling edge, the SDI is equal to the most significant bit of the control frame.

9.3 Serial data out (SDO)

If SEL2 = H, this pin is the output of the serial fault frame. SDO is updated on CLK falling edges and, therefore, the microcontroller must read SDO state during the CLK rising edges.

The SDO pin is tri-stated when SS signal is high and it is equal to the most significant bit of the fault frame after the SS falling edge.

9.4 Serial data clock (CLK)

If SEL2 = H, the CLK line is the input clock for serial data sampling. On CLK rising edge the SDI input is sampled by the IC and the SDO output is sampled by the host microcontroller. On CLK falling edge, both SDI and SDO lines are updated to the next bit of the frame, from the most to the less significant one. When the SS signal is high, slave not selected, the microcontroller should drive the CLK low (the settings for the MCU SPI port are CPHA = 0 and CPOL = 0).

a SEL2 has an internal weak pull-down.
9.5 Slave select

If SEL2 = H, the slave select (SS) signal is used to enable the VNI8200XP serial communication shift register; data is flushed-in through the SDI pin and flushed-out from the SDO pin only when the SS pin is low. On the SS pin falling edge the shift register (containing the fault conditions) is frozen, so any change on the power switches status is latched until the next SS falling edge event and the SDO output is enabled. On the SS pin rising edge event the 8/16 bits present on the SPI shift register are evaluated and the outputs are driven according to this frame. If more than 8/16 bits (depending on the SPI settings) are flushed inside only the last 8/16 are evaluated; the others are flushed out from the SDO pin after fault condition bits; in this way a proper communication is possible also in a daisy chain configuration.

Figure 5: SPI mode diagram

9.6 8/16-bit selection (SEL1)

If SEL2 = H, SEL1 is used to select between two possible SPI configurations: the 8-bit SPI mode (SEL1 = L) and the 16-bit SPI mode (SEL1 = H). 8/16-bit SPI operation is described below.

9.7 Output enable (OUT_EN)

If SEL2 = H, the OUT_EN pin provides a fast way to disable all the outputs simultaneously. When the OUT_EN pin is driven low for at least T\text{RES}, the outputs are disabled while fault conditions in the SPI register are latched. To enable the outputs, the OUT_EN pin should be raised and the IC should be re-programmed through the SPI interface. As fault conditions are latched inside the IC and SPI interface also works while the OUT_EN pin is driven low, the SPI can be used to detect if a fault condition occurred before than the reset event.

The device is ready to operate normally after a T\text{SU} period. The OUT_EN pin is the fastest way to disable all outputs when a fault occurs.
9.8 IC warning case temperature detection

The TWARN pin is an active low open drain output. This pin is activated if the IC case temperature exceeds $T_{CSD}$. According to the PCB thermal design and $R_{thJC}$ value, this function allows a warning about a PCB overheating condition to be given.

The TWARN bit is also available through SPI. This bit is not latched: the TWARN pin is low only while the case overtemperature condition is active ($T_c > T_{CSD}$) and is released when this condition is removed ($T_c < T_{CR}$).

9.9 Fault indication

The FAULT pin is an open drain active low fault indication pin. This pin is activated by one or more of the following conditions:

- Channel overtemperature (OVT)

This pin is activated when at least one of the channels is in junction overtemperature.

Unlike the SPI fault detection bits, this signal is not latched: the FAULT pin is low only when the fault condition is active and is released if the input driving signal is OFF or after the OVT protection condition has been removed. This last event occurs if the channel temperature decreases below the threshold level and the case temperature has not exceeded $T_{CSD}$ or is below $T_{CR}$. This means that the FAULT pin is low only while the junction overtemperature is active ($T_J > TTSD$) and is released after this condition has been removed ($T_J < TR$ and $TC < TCR$).

- Parity check fail

When SPI mode is used (SEL2 = H), if a parity check fault of the incoming SPI frame is detected or counted, CLK rising edges are different by a multiple of 8, the FAULT pin is kept low. When counted CLK rising edges are a multiple of 8 and parity check is valid, the FAULT pin is kept high.
9.10 Power Good (PG)

The PG terminal is an open drain, which indicates the status of the supply voltage. When 
$V_{CC}$ supply voltage reaches the $V_{sth1}$ threshold, PG goes into a high impedance state. It 
goes into a low impedance state when $V_{CC}$ falls below the $V_{sth2}$ threshold.

In 16-bit SPI mode, a PG bit is also available. This bit is set high when the Power Good 
diagnostic is active, it is otherwise cleared.

![Figure 7: Power Good diagnostic](image)

9.11 Programmable watchdog counter reset (WD)

If SEL2 = H, the VNI8200XP embeds a watchdog counter that must be erased, with a 
negative pulse on the WD pin, before it expires. If the WD counter elapses, the VNI8200XP 
goes into an internal reset state where all the outputs are disabled; to restart normal 
operation a negative pulse must be applied to the WD pin.

The watchdog enable/disable pin should be connected through an external divider to $V_{REG}$.

The watchdog time is fixed in the following table:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>$V_{WD_EN}$</th>
<th>$t_{WM}$</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>$0.25 \ V_{REG} &gt; V_{WD_EN}$</td>
<td>Disable</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>$0.25 \ V_{REG} \leq V_{WD_EN} &lt; 0.5 \ V_{REG}$</td>
<td>$40 \pm 25% \text{ ms}$</td>
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<tr>
<td>$0.25 \ V_{REG} \leq V_{WD_EN} &lt; 0.75 \ V_{REG}$</td>
<td>$80 \pm 25% \text{ ms}$</td>
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<tr>
<td>$0.75 \ V_{REG} \leq V_{WD_EN} = V_{REG}$</td>
<td>$160 \pm 25% \text{ ms}$</td>
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</table>
Figure 8: Watchdog reset
10 SPI operation (SEL2 = H)

10.1 8-bit SPI mode (SEL1 = L)

If SEL2 = H, the 8-bit SPI mode is based on an 8-bit command frame sent from the microcontroller to the IC; each bit directly drives the corresponding output where LSB drives output 0 and MSB drives output 7. Each bit, set to ‘1’, activates (closes) the corresponding output.

At the same time, the IC transfers the channel fault conditions (OVT) to the microcontroller. These fault conditions are latched at the occurrence and cleared after each communication (each time the SS signal has a positive transition). Each bit, set to ‘1’, indicates an OVT condition for the corresponding channel.

Table 15: Command 8-bit frame (master-to-slave)

<table>
<thead>
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<th>MSB</th>
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Table 16: Fault 8-bit frame (slave-to-master)

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10.2 16-bit SPI mode (SEL1 = H)

The 16-bit SPI mode is based on a 16-bit command frame sent from the microcontroller to the IC; the first 8 bits directly drive the output channels (each bit, set to ‘1’, activates the corresponding output), the other 8 bits contain a 4-bit parity check code where the last bit (the inversion of the previous one) is used to detect a communication error condition (providing at least a transition in each frame):

\[
P_0 = I_{N0} + I_{N1} + I_{N2} + I_{N3} + I_{N4} + I_{N5} + I_{N6} + I_{N7}
\]

\[
P_1 = I_{N1} + I_{N3} + I_{N5} + I_{N7}
\]

\[
P_2 = I_{N0} + I_{N2} + I_{N4} + I_{N6}
\]

\[
p_0 = \text{Not } P_0
\]

Table 17: Command 16-bit frame (master-to-slave)

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<td>P1</td>
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<td>P0</td>
<td>nP0</td>
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At the same time, the IC transfers to the microcontroller a 16-bit fault frame where the first 8 bits indicate a channel fault (OVT) condition (each bit, set to ‘1’, indicates an OVT event), the following 4 bits provide general fault condition information. FB_OK: this bit is related to the DC-DC regulation: at the DC-DC turn-on, this bit is low and becomes high after FB rises above 90% of the nominal \(V_{FB}\) voltage and a correct SPI communication occurred. If the FB voltage falls below 80% of the nominal \(V_{FB}\) voltage, this bit is zero; T WARN (IC warning case temperature), PC (parity check fail, the bit, set to ‘1’, indicates a PC fail or the
length is not a multiple of 8) and \( \overline{PG} \) (Power Good). The last 4 bits are used as parity check bits and communication error condition (see command 16-bit frame):

\[
P_0 = F_0 + F_1 + F_2 + F_3 + F_4 + F_5 + F_6 + F_7
\]

\[
P_1 = PC + FB_OK + F_1 + F_3 + F_5 + F_7
\]

\[
P_2 = PG + \overline{TWARN} + F_0 + F_2 + F_4 + F_6
\]

\[nP_0 = \text{not } P_0\]

**Table 18: Fault 16-bit frame (slave-to-master)**

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Channel indications are latched and cleared after a communication only.
11 LED driving array

The LED driving array carries out the status of the output channels (ON or OFF).

The following equation is an indication how to choose the $R_{\text{ext}}$ resistor value:

$$R_{\text{ext}} = \frac{(V_{\text{COLmin.}}) - (V_{\text{ROWmax.}}) - V_{\text{F(LED)}}}{I_{\text{F(LED)}}}$$

where $I_{\text{F(LED)}} \leq 7$ mA and $(V_{\text{COL min.}})$ and $(V_{\text{ROW max.}})$ can be found in and $V_{\text{F(LED)}}$ and $I_{\text{F(LED)}}$ depend on the electrical characteristics of the LEDs.
12 Step-down switching regulator

The IC embeds a high efficiency 100 mA micropower step-down switching regulator. The regulator is protected against short-circuit or overload conditions. Pulse-by-pulse current limit regulation is obtained in normal operation through a current loop control.

A low ESR output capacitor connected to the V\textsubscript{REG} pin helps to limit the regulated voltage ripple; a low ESR (less than 10 m\textOmega) capacitor is preferable. The control loop pin FB allows 3.3 V to be regulated, connecting it directly to V\textsubscript{REG}, or 5 V connecting it through a voltage divider R\textsubscript{f}/R\textsubscript{fb}. The DC-DC converter can be turned off by connecting the feedback pin to the DCVDD pin. In some applications it is possible to supply a 5 V or 3.3 V voltage externally or, in the case of two or more VNI8200XP inside the same board, it's possible to configure the DC-DC converter on only one device and also supply the other ICs.

if the DC-DC converter is adjusted to provide 3.3 V regulation and the V\textsubscript{DC\_out} is used to power an external load and not the device, a 33 k\textOmega resistor has to be connected on V\textsubscript{DC\_out} pin.
13 Typical circuits and conventions

Figure 10: Typical circuit for switching regulation $V_{DC-out} = 3.3$ V
Figure 11: Typical circuit for switching regulation $V_{\text{DC-out}} = 5\, \text{V}$
Figure 12: SPI directional logic convention
The power dissipation in the IC is the main factor that sets the safe operating condition of the device in the application. Therefore, it must be taken into account very carefully. Heatsinking can be achieved using copper on the PCB with proper area and thickness. The following image shows the junction-to-ambient thermal impedance values for the PowerSSO-36 package.

Figure 13: PowerSSO-36 thermal impedance vs. time

For instance, three cases have been considered using a PowerSSO-36 packaged with copper slug soldered on a 1.6 mm thickness FR4 board with dissipating footprint (copper thickness of 70 µm):

- single layer PCB with just IC footprint dissipating area
- double layer PCB with footprint dissipating area on the top side and a 2 cm² dissipating layer on the bottom side through 15 via holes
- double layer PCB with footprint dissipating area on the top side and an 8 cm² dissipating layer on the bottom side through 15 via holes
14.1 Thermal behavior

Figure 14: Thermal behavior

1 Thermal shutdown
2 Junction hysteresis
3 Restore to idle condition
4 Case hysteresis
15 Interface timing diagram

Figure 15: Serial timing
16 Switching parameter test conditions

Figure 16: $\frac{dV}{dt}$ (ON) and $\frac{dV}{dt}$ (OFF) time diagram test conditions

Figure 17: $t_d$ (ON) and $t_d$ (OFF) time diagram test conditions
17 Package information

In order to meet environmental requirements, ST offers these devices in different grades of ECOPACK® packages, depending on their level of environmental compliance. ECOPACK® specifications, grade definitions and product status are available at: www.st.com. ECOPACK® is an ST trademark.

17.1 PowerSSO-36 package information

Figure 18: PowerSSO-36 package outline
Figure 19: PowerSSO-36 package outline details

Figure 20: PowerSSO-36 package outline details (section B-B)
Table 19: PowerSSO-36 mechanical data

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17.2 PowerSSO-36 packing information

Figure 21: PowerSSO-36 tube shipment outline

Table 20: PowerSSO-36 tube shipment mechanical data

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All dimensions are in mm
Table 21: PowerSSO-36 tape dimension mechanical data

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According to the Electronic Industries Association (EIA) standard 481 rev. A, Feb 1986
Figure 23: PowerSSO-36 reel shipment outline

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