

**ORP 3510A** ADVANCE INFORMATION

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### <span id="page-4-0"></span>**Digital Radio Processor**

#### **1. Introduction**

The DRP 3510A decodes digital audio data transmitted according to the Astra Digital Radio standard<sup>1)</sup> The DRP 3510A has a well-defined interface to the Multistandard Sound Processor MSP 3400C. The DRP 3510A and the MSP 3400C (alternatively MSP 3410D<sup>2</sup>) provide all functions that are necessary for ADR and DMX3) decoding. The IC is manufactured in a low-cost 0.8 µm CMOS technology and housed in a 44-pin PLCC package.

The DRP is designed as a coprocessor for the MSP, which may already be used in a standard satellite receiver. The video baseband A/D converter, the channel selection, some preprocessing of the digital audio subcarrier, and the TV-sound output are shared with the MSP. Only those parts that are additionally required for ADR-decoding are implemented in the DRP. Thus, upgrading of existing receiver concepts for ADR compatibility is comparably simple and generates a minimum of additional costs.

The core of the digital radio processor is based on the Micronas MASC DSP. A very important feature of the MASC core is its two operating modes: the standard mode that works with 20-bit fixed point numbers and the complex mode that works with 2\*10-bit numbers, consisting of a10-bit fixed point real part and a 10-bit fixed point imaginary part. This feature offers the opportunity of using the same processor for different tasks like QPSK channel demodulation, MPEG Layer 2 source decoding, and system controlling. Consequently, most parts of the ADR decoder are implemented as firmware and could easily be updated if required.

A special controllable viterbi module has been integrated with a burst decoding rate of 2 MBit/s. The data transport between the viterbi module and the DSP is done in the background with an internal non-cycle stealing DMA. This is exactly the same kind of transport mechanism that is used between the processor core and its various interfaces. The complete data-I/O handling is pushed into the background and does not affect the main processing.



**Fig. 1–1:** DRP 3510A interfaces

3) Digital Music Express (for DMX decoding, a verifier-IC and a smartcard reader is additionally required)

<sup>1)</sup> ASTRA ADR/Rev. 1.3 SYS –078/02–94 TW/ab 15 December 1994

<sup>2)</sup> MSP 3410D is derived from MSP 3400C with an added NICAM decoding feature.

### <span id="page-5-0"></span>**1.1. Main Features**

- single power supply 5 V
- 44-pin PLCC plastic package
- on-chip crystal oscillator (18.432 MHz or 24.576 MHz) and internal DCO
- general purpose parallel interface
- 1 serial input interface and 2 serial output interfaces I 2S (32 kHz and 48 kHz audio out)
- SP/DIF output interface (48 kHz)
- I<sup>2</sup>C control interface
- download feature for alternative operation modes

### **1.2. Building Blocks**

- 20-bit MASC DSP kernel
- 2-kWord internal RAM and 6-kWord ROM (0.75 k config RAM)
- QPSK demodulator
- Viterbi decoder
- V.35 descrambling
- DMX-descrambler
- MPEG1 layer 2 decoder
- ancillary data processing
- sample rate converter

### **2. Functional Description**

The incoming preprocessed ADR-data stream first passes the carrier offset adjustment and the intersymbol interference filtering blocks. Then, the sample rate of the signal will be decimated to the symbol rate. A bit slicer is used for the generation of the timing recovery and carrier offset adjustment control signals. Then, the signal is sent to the soft decision viterbi decoder. A linear transformation that is placed in front of the viterbi decoder leads to an optimal signal mapping with respect to signal space of the viterbi decoder. The output of the viterbi decoder is copied to the bit stream buffer of the following MPEG1 layer 2 (MUSICAM) decoder.

After the data decompression, the audio signal is available at a sampling frequency of 48 kHz at the  $I^2S$  and the SP/DIF output interfaces. A third output is used as audio feedback for the MSP. For compatibility reasons, a sample rate converter reduces the sampling frequency to 32 kHz. In addition to the pure audio signal, some ancillary data are embedded in the MPEG signal. These data are extracted, deinterleaved, error corrected, and sent to the  $1<sup>2</sup>C$  interface, where they may be read by the receiver system controller. The software/hardware module that performs a descrambling of pay radio services (in addition to a verifier IC and a "smart card" reader) is also controlled via the I2C bus.



**Fig. 1–2:** DRP 3510A simplified block diagram

### **3. Specifications**

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## **3.1. Outline Dimensions**



**Fig. 3–1:** 44-Pin Plastic Leaded Chip Carrier Package **(PLCC44)** Weight approximately 2.5 g Dimensions in mm

### **3.2. Pin Connections and Short Descriptions**

NC = not connected; leave vacant

 $LV = if not used, leave vacant$ 

 $X =$  obligatory; connect as described in circuit diagram

VDD\_10k = connected with VDD via 10 k resistor VSS\_10k = connected with VSS via 10 k resistor









#### **3.3. Pin Descriptions**

### **3.3.1. VDD, AVDD, VSS, AVSS**

VDD and AVDD should be blocked against VSS and AVSS. For proper operation and in order to avoid EMV problems, a capacitive blocking of VDD against VSS over a wide frequency range is recommended.

### **3.3.2. I2CD**

The I2CD line is used for I2C data transfers from the DRP to a controller and vice versa.

### **3.3.3. I2CC**

The I<sup>2</sup>C clock line is used for the I<sup>2</sup>C clock if the IC is in the operation mode. However, on a power on reset, the <sup>2</sup>C line determines the operating mode of the internal clock generator of the DRP. If the I2CC line is set to low during power on reset, the internal DRP clock is directly taken from the crystal input XTI and the internal crystal oscillator is disabled. In standard ADR mode, the I2C clock pin has to set to high level, in order to activate the internal oscillator and the internal DCO, which is used to synchronize the DRP clock system with the data rate of the incoming ADR signal.

### **3.3.4. PORQ**

Reset input (active low). The minimum length of a reset impulse should be 100 µs. See the timing diagrams (section 12.) for the recommended power up sequence and further details.

#### **3.3.5. CLKO**

If the DRPA is driven with a 24.576 MHz quartz, the CLKO pin delivers a synchronized 18.432 MHz clock, otherwise the the CLKO pin is muted.

#### **3.3.6. XTI, XTO**

The crystal input XTI can either be used for the crystal application or for a direct input of a clock signal with the correct frequency. If the XTI signal is used for direct input, the input signal has to be DC-free, a minimum level of 0.7  $V_{ss}$  and a maximum level of 3  $V_{ss}$ . The XTO signal is the output of the internal crystal oscillator.

### **3.3.7. TE**

The TE pin is reserved for chip testing only. For customer applications, this pin must always be connected to VSS.

#### **3.3.8. PI0..PI3**

In standard PIO mode, these pins are static input pins that allow the selection of different operating modes. The PI0 pin is used to select the used crystal frequency. The level of the PI0 pin is evaluated within 10 ms after reset. The PI3 pin is used to select the basic operating mode (either ADR or L2-only decoding). The PI1 and PI2 inputs are reserved for future use and have to be set to '0'. Because these PIx pins are generally used as input pins, it is recommended to connect them with a fixed potential. However, in DMA output mode, they operate as output pins. Thus, their connection with VSS or VDD should be done via 10 k resistors in order to avoid shortcircuits.

#### **3.3.9. SO1C, SO1I, SO1D**

These three serial data output lines transport the decoded ADR/DMX signal at a sample rate of 32 kHz. An internal sample rate converter performs the 48 to 32 kHz downsampling. For proper ADR-operation, it is mandatory to connect them with one I2S input of the MSP. The MSP clock system has to be switched into 'slave mode'. The data word is not delayed vs. the word-strobe (SO1I) signal.

### **3.3.10. SI1C, SI1D, SI1I (ADR input interface)**

The ADR input interface has to be connected with the ADR/S-Bus interface of the MSP chip. In Layer 2 mode, the lines SI1C (for clock) and SI1D (for data) will expect a valid Layer 2 data stream.

### **3.3.11. SPDIF**

The SPDIF interface provides the ADR/DMX data in the digital SPDIF format, in accordance with the consumer standard IEC 958.

### **3.3.12. SO0C, SO0I, SO0D**

The SO0 output interface is the standard interface for a 48 kHz additional DAC, for full sampling rate output, which is not implemented in the MSP. The data word is not delayed vs. the word-strobe (SO1I) signal by default.

### **3.3.13. SI1C\*, SI1D\*, SI1I\* (PI14..16)**

These lines are used as alternative input lines and could be connected e.g. with the I2S output of the MSP. However, these input pins are not supported by the built-in firmware. Downloaded program codes can use these input lines for alternative functionality of the DRP. An example for an adequate download program is an I2S to SP/DIF converter program that can be used to map the analog FM-sound signal from the MSP to the SP/DIF output interface of the DRP. In the standard ADR-mode, these lines are input pins that should be connected via resistors to a fixed level (VSS).

### **3.3.14. PI12..PI19**

In standard ADR mode, the PIO pin PI19 shows the Frame Start Impulse (FSI). This impulse is synchronized with the MPEG frame and is set to low level for at maximum 23 ms, which indicates that a new ADR ancillary data block is available for read-out via I2C. The CRC-error pin PI18 will be set to high level for 24 ms (duration of one MPEG Layer 2 frame) when an MPEG CRC error has been detected. In DMA mode, the PI12..PI19 pins will contain the 8-bit aligned undecoded MPEG data stream.

### **3.3.15. EODQ, PRTWQ, PR, (PRTRQ, PCSQ)**

For a description of EODQ, PRTRQ, PR, see section 6.4.2. The PRTRQ line is reserved for future use. The PCSQ line is not used by the actual firmware and should be connected to VDD via a resistor.

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### **3.4. Pin Configuration**



### **Fig. 3–2:** 44-pin PLCC package

### **3.5. Electrical Characteristics**

### **3.5.1. Absolute Maximum Ratings**



Stresses beyond those listed in the "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only. Functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated in the "Recommended Operating Conditions/Characteristics" of this specification is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum ratings conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

# **3.5.2. Recommended Operating Conditions** at  $V_{\text{SUP}} = 4.75$  to 5.25 V



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## **3.5.3. Characteristics** at  $V_{\text{SUP}} = 4.75$  to 5.25 V,  $T_{\text{amb}} = 0$  to 65 °C



## **3.5.4. Recommended Crystal Characteristics**



## **3.5.4.1. Single Crystal Mode – 24.576 MHz at DRP 3510A**



sults. The nominal free running frequency should match 18.432/24.576 MHz as closely as possible. Due to different layouts of customer PCBs the matching capacitor size should be defined in the application. The suggested values are figures based on experience with various PCB layouts. For adjusting the DRP crystal frequency, use external capacitors with 5% tolerance.

### **3.5.4.2. Single Crystal Mode – 18.432 MHz at MSP 3400C**



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## **3.5.4.3. Dual Crystal Mode – 18.432/24.576 MHz**



## **3.5.4.4. Dual Crystal Mode – 18.432/18.432 MHz**



## **3.5.5. System Characteristics**



### <span id="page-16-0"></span>**4. Basic Application**

The ADR decoder application shows the obligatory parts: MSP 3400C and DRP 3510A. In full transponder mode (48 ADR-channels on one transponder), the tuner output signal should be directly connected with the MSP. In standard mode, the video signal should be suppressed with a highpass filter. The two analog inputs of the MSP can be used for selecting either full-transponder or standard mode. The built-in D/A converter of the MSP generates the analog audio output. Optionally, a 48 kHz D/A converter may be connected to the second I2S output interface. The system controlling is done via the I 2C interface.



**Fig. 4–1:** ADR/DMX decoder application

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#### **5. Clock Concepts**

In order to support various applications and board layouts, different clock concepts are supported. Each of the described clock concepts has its advantages. The digital nature of the ADR bit stream forces the decoder IC to synchronize its clock frequency to the symbol rate of the incoming signal. Both the MSP and the DRP clock have to be synchronized, but only the DRP does the timing recovery. The MSP clock is synchronized indirectly with a PLL that locks onto the I<sup>2</sup>S (SO1) signal from the DRP. Thus, the I<sup>2</sup>S feedback connection is mandatory in all ADR applications. See the application recommendations (section 11.) for further details.

#### **5.1. Both MSP and DRP with own crystal running at a 18.432 MHz frequency**

The "two crystal mode" is the standard application for the ADR-chip set. Two identical crystals may be used. This mode is preferable in all applications where a considerable physical distance between both ICs is given by the actual board layout.



**Fig. 5–1:** Two crystal mode

#### **Table 5–1:** Clock concepts



#### **5.2. MSP running with a 18.432 MHz crystal, DRP running with a 24.576 MHz crystal**

The "two crystal mode" with a 18.432 and a 24.576 MHz crystal leads to a smaller power dissipation (about 10% smaller) for the DRP and makes it possible to derive the oversampling clock for the optional 48 kHz DAC directly from the DRP (position II of the switch in Fig. 5–2).



**Fig. 5–2:** Two crystal mode with 18.432 and 24.576 MHz crystal

#### **5.3. DRP running with a 24.576 MHz crystal, MSP receives its clock from DRP**

In this "single crystal mode", the MSP clock is taken from the DRP. This avoids any problems that may arise due to frequency deviations of the crystals. The DRP-PLL works directly without any effects caused by the MSP. So the best C/N performance can be reached. The 24.576 MHz crystal leads to a smaller power dissipation (about 10% smaller) for the DRP. This is the most cost effective solution, because the crystal specification is very low. The oversampling clock for the optional 48 kHz DAC comes directly from the DRP. The NICAM mode of the MSP 3410D is not useable. If the system in this mode is running without an ADR-carrier at the input, the clock will slowly drift to its maximum deviation. The DRP clock can be restored either to its default value by writing the value '0' into the clock-deviation register (see 9.5.) or better with an initialization value according to section 11.5. After a simultaneous hardware reset of MSP and DRP, it is necessary to give the MSP a software reset using an I<sup>2</sup>C-command. A MSP software reset (via I<sup>2</sup>C) is necessary after each reset (by hardware or by  $1^2C$ ) of the DRP.



**Fig. 5–3:** Single-crystal mode with 24.576 MHz

### **5.4. DRP receives its clock from the MSP**

In this "single crystal mode", the DRP clock is taken from the MSP. This avoids any problems that may arise due to frequency deviations of the crystals. However, this mode leads to a more critical symbol-clock recovery. The reference clock of the DRP is generated by the MSP, which again is the base for the DRP system. This causes an integrating system behavior that has to be stabilized by changing some control circuit parameters (write \$200 into timing recovery control register – see 9.6.). If the system in this mode is running without an ADR-carrier at the input, the clock will slowly drift to its maximum deviation. The DRP clock can be restored either to its default value by writing the value '0' into the clock-deviation register (see 9.5.) or better with an initialization value according to section 11.5.



**Fig. 5–4:** Single crystal mode with 18.432 MHz

#### <span id="page-19-0"></span>**6. Interfaces**

#### **6.1. The ADR Input Interface**

The ADR input lines SI1C, SI1D, and SI1I are designed as a direct interface to the MSP. These lines transport some preprocessed channel-data from the MSP, which are directly used for the channel decoding within the DRP (see the MSP 3400C/D data sheet for connecting the MSP with the DRP). If the Layer 2 mode is selected, the ADR interface expects Layer 2 data instead of ADR data. The format for the L2 data stream is shown in Fig. 6–1. Short interruptions of the data stream are allowed (< 5 ms). However, the mean input data rate must correspond to the data rate that is coded in the MPEG bit stream. It is possible to route the input to SDI1\* by using the input selection register (see 9.12.).

#### **6.2. The SDO0 Interface**

The SDO0 interface passes the decoded 48 kHz audio signal e.g. to a high quality D/A converter. The serial format generates 2\*32 bits for stereo audio samples on the data line SO0D, a word strobe SO0I, and a serial clock at the SO0C line. The first 18 bits of each mono-sample contain valid data, bit 19 and bit 20 are always set to zero. The 12 trailing bits are determined by the content of the SO0AUXA (left) and SO0AUXB (right) registers. Some high quality DACs do need an oversampled clock signal. If the DRP is working with a 24.576 MHz crystal, the oversampled clock may be taken from the CLKOUT pin of the DRP. If working with a 18.432 MHz crystal, the oversampled clock has to be taken from the MSP-clockout. In the 18.432 MHz MSP single crystal mode, the external DAC should not be a 1-bit converter. This is to prevent clock jitter effects caused by the timing recovery.







**Fig. 6–2:** Schematic timing of the SDO0 output interface

#### **6.3. The SDO1 Interface**

The SDO1 interface sends a decoded 32 kHz audio signal back to the MSP. The 32 kHz signal is generated via an internal high quality sample rate converter, which is perfectly matched to the performance of the MSP DACs. The cutoff frequency now is reduced to approximately 15 kHz. The signal of most of the free to air ADR-stations, however, does not exceed this cutoff frequency. The serial format generates 2\*16 bits for stereo audio samples on the data line SO1D, a word strobe on the SO1I, and a serial clock at the SO1C line. This offers the opportunity to use the MSPC DACs for analog output. This connection to the MSPC is obligatory for every application, even if it is not intended to use the MSPC DACs. This is due to the fact that the clock synchronization between DRP and MSP uses this connection. The timing of the SDO1 interface is shown in Fig. 6–3.

#### **6.4. The PIO Interface**

The PIO interface can be used in two different modes. In the standard mode, the PIO lines PI0..PI3 are used to select the crystal frequency or to switch between different applications; and the PI12..PI19 lines are used as signalling outputs or serial interface pins (see section 3.2.). In a second mode, the DMA mode (direct memory access), the internal MPEG Layer 2 data stream (after descrambling but before decoding) is provided on the PIO lines PI12..PI19.

#### **6.4.1. General Purpose PIO Mode**

The general purpose PIO mode is selected after reset. In this mode, the PIO-lines have the functionality as described below. The PI0 and PI3 pins are only read out after a reset of the DRP.



**Fig. 6–3:** Schematic timing of the SDO1 output interface

P <sub>10</sub>	P <sub>1</sub>	P <sub>12</sub>	P <sub>13</sub>	<b>PI14</b>	<b>PI15</b>	<b>PI16</b>	<b>PI18</b>	<b>PI19</b>
crystal select			Mode select	$SI1D*$	$SI11*$	SI <sub>1C</sub> <sup>*</sup>	<b>CRCE</b>	FSI (def. mode)
18.432			<b>ADR</b>	Alternative input lines (for example: I <sup>2</sup> S to SP/DIF con- version in combination with downloaded software)		no CRC error	anc.data available	
24.576			L2 de- coder			<b>CRC</b> error	anc.data invalid	

Table 6-1: Functionality of the PIO mode



#### **6.4.2. PIO-DMA Mode**

The PIO-DMA mode is selected by setting the corresponding bit in the main configuration register 96. The PIO-DMA mode gives access to the undecoded data, which are simultaneously sent to the integrated MPEG Layer 2 decoder. In this mode, PIO lines PI0..PI3 and PI12..PI19 are switched to output. The PIO lines PI12..PI19 will give an 8-bit parallel access to the bit stream data. The data is always sent in packets of 16 bytes every 0.667 ms. The data are 8-bit aligned with MSB first (at position PI19). The MPEG data are aligned in such a way that the first bit of the MPEG header is always positioned at the MSB (PI19) of the 8-bit word. In order to read out the data stream, a special handshake protocol must be used (see Fig. 6–4).

The data transfer is started after the EODQ-pin of the DRP is set to an active state. After checking this, the controller requests data by activating the PR-line. The DRP asserts that the first data word is placed on the bus by generating a negative strobe impulse on PRTW. Now, the controller may read the data word, and subsequently, it may request the next byte by activating the PR-line again. This procedure will be repeated 16 times. After the 17th PR impulse of the controller, the EODQ signal of the DRP will be activated, which indicates that the transfer of one data block has been finalized. The data for one 16-byte block is transmitted in  $0.\overline{6}$ ms. However, the complete protocol should be executed in less than 0.5 ms to avoid data loss. A description of timing details can be found in section 12.1. This PIO-DMA mode will not work in the E4 version (see also section 13).

#### **6.5. The SP/DIF Interface**

The SP/DIF interface generates a 48, 44.1, or 32 kHz digital signal conforming to the IEC 958 consumer standard. In ADR mode, only 48 kHz sampling frequencies are generated. The interface definition covers the data stream and the physical timing specifications of the data transmission. The transmission is done via the "biphase-mark" code (Fig. 6–5).

The SP/DIF signal consists of 32-bit subframes. The first 4 bits are used for the sync impulse (Preambles). There are three different sync signals: The first subframe normally starts with preamble "X". However, the preamble changes to preamble "Z" once every 192 frames. "Z" also indicates the block begin, which is used to organize the channel status information. The second subframe always starts with preamble "Y". (see Fig 6–7). Two subframes form one frame, 192 frames are collected into one super-frame (or block). The preamble is followed by 4 auxiliary bits, which are not used in this application (forced to 0), and 20 data bits. A subframe will be completed with the validity bit, user bit, channel status bit, and parity bit (see Fig 6–6).

#### **6.6. Copy Protection**

The copy protection mode is set either according to the incoming MPEG bit stream or explicitly to "no copy allowed" regardless of the copy protection setting of the MPEG bit stream. The copy protection mode is selectable by setting bit 8 in the main configuration register. In the default mode (bit  $8 = 0$ ), the copy bit of the MPEG bit stream that is set by the service provider is directly evaluated to set the copy protection within the SPDIF output bit stream. If copy protection is coded in the MPEG header, one can record the program, but a further digital copy of the recorded material is not allowed. If no copy protection is coded in the MPEG header, a digital copy is allowed. The copy protection can be forced regardless of the copy protection setting in the MPEG bit stream by setting the main configuration register (bit  $8 = 1$ ).



**Fig. 6–4:** Handshake protocol for getting MPEG data via PIO-DMA

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**Fig. 6–5:** Preamble and biphase-mark code specification (polarity may be changed)



### **Fig. 6–6:** Subframe format



**Fig. 6–7:** Frame format

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### **7. The I2C Interface**



Device address: 1101010X (\$D4 (dev\_write), \$D5 dev\_read)) Slave-Subaddresses: 01101000 (\$68) 01101001 (\$69) 01101010 (\$6A) control subaddress read subaddress write



### **7.1. The I2C-Data Register**

The I<sup>2</sup>C-Data Register is used to communicate with the internal firmware of the DRP. It has a length of 16 bits. The data transfer is done with the MSB first. The following table shows the bit assignment used in this document.



### **7.2. The I2C-Control Register**

The I<sup>2</sup>C-Control Register is used to set the tasks to switch between different operating modes and to generate a hardware reset.

If the reset bit is set to "1", the DRP will stay in the "reset" state. This I<sup>2</sup>C reset will affect all blocks of the DRP but not the I2C-interface itself. Thus, writing a new word into the control register with the reset bit 8 cleared, will restart the processor. If the task bits T0...T3 are set, the corresponding tasks in the DRP are set permanently. The bits C4...C7 must always be set to "0". If no bit is set, the DRP will work in its default mode, which is ADR-decoding. Task 3 corresponds to the Layer 2 only decoder.



### **7.3. The I2C Protocol**

A data transfer via I2C is always initiated by an external controller with a start condition on the I2C bus. Then, the controller sends the device address and the subaddress. The value of the subaddress specifies the direction of the following data transfer. The subaddresses \$68 and \$6A indicate a transfer from the controller to the DRP, the subaddress \$69 indicates a transfer from the DRP to the controller. The transfer is continued until a stop condition is transmitted by the controller.



**Fig. 7–2:** Timing of start (S) and stop (P) condition of the I<sup>2</sup>C protocol

### **7.3.1. Controller Writes to the DRP Control Register**



**Fig. 7–3:** Writing a control word into the control register

### **7.3.2. Controller Writes to the DRP Data Register**



**Fig. 7–4:** Writing a 16-bit word into the data register

### **7.3.3. Controller Reads from the DRP Data Register**



**Fig. 7–5:** Reading 16-bit data word(s) from the data register



### **7.4. The I2C Commands**

The following commands are used to communicate with the DRP-firmware. The commands are executed by the DRP during the normal operation without any interruptions of the audio signal. These I2C commands do allow an external system controller to access all internal states, RAM contents, and even the internal hardware control registers. This may be very useful for special purpose application and non standard operation modes. Note: Writing values into not documented internal DRP registers or RAM-cells may corrupt the decoding process and may lead to unpredictable processor states, which can be left only by a hardware reset of the whole system.

The description of the various I<sup>2</sup>C commands uses the following formalism: A value is split into nibbles, which are numbered beginning with 0 for the least significant nibble. The data values or the nibbles are written in hexadecimal notation indicated by a preceding \$ character. A hexadecimal number is written, for example, as d=\$17C63. The 5 nibbles of this number are d0=\$3, d1=\$6, d2=\$C, d3=\$7, d4=\$1. Register addresses are called **r**, data values are called **d**, addresses **a,** and a count value is called **n**. If a fixed number is to be used, it is listed directly preceded by a \$-sign.

### **7.4.1. Write into a DRP Register**



**Fig. 7–6:** Write a 20-bit value **d**=(d4,d3,d2,d1,d0) into register **r** = (r1,r0)

The DRP has an address space of 256 registers, 128 of them in the D0-area and 128 in the D1-area. Some of the registers are direct control inputs for various hardware blocks, others do control the internal program flow. In the next section, those registers that may be changed by the system controller are described in detail.

∆ Writing random values into undocumented registers may corrupt the execution of the program.

#### **7.4.2. Default Read Command**



**Fig. 7–7:** Default read of a 16-bit word (**status** and **index**) from the DRP

The status and index values are described in section 8.1.

### **7.4.3. Read From a DRP Register**



1. send command

**Fig. 7–8:** Reading a 20-bit value from a DRP register

### **7.4.4. Get ADR Data**



**Fig. 7–9:** Reading the status, index, and the 18 bytes of ADR-data from the DRP

The 18 bytes of the ADR data will be updated every 24 ms. The content of this data field is documented in the ADR-specification. These data are already deinterleaved and error corrected. The last three bytes do always keep the control data. The meaning of the first 15 bytes may change due to different services. In order to optimize the access to the ADR data, a simple selection mechanism has been implemented where the offset and the number of word to be read could be selected. It is important that this command is always completed, i.e. the number of words passed by "count" to the DRP has to be read by the controller, otherwise the operation system may crash. The MSB of control byte 1, which indicates that the auxiliary and RDS data in the frame are complemented, will be processed internally according to the "free to air" standard. Thus, this bit is always set to

zero, indicating that the inversion of the control data must not be done by the controller. In case of DMX, the meaning of the MSB of control byte 1 is inverted, so that the controller always has to complement the auxiliary and RDS data.

### **7.4.5. Write DMX Data**

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**Fig. 7–10:** Send 8 bytes to DRP for DMX data decryption

### **7.4.6. Write Data into the D0-Memory of the DRP**



**Fig. 7–11:** Write data to the D0 area

Writing data into memory areas may be used for controlling the program execution (see section 8.) and for downloading purposes. Before downloading, it is recommended to freeze the program execution. Otherwise, the internal program may override the downloaded values instantly.

∆ Writing data into undocumented memory areas may corrupt the execution of the internal program.

### **7.4.7. Write Data into the D1-Memory of the DRP**



**Fig. 7–12:** Write data to the D1 area

Writing data into memory areas may be used for controlling the program execution (see section 8.) and for downloading purposes. Before downloading, it is recommended to freeze the program execution. Otherwise, the internal program may override the downloaded values instantly.

∆ Writing data into undocumented memory areas may corrupt the execution of the internal program.

### **7.4.8. Read Data from the D0-Memory of the DRP**





2. get data



**Fig. 7–13:** Read 20-bit data from the D0-memory of the DRP

### **7.4.9. Read Data From the D1-Memory of the DRP**



**Fig. 7–14:** Read 20-bit data from the D1-memory of the DRP

### **7.4.10. Freeze**



**Fig. 7–15:** The Freeze command should be executed before download of the new code to avoid noise signals at the output interfaces. Before using the freeze command, it is recommended to mute the output.

#### **7.4.11. The Run Command**



**Fig. 7–16:** The Run command starts the execution at the program address **a** = (a3,a2,a1,a0).

#### <span id="page-30-0"></span>**8. Internal Registers and Memory Areas**

The following section describes internal registers and memory areas, that are accessible by the controller, in order to control or watch the internal operation of the DRP.

### **8.1. Default Read (Index and Status)**

If a value is read from the DRP without a previously given command, the 16-bit index and status value is returned by default. The index value can be used in a polling loop to synchronize the system controller with the transmitted Layer 2 frame. The lower byte of the index/status always contains an odd number (if the DRP is decoding) and is incremented by 2 after each update of the ADR-data block. The upper byte indicates the status of the decoder as described in Table 8–1.

### **8.2. Digital Volume and Channel Mapping (Write)**

Four memory cells in the D1 area are used to control the digital volume of the DRP output lines. These memory cells simply keep coefficients the stereo input signals are multiplied with. These coefficients are represented in a 20-bit fixed point notation (e.g.  $$80000 = -1.0$  or  $$20000 = 0.25$ .) In order to achieve the corresponding fixed point value, divide the hex-value read from a register by 524288 = \$80000. The 4 coefficients are located in the memory cells. This mapping may be used for volume control, channel mapping, and for special stereo bandwidth effects. The default coefficients are negative in order to compensate a previous signal negation.



**Fig. 8–1: Digital volume matrix** 





#### **Table 8-1:** Index and status word

<span id="page-31-0"></span>**Table 8–2:** Digital volume matrix coefficients

<b>Memory</b> Location:	D1:\$120	D1:\$121	D1:\$122	D1:\$123
<b>Cell Name</b>	LL	LR	RL	<b>RR</b>
Default (stereo)	(\$80000) $-1.0$	0	0	(\$80000) $-1.0$
Dual Ch. (left)	(\$80000) $-1.0$	(\$80000) $-1.0$	0	0
Dual Ch. (right)	0	0	(\$80000) $-1.0$	(\$80000) $-1.0$
<b>Description</b>	maps left input to left output	maps left input to right output	maps right input to left output	maps right input to right output

## **9. Handling of the DRP via Internal Registers**

The execution of the firmware ADR-decoder in the DRP can be monitored by reading internal registers. Writing to registers allows a modification of the internal operation, which may be useful for specific applications. All registers in the DRP are accessible from the controller via I2C bus. The most useful registers that may be accessed by the controller are listed in this paragraph. This allows detailed control and monitoring of many internal processes within the DRP for any controller. Writing into registers that are not listed below is possible, but it may cause unpredictable results or even a crash of the DRP program. Many of the readable register values may change very rapidly. Smoothing, for example, by using a sliding average technique may be helpful.

### **9.1. The Internal Fixed Point Number Format**

In many cases it is useful to convert the register or memory values "v" into a fixed number representation "r". This is done easily by using the following algorithm:

if (v 
$$
\ge
$$
 524288) {  
v = v - 1048576;  
}  
r = v / 524288.0:

Vice versa, a real number "r" in the range from –1.0 to 1–524287/524288 can be converted into the DRP 20-bit two's complement representation "v" by using the algorithm:

 $v = r*524288.0 + 0.5$ ; if  $(v < 0)$  {  $v = v + 1048576$ ; }

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## **9.2. Main Configuration Register 96 (Write)**

The main configuration register controls the operation of the ADR decoder firmware.





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### **9.3. AGC Register 115 (Read)**

The DRP automatic gain control can be watched by reading the AGC register (115). The AGC value indicates if the gain of the single ADR-carrier coming from the MSP has a sufficient value. For proper operation, the AGC value should be somewhere between \$a0000 (=  $-0.75$  ) and \$e0000 (=  $-0.25$ ). If the AGC value is constantly showing \$80000, the AGC is out of its control range. This indicates that the video carrier of the MSP input signal is not suppressed sufficiently or that the IF input signal does not have a sufficient level. If the value is too small, the DRP input gain should be reduced by adjusting the bits G2, G1, G0 in the main configuration register.

### **9.4. Viterbi Min-distance Register 210 (Read)**

The viterbi min-distance register content gives information about the bit error rate of the decoded signal. A smoothing of subsequent viterbi distance values will stabilize the result. If the viterbi min-distance is less than 5000, the channel quality is excellent. Larger values indicate worse signal quality. Bit errors can be expected, if the mean value of the viterbi min-distance exceeds **5300**. The value given by the viterbi min-distance register is only valid if the AGC is working properly (see section 9.3.). The AGC register value should not be at its limitation at **\$8000**.

### **9.5. Clock-deviation Register 244 (Read, Write)**

The clock deviation register holds a value that indicates the clock deviation of the DRP-clock, which is set by the timing recovery algorithm with respect to the crystal reference. If this value is set to '0', the DRP-clock exactly mirrors the XTI (crystal) clock. A negative value indicates that the DRP-clock is slower, a positive clock indicates a higher internal clock frequency. The output clock frequency can be derived from the clock-deviation register value by the following formula, where δf stands for the fixed point representation of the clock deviation register content.

 $f_c$  = (39936 + 37.1613\*δ $f$ ) kHz for  $f_q$  = 18.432 *MHz;* –1.0 <  $\delta f$  <+1.0

 $f_c = (36684 + 33.0323 * δ*f*)$  kHz for  $f_q$  = 24.576 *MHz;* –1.0 <  $\delta f$  <+1.0

### **9.6. Timing Recovery Control Register 168 (Write)**

If the DRP is running with an 18.432 MHz clock, the crystal may be omitted, and the AUD CL OUT (signal of the MSP, which is a 18.432 MHz clock) may be connected via 10 nF with the XTI input signal of the DRP. However, this mode of operation does affect the timing recovery of the system, which now has different behavior than using a separate crystal for the DRP. In order to avoid an instable timing recovery, the value \$200 has to be written into the register 168 after each reset of the DRP.

### **9.7. SP/DIF Configuration Register 83 (Write)**

The SP/DIF configuration register SP0C can be used to disable the SP/DIF output for special copy protection. This is done by writing the value \$80 into this register. The only way of enabling the SP/DIF output again, is a reset.

### **9.8. SDO0 Configuration Register 67 (Write)**

This SDO0 configuration register can be used to control the format of the outgoing  $I^2S$  signal. For some DACs, it is necessary to delay the data values by one clock vs. the wordstrobe signal. This can be achieved by writing the value \$821 into this register (Default content of the register \$21).

#### **9.9. SO0AUXA Register 69 (Write)**

The 12 LSBs of the register content of this register are placed into the 12 trailing bits of the left word of the I2S data stream. These bits can be used to send control information to some DACs.

### **9.10. SO0AUXB Register 70 (Write)**

The 12 LSBs of the register content of this register are placed into the 12 trailing bits of the right word of the I2S data stream. These bits can be used to send control information to some DACs.

#### **9.11. SDI1 Input Configuration Register 187 (Write)**

For Layer 2 decoding, some applications do generate an inverted clock signal with respect to the data. The inversion can be compensated by writing the value \$1004 into this register.

#### **9.12. SDI1 Input Selection Register 79 (Write)**

Switching between the standard SDI1 input (which is the default) and the alternative SDI1\* input is possible. The alternative input is selected by writing a '2' into this register. Writing a '0' into the register will reset the input to the SDI1 lines.

### **9.13. Actual MPEG Header Register 117 (Read)**

Register 117 contains a mirror of the actual MPEG header that has been read out from the incoming bit stream.

<b>Bit Number</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Comment</b>		
19	ID	always 1		
18, 17	layer	$10 =$ Layer 2		
16	protection bit	$0 = CRC$ protection included $1 = no$ CRC protection included		
15, 14, 13, 12	bit rate index	1010 for 192 kbit/s		
11, 10	sampling frequency	$01 = 48$ kHz		
9	padding bit	only for 44.1 kHz $f_s$		
8	private bit	for private use		
7,6	mode	$00 =$ stereo, $01 =$ joint stereo, $10 = \text{dual} -$ , $11 = \text{single channel}$		
5, 4	mode extension	controls bit allocation for subbands		
3	copyright	$0 = no$ , $1 = copyright protected$		
2	original/copy	0: copy, 1: original		
1, 0	emphasis	should be 00 (no preemphasis) or 01 (50/15 $\mu$ s)		

**Table 9–1:** MPEG status bits

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#### **10. Downloading of Programs**

Alternative software modules can be downloaded to the DRP. The downloaded programs are either available by Micronas or they can be developed by using the Micronas MASC 3500 software development package. The download can easily be done via the I2C bus. Thus, additional functionality may be added to the DRP even if kept in the original ADR-application. Download modules are or will be available for:

- I<sup>2</sup>S to SP/DIF conversion
- test signal generation
- Dolby Prologic
- Panorama Sound
- concert hall effects

The download procedure is done the following way:

- 1. Mute the audio outputs
- 2. Freeze the operation
- 3. Download the new program into the data memory

4. Start the new program with the "run" command at the start address of the downloaded program

Now, the DRP executes the new program. In order to switch back to normal operation, a simple "reset" is sufficient. After downloading, the original ADR or MPEG software will not be disabled in the new program. Tables and subroutines of the firmware are still available and executable. 0.75 kWord of program code and 1.25 kWord of data can be downloaded.

### <span id="page-36-0"></span>**11. Application Recommendations**

#### **11.1. MSP 3400C Parameter Setting**

For MSP related parameters, please refer to the MSP data sheet.

#### **11.1.1. Input Gain and Differences between the MSP 3400C Versions C6 and C7**

For new development of ADR receivers, the MSP 3400C-C7 or later versions are recommended. This version includes an additional gain factor in the ADR BUS interface output to the DRP, to enable optimal signal resolution also with ADR Stations in "Full Transponder Mode".

In "Full Transponder Mode", the frequency band normally used for video transmission is used by ADR carriers. With such signals, the level of one ADR carrier is much lower than with a TV program with, for example, 5 sound carriers. Note: The MSP 3400C-C7 and later versions are compatible to the MSP 3410D, regarding the ADR-Mode.

If the MSP 3400C-C7 or later versions, or the MSP 3410D are used, together with the DRP 3510A/E4 or later versions, the MSP AGC gain reference should be set to the value 20 dec (instead of 40 dec with the C6 version).

With this, clipping at the MSP input is avoided, especially with multi sound carrier programs. Normally, the clipping of the MSP input will cause no problems with ADR synchronization but will reduce the viterbi distance value. All other settings remain as with the MSP 3400C-C6 (see Table  $11-1$ ).

Together with these settings, it is recommended for the MSP 3400C-C7, to limit the overall composite IF input signal of the MSP to a peak-to-peak level of about 0.7 Vpp.

It is recommended that the controller software check the MSP version registers to set the MSP AGC gain reference according to the MSP version (see Table 11–2).

This version check can be done by reading Product and ROM Code only.

The MSP AGC reference gain is set to 20 dec if the product code is "0" and the the ROM code is smaller than "7".



#### **Table 11–1:** Gain settings

#### **Table 11–2:** Version codes





## **11.1.2. Mode Register**

**Table 11–3:** Control word 'MODE\_REG': All bits are "0" after power-on-reset, settings for ADR mode



### **11.1.3. FIR Coefficients for FIR\_REG1**



### **11.1.4. DCO Increment Setting with SAT Carriers**

The following is an example of DCO increment calculation (Fcarrier =  $6200$  kHz):

For the DCO high part:

```
DCO<sub>H</sub>
= int \sqrt{2}*Fcarrier [KHz] / 9= int [ 2*6200,0 / 9 ]
= int [ 1377.77 ]
= 1377 = DCO H = 561 hex
```
For the DCO low part:

DCO<sub>L</sub>  $= 455$  \* int [ 2\*Fcarrier [kHz]  $- 9$  x DCO H ]  $= 455$  \* int [ 12400,0 - 12393 ]  $= 455 * 7$  $= 3185$   $=$  **DCO L** = **C71 hex** 





### **11.2. Pure ADR Music Decoding**

The DRP processor always tries to synchronize itself to an incoming ADR data stream as it is generated by the MSP. As soon as the synchronization is done and a frame has been decoded correctly, the FSI signal (or the counting of the index value) indicates that the IC is decoding properly and the corresponding status bits are set.

Without any additional adjustments from the controller, the serial outputs SDO0, SDO1, and SP/DIF will generate the digital music bit stream at 48, 32, and 48 kHz sampling frequency.

For the elementary free to air ADR music decoding operation, no additional adjustments have to be done.

### **11.3. Receiving the ADR Data**

The DRP 3510A is controlled completely by the use of a controller with an I2C interface. The DRP I2C interface is of the slave type. In addition to the  $l^2C$ -device address, subaddresses are used.

There are two ways of communicating with the DRP:

1. Reading or writing internal DRP registers via special register read/write commands.

This may be useful for configuration purposes, e.g. for configuring an interface or for reading the status register of the receiver (CRC-check error, DMX, no input available, ...).

2. Reading the ADR status and data block.

The ADR-status and data block consist of a16-bit status word plus 9 words à 16-bit (ADR ancillary data) as documented in the ASTRA/DMX specification. The error correction for these data values is already performed within the DRP. In order to read out these values, the controller has to send a specific I2C command to the DRP, which initiates the DRP to send these 10 data values. There are two ways to check whether a new data block is available. In the normal mode (PIO used for FSI, FSI automatic), the FSI is low when new data are available. After readout by the controller, but at the latest before these data become invalid, the FSI becomes high. Otherwise, the incremented index of the 16-bit status word is to check. The FSI signal (see section 3.) or the incremented index of the 16-bit status word may be used to check whether a new data block is available.

### **11.4. Receiving FM / TV Sound with MSP**

When the MSP is configured for receiving analog FM/TV sound, the internal PLL of the DRP has to be switched off. This is to prevent frequency deviation caused by the DRP timing recovery, which tries to receive ADR further on. There are two options available. First, is to use the download program I<sup>2</sup>S to SP/DIF. This gives the advantage of having the FM/TV sound at the digital interface and at the 48 kHz DAC as well. The second option is to configure the MSP as master and set its I2S-Bus to tristate. This can be done with a single I<sup>2</sup>C-command (see data sheet of MSP). This latter option will not work in the 24.576 MHz single crystal mode (8.3).

The following download programs are available:

src\_e4b.mas:

MSP FM sound via I<sup>2</sup>S (32 kHz at SDI1) to:

- SPDIF output (48 kHz)
- HQ DAC output (SDO0 with 48 kHz)
- $-$  feed back to the DRP  $1^2$ S out (SDO1 with 32 kHz)

spdif\_e4.mas :

MSP FM sound via I2S (32 kHz at SDI1) to:

- SPDIF output (32 kHz)
- HQ DAC output (SDO0 with 32 kHz)
- $-$  feed back to the DRP I<sup>2</sup>S out (SDO1 with 32 kHz)

### **11.5. Receiving of ADR**

Once receiving ADR, the content of the clock-deviation register (see 9.5.) is associated with the deviation of the crystal. It is helpful and will speed up the synchronization to re-initialize this register after changing the ADR-station with this value. If the DRP is not receiving ADR within more than 10 seconds (no carrier, device not connected with LNC, ...) it is necessary to re-initialize the clock-deviation register as well. This can be detected by watching the L-bit of the index register (see section 8.1.).

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### **11.6. Typical ADR Application Circuit (DRP Application with 24 MHz Single Crystal Mode)**





### **11.7. Typical ADR Application Circuit (DRP Application with 18 MHz Dual Crystal Mode)**

## **12. Timing Diagrams**

## **12.1. PIO Timing**

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PIO DMA Mode



**Fig. 12–1:** PIO timing





**Fig. 12–2:** FSI-timing



### **12.3. SDI Timing**



**Fig. 12–3:** SDI timing

**12.4. SDO Timing**



**Fig. 12–4:** SDO timing

### **12.5. SPDIF timing**



**Fig. 12–5:** SPDIF timing

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### **12.6. Recommended Power Up Sequence**

### **12.6.1. Power Up Sequence for Dual Crystal Modes**



**Fig. 12–6:** Recommended power up sequence (dual crystal modes)

### **12.6.2. Power Up Sequence for 18.432 MHz Single Crystal Mode**





### **12.6.3. Power Up Sequence for 24.576 MHz Single Crystal Mode**



**Fig. 12–8:** Recommended power up sequence (24 MHz single crystal mode)

### <span id="page-45-0"></span>**13. DRP 3510A Version History**

#### **Version D3 (05.03.96)**

Improvements and new features:

- single crystal option
- adjustable gain
- SPDIF tristate switchable
- PIO-read mode
- get ADR data modified (with offset)

Known bugs/Status:

- FSI will not set (workaround available)
- inverted SDO-clock delay (workaround available)
- L2 PLL does not work
- Layer 2 decoder does not synchronize to all bitstreams with  $fs = 44$ , 1 kHz

#### **Version E4 (12.06.96)**

Improvements and new features:

- fast synchronization, better C/N
- setup of sample rate converter (to MSP) improved
- SP/DIF holds synchronization even in "channel hopping"
- "force restart" (bit 19 at main configuration register) works at anytime
- delay bit removed from FSI off-bit added to main configuration register
- SDO0 wordstrobe inverted (according to the DA convterters)
- download program I2S to SPDIF with sample rate conversion to 48 kHz available
- - Layer 2 decoder: 44.1 kHz bug fixed, PLL works

Known bugs/Status:

- Status: "weak carrier" does not work properly (workaround available)
- Status: "carrier detect" does not work properly (workaround available
- PIO-mode with disturbances

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