TD1316AS-IVP Tuner Module for analog and digital terrestrial (OFDM) applications

The Philips TD1316AS-IVP is available on the Internet from a variety of sources for a very low price. Unfortunately, accurate Tuner data sheets are next to impossible to find on the Internet. Some datasheets for the Tuner and the tuner-IC used exist, however. The TD1300 datasheet made available from the vendor is not applicable to this model of tuner and is only partially useful for the hobbyist. This tuner can be used to build all kinds of radio communications devices including spectrum analyzer applications. Controlled by a small micro computer and by the addition of a suitable IF Amplifier a complete VHF/UHF receiver can be built. To help the hobbyist some information on the work done is shared here.

Below are some of the results from some investigative work done, allowing to actually get the tuner to work for the hobbyist. An existing micro computer was used to program the tuner IC TUA6034. The schematic shown below was used to test the tuner operation and performance.

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TD1316AS-IVP Tuner Connections as discovered

Pin Number	Pin Name	Comments		
1	TBD	Not sure what it is for		
2	+5V RF Section	This pin is used to supply DC supply voltage to the RF Gain block		
3	n/c			
4	n/c			
5	RF-Gain Control	0-4V applied to this pin allows wide range gain control		
6	Vtun Out	PLL Tuning Voltage Monitoring Point (0-33V)		
7	Adress Selection	TUA6034T Analog I2C address selection input		
8	SCL	I2C Clock Input		
9	SDA	I2C Data Bus (input/Output)		
10	4 MHz Output	4 MHz PLL Reference Oscillator Output		
11	+5V Tuner Section	TUA6034T Supply Voltage		
12	Narrowband IF Out	Analog IF Output - Not much filtered		
13	IF Gain Control	COFDM Gain Control input (0-4V), 75 Ohm load		
14	Wideband IF Out 1	COFDM IF Output 1 (0 Degrees), 75 Ohm load		
15	Wideband IF Out 2	COFDM IF Output 2 (180 Degrees) (Differential Output)		

For the following please refer also to the TUA6034T Infineon Datasheet

Tuner Address Selection

The tuner IC TUA6034 has a base address of 0XCn, where n denotes the sub address selected via As pin 3 or Tuner Pin 7. The tuner provides external access to the AS I2C address selection input. This pin allows selecting up to 4 sub addresses:

AS Pin Voltage Level	MA1	MA0	I2C Write Adr.	I2C Read Adr.	Comments
(0 to 0.1) x Vcc	0	0	0xC0	0xC1	Ground Pin
open circuit (0.2 to 0.3) X Vcc	0	1	0xC2	0xC3	Leave open circuit
(0.4 to 0.6) x Vcc	1	0	0xC4	1) \(\frac{1}{5} \)	Use 10K resistor divider to provide 2.5V
(0.9 to 1) x Vcc	1	1	0xC6	0xC7	Connect to Supply Voltage

To select the final address connect Tuner pin 7 as shown in table above and make sure the voltage measured on this pin conforms to the equations listed.

Programming

The TUA6034T used in this tuner utilizes a I2C communications interface for control and monitoring. The protocol used is very simple and only 5 data registers are required for operation of the tuner. The registers used are shown in the data sheet on page 50, Table 8.

Please note that the tuner on read operation only returns the status byte. The data registers cannot be read back.

The function below was used for testing the tuner with a PIC18F4620 and the CCS compiler. This example is intended to demonstrate how to communicate with the tuner in the most basic form.

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void query_TUA6034T(int adr)
{
    i2c_start();
    i2c_write(adr);
    i2c_write(_ioregs[10]); // DB1
    i2c_write(_ioregs[11]); // CB, 50KHZ, 250uA,
    i2c_write(_ioregs[12]); // CB, 50KHZ, 250uA,
    i2c_write(_ioregs[13]); // BB or AB, LOW BAND ACTIVE
    i2c_stop();

    delay_us(80);// Controller must wait 60us to allow PLL to settle.

    // Read Status Byte
    i2c_start();
    i2c_write(adr+1);
    _ioregs[17] = i2c_read(1);
    i2c_stop();
}
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For this test DB1=0x06, DB2=0xB8, CB=0xC0, BB=0x01; adr = 0xC0 (with AS grounded)

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F[PLL] = 86.000 MHZ F[REF] = 50 khz F[IF] = 36 MHZ Tuner\ Inp = 50.000\ MHz Status\ byte\ return\ in\ register\ 17:\ Locked = 0x70,\ unlocked\ = 0x30 To\ Calculate\ N:\ \ N = (Finp\ +\ Fif)\ /\ Fref\ ;\ For\ Example: Fin = 85 MHz,\ N = (\ 50\ +\ 36\ )\ /\ 0.05 = 1720 (under\ construction\ -\ More\ info\ to\ follow)
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