# PN25F16 16M-BIT SERIAL FLASH MEMORY

Datasheet

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## 1. Description

The PN25F16 is a 16M-bit (2M-byte) Serial Flash memory, with advanced write protection mechanisms. The PN25F16 supports the standard Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI).

The PN25F16 can be programmed 1 to 256 bytes at a time, using the Page Program instruction. It is designed to allow either single Sector/Block at a time or full chip erase operation. The PN25F16 can be configured to protect part of the memory as the software protected mode. The device can sustain a minimum of 100K program/erase cycles on each sector or block.

## 2. FEATURES

#### •Serial Peripheral Interface(SPI)

- Standard SPI: CLK, /CS, SI, SO, /WP, /HOLD
- Dual SPI: CLK, /CS, IO0, IO1, /WP, /HOLD
- Quad SPI: CLK, /CS, IO0, IO1, IO2, IO3

#### •Read

- Normal Read (Serial): 50MHz clock rate
- Fast Read (Serial): 108MHz clock rate
- Dual/Quad (Multi-I/O) Read: 108MHz clock rate

#### •Program

- Serial-input Page Program up to 256bytes
- Program Suspend and Resume

#### •Erase

- Block erase (64/32 KB)
- Sector erase (4 KB)
- Chip erase
- Erase Suspend and Resume

#### Program/Erase Speed

- Page Program time: 0.7ms typical
- Sector Erase time: 60ms typical
- Block Erase time: 0.2/0.4s typical
- Chip Erase time: 15s typical

#### •Flexible Architecture

- Sector of 4K-byte
- Block of 32/64K-byte
- Low Power Consumption
- 20mA maximum active current
- 5uA maximum power down current

#### •Software/Hardware Write Protection

- 3x256-Byte Security Registers with OTP Lock
- Enable/Disable protection with WP Pin
- Write protect all/portion of memory via software
- Top or Bottom, Sector or Block selection

#### Single Supply Voltage

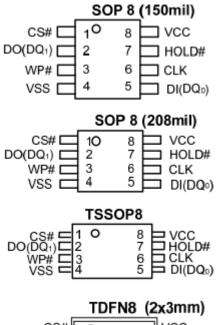
- Full voltage range: 2.7~3.6V
- •Temperature Range
- Commercial (0  $^\circ C$  to +70  $^\circ C$ )
- Industrial (-40 $^{\circ}$ C to +85 $^{\circ}$ C)

#### •Cycling Endurance/Data Retention

- Typical 100k Program-Erase cycles on any sector
- Typical 20-year data retention at +55  $^\circ\!\mathrm{C}$



## 3. Packaging Type

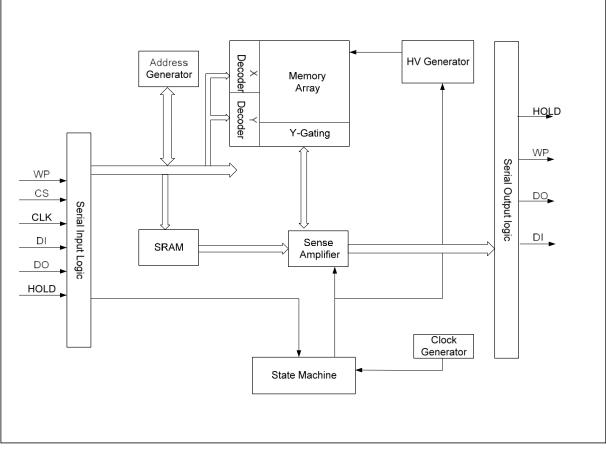


## 4. Pin Configurations

Pin Name	I/O	Description
/CS	I	Chip Select
SO (IO1)	I/O	Serial Output for single bit data Instructions. IO1 for Dual or Quad Instructions.
/WP (IO2)	I/O	Write Protect in single bit or Dual data Instructions. IO2 in Quad mode. The signal has an internal pull-up resistor and may be left unconnected in the host system if not used for Quad Instructions.
VSS		Ground
SI (IO0)	I/O	Serial Input for single bit data Instructions. IO0 for Dual or Quad Instructions.
CLK	I	Serial Clock
/HOLD (IO3)	I/O	Hold (pause) serial transfer in single bit or Dual data Instructions. IO3 in Quad-I/O mode. The signal has an internal pull-up resistor and may be left unconnected in the host system if not used for Quad Instructions.
VCC		Core and I/O Power Supply

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## 5.Block Diagram



## Figure 1 PN25F16 Serial Flash Memory Block Diagram

## 6.Pin description

During all operations, VCC must be held stable and within the specified valid range: VCC(min) to VCC(max).

### Chip Select (/CS)

The chip select signal indicates when a instruction for the device is in process and the other signals are relevant for the memory device. When the /CS signal is at the logic high state, the device is not selected and all input signals are ignored and all output signals are high impedance. Unless an internal Program, Erase or Write Status Registers embedded operation is in progress, the device will be in the Standby Power mode. Driving the /CS input to logic low state enables the device, placing it in the Active Power mode. After Power Up, a falling edge on /CS is required prior to the start of any instruction.

### Serial Clock (CLK)

This input signal provides the synchronization reference for the SPI interface. Instructions, addresses, or data input are latched on the rising edge of the CLK signal. Data output changes after the falling edge of CLK.

#### Serial Input (SI) /IO0

This input signal is used to transfer data serially into the device. It receives instructions, addresses, and data to be programmed. Values are latched on the rising edge of serial SCK clock signal.

SI becomes IOO an input and output during Dual and Quad Instructions for receiving instructions, addresses, and



data to be programmed (values latched on rising edge of serial SCK clock signal) as well as shifting out data (on the falling edge of SCK).

### Serial Data Output (SO)/IO1

This output signal is used to transfer data serially out of the device. Data is shifted out on the falling edge of the serial SCK clock signal.

SO becomes IO1 an input and output during Dual and Quad Instructions for receiving instructions, addresses, and data to be programmed (values latched on rising edge of serial SCK clock signal) as well as shifting out data (on the falling edge of SCK).

#### Write Protect (/WP)/IO2

When /WP is driven Low (VIL), while the Status Register Protect bits (SRP1 and SRP0) of the Status Registers (SR2[0] and SR1[7]) are set to 0 and 1 respectively, it is not possible to write to the Status Registers. This prevents any alteration of the Status Registers. As a consequence, all the data bytes in the memory area that are protected by the Block Protect, TB, SEC, and CMP bits in the status registers, are also hardware protected against data modification while /WP remains Low. The /WP function is not available when the Quad mode is enabled (QE) in Status Register 2 (SR2[1]=1).

The /WP function is replaced by IO2 for input and output during Quad mode for receiving addresses, and data to be programmed (values are latched on rising edge of the SCK signal) as well as shifting out data (on the falling edge of SCK). /WP has an internal pull-up resistance; when unconnected; /WP is at VIH and may be left unconnected in the host system if not used for Quad mode.

#### HOLD (/HOLD)/IO3

The /HOLD signal goes low to stop any serial communications with the device, but doesn't stop the operation of write status register, programming, or erasing in progress. The operation of HOLD, need /CS keep low, and starts on falling edge of the /HOLD signal, with CLK signal being low (if CLK is not being low, HOLD operation will not start until CLK being low). The HOLD condition ends on rising edge of /HOLD signal with CLK being low (If CLK is not being low, HOLD operation will not end until CLK being low).

The Hold condition starts on the falling edge of the Hold (/HOLD) signal, provided that this coincides with SCK being at the logic low state. If the falling edge does not coincide with the SCK signal being at the logic low state, the Hold condition starts whenever the SCK signal reaches the logic low state. Taking the /HOLD signal to the logic low state does not terminate any Write, Program or Erase operation that is currently in progress.

#### VCC Power Supply

VCC is the supply voltage. is the single voltage used for all device functions including read, program, and erase.

#### VSS Ground

VSS is the reference for the VCC supply voltage.



## 7. Memory organization

The PN25F16 array is organized into 2048 programmable pages of 256-bytes each. Up to 256 bytes can be programmed (bits are programmed from 1 to 0) at a time. Pages can be erased in groups of 16 (4KB sector erase), groups of 256 (64KB block erase) or the entire chip (chip erase). The PN25F16 has 128 erasable sectors and 8 erasable 64-k byte blocks respectively. The small 4KB sectors allow for greater flexibility in applications that require data and parameter storage.

able 2. Block/Sector Addresses of PN25F16
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Memory Density	Block(64k byte)	Block(32k byte)	Sector No.	Sector Size(KB)	Address range
			Sector 0	4	000000h-000FFFh
		Half block 0	:	:	:
	Block 0		Sector 7	4	007000h-007FFFh
	DIUCKU		Sector 8	4	008000h-008FFFh
		Half block 1	:	4	:
			Sector 15	4	00F000h-00FFFFh
			Sector 16	4	010000h-010FFFh
		Half block 2	:	:	:
	Dia ak 1		Sector 23	4	017000h-017FFFh
-	Block 1		Sector 24	4	018000h-018FFFh
		Half block 3	:	:	:
			Sector 31	4	01F000h-01FFFFh
16Mbit	:	:	:	:	:
			Sector 480	4	1E0000h-1E0FFFh
		Half block 60	:	:	:
	Dia als 00		Sector 487	4	1E7000h-1E7FFFh
	Block 30		Sector 488	4	1E8000h-1E8FFFh
		Half block 61	:	:	:
			Sector 495	4	1EF000h-1EFFFFh
			Sector 496	4	1F0000h-1F0FFFh
		Half block 62	:	:	:
	Dia -1: 04		Sector 503	4	1F7000h-1F7FFFh
	Block 31		Sector 504	4	1F8000h-1F8FFFh
		Half block 63	:	:	:
			Sector 511	4	1FF000h-1FFFFFh

1. Block = Uniform Block, and the size is 64K bytes.

2. Half block = Half Uniform Block, and the size is 32k bytes.

3. Sector = Uniform Sector, and the size is 4K bytes.

## 8. Device operation

### 8.1 Standard SPI Instructions

The PN25F16 features a serial peripheral interface on 4 signals bus: Serial Clock (CLK), Chip Select (/CS), Serial Data Input (SI) and Serial Data Output (SO). Both SPI bus mode 0 and 3 are supported. Input data is latched on the rising edge of CLK and data shifts out on the falling edge of CLK.

### 8.2 Dual SPI Instructions

The PN25F16 supports Dual SPI operation when using the "Dual Output Fast Read" and "Dual I/O Fast Read" (3BH and BBH) instructions. These instructions allow data to be transferred to or from the device at two times the rate of the standard SPI. When using the Dual SPI instruction the SI and SO pins become bidirectional I/O pins: IOO and IO1.

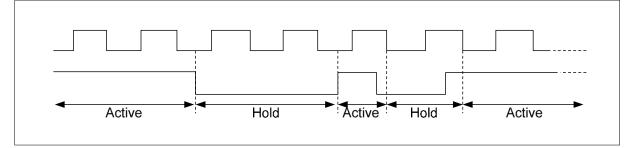
## 8.3 Quad SPI Instructions

The PN25F16 supports Quad SPI operation when using the "Quad Output Fast Read", "Quad I/O Fast Read" (6BH, EBH) instructions. These instructions allow data to be transferred t-o or from the device at four times the rate of the standard SPI. When using the Quad SPI instruction the SI and SO pins become bidirectional I/O pins: IOO and IO1, and /WP and /HOLD pins become IO2 and IO3. Quad SPI instructions require the non-volatile Quad Enable bit (QE) in Status Register-2 to be set.

### 8.4 Hold

For dard SPI operation, the HOLD# signal allows the PN25F16 operation to be paused while it is actively selected (when CS# is low). The HOLD# function may be useful in cases where the SPI data and clock signals are shared with other devices. For example, consider if the page buffer was only partially written when a priority interrupt requires use of the SPI bus. In this case the HOLD# function can save the state of the instruction and the data in the buffer so programming can resume where it left off once the bus is available again.

To initiate a HOLD# condition, the device must be selected with CS# low. A HOLD# condition will activate on the falling edge of the HOLD# signal if the CLK signal is already low. If the CLK is not already low the HOLD# condition will activate after the next falling edge of CLK. The HOLD# condition will terminate on the rising edge of the HOLD# signal if the CLK signal is already low. If the CLK is not already low the HOLD# condition will terminate after the next falling edge of CLK. The HOLD# condition will terminate on the rising edge of the HOLD# signal if the CLK signal is already low. If the CLK is not already low the HOLD# condition will terminate after the next falling edge of CLK. During a HOLD# condition, the Serial Data Output (DO) is high impedance, and Serial Data Input (DI) and Serial Clock (CLK) are ignored. The Chip Select (CS#) signal should be kept active (low) for the full duration of the HOLD# operation to avoid resetting the internal logic state of the device.





## 9. Operation Features

### 9.1 Supply Voltage

### 9.1.1 Operating Supply Voltage

Prior to selecting the memory and issuing instructions to it, a valid and stable VCC voltage within the specified [VCC(min), VCC(max)] range must be applied (see operating ranges of page 50). In order to secure a stable DC supply voltage, it is recommended to decouple the VCC line with a suitable capacitor (usually of the order of 10 nF to 100 nF) close to the VCC/VSS package pins. This voltage must remain stable and valid until the end of the transmission of the instruction and, for a Write instruction, until the completion of the internal write cycle (tW).

#### 9.1.2 Power-up Conditions

When the power supply is turned on, VCC rises continuously from VSS to VCC. During this time, the Chip Select (/CS) line is not allowed to float but should follow the VCC voltage, it is therefore recommended to connect the /CS line to VCC via a suitable pull-up resistor.

In addition, the Chip Select (/CS) input offers a built-in safety feature, as the /CS input is edge sensitive as well as level sensitive: after power-up, the device does not become selected until a falling edge has first been detected on Chip Select (/CS). This ensures that Chip Select (/CS) must have been High, prior to going Low to start the first operation.

#### 9.1.3 Device Reset

In order to prevent inadvertent Write operations during power-up (continuous rise of VCC), a power on reset (POR) circuit is included. At Power-up, the device does not respond to any instruction until VCC has reached the power on reset threshold voltage (this threshold is lower than the minimum VCC operating voltage defined in operating ranges of page 50). When VCC has passed the POR threshold, the device is reset.

#### 9.1.4 Power-down

At Power-down (continuous decrease in VCC), as soon as VCC drops from the normal operating voltage to below the power on reset threshold voltage, the device stops responding to any instruction sent to it. During Power-down, the device must be deselected (Chip Select (/CS) should be allowed to follow the voltage applied on VCC) and in Standby Power mode (that is there should be no internal Write cycle in progress).

#### 9.2 Active Power and Standby Power Modes

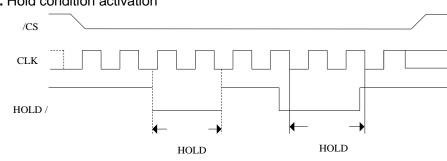
When Chip Select (/CS) is Low, the device is selected, and in the Active Power mode. The device consumes ICC. When Chip Select (/CS) is High, the device is deselected. If a Write cycle is not currently in progress, the device then goes in to the Standby Power mode, and the device consumption drops to ICC1.



#### 9.3 **Hold Condition**

The Hold (/HOLD) signal is used to pause any serial communications with the device without resetting the clocking sequence. During the Hold condition, the Serial Data Output (SO) is high impedance, and Serial Data Input (SI) and Serial Clock (CLK) are Don't Care. To enter the Hold condition, the device must be selected, with Chip Select (/CS) Low. Normally, the device is kept selected, for the whole duration of the Hold condition. Deselecting the device while it is in the Hold condition, has the effect of resetting the state of the device, and this mechanism can be used if it is required to reset any processes that had been in progress. The Hold condition starts when the Hold (/HOLD) signal is driven Low at the same time as Serial Clock (CLK) already being Low (as shown in Figure 4).

The Hold condition ends when the Hold (HOLD) signal is driven High at the same time as Serial Clock (C) already being Low. Figure 4 also shows what happens if the rising and falling edges are not timed to coincide with Serial Clock (CLK) being Low.



## Figure 4. Hold condition activation

#### 9.4 Status Register

#### 9.4.1 **Status Register Table**

See Table 3 and Table 4 for detail description of the Status Register bits. Status Register-2 (SR2) and Status Register-1 (SR1) can be used to provide status on the availability of the Flash memory array, if the device is write enabled or disabled the state of write protection, Quad SPI setting, Security Register lock status, and Erase/Program Suspend status.

BIT	Name	Function	Default Value	Description			
7	SUS	Suspend Status	0	0 = Erase/Program not suspended 1 = Erase/Program suspended			
6	СМР	Complement Protect	0	0 = Normal Protection Map 1 = Inverted Protection Map			
5	LB3	Security	0	OTP Lock Bits 3:1 for Security Registers 3:1			
4	LB2	Register	0	0 = Security Register not protected			
3	3 LB1 Lock Bits		0	1 = Security Register protected			
2	Reserved	Reserved	0				
1	QE	Quad Enable	0	0 = Quad Mode Not Enabled, the /WP pin and /HOLD are enabled. 1 = Quad Mode Enabled, the IO2 and IO3 pins are enabled, and /WP and /HOLD functions are disabled			
0	SRP1	Status Resister Protect 1	0	0 = SRPO selects whether /WP input has effect on protection of the status register 1 = SRPO selects Power Supply Lock Down or OTP Lock Down mode			

Table 3.	Status	Register-2	(SR2)



Table 4. Status Register-1 (SR1)

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BIT	Name	Function	Default Value	Description
7	SRP0	Status Resister Protect 0	0	<ul> <li>0 = MP input has no effect or Power Supply Lock</li> <li>Down mode.</li> <li>1 = MP input can protect the Status Register or</li> <li>OTP Lock Down.</li> </ul>
6	SEC	Sector/Block Protect	0	0 = BP2-BP0 protect 64KB blocks 1 = BP2-BP0 protect 4KB sectors
5	ТВ	Top/Bottom Protect	0	0 = BP2-BP0 protect from the Top down 1 = BP2-BP0 protect from the Bottom up
4	BP2	Die els Drete et	0	
3	BP1	Block Protect Bits	0	000b = No protection
2	BP0	Dito	0	See <i>Table 6</i> and <i>Table 7</i> for protection ranges
1	WEL	Write Enable Latch	0	<ul> <li>0 = Not Write Enabled, no embedded operation can start</li> <li>1 = Write Enabled, embedded operation can start</li> </ul>
0	WIP	Write in Progress Status	0	0 = Not Busy, no embedded operation in progress 1 = Busy, embedded operation in progress

#### 9.4.2 The Status and Control Bits

#### 9.4.2.1 WIP bit

The Write in Progress (WIP) bit indicates whether the memory is busy in program/erase/write status register progress. When WIP bit sets to 1, means the device is busy in program/erase/write status register progress, when WIP bit sets 0, means the device is not in program/erase/write status register progress.

#### 9.4.2.2 WEL bit

The Write Enable Latch bit indicates the status of the internal Write Enable Latch. When set to 1 the internal Write Enable Latch is set, when set to 0 the internal Write Enable Latch is reset and no Write Status Register, Program or Erase instruction is accepted.

#### 9.4.2.3 SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0 bits

The Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits are non-volatile. They define the size of the area to be software protected against Program and Erase instructions. These bits are written with the Write Status Register instruction. When the Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits are set to 1, the relevant memory area (as defined in Table 6 and Table 7).becomes protected against Page Program, Sector Erase and Block Erase instructions. The Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits can be written provided that the Hardware Protected mode has not been set.



#### 9.4.2.4 SRP1,SRP0 bits

The Status Register Protect (SRP1 and SRP0) bits are non-volatile Read/Write bits in the status register. The SRP bits control the method of write protection: software protection, hardware protection, power supply lock-down or one time programmable protection.

#### 9.1.1.1 QEbit

The Quad Enable (QE) bit is a non-volatile Read/Write bit in the Status Register that allows Quad operation. When the QE bit is set to 0 (Default) the /WP pin and /HOLD pin are enable. When the QE pin is set to 1, the Quad IO2 and IO3 pins are enabled. (The QE bit should never be set to 1 during standard SPI or Dual SPI operation if the /WP or /HOLD pins directly to the power supply or ground).

#### 9.4.2.6 LB3/LB2/LB1Bit

The LB bit is a non-volatile One Time Program (OTP) bit in Status Register that provide the write protect control and status to the Security Registers. The default state of LB is 0, the security registers are unlocked. LB can be set to 1 individually using the Write Register instruction. LB is One Time Programmable, once it's set to 1, the 256byte Security Registers will become read-only permanently, LB3/2/1 for Security Registers 3:1.

#### 9.4.2.7 CMPbit

The CMP bit is a non-volatile Read/Write bit in the Status Register2 (bit6). It is used in conjunction the SEC-BPO bits to provide more flexibility for the array protection. Please see the Status registers Memory Protection table for details. The default setting is CMP=0.

#### 9.4.2.8 SUSbit

The SUS bit is a read only bit in the status register2 (bit7) that is set to 1 after executing an Erase/Program Suspend (75H) instruction. The SUS bit is cleared to 0 by Erase/Program Resume (7AH) instruction as well as a power-down, power-up cycle.



#### Status Register Protect Table 9.4.3

SRP1	SRP0	/WP	Status Register	Description
0	0	х	Software	The Status Register can be written to after a Write
			Protected	Enable instruction, WEL=1.(Factory Default)
	4		Hardware	/WP=0, the Status Register locked and cannot be
0	I	0	Protected	written.
0	1	1	Hardware Unprotected	/WP=1, the Status Register is unlocked and can be written to after a Write Enable instruction, WEL=1.
1	0	x	Power Supply Lock-Down(1)	Status Register is protected and cannot be written to again until the next Power-Down, Power-Up cycle.
1	1	х	One Time Program (2)	Status Register is permanently protected and cannot be written to.

#### Table 5. Status Register protect Table

#### Notes:

1.When SRP1, SRP0= (1, 0), a Power-Down, Power-Up cycle will change SRP1, SRP0 to (0, 0) state.

2. The One time Program feature is available upon special order. Please contact Paragon Microelectronics for details.

### 9.4.4 Write Protect Features

- Software Protection: The Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits define the section of the memory 1. array that can be read but not change.
- Hardware Protection: /WP going low to protected the BP0~SEC bits and SRP0~1 bits. 2.
- 3. Deep Power-Down: In Deep Power-Down Mode, all instructions are ignored except the Release from deep Power-Down Mode instruction.
- Write Enable: The Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit must be set prior to every Page Program, Sector Erase, 4. Block Erase, Chip Erase, Write Status Register and Erase/Program Security Registers instruction.

## 9.4.5 Status Register Memory Protection

#### 9.4.5.1 Protect Table

 Table 6. PN25F16 Status Register Memory Protection (CMP=0)

Status Register Content					Memory Content			
SEC	ТВ	BP2	BP1	BP0	Blocks	Addresses	Density	Portion
Х	Х	0	0	0	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
0	0	0	0	1	31	1F0000H-1FFFFFH	64KB	Upper 1/32
0	0	0	1	0	30 to 31	1E0000H-1FFFFFH	128KB	Upper 1/16
0	0	0	1	1	28 to 31	1C0000H-1FFFFFH	256KB	Upper 1/8
0	0	1	0	0	24 to 31	180000H-1FFFFFH	512KB	Upper 1/4
0	0	1	0	1	16 to 31	6 to 31 100000H-1FFFFH 1MB Upper 1		Upper 1/2
0	1	0	0	1	0	000000H-00FFFH 64KB Lower		Lower 1/32
0	1	0	1	0	0 to 1	000000H-01FFFH 128KB Lowe		Lower 1/16
0	1	0	1	1	0 to 3	000000H-03FFFFH 256KB Lowe		Lower 1/8
0	1	1	0	0	0 to 7	000000H-07FFFH	512KB	Lower 1/4
0	1	1	0	1	0 to 15	000000H-0FFFFH	1MB	Lower 1/2
Х	Х	1	1	Х	0 to 31	000000H-1FFFFFH	2MB	ALL
1	0	0	0	1	31	1FF000H-1FFFFFH	4KB	Top Block
1	0	0	1	0	31	1FE000H-1FFFFFH	8KB	Top Block
1	0	0	1	1	31	1FC000H-1FFFFFH	16KB	Top Block
1	0	1	0	Х	31	1F8000H-1FFFFFH	32KB	Top Block
1	1	0	0	1	0	000000H-000FFFH	4KB	Bottom Block
1	1	0	1	0	0	000000H-001FFFH	8KB	Bottom Block
1	1	0	1	1	0	000000H-003FFFH	16KB	Bottom Block
1	1	1	0	Х	0	000000H-007FFFH	32KB	Bottom Block

#### Table 7. PN25F16 Status Register Memory Protection (CMP=1)

Status Register Content Memory Content								
SEC	тв	BP2	BP1	BP0	Blocks	Addresses Density		Portion
Х	Х	0	0	0	0 to 31	000000H-1FFFFFH	2MB	ALL
0	0	0	0	1	0 to 30	000000H-1EFFFFH	1984KB	Lower 31/32
0	0	0	1	0	0 to 29	000000H-1DFFFFH	1920KB	Lower 15/16
0	0	0	1	1	0 to 27	000000H-1BFFFFH	1792KB	Lower 7/8
0	0	1	0	0	0 to 23	000000H-17FFFFH	1536KB	Lower 3/4
0	0	1	0	1	0 to 15	000000H-0FFFFFH	1MB	Lower 1/2
0	1	0	0	1	1 to 31	010000H-1FFFFH 1984KE		Upper 31/32
0	1	0	1	0	2 to 31	020000H-1FFFFH 1920KB		Upper 15/16
0	1	0	1	1	4 to 31	040000H-1FFFFH 1792KB		Upper 7/8
0	1	1	0	0	8 to 31	080000H-1FFFFFH	1536KB	Upper 3/4
0	1	1	0	1	16 to 31	100000H-1FFFFFH	1MB	Upper 1/2
Х	Х	1	1	Х	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
1	0	0	0	1	0 to 31	000000H-1FEFFFH	2044KB	L - 511/512
1	0	0	1	0	0 to 31	000000H-1FDFFFH	2040KB	L - 255/256
1	0	0	1	1	0 to 31	000000H-1FBFFFH	2032KB	L - 127/128
1	0	1	0	Х	0 to 31	000000H-1F7FFFH	2016KB	L - 63/64
1	1	0	0	1	0 to 31	001000H-1FFFFFH	2044KB	U - 511/512
1	1	0	1	0	0 to 31	002000H-1FFFFFH	2040KB	U - 255/256
1	1	0	1	1	0 to 31	004000H-1FFFFFH	2032KB	U - 127/128
1	1	1	0	Х	0 to 31	008000H-1FFFFFH	2016KB	U - 63/64

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## 10. Device ID

Three legacy Instructions are supported to access device identification that can indicate the manufacturer, device type, and capacity (density). The returned data bytes provide the information as shown in the below table.

#### Table 8. PN25F16 ID Definition table

Operation Code	M7-M0	ID15-ID8	ID7-ID0
9FH	EO	40	15
90H	EO		14
ABH			14

## 11. Instructions Description

All instructions, addresses and data are shifted in and out of the device, beginning with the most significant bit on the first rising edge of CLK after /CS is driven low. Then, the one byte instruction code must be shifted in to the device, most significant bit first on SI, each bit being latched on the rising edges of CLK.

See Table 9, every instruction sequence starts with a one-byte instruction code. Depending on the instruction, this might be followed by address bytes, or by data bytes, or by both or none. /CS must be driven high after the last bit of the instruction sequence has been shifted in. For the instruction of Read, Fast Read, Read Status Register or Release from Deep Power Down, and Read Device ID, the shifted-in instruction sequence is followed by a data out sequence. /CS can be driven high after any bit of the data-out sequence is being shifted out.

For the instruction of Page Program, Sector Erase, Block Erase, Chip Erase, Write Status Register, Write Enable, Write Disable or Deep Power-Down instruction, /CS must be driven high exactly at a byte boundary, otherwise the instruction is rejected, and is not executed. That is /CS must driven high when the number of clock pulses after /CS being driven low is an exact multiple of eight. For Page Program, if at any time the input byte is not a full byte, nothing will happen and WEL will not be reset.



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Table 9. Instruction Set	Table					
Instruction Name	Byte 1	Byte 2	Byte 3	Byte 4	Byte 5	Byte 6
Write Enable	06H					
Write Disable	04H					
Read Status	05H	(S7-S0)				
Register-1						
Read Status	35H	(S15-S8)				
Register-2						
Write Enable for Volatile Status	5011					
Register	50H					
Write Status Register	01H	(S7-S0)	(S15-S8)			
Read Data	03H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	(D7-D0)	Next byte
Fast Read	0BH	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	dummy	(D7-D0)
Dual Output Fast	3BH	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	dummy	(D7-D0) <sup>(1)</sup>
Read	0211	/ 20 / 110		7.1.7.10	aanny	(2. 20)
		$100 10^{(2)}$	A7-A0	$(D_{7}, D_{2})^{(1)}$		1
Dual I/O Fast Read	BBH	A23-A8 <sup>(2)</sup>	M7-M0 <sup>(2)</sup>	(D7-D0) <sup>(1)</sup>		
Quad Output Fast	6BH	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	dummy	(D7-D0) <sup>(3)</sup>
Read						
Quad I/O Fast Read	EBH	A23-A0 M7-M0 <sup>(4)</sup>	dummy	(D7-D0) <sup>(5)</sup>		
Continuous Read	FFH	FFH				
Reset						
Page Program	02H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	(D7-D0)	Next byte
Sector Erase	20H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0		
Block Erase(32K)	52H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0		
Block Erase(64K)	D8H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0		
Chip Erase	C7/60H					
Program/Erase	75H					
Suspend						
Program/Erase	7AH					
Resume						
Deep Power-Down	B9H					
Release From Deep Power-Down, And Read Device ID	ABH	dummy	dummy	dummy	(ID7-ID0)	
Release From Deep Power-Down	ABH					
Manufacturer/ Device ID	90H	dummy	dummy	00H	(M7-M0)	(ID7-ID0)
JEDEC ID	9FH	(M7-M0)	(ID15-ID8)	(ID7-ID0)		
Erase Security Registers <sup>(6)</sup>	44H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0		
Program Security Registers <sup>(6)</sup>	42H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	(D7-D0)	(D7-D0)
Read Security Registers <sup>(6)</sup>	48H	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0	dummy	(D7-D0)



#### Notes:

1. Dual Output data IO0 = (D6, D4, D2, D0) IO1 = (D7, D5, D3, D1) 2. Dual Input Address IO0 = A22, A20, A18, A16, A14, A12, A10, A8, A6, A4, A2, A0, M6, M4, M2, M0 IO1 = A23, A21, A19, A17, A15, A13, A11, A9, A7, A5, A3, A1, M7, M5, M3 3. Quad Output Data IO0 = (D4, D0, ....)IO1 = (D5, D1, ....)IO2 = (D6, D2, ....)IO3 = (D7, D3, ....)4. Quad Input Address IO0 = A20, A16, A12, A8, A4, A0, M4, M0 IO1 = A21, A17, A13, A9, A5, A1, M5, M1 IO2 = A22, A18, A14, A10, A6, A2, M6, M2 IO3 = A23, A19, A15, A11, A7, A3, M7, M3 5. Fast Read Quad I/O Data IOO = (x, x, x, x, D4, D0,...)IO1 = (x, x, x, x, D5, D1,...) IO2 = (x, x, x, x, D6, D2,...)IO3 = (x, x, x, x, D7, D3,...) 6. Security Registers Address: Security Register0: A23-A16=00h, A15-A8=00h, A7-A0= Byte Address; Security Register1: A23-A16=00h, A15-A8=01h, A7-A0= Byte Address; Security Register2: A23-A16=00h, A15-A8=02h, A7-A0= Byte Address; Security Register3: A23-A16=00h, A15-A8=03h, A7-A0= Byte Address;

Security Register 0 can be used to store the Flash Discoverable Parameters,

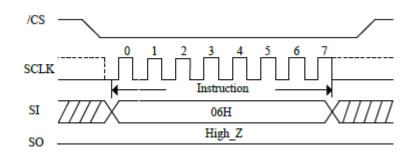
The feature is upon special order, please contact Paragon Microelectronics for details.

## **12.1 Configuration and Status**

## 12.1.1 Write Enable (06H)

*See Figure 5*, the Write Enable instruction is for setting the Write Enable Latch bit. The Write Enable Latch bit must be set prior to every Page Program, Sector Erase, Block Erase, Chip Erase and Write Status Register instruction. The Write Enable instruction sequence: /CS goes low sending the Write Enable instruction /CS goes high.

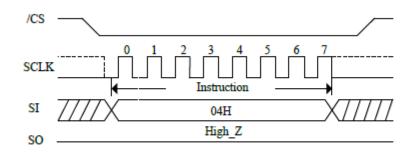
Figure 5. Write Enable Sequence Diagram



### 12.1.2 Write Disable (04H)

*See Figure 6*, the Write Disable instruction is for resetting the Write Enable Latch bit. The Write Disable instruction sequence: /CS goes low Sending the Write Disable instruction /CS goes high. The WEL bit is reset by following condition: Power-up and upon completion of the Write Status Register, Page Program, Sector Erase, Block Erase and Chip Erase instructions.

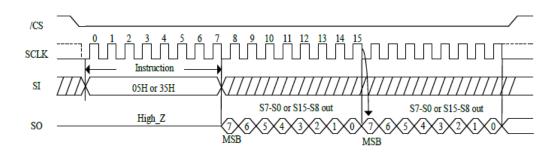
Figure 6. Write Disable Sequence Diagram



## 12.1.3 Read Status Register (05H or 35H)

*See Figure* **7** the Read Status Register (RDSR) instruction is for reading the Status Register. The Status Register may be read at any time, even while a Program, Erase or Write Status Register cycle is in progress. When one of these cycles is in progress, it is recommended to check the Write in Progress (WIP) bit before sending a new instruction to the device. It is also possible to read the Status Register continuously. For instruction code "05H", the SO will output Status Register bits S7~S0. The instruction code "35H", the SO will output Status Register bits S15~S8.

#### Figure 7. Read Status Register Sequence Diagram



## 12.1.4 Write Status Register (01H)

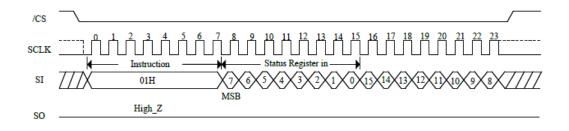
*See Figure 8,* the Write Status Register instruction allows new values to be written to the Status Register. Before it can be accepted, a Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed. After the Write Enable instruction has been decoded and executed, the device sets the Write Enable Latch (WEL).

The Write Status Register instruction has no effect on S15, S1 and S0 of the Status Register. /CS must be driven high after the eighth or sixteen bit of the data byte has been latched in. If not, the Write Status Register instruction is not executed. If /CS is driven high after eighth bit of the data byte, the CMP and QE and SRP1 bits will be cleared to 0. As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Write Status Register cycle (whose duration is tW) is initiated. While the Write Status Register cycle is in progress, the Status Register may still be read to check the value of the Write in Progress (WIP) bit. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Write Status Register cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. When the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch is reset.

The Write Status Register instruction allows the user to change the values of the Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits, to define the size of the area that is to be treated as read-only, as defined in Table 3. The Write Status Register instruction also allows the user to set or reset the Status Register Protect (SRP1 and SRP0) bits in accordance with the Write Protect (/WP) signal. The Status Register Protect (SRP1 and SRP0) bits and Write Protect (/WP) signal allow the device to be put in the Hardware Protected Mode. The Write Status Register instruction is not executed once the Hardware Protected Mode is entered.



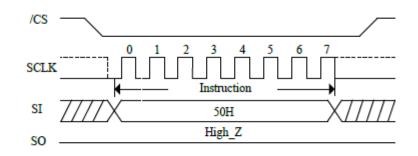
#### Figure 8. Write Status Register Sequence Diagram



## 12.1.5 Write Enable for Volatile Status Register (50H)

*See Figure 9,* the non-volatile Status Register bits can also be written to as volatile bits. During power up reset, the non-volatile Status Register bits are copied to a volatile version of the Status Register that is used during device operation. This gives more flexibility to change the system configuration and memory protection schemes quickly without waiting for the typical non-volatile bit write cycles or affecting the endurance of the Status Register non-volatile bits. To write the volatile version of the Status Register bits, the Write Enable for Volatile Status Register (50h) instruction must be issued prior to each Write Status Registers (01h) instruction. Write Enable for Volatile Status Register instruction will not set the Write Enable Latch bit, it is only valid for the next following Write Status Registers instruction, to change the volatile Status Register bit values.

Figure 9. Write Enable for Volatile Status Register Sequence Diagram

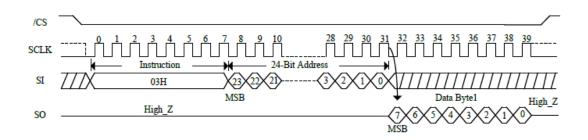


## 12.2 Read Instructions

## 12.1.1Read Data (03H)

*See Figure 10*, the Read Data Bytes (READ) instruction is followed by a 3-byte address (A23-A0), each bit being latched-in during the rising edge of CLK. Then the memory content, at that address, is shifted out on SO, each bit being shifted out, at a Max frequency fR, during the falling edge of CLK. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out allowing for a continuous stream of data. This means that the entire memory can be accessed with a single command as long as the clock continues. The command is completed by driving /CS high. The whole memory can be read with a single Read Data Bytes (READ) instruction. Any Read Data Bytes (READ) instruction, while an Erase, Program or Write cycle is in progress, is rejected without having any effects on the cycle that is in progress. Normal read mode running up to 50MHz.

Figure 10. Read Data Bytes Sequence Diagram



## 12.1.2 Fast Read (OBH)

*See Figure 11*, the Read Data Bytes at Higher Speed (Fast Read) instruction is for quickly reading data out. It is followed by a 3-byte address (A23-A0) and a dummy byte, each bit being latched-in during the rising edge of CLK. Then the memory content, at that address, is shifted out on SO, each bit being shifted out, at a Max frequency fc, during the falling edge of CLK. The first byte addressed can be at any location. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out.

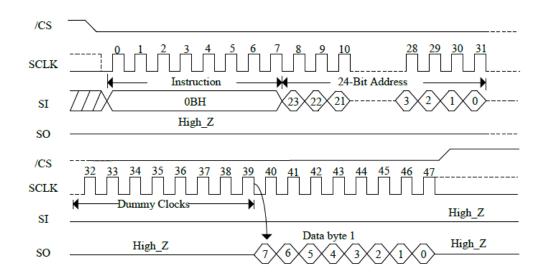


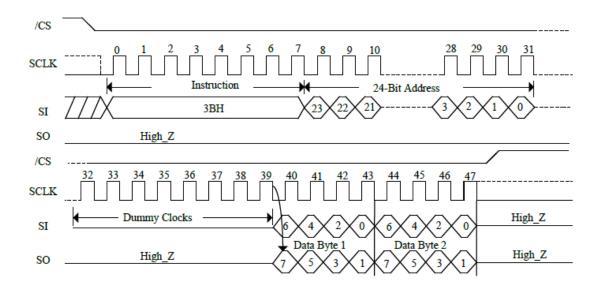
Figure 11. Fast Read Sequence Diagram



## 12.1.3 Dual Output Fast Read (3BH)

*See Figure 12*, the Dual Output Fast Read instruction is followed by 3-byte address (A23-A0) and a dummy byte, each bit being latched in during the rising edge of CLK, then the memory contents are shifted out 2-bit per clock cycle from SI and SO. The first byte addressed can be at any location. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out.

Figure 12. Dual Output Fast Read Sequence Diagram

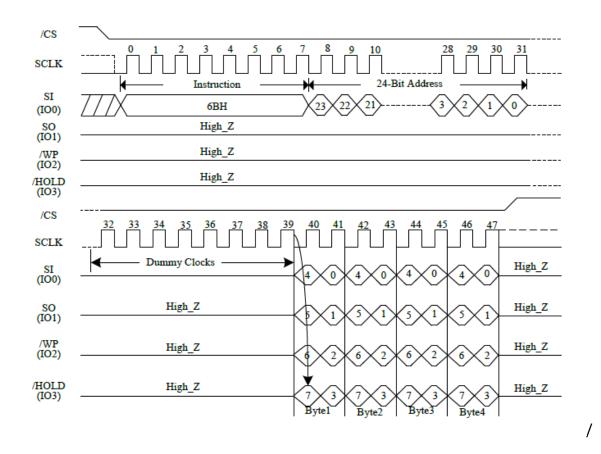




## 12.1.4 Quad Output Fast Read (6BH)

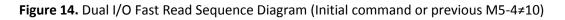
*See Figure 13*, the Quad Output Fast Read instruction is followed by 3-byte address (A23-A0) and a dummy byte, each bit being latched in during the rising edge of CLK, then the memory contents are shifted out 4-bit per clock cycle from IO3, IO2, IO1 and IO0. The first byte addressed can be at any location. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out.

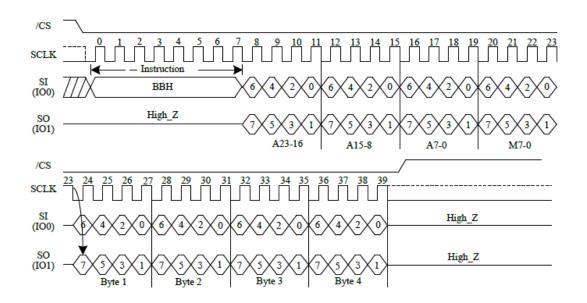




## 12.1.5 Dual I/O Fast Read (BBH)

*See Figure* 14, the Dual I/O Fast Read instruction is similar to the Dual Output Fast Read instruction but with the capability to input the 3-byte address (A23-0) and a "Continuous Read Mode" byte 2-bit per clock by SI and SO, each bit being latched in during the rising edge of CLK, then the memory contents are shifted out 2-bit per clock cycle from SI and SO. The first byte addressed can be at any location. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out.







### 12.1.6 Dual I/O Fast Read with "Continuous Read Mode"

The Fast Read Dual I/O command can further reduce instruction overhead through setting the "Continuous Read Mode" bits (M7-0) after the input Address bits (A23-0), as shown in Figure 14. The upper nibble of the (M7-4) controls the length of the next Fast Read Dual I/O command through the inclusion or exclusion of the first byte instruction code. The lower nibble bits of the (M3-0) are don't care ("x"). However, the IO pins should be high-impedance prior to the falling edge of the first data out clock. If the "Continuous Read Mode" bits M5-4 = (1,0), then the next Fast Read Dual I/O command (after /CS is raised and then lowered) does not require the BBH instruction code, as shown in *Figure 15*. This reduces the command sequence by eight clocks and allows the Read address to be immediately entered after /CS is raised and then lowered) requires the first byte instruction code, thus returning to normal operation. A "Continuous Read Mode" Reset command can also be used to reset (M7-0) before issuing normal commands (see Continuous Read Mode Reset (FFH or FFFFH)).

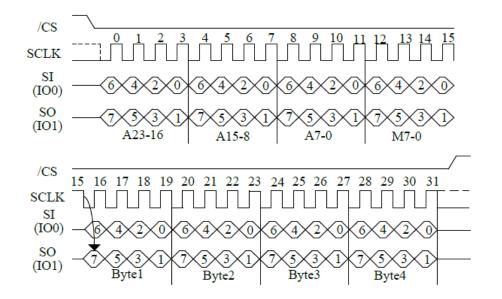
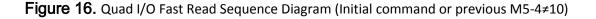


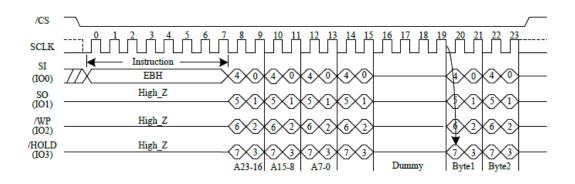
Figure 15. Dual I/O Fast Read Sequence Diagram (Previous command set M5-4 =10)



## 12.1.7 Quad I/O Fast Read (EBH)

*See Figure 16*, the Quad I/O Fast Read instruction is similar to the Dual I/O Fast Read instruction but with the capability to input the 3-byte address (A23-0) and a "Continuous Read Mode" byte and 4-dummy clock 4-bit per clock by IOO, IO1, IO3, IO4, each bit being latched in during the rising edge of CLK, then the memory contents are shifted out 4-bit per clock cycle from IOO, IO1, IO2, IO3. The first byte addressed can be at any location. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out. The Quad Enable bit (QE) of Status Register must be set to enable for the Quad I/O Fast read instruction.







### 12.1.8 Quad I/O Fast Read with "Continuous Read Mode"

The Fast Read Quad I/O command can further reduce instruction overhead through setting the "Continuous Read Mode" bits (M7-0) after the input Address bits (A23-0), as shown in *Figure 16*, The upper nibble of the (M7-4) controls the length of the next Fast Read Quad I/O command through the inclusion or exclusion of the first byte instruction code. The lower nibble bits of the (M3-0) are don't care ("x"). However, the IO pins should be high-impedance prior to the falling edge of the first data out clock. If the "Continuous Read Mode" bits M5-4 = (1,0), then the next Fast Read Quad I/O command (after /CS is raised and then lowered) does not require the EBH instruction code, as shown in *Figure 17*, This reduces the command sequence by eight clocks and allows the Read address to be immediately entered after /CS is raised and then lowered) requires the first byte instruction code, thus returning to normal operation. A "Continuous Read Mode" Reset command can also be used to reset (M7-0) before issuing normal commands (see Continuous Read Mode Reset (FFH or FFFFH)).

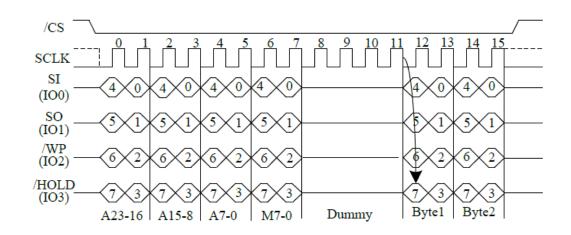


Figure 17. Quad I/O Fast Read Sequence Diagram (Previous command set M5-4 =10)



## 12.2.9 Continuous Read Mode Reset (FFH or FFFFH)

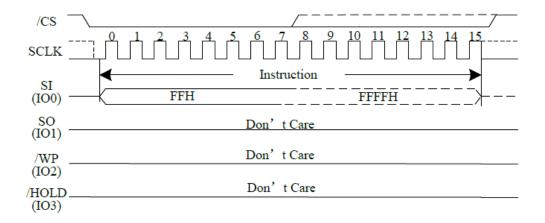
The "Continuous Read Mode" bits are used in conjunction with "Fast Read Dual I/O" and "Fast Read Quad I/O" Instructions to provide the highest random Flash memory access rate with minimum SPI instruction overhead, thus allowing more efficient XIP (execute in place) with this device family.

The "Continuous Read Mode" bits M7-0 are set by the Dual/Quad I/O Read Instructions. M5-4 are used to control whether the 8-bit SPI instruction code (BBh or EBh) is needed or not for the next instruction. When M5-4 = (1,0), the next instruction will be treated the same as the current Dual/Quad I/O Read instruction without needing the 8-bit instruction code; when M5-4 do not equal to (1,0), the device returns to normal SPI instruction mode, in which all instructions can be accepted. M7-6 and M3-0 are reserved bits for future use, either 0 or 1 values can be used.

*See Figure 18,* the Continuous Read Mode Reset instruction (FFh or FFFFh) can be used to set M4 = 1, thus the device will release the Continuous Read Mode and return to normal SPI operation.

To reset "Continuous Read Mode" during Quad I/O operation, only eight clocks are needed. The instruction is "FFh". To reset "Continuous Read Mode" during Dual I/O operation, sixteen clocks are needed to shift in instruction "FFFFh

Figure 18. Continuous Read Mode Reset Sequence Diagram





## 12.2.10 Fast Read Quad I/O with "8/16/32/64-Byte Wrap Around"

The Fast Read Quad I/O instruction can also be used to access a specific portion within a page by issuing a "Set Burst with Wrap" (77h) instruction prior to EBh. The "Set Burst with Wrap" (77h) instruction can either enable or disable the "Wrap Around" feature for the following EBh instructions. When "Wrap Around" is enabled, the data being accessed can be limited to either an 8, 16, 32 or 64-byte section of a 256-byte page. The output data starts at the initial address specified in the instruction, once it reaches the ending boundary of the 8/16/32/64-byte section, the output will wrap around to the beginning boundary automatically until /CS is pulled high to terminate the instruction.

The Burst with Wrap feature allows applications that use cache to quickly fetch a critical address and then fill the cache afterwards within a fixed length (8/16/32/64-byte) of data without issuing multiple read instructions.

The "Set Burst with Wrap" instruction allows three "Wrap Bits", W6-4 to be set. The W4 bit is used to enable or disable the "Wrap Around" operation while W6-5 are used to specify the length of the wrap around section within a page.

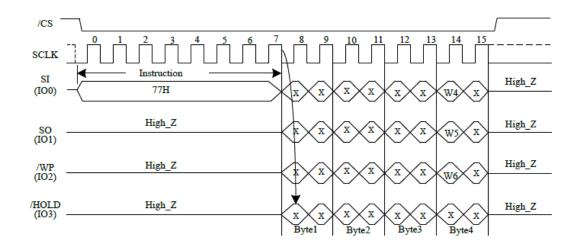
Similar to a Quad I/O instruction, the Set Burst with Wrap instruction is initiated by driving the /CS pin low and then shifting the instruction code "77h" followed by 24 dummy bits and 8 "Wrap Bits", W7-0. Wrap bit W7 and the lower nibble W3-0 are not used.

Once W6-4 is set by a Set Burst with Wrap instruction, all the following "Fast Read Quad I/O" and "Word Read Quad I/O" instructions will use the W6-4 setting to access the 8/16/32/64-byte section within any page. To exit the "Wrap Around" function and return to normal read operation, another Set Burst with Wrap instruction should be issued to set W4=1. The default value of W4 upon power on is 1

W6	W5	W4 = 0		W4 =1 (DEFAULT)	
		Wrap Around	Wrap Length	Wrap Around	Wrap Length
0	0	Yes	8-byte	No	N/A
0	1	Yes	16-byte	No	N/A
1	0	Yes	32-byte	No	N/A
1	1	Yes	64-byte	No	N/A



Figure 19. Set Burst with Wrap Command Sequence



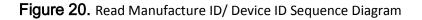


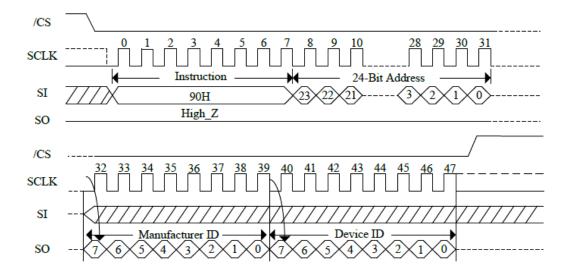
## 12.2 ID and Security Instructions

## 12.2.1 Read Manufacture ID/ Device ID (90H)

*See Figure 20*, the Read Manufacturer/Device ID instruction is an alternative to the Release from Power-Down/Device ID instruction that provides both the JEDEC assigned Manufacturer ID and the specific Device ID.

The instruction is initiated by driving the /CS pin low and shifting the instruction code "90H" followed by a 24-bit address (A23-A0) of 000000H. If the 24-bit address is initially set to 000001H, the Device ID will be read first.





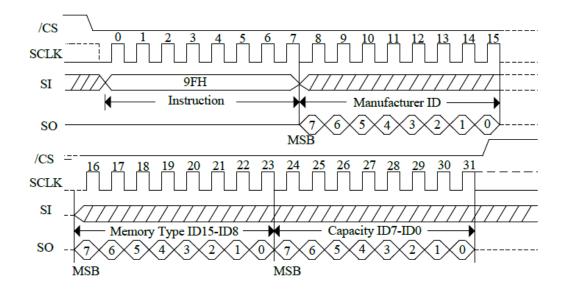


## 12.2.2 JEDEC ID (9FH)

The JEDEC ID instruction allows the 8-bit manufacturer identification to be read, followed by two bytes of device identification. The device identification indicates the memory type in the first byte, and the memory capacity of the device in the second byte. JEDEC ID instruction while an Erase or Program cycle is in progress, is not decoded, and has no effect on the cycle that is in progress. The JEDEC ID instruction should not be issued while the device is in Deep Power-Down Mode.

*See Figure 21*, he device is first selected by driving /CS to low. Then, the 8-bit instruction code for the instruction is shifted in. This is followed by the 24-bit device identification, stored in the memory, being shifted out on Serial Data Output, each bit being shifted out during the falling edge of Serial Clock. The JEDEC ID instruction is terminated by driving /CS to high at any time during data output. When /CS is driven high, the device is put in the Standby Mode. Once in the Standby Mode, the device waits to be selected, so that it can receive, decode and execute instructions.

#### Figure 21. JEDEC ID Sequence Diagram



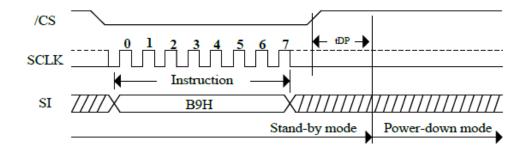


## 12.2.3 Deep Power-Down (B9H)

Although the standby current during normal operation is relatively low, standby current can be further reduced with the Deep Power-down instruction. The lower power consumption makes the Deep Power-down (DPD) instruction especially useful for battery powered applications (see ICC1 and ICC2). The instruction is initiated by driving the /CS pin low and shifting the instruction code "B9h" as shown in *Figure 22*.

The /CS pin must be driven high after the eighth bit has been latched. If this is not done the Deep Power down instruction will not be executed. After /CS is driven high, the power-down state will entered within the time duration of tDP. While in the power-down state only the Release from Deep Power-down / Device ID instruction, which restores the device to normal operation, will be recognized. All other Instructions are ignored. This includes the Read Status Register instruction, which is always available during normal operation. Ignoring all but one instruction also makes the Power Down state a useful condition for securing maximum write protection. The device always powers-up in the normal operation with the standby current of ICC1.

Figure 22. Deep Power-Down Sequence Diagram



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## 12.2.4 Release from Deep Power-Down/Read Device ID (ABH)

The Release from Power-Down or Device ID instruction is a multi-purpose instruction. It can be used to release the device from the Power-Down state or obtain the devices electronic identification (ID) number.

*See Figure 23a*, to release the device from the Power-Down state, the instruction is issued by driving the /CS pin low, shifting the instruction code "ABH" and driving /CS high Release from Power-Down will take the time duration of tRES1 (See AC Characteristics) before the device will resume normal operation and other instruction are accepted. The /CS pin must remain high during the tRES1 time duration.

When used only to obtain the Device ID while not in the Power-Down state, the instruction is initiated by driving the /CS pin low and shifting the instruction code "ABH" followed by 3-dummy byte. The Device ID bits are then shifted out on the falling edge of CLK with most significant bit (MSB) first as shown in Figure 23b. The Device ID value for the PN25F16 is listed in Manufacturer and Device Identification table. The Device ID can be read continuously. The instruction is completed by driving /CS high.

When used to release the device from the Power-Down state and obtain the Device ID, the instruction is the same as previously described, and shown in *Figure 23b*, except that after /CS is driven high it must remain high for a time duration of tRES2 (See AC Characteristics). After this time duration the device will resume normal operation and other instruction will be accepted. If the Release from Power-Down/Device ID instruction is issued while an Erase, Program or Write cycle is in process (when WIP equal 1) the instruction is ignored and will not have any effects on the current cycle.

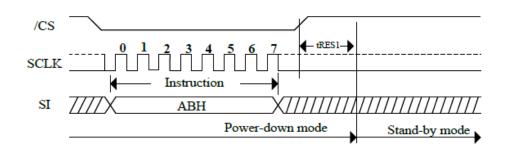
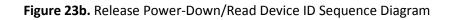
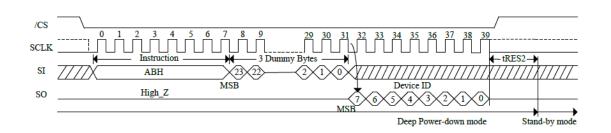


Figure 23a. Release Power-Down Sequence Diagram

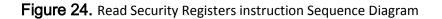


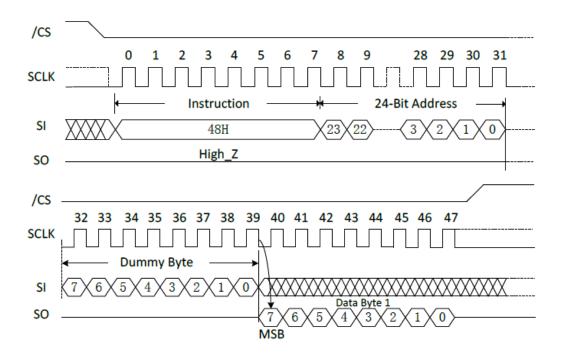


## 12.2.5 Read Security Registers (48H)

*See Figure 24*, the Read Security Registers instruction is similar to Fast Read instruction. The instruction is followed by a 3-byte address (A23-A0) and a dummy byte, each bit being latched-in during the rising edge of CLK. Then the memory content, at that address, is shifted out on SO, each bit being shifted out, at a Max frequency fC, during the falling edge of CLK. The first byte addressed can be at any location. The address is automatically incremented to the next higher address after each byte of data is shifted out. Once the A9-A0 address reaches the last byte of the register (Byte 3FFH), it will reset to 000H, the instruction is completed by driving /CS high.

Address	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0
Security Registers 1	00H	01H	Byte Address
Security Registers 2	00H	02H	Byte Address
Security Registers 3	00H	03H	Byte Address





## 12.2.6 Erase Security Registers (44H)

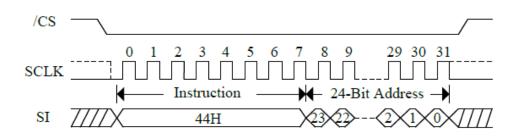
The PN25F16 provides three 256-byte Security Registers which can be erased and programmed individually. These registers may be used by the system manufacturers to store security and other important information separately from the main memory array.

*See Figure 25,* the Erase Security Registers instruction is similar to Sector/Block Erase instruction. A Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed to set the Write Enable Latch bit.

The Erase Security Registers instruction sequence: /CS goes low sending Erase Security Registers instruction /CS goes high. /CS must be driven high after the eighth bit of the instruction code has been latched in otherwise the Erase Security Registers instruction is not executed. As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Erase Security Registers cycle (whose duration is tSE) is initiated. While the Erase Security Registers cycle is in progress, the Status Register may be read to check the value of the Write In Progress (WIP) bit. The Write In Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Erase Security Registers cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. At some unspecified time before the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch bit is reset. The Security Registers Lock Bit (LB) in the Status Register can be used to OTP protect the security registers. Once the LB bit is set to 1, the Security Registers will be permanently locked; the Erase Security Registers instruction will be ignored.

Address	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0
Security Registers 1	00H	01H	Don't Care
Security Registers 2	00H	02H	Don't Care
Security Registers 3	00H	03H	Don't Care

Figure 25. Erase Security Registers instruction Sequence Diagram



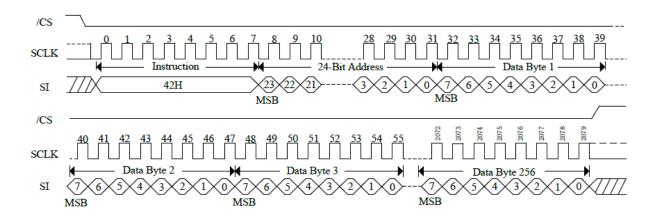
#### 12.2.7 Program Security Registers (42H)

See *Figure 26*, the Program Security Registers instruction is similar to the Page Program instruction. It allows from 1 to 256 bytes Security Registers data to be programmed. A Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed to set the Write Enable Latch bit before sending the Program Security Registers instruction. The Program Security Registers instruction is entered by driving /CS Low, followed by the instruction code (42H), three address bytes and at least one data byte on SI. As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Program Security Registers cycle (whose duration is tPP) is initiated. While the Program Security Registers cycle is in progress, the Status Register may be read to check the value of the Write In Progress (WIP) bit. The Write In Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Program Security Registers cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. At some unspecified time before the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch bit is reset.

If the Security Registers Lock Bit (LB3/LB2/LB1) is set to 1, the Security Registers will be permanently locked. Program Security Registers instruction will be ignored.

Address	A23-A16	A15-A8	A7-A0
Security Registers 1	00H	01H	Byte Address
Security Registers 2	00H	02H	Bvte Address
Security Registers 3	00H	03H	Byte Address

Figure 26. Program Security Registers instruction Sequence Diagram



# 12.3 Program and Erase Instructions

#### 12.3.1 Page Program (02H)

The Page Program instruction is for programming the memory. A Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed to set the Write Enable Latch bit before sending the Page Program instruction.

See Figure 27, the Page Program instruction is entered by driving /CS Low, followed by the instruction code, three address bytes and at least one data byte on SI. If the 8 least significant address bits (A7-A0) are not all zero, all transmitted data that goes beyond the end of the current page are programmed from the start address of the same page (from the address whose 8 least significant bits (A7-A0) are all zero). /CS must be driven low for the entire duration of the sequence. The Page Program instruction sequence: /CS goes low sending Page Program instruction 3-byte address on SI at least 1 byte data on SI /CS goes high. The instruction sequence is shown in Figure 16. If more than 256 bytes are sent to the device, previously latched data are discarded and the last 256 data bytes are guaranteed to be programmed correctly within the same page. If less than 256 data bytes are sent to device, they are correctly programmed at the requested addresses without having any effects on the other bytes of the same page. /CS must be driven high after the eighth bit of the last data byte has been latched in; otherwise the Page Program instruction is not executed.

As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Page Program cycle (whose duration is tPP) is initiated. While the Page Program cycle is in progress, the Status Register may be read to check the value of the Write in Progress (WIP) bit. The Write In Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Page Program cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. At some unspecified time before the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch bit is reset.

A Page Program instruction applied to a page which is protected by the Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) is not executed.

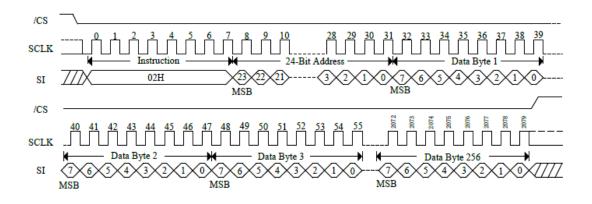


Figure 27. Page Program Sequence Diagram.



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#### 12.3.2 Sector Erase (20H)

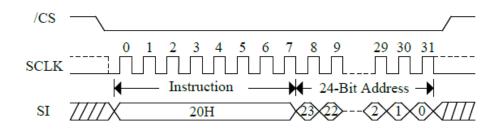
The Sector Erase instruction is for erasing the all data of the chosen sector. A Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed to set the Write Enable Latch bit. The Sector Erase instruction is entered by driving /CS low, followed by the instruction code, and 3-address byte on SI. Any address inside the sector is a valid address for the Sector Erase instruction. /CS must be driven low for the entire duration of the sequence.

*See Figure 28,* The Sector Erase instruction sequence: /CS goes low sending Sector Erase instruction 3-byte address on SI /CS goes high. The instruction sequence is shown in Figure 18.

/CS must be driven high after the eighth bit of the last address byte has been latched in; otherwise the Sector Erase instruction is not executed. As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Sector

Erase cycle (whose duration is tSE) is initiated. While the Sector Erase cycle is in progress, the Status Register may be read to check the value of the Write In Progress (WIP) bit. The Write In Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Sector Erase cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. At some unspecified time before the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch bit is reset. A Sector Erase instruction applied to a sector which is protected by the Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bit is not executed.

Figure 28. Sector Erase Sequence Diagram





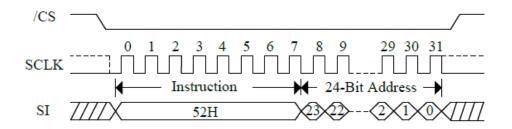
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#### 12.3.3 32KB Block Erase (52H)

The 32KB Block Erase instruction is for erasing the all data of the chosen block. A Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed to set the Write Enable Latch bit. The 32KB Block Erase instruction is entered by driving /CS low, followed by the instruction code, and three address bytes on SI. Any address inside the block is a valid address for the 32KB Block Erase instruction./CS must be driven low for the entire duration of the sequence.

See Figure 29, the 32KB Block Erase instruction sequence: /CS goes low sending 32KB Block Erase instruction 3-byte address on SI /CS goes high. The instruction sequence is shown in Figure19. /CS must be driven high after the eighth bit of the last address byte has been latched in; otherwise the 32KB Block Erase instruction is not executed. As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Block Erase cycle (whose duration is tBE) is initiated. While the Block Erase cycle is in progress, the Status Register may be read to check the value of the Write In Progress (WIP) bit. The Write In Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Block Erase cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. At some unspecified time before the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch bit is reset. A 32KB Block Erase instruction applied to a block which is protected by the Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits (see Table 6&7) is not executed.

Figure 29. 32KB Block Erase Sequence Diagram



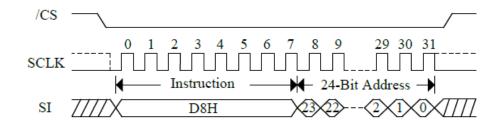


#### 12.3.4 64KB Block Erase (D8H)

The 64KB Block Erase instruction is for erasing the all data of the chosen block. A Write Enable instruction must previously have been executed to set the Write Enable Latch bit. The 64KB Block Erase instruction is entered by driving /CS low, followed by the instruction code, and three address bytes on SI. Any address inside the block is a valid address for the 64KB Block Erase instruction./CS must be driven low for the entire duration of the sequence.

See Figure 30, the 64KB Block Erase instruction sequence: /CS goes low sending 64KB Block Erase instruction 3-byte address on SI /CS goes high. The instruction sequence is shown in Figure20. /CS must be driven high after the eighth bit of the last address byte has been latched in; otherwise the 64KB Block Erase instruction is not executed. As soon as /CS is driven high, the self-timed Block Erase cycle (whose duration is tBE) is initiated. While the Block Erase cycle is in progress, the Status Register may be read to check the value of the Write In Progress (WIP) bit. The Write In Progress (WIP) bit is 1 during the self-timed Block Erase cycle, and is 0 when it is completed. At some unspecified time before the cycle is completed, the Write Enable Latch bit is reset. A 64KB Block Erase instruction applied to a block which is protected by the Block Protect (SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits (see Table 6&7) is not executed.

Figure 30. 64KB Block Erase Sequence Diagram





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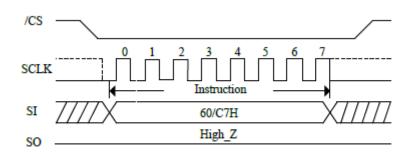
## 12.3.5 Chip Erase (60/C7H)

The Chip Erase instruction sets all memory within the device to the erased state of all 1s (FFh). Write Enable instruction must be executed before the device will accept the Chip Erase Instruction (Status Register bit WEL must equal 1). The instruction is initiated by driving the /CS pin low and shifting the instruction code "C7h" or "60h". The Chip Erase instruction sequence is shown in Figure 31.

The /CS pin must be driven high after the eighth bit has been latched. If this is not done the Chip Erase instruction will not be executed. After /CS is driven high, the self-timed Chip Erase instruction will commence for a time duration of tCE. While the Chip Erase cycle is in progress, the Read Status Register instruction may still be accessed to check the status of the WIP bit.

The WIP bit is a 1 during the Chip Erase cycle and becomes a 0 when finished and the device is ready to accept other Instructions again. After the Chip Erase cycle has finished the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit in the Status Register is cleared to 0. The Chip Erase instruction will not be executed if any page is protected by the Block Protect (CMP, SEC, TB, BP2, BP1, and BP0) bits (see *Table 6&7*).

Figure 31. Chip Erase Sequence Diagram



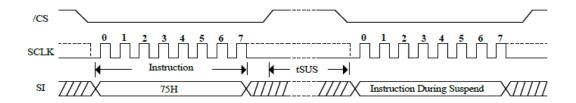


## 12.3.6 Erase / Program Suspend (75H)

The Erase/Program Suspend instruction allows the system to interrupt a Sector or Block Erase operation, then read from or program data to any other sector. The Erase/Program Suspend instruction also allows the system to interrupt a Page Program operation and then read from any other page or erase any other sector or block. The Erase/Program Suspend instruction sequence is shown in *Figure 32*.

The Write Status Registers instruction (01h) and Erase instructions (20h, D8h, C7h, 60h, 44h) are not allowed during Erase Suspend. Erase Suspend is valid only during the Sector or Block erase operation. If written during the Chip Erase operation, the Erase Suspend instruction is ignored. The Write Status Registers instruction (01h), and Program instructions (02h, 42h) are not allowed during Program Suspend. Program Suspend is valid only during the Page Program operation.

Figure 32. Erase/Program Suspend Command Sequence

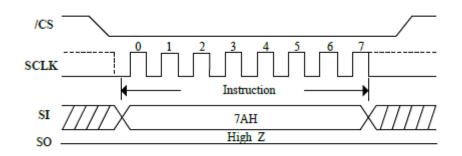


## 12.3.7 Erase / Program Resume (7AH)

The Erase/Program Resume instruction "7Ah" must be written to resume the Sector or Block Erase operation or the Page Program operation after an Erase/Program Suspend. The Resume instruction "7Ah" will be accepted by the device only if the SUS bit in the Status Register equals to 1 and the WIP bit equals to 0.

After the Resume instruction is issued the SUS bit will be cleared from 1 to 0 immediately, the WIP bit will be set from 0 to 1 within 200 ns and the Sector or Block will complete the erase operation or the page will complete the program operation. If the SUS bit equals to 0 or the WIP bit equals to 1, the Resume instruction "7Ah" will be ignored by the device. The Erase/Program Resume instruction sequence is shown in **Figure 33**.

Figure 33. Erase/Program Resume Command Sequence



# **13.Electrical Characteristics**

# 13.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

PARAMETERS	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	RANGE	UNIT
Supply Voltage	VCC		–0.5 to 4	V
Voltage Applied to Any Pin	VIO	Relative to Ground	–0.5 to 4	V
Transient Voltage on any Pin	VIOT	<20nS Transient Relative to Ground	-2.0V to VCC+2.0V	V
Storage Temperature	TSTG		–65 to +150	°C
Electrostatic Discharge Voltage	VESD	Human Body Model(1)	-2000 to +2000	V

#### Notes:

1.JEDEC Std JESD22-A114A (C1=100pF, R1=1500 ohms, R2=500 ohms)

# 13.2 Operating Ranges

PARAMETER	0,445.01		SF		
	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	MAX	UNIT
Supply Voltage	vcc	FR = 108MHz, fR = 50MHz	2.7	3.6	V
Temperature Operating	ТА	Commercial Industrial	0	+70	°C
			-40	+85	

## 13.3 Data Retention and Endurance

Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Units
	150°C	10	Years
Minimum Pattern Data Retention Time	125°C	20	Years
Erase/Program Endurance	-40 to 85°C	100K	Cycles

## 13.4 Latch Up Characteristics

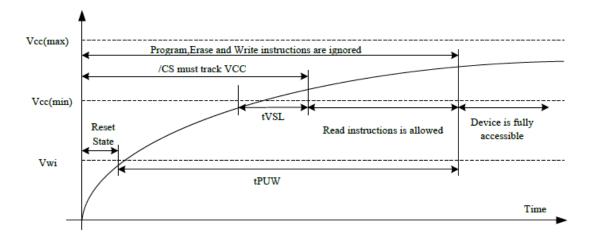
Parameter	Min	Max
Input Voltage Respect To VSS On I/O Pins	-1.0V	VCC+1.0V
VCC Current	-100mA	100mA



# 13.5 Power-up Timing

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Max	Unit
tVSL	VCC(min) To /CS Low	10		us
tPUW	Time Delay From VCC(min) To Write Instruction	1	10	ms
VWI	Write Inhibit Voltage VCC(min)	1	2.5	V

Figure 34. Power-up Timing and Voltage Levels



# 13.6 DC Electrical Characteristics

(T= -40 °C~85 °C , VCC=2.7~3.6V)

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min.	Тур	Max.	Unit.
ILI	Input Leakage Current				±2	μA
ILO	Output Leakage Current				±2	μA
ICC1	Standby Current	/CS=VCC, VIN=VCC or VSS		10	25	μA
ICC2	Deep Power-Down Current	/CS=VCC, VIN=VCC or VSS		1	5	μΑ
	Current: Read Single/Dual/Quad 1MHz			3/4/5	3.5/5/6	mA
	ICC3 Current: Read Single/Dual/Quad 33MHz CLK=0.1VCC/ 0.9VCC(1) Current:Read ingle/Dual/Quad 50MHz Current:Read		5/10/13	7.5/11/14	mA	
ICC3		0.9VCC(1)		6.5/12/22	10/13/26	mA
	Current: Read Single/Dual/Quad 108MHz	_		7/14/32	13/16/36	mA
ICC4	Operating Current(Page rogram)	/CS=VCC		10	15	mA
ICC5	Operating Current(WRSR)	/CS=VCC			5	mA
ICC6	Operating Current(Sector Erase)	/CS=VCC		10	20	mA
ICC7	Operating Current(Block Erase)	/CS=VCC		10	20	mA
ICC8	Operating Current (Chip Erase)	/CS=VCC		10	20	mA
VIL	Input Low Voltage		-0.5		0.2VCC	V
VIH	Input High Voltage		0.8VCC		VCC+0.4	V
VOL	Output Low Voltage	IOL =100μA			0.4	V
VOH	Output High Voltage	IOH =-100μA	VCC-0.2			V

Note:

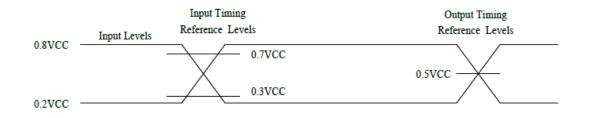
(1)ICC3 is measured with ATE loading



# 13.7 AC Measurement Conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Тру	Max	Unit	Conditions
CL	Load Capacitance			30	pF	
TR, TF	Input Rise And Fall time			5	ns	
VIN	Input Pause Voltage	0.2VCC to 0.8VCC		.8VCC	V	
IN	Input Timing Reference Voltage			.7VCC	V	
OUT	Output Timing Reference Voltage		0.5VC0	C	V	

Figure 35. AC Measurement I/O Waveform



## 13.8 AC Electrical Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit.
	Clock frequency for all instructions, except, read data(03H)	DC.		108	MHz
fR	Clock freq. Read Data instruction(03H)	DC.		55	MHz
tCLH	Serial Clock High Time	4			ns
tCLL	Serial Clock Low Time	4			ns
tCLCH	Serial Clock Rise Time (Slew Rate)	0.1 <sup>(1)</sup>			V/ns
tCHCL	Serial Clock Fall Time (Slew Rate)	0.1 <sup>(1)</sup>			V/ns
tSLCH	/CS Active Setup Time	5			ns
tCHSH	/CS Active Hold Time	5			ns
tSHCH	/CS Not Active Setup Time	5			ns
tCHSL	/CS Not Active Hold Time	5			ns

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#### Symbol

tSHSL	/CS High Time (read/write)	2			ns
tSHQZ	Output Disable Time			6	ns
tCLQX	Output Hold Time	0			ns
tDVCH	Data In Setup Time	2			ns
tCHDX	Data In Hold Time	2			ns
tHLCH	/Hold Low Setup Time (relative to Clock)	5			ns
tHHCH	/Hold High Setup Time (relative to Clock)	5			ns
tCHHL	/Hold High Hold Time (relative to Clock)	5			ns
tCHHH	/Hold Low Hold Time (relative to Clock)	5			ns
tHLQZ	/Hold Low To High-Z Output			6	ns
tHHQX	/Hold Low To Low-Z Output			6	ns
tCLQV	Clock Low To Output Valid			7	ns
tWHSL	Write Protect Setup Time Before /CS Low	2			ns
tSHWL	Write Protect Hold Time After /CS High	100			ns
tDP	/CS High To Deep Power-Down Mode			0.1	μs
tRES1	/CS High To Standby Mode Without Electronic Signature Read			3	μs
tRES2	/CS High To tandby Mode With Electronic Signature Read			1.5	μs
tSUS	/CS High To Next Instruction After Suspend			2	us
tW	Write Status Register Cycle Time		10	15 <sup>(2)</sup>	ms
tPP	Page Programming Time		0.7	2.4	ms
tSE	Sector Erase Time		30	300	ms
tBE	Block Erase Time(32K Bytes/64K Bytes)		0.2/0.3	1/1.2	s
tCE	Chip Erase Time		15	35	S

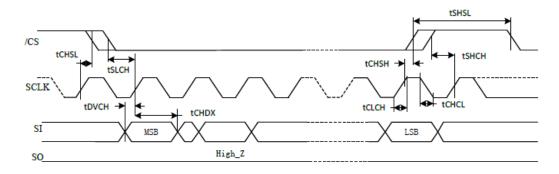
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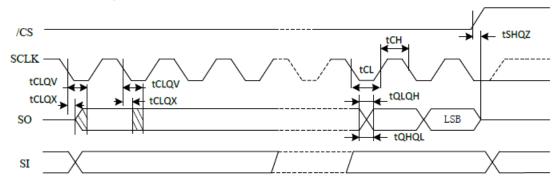
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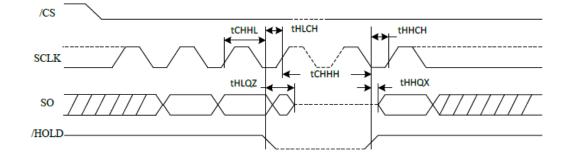
#### Figure 36. Serial Input Timing



#### Figure 37. Output Timing



#### Figure 38. Hold Timing





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# 14. Ordering Information

	PN	25	F	16	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	_
Company Prefix							
PN = Paragon							
Product Family							
<b>25F</b> = 2.7~ 3.6V Serial Flash Memory with 4KB							
Uniform-Sector, Standard / Dual SPI							
Product Density							
<b>04</b> = 04M bit							
<b>08</b> = 08M bit							
<b>16</b> = 16M bit							
<b>32</b> = 32M bit							
Product Package							
<b>SO</b> = 8-pin SOP8(150mil)							
<b>SS</b> = 8-pin SOP8(208mil)							
<b>DP</b> = 8-pin DIP8(300mil)							
<b>TS</b> = TSSOP8							
Product Temperature							
I = Industrial (-40 $^\circ C$ to +85 $^\circ C$ )							
<b>C</b> = Commercial (0 $^{\circ}$ C to +70 $^{\circ}$ C)							
Product Carrier							
<b>U</b> = Tube							
<b>T</b> = Tape and Reel							

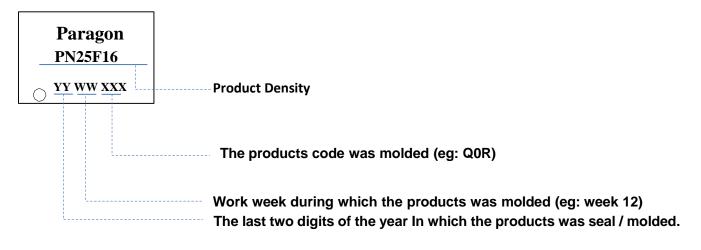
**R** = Green/Reach Package

G = Green/Reach Package

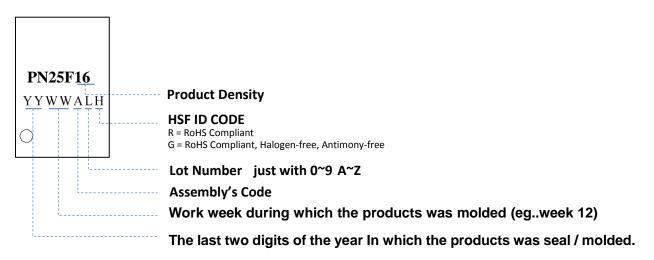


# 15. Part Marking Scheme

#### 15.1. SOP8 (150mil)/(208mil)



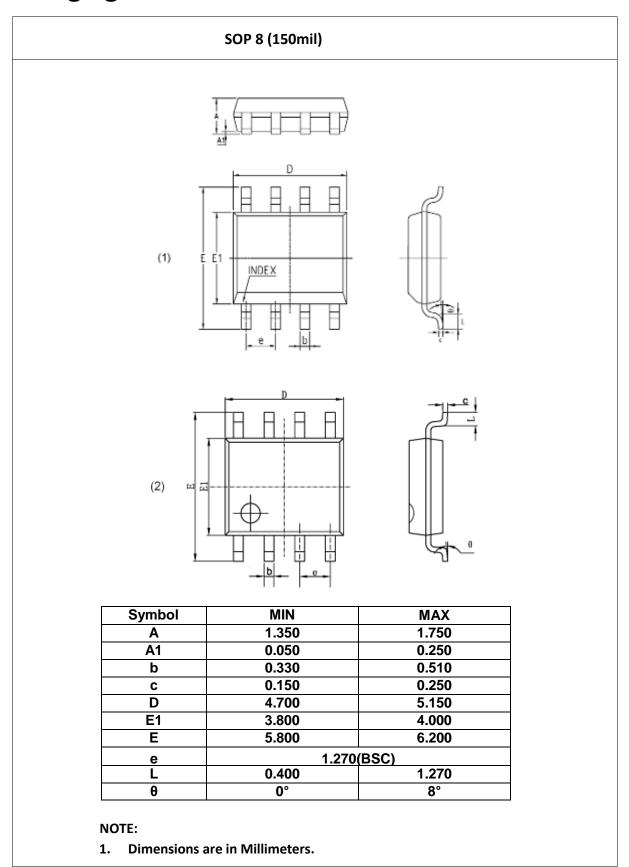
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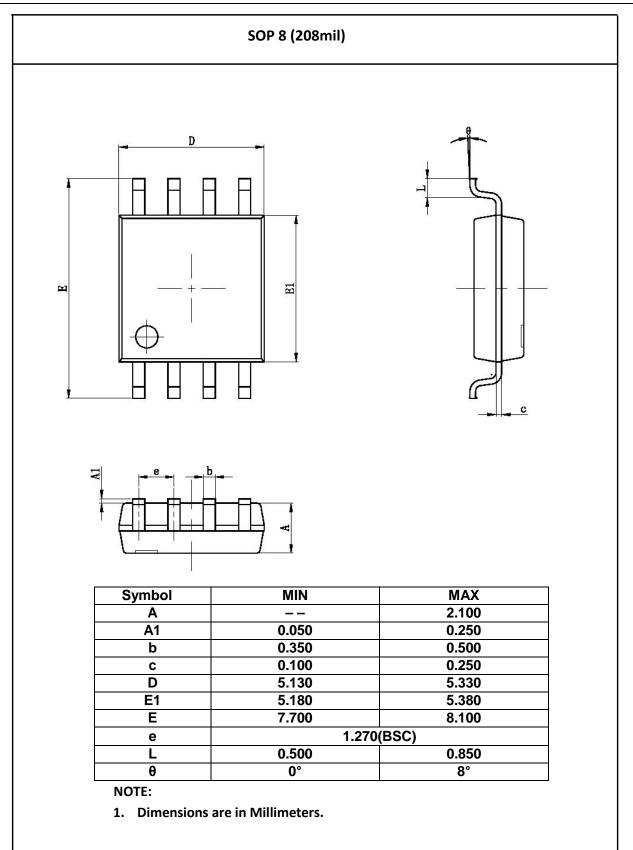
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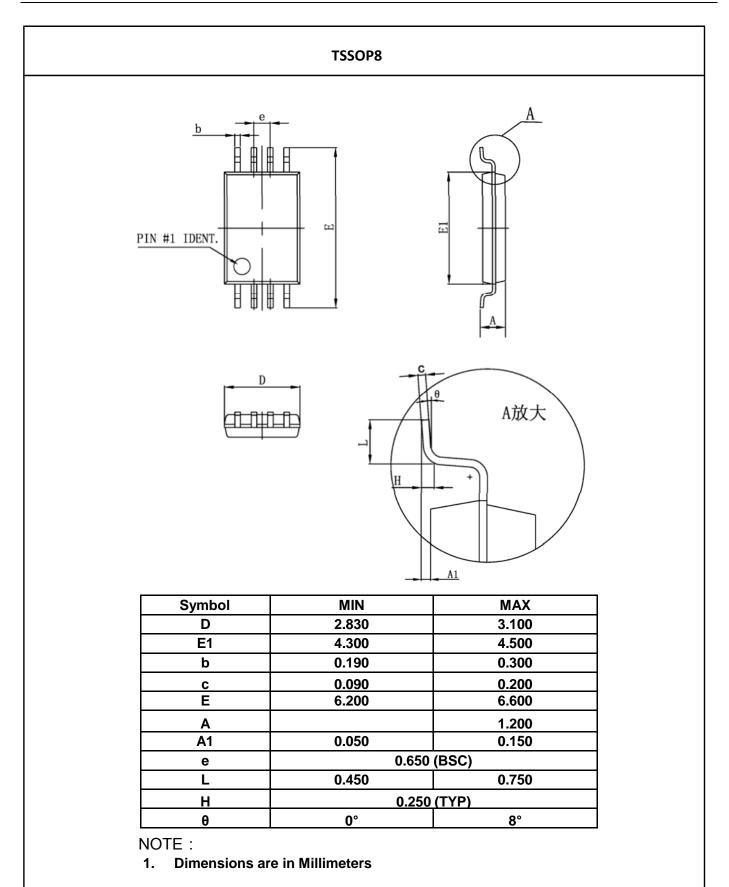




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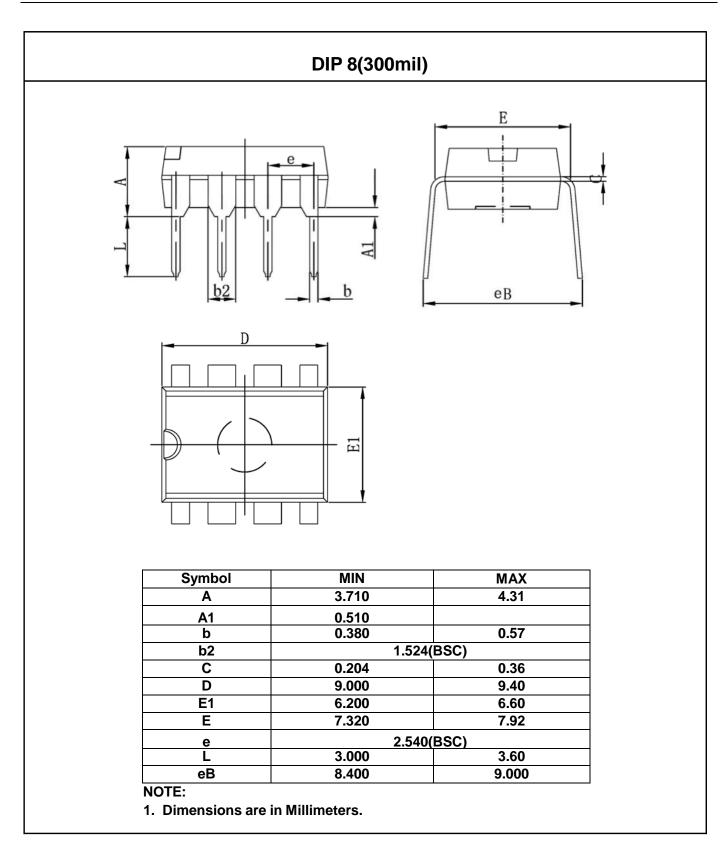








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# PARAGON 17.Revision History

Version	Publication date	Pages	Revise Description
A1.0	oct. 2014	53	Initial Document Release.
A1.1	May.2015	56	Add SOP8 208mil package
A1.2	July.2015	57	Add TSSOP8 package.
A1.3	Sep.2015	58	Add DIP8 package && Update Green/Reach Package.