## 240-OUTPUT LCD ROW DRIVER

## DESCRIPTION

The $\mu$ PD16666A is a row (common) driver which contains a RAM capable of full-dot LCD display. With 240 outputs, this driver can be combined with a column (segment) driver $\mu$ PD16661A which contains a RAM to display VGA ( 640 by 480 dots), $1 / 2$ VGA, or $1 / 4 \mathrm{VGA}$, etc. By combining it with the $\mu \mathrm{PD} 16661 \mathrm{~A}$, the $\mu \mathrm{PD} 16666 \mathrm{~A}$ can provide four gray levels by frame rate control.

With its built-in display RAM in the column driver, the driver kit can reduce current consumption, thus making it most suitable for the display section of a PDA or portable terminal.

## FEATURES

- LCD-driven voltage: 20 to 36 V
- Duty: $1 / 240$
- Driving type: 2 lines selected simultaneously
- Output count: 240 outputs
- Capable of gray level display: 4 gray levels (frame rate control)


## ORDERING INFORMATION

| Part No. | Package |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mu$ PD16666AN-XXX | TCP (TAB) |
| $\mu$ PD16666AN-051 | Standard TCP (OLB: 0.2 mm pitch; folding) |

The TCP's external shape is custom-ordered. Therefore, if you have a shape in mind, please contact an NEC salesperson.

## BLOCK DIAGRAM



## BLOCK FUNCTION

## 1. Liquid-crystal drive circuit

This circuit selects and outputs the level for liquid-crystal driving.
One of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{dd}}$, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EE}}$, and V 1 is selected by the output of the selection control circuit.

## 2. Selection control circuit

This circuit creates the signal which will select the level of the output signal, based on the output of the shift register circuit and the driving level power selection signals L1 and L2

## 3. Bidirectional shift register circuit

This refers to the 120-bit bidirectional shift register circuit. The DIR signal can be used to switch over the shift direction.
The data that has been entered from the FRMB terminal is shifted by the row drive signal strobe (STB).

## 4. Level shifter circuit

This circuit transforms the 5-V signals to the high-voltage signals for liquid-crystal driving.

## PIN FUNCTIONS

| Classification | Pin Name | Input/Output | Pad No. | Function |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power | $V_{c c 1}$ <br> Vss <br> VDD <br> Vee <br> V1 |  |  | 5 V power for level shifter <br> GND power for level shifter <br> Power for logic; liquid-crystal drive level power <br> Power for logic; liquid-crystal drive level power (GND) <br> Liquid-crystal drive level power |
| Liquid-crystal display timing | STB <br> FRMB <br> DOFFB' <br> L1 <br> L2 <br> DIR | $1$ |  | Row drive strobe signal <br> Frame signal <br> Display OFF signal <br> Drive level power selection signal (1st line) <br> Drive level power selection signal (2nd line) <br> Shift direction selection signal: when L (DIR $=\mathrm{V}_{\text {EE }}$ ), $\mathrm{X}_{1} \rightarrow \mathrm{X}_{240}$ when $\mathrm{H}\left(\mathrm{DIR}=\mathrm{VDD}_{\mathrm{D}}\right), \mathrm{X}_{240} \rightarrow \mathrm{X}_{1}$ |
| Liquid-crystal drive output | $\mathrm{X}_{1}$ to $\mathrm{X}_{240}$ | O |  | Liquid-crystal drive output <br> Selects and outputs one of Vdd, Vee, and V1. |

## DETAILS OF PIN FUNCTIONS

## - STB (input)

Refers to the input pin of the row drive strobe signal.
The bidirectional shift register is shifted at STB's rising edge.

- FRMB (input)

Refers to the input pin of the frame signal.
The shift register data is read at STB's rising edge.

- DIR (input)

Refers to the input pin of the drive output's shift direction selection signal.
When the shift direction selection signal (DIR) is "L", the shift data (selection signal) is shifted from the drive output $\mathrm{X}_{1}$ to the $\mathrm{X}_{240}$ direction. When " H ", it is shifted from the $\mathrm{X}_{240}$ to the $\mathrm{X}_{1}$ direction.

- DOFFB' (input)

Refers to the input pin of the display OFF signal.
It is placed in the display OFF status (all outputs at V1) at the "L" level. In the mean time, it reads the frame signal and returns to the normal display status at the "H" level.

- L1 \& L2 (input)

Refer to the input pins of the drive level power selection signal.
In the case of the liquid-crystal drive output, the two lines are selected simultaneously by the shift register. L1 selects the first line, and L2 the second line. Both lines select Vdd at "H", and Vee at "L".

## POWER SUPPLY SEQUENCE OF CHIP SET

It is recommended to apply power in the following sequence.
$\mathrm{Vcc} 2 \rightarrow \mathrm{Vcc} 1 \rightarrow$ input $\rightarrow$ Vdd, $\mathrm{Vee} \rightarrow \mathrm{V} 0$, V 1 , V2
Be sure to apply LCD drive voltages V0, V1, and V2 last.


Note Vdd and Vee do not need to be turned ON at the same time.

Caution Turn off power to the chip set in the reverse sequence to the power application sequence.

EXAMPLE OF CONNECTING INTERNAL SCHOTTKY BARRIER DIODE OF MODULE TO REINFORCE POWER SUPPLY PROTECTION
(Use a Schottky barrier diode with $\mathrm{Vf}=0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ or less.)


Conect the diodes enclosed in the dotted line when $\mathrm{V}_{0}$ is not 0 V (GND)

## ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Absolute Maximum Ratings ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, $\mathrm{Vss}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ )

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | Ratings | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | Vcc1 |  | -0.5 to +6.5 | V |
|  | Vdd - Vee | $\mathrm{VCCl}^{1} \leq \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EE}} \leq \mathrm{V}_{\text {Ss }}$ | 40 |  |
|  | V1 |  | $V_{\text {ee }}-0.5$ to $V_{\text {dd }}+0.5$ |  |
| Input Voltage | $V_{11}$ | Other than the DIR pin | -0.5 to $\mathrm{Vcc1}+0.5$ |  |
|  | $V_{12}$ | DIR pin | Vee -0.5 to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{dd}}+0.5$ |  |
| Output Voltage | Vo |  | $V_{\text {EE }}-0.5$ to $+\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}+0.5$ |  |
| Operating Temperature | TA |  | -20 to +70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {stg }}$ |  | -40 to +125 |  |

Recommended Operating Range ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=\mathbf{- 2 0}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{Vss}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ )

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | Vcc1 |  | 4.75 |  | 5.25 | V |
|  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{dd}}$ - $\mathrm{V}_{\text {Ee }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {CC } 1} \leq \mathrm{V}_{\text {do }}, \mathrm{V}_{\text {EE }} \leq \mathrm{V}_{\text {Ss }}$ | 20 |  | 36 |  |
|  | V1 |  | 0 |  | 3 |  |
| Input Voltage | $V_{11}$ | Other than DIR pin | 0 |  | Vcc1 |  |
|  | $\mathrm{V}_{12}$ | DIR pin | Vee |  | VDD |  |

DC Characteristics (unless otherwise specified, $\mathrm{Vcc}_{\mathrm{c} 1}=4.75$ to $5.25 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{Vdd}-(\mathrm{Vee})=20$ to $31 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{Vcc} 1 \leq \mathrm{Vdd}^{\mathrm{V}} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Ee}}$ $\leq \mathrm{Vss}, \mathrm{V} 1=0$ to $3 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{Vss}=0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T} \mathrm{~A}=-20$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| High-Level Input Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{HH}}$ | Other than the DIR pin | $0.8 \mathrm{Vcc1}$ |  |  | V |
|  | $\mathrm{V}_{1+2}$ | DIR pin | VdD-0.3 (VDD-VEE) |  |  |  |
| Low-Level Input Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LL1 }}$ | Other than the DIR pin |  |  | 0.2 Vcc 1 |  |
|  | VIL2 | DIR pin |  |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {EE }}+0.3$ (Vdo-VEE) |  |
| Driver ON Resistance | Ron | Load current $=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  | 1.0 | 2.0 | $\mathrm{k} \Omega$ |
| Input Leakage Current | $\mathrm{ll}_{1}$ | $\mathrm{V} \mathrm{IN}=\mathrm{Vcc}$, other than the DIR pin |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | lıн2 | $\mathrm{VIN}_{\text {I }}=\mathrm{V}_{\text {do }}$, DIR pin |  |  | 25 |  |
|  | lL1 | $\mathrm{V} \mathrm{IN}^{\prime}=0 \mathrm{~V}$, other than the DIR pin |  |  | -1.0 |  |
|  | lı2 | $\mathrm{VIN}_{\text {I }}=\mathrm{V}_{\text {EE }}$, DIR pin |  |  | -25 |  |
| Current Consumption | Icc1 | Frame frequency 70 Hz at operation |  | 200 | 320 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | IDD |  |  | 120 | 210 |  |

## AC Characteristics

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| STB High-Level Width | twsh |  | 500 |  |  | ns |
| STB Low-Level Width | tws |  | 500 |  |  |  |
| FRMB Setup Time | tst |  | 100 |  |  |  |
| FRMB Hold Time | thf |  | 100 |  |  |  |
| STB Rise Time | tr |  |  |  | 150 |  |
| STB Fall Time | tf |  |  |  | 150 |  |
| Output Delay Time | tpdsx | Output no-load |  |  | 300 |  |
|  | tpdout |  |  |  | 200 |  |

## AC CHARACTERISTICS WAVEFORM DIAGRAMS



## LEVEL SELECTION TIMING OF LIQUID-CRYSTAL DRIVE OUTPUT

The FRMB is input in one frame twice. The STB is input into half a frame 121 times, and into one frame 242 times.


Remark While the DOFFB' is " L ", the X output remains at the V 1 level. Afterward, if it becomes " H ", the level of the $X$ output is output timed with the above timing.

Note When the time lag between STB signal and the L1, L2 signals is large, hazard may occur in output.

## SYSTEM CONFIGURATION EXAMPLE

An example of configuring a liquid-crystal panel of half-VGA size (480 across by 320 ) by using four column drivers and two row drivers.

- Each column driver sets the LSI No. with PLO, 1, and 2 pins.
- The DIR pins of each column driver are all set to low level.
- Only one of the column drivers is set to the master; all the others are set to the slave. Signals are supplied from the master column driver to the slave column driver and to the row driver.
- Connect an oscillator resistor to the OSC1 and OSC2 pins on the master, and leave these pins open on the slave.
- All the signals from the system (D0 to D15, A0 to A16, CSB, OEB, WEB, UBEB, RDY, RESETB, and DOFFB) are connected in parallel to the column driver. Connect a pull-up resistor to the RDY signal.
- The TEST pin is used to test the LSI, and is open or grounded when the system is configured.




From pattern center


TCP tape winding direction


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