

PowerStore 512 x 8 nvSRAM

Features

- High-performance CMOS non-volatile static RAM 512 x 8 bits
- 25 and 45 ns Access Times
- 12 and 25 ns Output Enable Access Times
- I_{CC} = 15 mA at 200 ns Cycle Time
- Unlimited Read and Write to SRAM
- Automatic STORE to EEPROM on Power Down using system capacitance
- Automatic STORE Timing
- 10⁵ STORE cycles to EEPROM
- 10 years data retention in EEPROM
- Automatic RECALL on Power Up
- Unlimited RECALL cycles from EEPROM
- Single 5 V ± 10 % Operation
- Operating temperature ranges:
0 to 70 °C
-40 to 85 °C
- CECC 90000 Quality Standard
- ESD characterization according MIL STD 883C M3015.7-HBM
- Packages: PDIP24 (600 mil)
SOP24 (300 mil)

Description

The U636H04 has two separate modes of operation: SRAM mode and nonvolatile mode.

In SRAM mode, the memory operates as an ordinary static RAM. In nonvolatile operation, data is transferred in parallel from SRAM to EEPROM or from EEPROM to SRAM.

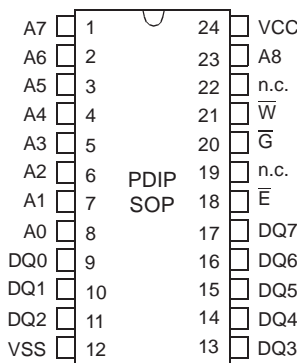
In this mode SRAM functions are disabled.

The U636H04 is a fast static RAM (25 and 45 ns), with a nonvolatile electrically erasable PROM (EEPROM) element incorporated in each static memory cell. Data transfers from the SRAM to the EEPROM (the STORE operation) take place automatically upon power down using charge stored in system capacitance. Transfers from the EEPROM to the SRAM (the RECALL operation) take place automatically on power up.

The SRAM can be read and written an unlimited number of times, while independent nonvolatile data resides in EEPROM.

The U636H04 combines the high performance and ease of use of a fast SRAM with nonvolatile data integrity.

Pin Configuration



Top View

Pin Description

Signal Name	Signal Description
A0 - A8	Address Inputs
DQ0 - DQ7	Data In/Out
\bar{E}	Chip Enable
\bar{G}	Output Enable
\bar{W}	Write Enable
VCC	Power Supply Voltage
VSS	Ground

Recommended Operating Conditions	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Max.	Unit
Power Supply Voltage	V_{CC}		4.5	5.5	V
Input Low Voltage	V_{IL}	-2 V at Pulse Width 10 ns permitted	-0.3	0.8	V
Input High Voltage	V_{IH}		2.2	$V_{CC} + 0.3$	V

DC Characteristics	Symbol	Conditions	C-Type		K-Type		Unit
			Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
Operating Supply Current ^b	I_{CC1}	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $V_{IL} = 0.8\text{ V}$ $V_{IH} = 2.2\text{ V}$ $t_c = 25\text{ ns}$ $t_c = 45\text{ ns}$		90 75		95 80	mA mA
Average Supply Current during STORE ^c	I_{CC2}	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $\overline{E} \leq 0.2\text{ V}$ $\overline{W} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IL} \leq 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IH} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$		6		7	mA
Average Supply Current during PowerStore Cycle ^c	I_{CC4}	$V_{CC} = 4.5\text{ V}$ $V_{IL} = 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IH} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$		4		4	mA
Standby Supply Current ^d (Cycling TTL Input Levels)	$I_{CC(SB1)}$	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $\overline{E} = V_{IH}$ $t_c = 25\text{ ns}$ $t_c = 45\text{ ns}$		30 20		34 23	mA mA
Operating Supply Current at $t_{cR} = 200\text{ ns}$ ^b (Cycling CMOS Input Levels)	I_{CC3}	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $\overline{W} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IL} \leq 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IH} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$		15		15	mA
Standby Supply Current ^d (Stable CMOS Input Levels)	$I_{CC(SB)}$	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $\overline{E} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IL} \leq 0.2\text{ V}$ $V_{IH} \geq V_{CC} - 0.2\text{ V}$		3		3	mA

b: I_{CC1} and I_{CC3} are dependent on output loading and cycle rate. The specified values are obtained with outputs unloaded. The current I_{CC1} is measured for WRITE/READ - ratio of 1/2.

c: I_{CC2} and I_{CC4} are the average currents required for the duration of the respective STORE cycles (STORE Cycle Time).

d: Bringing $\overline{E} \geq V_{IH}$ will not produce standby current levels until any nonvolatile cycle in progress has timed out. See MODE SELECTION table. The current $I_{CC(SB1)}$ is measured for WRITE/READ - ratio of 1/2.

DC Characteristics	Symbol	Conditions	C-Type		K-Type		Unit
			Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
Output High Voltage Output Low Voltage	V_{OH} V_{OL}	$V_{CC} = 4.5\text{ V}$ $I_{OH} = -4\text{ mA}$ $I_{OL} = 8\text{ mA}$	2.4	0.4	2.4	0.4	V V
Output High Current Output Low Current	I_{OH} I_{OL}	$V_{CC} = 4.5\text{ V}$ $V_{OH} = 2.4\text{ V}$ $V_{OL} = 0.4\text{ V}$	8	-4	8	-4	mA mA
Input Leakage Current High Low	I_{IH} I_{IL}	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $V_{IH} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $V_{IL} = 0\text{ V}$	-1	1	-1	1	μA μA
Output Leakage Current High at Three-State- Output Low at Three-State- Output	I_{OHZ} I_{OLZ}	$V_{CC} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $V_{OH} = 5.5\text{ V}$ $V_{OL} = 0\text{ V}$	-1	1	-1	1	μA μA

SRAM MEMORY OPERATIONS

No.	Switching Characteristics Read Cycle	Symbol		25		45		Unit
		Alt.	IEC	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
1	Read Cycle Time ^f	t_{AVAV}	t_{cR}	25		45		ns
2	Address Access Time to Data Valid ^g	t_{AVQV}	$t_{a(A)}$		25		45	ns
3	Chip Enable Access Time to Data Valid	t_{ELQV}	$t_{a(E)}$		25		45	ns
4	Output Enable Access Time to Data Valid	t_{GLQV}	$t_{a(G)}$		12		25	ns
5	\overline{E} HIGH to Output in High-Z ^h	t_{EHQZ}	$t_{dis(E)}$		13		20	ns
6	\overline{G} HIGH to Output in High-Z ^h	t_{GHQZ}	$t_{dis(G)}$		13		20	ns
7	\overline{E} LOW to Output in Low-Z	t_{ELQX}	$t_{en(E)}$	5		5		ns
8	\overline{G} LOW to Output in Low-Z	t_{GLQX}	$t_{en(G)}$	0		0		ns
9	Output Hold Time after Address Change	t_{AXQX}	$t_{v(A)}$	3		3		ns
10	Chip Enable to Power Active ^e	t_{ELICCH}	t_{PU}	0		0		ns
11	Chip Disable to Power Standby ^{d, e}	t_{EHICCL}	t_{PD}		25		45	ns

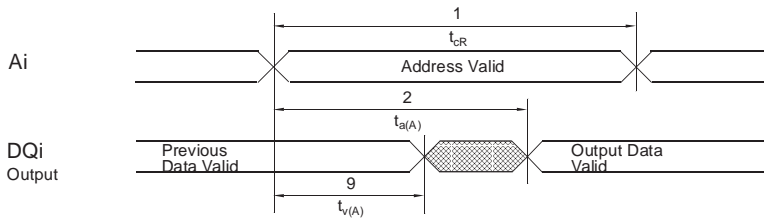
e: Parameter guaranteed but not tested.

f: Device is continuously selected with \overline{E} and \overline{G} both LOW.

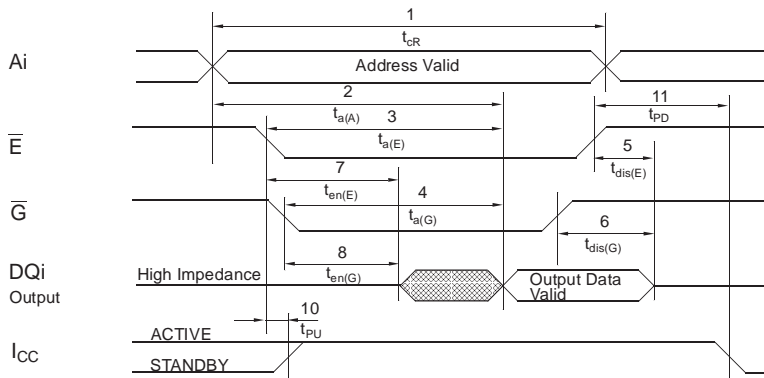
g: Address valid prior to or coincident with \overline{E} transition LOW.

h: Measured $\pm 200\text{ mV}$ from steady state output voltage.

Read Cycle 1: Ai-controlled (during Read cycle: $\bar{E} = \bar{G} = V_{IL}$, $\bar{W} = V_{IH}$)^f

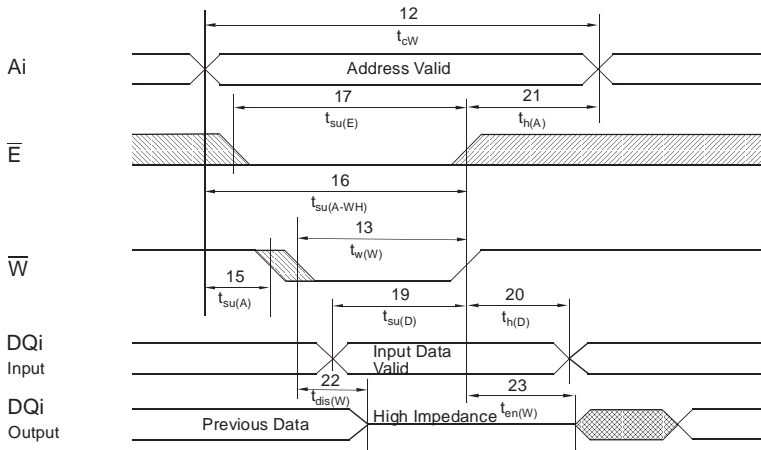


Read Cycle 2: \bar{G} -, \bar{E} -controlled (during Read cycle: $\bar{W} = V_{IH}$)^g

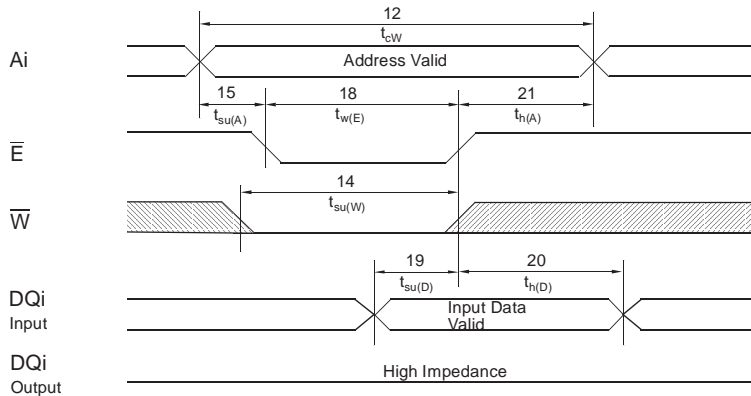


No.	Switching Characteristics Write Cycle	Symbol			25		45		Unit
		Alt. #1	Alt. #2	IEC	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
12	Write Cycle Time	t_{AVAV}	t_{AVAV}	t_{cW}	25		45		ns
13	Write Pulse Width	t_{WLWH}		$t_{w(W)}$	20		35		ns
14	Write Pulse Width Setup Time		t_{WLEH}	$t_{su(W)}$	20		35		ns
15	Address Setup Time	t_{AVWL}	t_{AVEL}	$t_{su(A)}$	0		0		ns
16	Address Valid to End of Write	t_{AVWH}	t_{AVEH}	$t_{su(A-WH)}$	20		35		ns
17	Chip Enable Setup Time	t_{ELWH}		$t_{su(E)}$	20		35		ns
18	Chip Enable to End of Write		t_{ELEH}	$t_{w(E)}$	20		35		ns
19	Data Setup Time to End of Write	t_{DVWH}	t_{DVEH}	$t_{su(D)}$	12		20		ns
20	Data Hold Time after End of Write	t_{WHDX}	t_{EHDX}	$t_{h(D)}$	0		0		ns
21	Address Hold after End of Write	t_{WHAX}	t_{EHAX}	$t_{h(A)}$	0		0		ns
22	\bar{W} LOW to Output in High-Z ^{h,i}	t_{WLQZ}		$t_{dis(W)}$		10		15	ns
23	\bar{W} HIGH to Output in Low-Z	t_{WHQX}		$t_{en(w)}$	5		5		ns

Write Cycle #1: \overline{W} -controlled^j



Write Cycle #2: \overline{E} -controlled^j



undefined  L- to H-level  H- to L-level 

i: If \overline{W} is LOW and when \overline{E} goes LOW, the outputs remain in the high impedance state.

j: \overline{E} or \overline{W} must be V_{IH} during address transition.

NONVOLATILE MEMORY OPERATIONS

MODE SELECTION

\bar{E}	\bar{W}	A8 - A0 (hex)	Mode	I/O	Power	Notes
H	X	X	Not Selected	Output High Z	Standby	
L	H	X	Read SRAM	Output Data	Active	m
L	L	X	Write SRAM	Input Data	Active	

k: reserved for future development

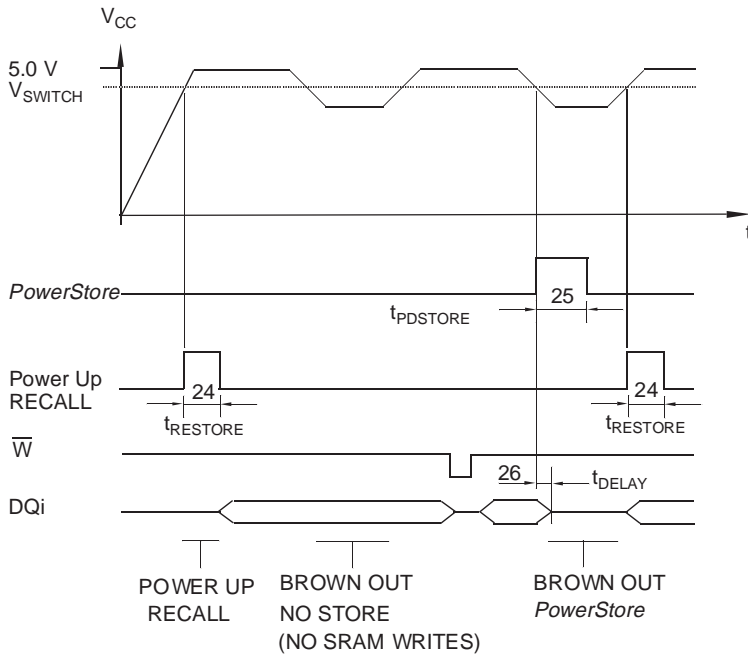
l: reserved for future development

m: I/O state assumes that $\bar{G} \leq V_{IL}$.

No.	PowerStore Power Up RECALL	Symbol		Conditions	Min.	Max.	Unit
		Alt.	IEC				
24	Power Up RECALL Duration ^{n, e}	$t_{RESTORE}$				650	μs
25	STORE Cycle Duration ^f	$t_{PDSTORE}$		the power supply voltage must stay above 3.6 V for at least 10 ms after the start of the STORE operation		10	ms
26	Time allowed to Complete SRAM Cycle ^{f, e}	t_{DELAY}			1		μs
	Low Voltage Trigger Level	V_{SWITCH}			4.0	4.5	V

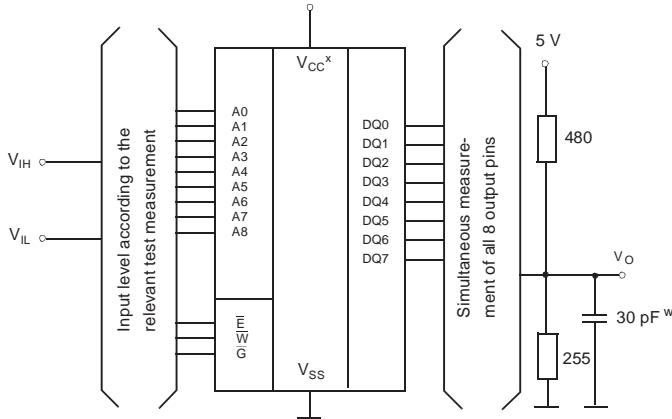
n: An automatic RECALL also takes place at power up, starting when V_{CC} exceeds V_{SWITCH} and takes $t_{RESTORE}$. V_{CC} must not drop below V_{SWITCH} once it has been exceeded for the RECALL to function properly.

PowerStore and automatic Power Up RECALL



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 u, v reserved for future development

Test Configuration for Functional Check



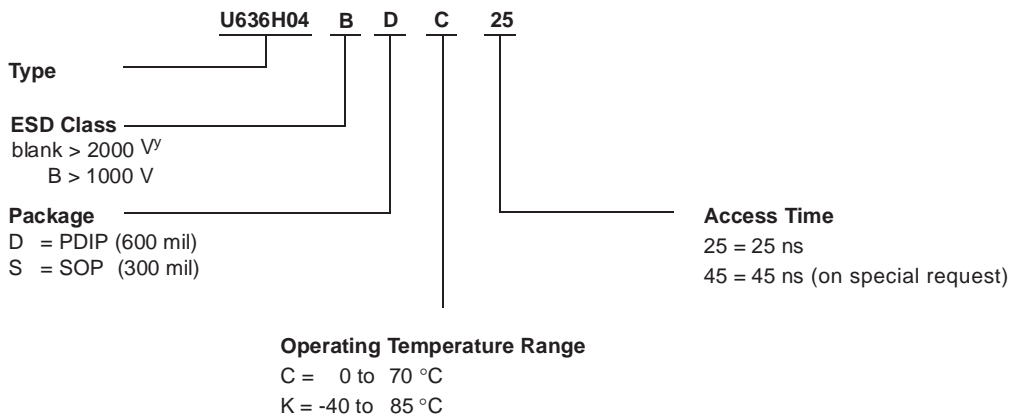
- w: In measurement of t_{dis} -times and t_{en} -times the capacitance is 5 pF.
- x: Between V_{CC} and V_{SS} must be connected a high frequency bypass capacitor 0.1 μ F to avoid disturbances.

Capacitance ^e	Conditions	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Input Capacitance	$V_{CC} = 5.0 V$ $V_I = V_{SS}$	C_I		8	pF
Output Capacitance	$f = 1 MHz$ $T_a = 25^\circ C$	C_O		7	pF

All Pins not under test must be connected with ground by capacitors.

IC Code Numbers

Example



The date of manufacture is given by the last 4 digits of the mark, the first 2 digits indicating the year, and the last 2 digits the calendar week.

y: ESD protection > 2000 V under development

Device Operation

The U636H04 has two separate modes of operation: SRAM mode and nonvolatile mode. In SRAM mode, the memory operates as a standard fast static RAM. In nonvolatile mode, data is transferred from SRAM to EEPROM (the STORE operation) or from EEPROM to SRAM (the RECALL operation). In this mode SRAM functions are disabled.

STORE cycles may be initiated under user control via a software sequence and are also automatically initiated when the power supply voltage level of the chip falls below V_{SWITCH} . RECALL operations are automatically initiated upon power up and may occur also when V_{CC} rises above V_{SWITCH} after a low power condition.

SRAM READ

The U636H04 performs a READ cycle whenever \bar{E} and \bar{G} are LOW and \bar{W} are HIGH. The address specified on pins A0 - A8 determines which of the 512 data bytes will be accessed. When the READ is initiated by an address transition, the outputs will be valid after a delay of t_{CR} . If the READ is initiated by \bar{E} or \bar{G} , the outputs will be valid at $t_{\text{a(E)}}$ or at $t_{\text{a(G)}}$, whichever is later. The data outputs will repeatedly respond to address changes within the t_{CR} access time without the need for transition on any control input pins, and will remain valid until another address change or until \bar{E} or \bar{G} is brought HIGH or \bar{W} is brought LOW.

SRAM WRITE

A WRITE cycle is performed whenever \bar{E} and \bar{W} are LOW. The address inputs must be stable prior to entering the WRITE cycle and must remain stable until either \bar{E} or \bar{W} goes HIGH at the end of the cycle. The data on pins DQ0 - 7 will be written into the memory if it is valid $t_{\text{su(D)}}$ before the end of a \bar{W} controlled WRITE or $t_{\text{su(D)}}$ before the end of an \bar{E} controlled WRITE. It is recommended that \bar{G} is kept HIGH during the entire WRITE cycle to avoid data bus contention on the common I/O lines. If \bar{G} is left LOW, internal circuitry will turn off the output buffers $t_{\text{dis(W)}}$ after \bar{W} goes LOW.

AUTOMATIC STORE

The U636H04 uses the intrinsic system capacitance to

perform an automatic STORE on power down. As long as the system power supply take at least t_{PDSTORE} to decay from V_{SWITCH} down to 3.6 V the U636H04 will safely and automatically STORE the SRAM data in EEPROM on power down.

In order to prevent unneeded STORE operations, automatic STORE will be ignored unless at least one WRITE operation has taken place since the most recent STORE or RECALL cycle.

AUTOMATIC RECALL

During power up an automatic RECALL takes place. After any low power condition ($V_{\text{CC}} < V_{\text{SWITCH}}$) an internal RECALL request may be latched. When V_{CC} once again exceeds the sense voltage of V_{SWITCH} , a requested RECALL cycle will automatically be initiated and will take t_{RESTORE} to complete.

If the U636H04 is in a WRITE state at the end of a power up RECALL, the SRAM data will be corrupted. To help avoid this situation, a 10 K Ω resistor should be connected between \bar{W} and system V_{CC} .

HARDWARE PROTECTION

The U636H04 offers hardware protection against inadvertent STORE operation through V_{CC} Sense. When $V_{\text{CC}} < V_{\text{SWITCH}}$ all software controlled STORE operations will be inhibited.

LOW AVERAGE ACTIVE POWER

The U636H04 has been designed to draw significantly less power when \bar{E} is LOW (chip enabled) but the access cycle time is longer than 55 ns.

When \bar{E} is HIGH the chip consumes only standby current.

The overall average current drawn by the part depends on the following items:

1. CMOS or TTL input levels
2. the time during which the chip is disabled (\bar{E} HIGH)
3. the cycle time for accesses (\bar{E} LOW)
4. the ratio of READs to WRITEs
5. the operating temperature
6. the V_{CC} level



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