



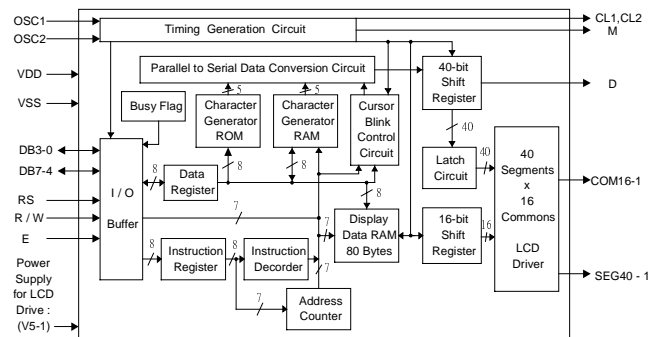
**GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

The SPLC780A1, a dot-matrix LCD controller and driver from SUNPLUS, is a unique design for displaying alpha-numeric, Japanese-Kana characters and symbols. The SPLC780A1 provides two types of interfaces to MPU: 4-bit and 8-bit interfaces. The transferring speed of 8-bit is twice faster than 4-bit. A single SPLC780A1 is able to display up to two 8-character lines. By cascading with SPLC100 or SPLC063, the display capability can be extended. The CMOS technology ensures the power saves in the most efficient way and the performance keeps in the highest rank.

**FEATURES**

- Character generator ROM: 7200 bits
  - Character font 5 x 7 dots: 160 characters
  - Character font 5 x 10 dots: 32 characters
- Character generator RAM: 512 bits
  - Character font 5 x 7 dots: 8 characters
  - Character font 5 x 10 dots: 4 characters
- Provide connecting to 4-bit or 8-bit MPU
- Direct driver for LCD: 16 COMs x 40 SEGs
- Duty factor (selected by program):
  - 1/8 duty: 1 line of 5 x 7 dots
  - 1/11 duty: 1 line of 5 x 10 dots
  - 1/16 duty: 2 lines of 5 x 7 dots / line
- Built-in power on automatic reset circuit
- Built-in oscillator circuit (with external resistor)
- Support external clock operation

**BLOCK DIAGRAM**



## FUNCTION DESCRIPTION

### ■ OSCILLATOR

SPLC780A1 has a good oscillator that supports not only the internal oscillator operation but also the external clock operation.

### ■ CONTROL AND DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS

Control and display instructions will show in details as following:

#### 1. Clear Display

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   |

It clears the whole display and sets display data RAM's address 0 in address counter.

#### 2. Return Home

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   | X   |

X: Do not care (0 or 1)

It sets display data RAM's address 0 in address counter and display returns to its original position. The cursor or blink goes to the left edge of the display (to the 1st line if 2 lines are displayed). The contents of the Display Data RAM do not change.

#### 3. Entry Mode Set

During writing and reading data, it sets cursor move direction and shifts the display.

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   | I/D | S   |

I / D = 1: Increment, I / D = 0: Decrement.

S = 1: The display shift, S = 0: The display does not shift.

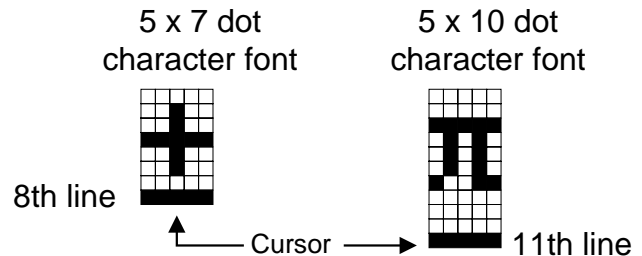
|       |           |                                    |
|-------|-----------|------------------------------------|
| S = 1 | I / D = 1 | It shifts the display to the left  |
| S = 1 | I / D = 0 | It shifts the display to the right |

#### 4. Display On/Off Control

|      |    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   | D   | C   | B   |

D = 1: Display on, D = 0: Display off

C = 1: Cursor on, C = 0: Cursor off

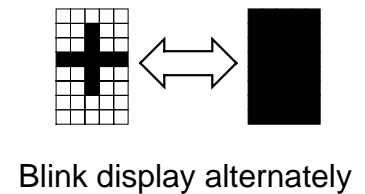


B = 1: Blinks on, B = 0: Blinks off

#### 5. Cursor or Display Shift

Without changing DD RAM's datas, it can move cursor and shift display.

|      |    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   | S/C | R/L | X   | X   |



| S/C | R/L | Description  | Address Counter |
|-----|-----|--|-----------------|
| 0   | 0   | Shift cursor to the left                                     | AC = AC - 1     |
| 0   | 1   | Shift cursor to the right                                    | AC = AC + 1     |
| 1   | 0   | Shift display to the left. Cursor follows the display shift  | AC = AC         |
| 1   | 1   | Shift display to the right. Cursor follows the display shift | AC = AC         |

#### 6. Function Set

|      |    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   | DL  | N   | F   | X   | X   |

X: Do not care (0 or 1)

DL: It sets interface data length.

DL = 1: Datas are transferred with 8-bit lengths (DB7 - 0).

DL = 0: Datas are transferred with 4-bit lengths (DB7 - 4).

(It needs two times to transfer datas)

N: It sets the number of the display line.

N = 0: One-line display.

N = 1: Two-line display.

F: It sets the character font.

F = 0: 5 x 7 dots character font.

F = 1: 5 x 10 dots character font.

| N | F | No. of Display Lines | Character Font | Duty Factor |
|---|---|----------------------|----------------|-------------|
| 0 | 0 | 1                    | 5 X 7 dots     | 1 / 8       |
| 0 | 1 | 1                    | 5 x 10 dots    | 1 / 11      |
| 1 | X | 2                    | 5 x 7 dots     | 1 / 16      |

It cannot display two lines with 5 x 10 dot character font.

### 7. Set Character Generator RAM Address

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 0  | 0   | 0   | 1   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   |

It sets character generator RAM address  $(aaaaaa)_2$  to the address counter.

Character generator RAM data can read or write after this setting.

### 8. Set Display Data RAM Address

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 0  | 0   | 1   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   |

It sets display data RAM address  $(aaaaaaa)_2$  to the address counter.

Display data RAM can read or write after this setting.

In one-line display (N = 0),  $(aaaaaaa)_2$ :  $(00)_{16}$  -  $(4F)_{16}$ .

In two-line display (N = 1),  $(aaaaaaa)_2$ :  $(00)_{16}$  -  $(27)_{16}$  for the first line,

$(aaaaaaa)_2$ :  $(40)_{16}$  -  $(67)_{16}$  for the second line.

### 9. Read Busy Flag and Address

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 0  | 1   | BF  | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   | a   |

When (BF = 1) indicates that the system is busy now, it will not accept any instruction until no busy (BF = 0). At the same time, the address counter contents's  $(aaaaaaa)_2$  is read out.

### 10. Write Data to Character Generator RAM or Display Data RAM

|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Code | 1  | 0   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   |

It writes data  $(ddddddd)_2$  to character generator RAM or display data RAM.

**11. Read Data from Character Generator RAM or Display Data RAM**

|      |    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|      | RS | R/W | DB7 | DB6 | DB5 | DB4 | DB3 | DB2 | DB1 | DB0 |
| Code | 1  | 1   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   | d   |

It reads data (ddddddd)<sub>2</sub> from character generator RAM or display data RAM.

To get the correct data readout is shown belows:

- (i) Set the address of the character generator RAM or display data RAM or shift the cursor instruction.
- (ii) Send the " Read " instruction.

**8-Bit operation and 8-digit 1-line display (using internal reset)**

| No. | Instruction  | Display              | Operation                     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                       |  |
|-----|--|----------------------|-------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1   | Power on . ( SPLC780A1 starts initializing )   | <input type="text"/> | Power on reset . No display . |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                       |  |
| 2   | Function set<br>RS R/WDB7DB6DB5DB4DB3DB2DB1DB0<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>X</td><td>X</td></tr></table> | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X | X | <input type="text"/>                  | Set to 8-bit operation and select 1-line display line and character font .   |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X | X |   |   |                                       |  |
| 3   | Display on / off control<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr></table>                       | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | <input type="text" value="-"/>        | Display on .<br>Cursor appear .  |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 4   | Entry mode set<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr></table>                                 | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | <input type="text" value="-"/>        | Increase address by one .<br>It will shift the cursor to the right when writing to the DD RAM / CG RAM .<br>Now the display has no shift . |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 5   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td></tr></table>                  | 1                    | 0                             | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | <input type="text" value="W_"/>       | Write " W " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 6   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td></tr></table>                  | 1                    | 0                             | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | <input type="text" value="WE_"/>      | Write " E " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 7   | •<br>•<br>•  | •<br>•<br>•          |                               |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                       |  |
| 8   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td></tr></table>                  | 1                    | 0                             | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | <input type="text" value="WELCOME_"/> | Write " E " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 9   | Entry mode set<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td></tr></table>                                 | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | <input type="text" value="WELCOME_"/> | Set mode for display shift when writing  |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 10  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr></table>                  | 1                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | <input type="text" value="ELCOME _"/> | Write " "(space) .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .  |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 11  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td></tr></table>                  | 1                    | 0                             | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | <input type="text" value="LCOME C_"/> | Write " C " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |   |   |                                       |  |
| 12  | •<br>•<br>•  | •<br>•<br>•          |                               |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                                       |  |



| No. | Instruction   | Display          | Operation |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |          |  |
|-----|---|------------------|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------|--|
| 13  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td> </tr> </table> | 1                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | COMPAMY_ | Write " Y " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .         |
| 1   | 0   | 0                | 1         | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |   |   |          |  |
| 14  | Cursor or display shift<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>X</td><td>X</td> </tr> </table>       | 0                | 0         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X | X | COMPAMY_ | Only shift the cursor's position to the left ( Y ) .                                 |
| 0   | 0   | 0                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X | X |   |   |          |  |
| 15  | Cursor or display shift<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>X</td><td>X</td> </tr> </table>       | 0                | 0         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X | X | COMPAMY  | Only shift the cursor's position to the left ( M ) .                                 |
| 0   | 0   | 0                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X | X |   |   |          |  |
| 16  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td> </tr> </table> | 1                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | OMPANY_  | Write " N " .<br>The display moves to the left .                                     |
| 1   | 0   | 0                | 1         | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |   |   |          |  |
| 17  | Cursor or display shift<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>X</td><td>X</td> </tr> </table>       | 0                | 0         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | X | X | COMPANY_ | Shift the display and the cursor's position to the right .                           |
| 0   | 0   | 0                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | X | X |   |   |          |  |
| 18  | Cursor or display shift<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>X</td><td>X</td> </tr> </table>       | 0                | 0         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | X | X | COMPANY_ | Shift the display and the cursor's position to the right .                           |
| 0   | 0   | 0                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | X | X |   |   |          |  |
| 19  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td> </tr> </table> | 1                | 0         | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | OMPANY_  | Write " " ( space ) .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right . |
| 1   | 0   | 0                | 1         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |   |   |          |  |
| 20  | •<br>•<br>•<br>•  | •<br>•<br>•<br>• |           |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |          |  |
| 21  | Return home<br><table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td> </tr> </table>                   | 0                | 0         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | WELCOME  | Both the display and the cursor return to the original position ( address 0 ) .      |
| 0   | 0   | 0                | 0         | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |   |   |          |  |



4-Bit operation and 8-digit 1-line display (using internal reset)

| No. | Instruction  | Display              | Operation                     |   |   |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
|-----|--|----------------------|-------------------------------|---|---|---|---|----------------------|--------------------------|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------|--|
| 1   | Power on . ( SPLC780A1 starts initializing )   | <input type="text"/> | Power on reset . No display . |   |   |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 2   | Function set<br>RS R/WDB7DB6DB5 DB4<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr></table>  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | <input type="text"/> | Set to 4-bit operation . |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 1 | 0 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 3   | Function set<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>X</td><td>X</td></tr></table>                  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0                    | 0                        | 0 | 0 | X | X | <input type="text"/>            | Set to 4-bit operation and select 1-line display line and character font .   |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 1 | 0 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | X | X |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 4   | Display on / off control<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr></table>      | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0                    | 0                        | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | <input type="text" value="-"/>  | Display on .<br>Cursor appears .   |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 0   | 0  | 1                    | 1                             | 1 | 0 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 5   | Entry mode set<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr></table>                | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0                    | 0                        | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | <input type="text" value="-"/>  | Increase address by one .<br>It will shift the cursor to the right when writing to the DD RAM / CG RAM .<br>Now the display has no shift . |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 0                             | 0 | 0 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 0   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 1 | 0 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 6   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br><table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td></tr></table> | 1                    | 0                             | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1                    | 0                        | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | <input type="text" value="W_"/> | Write " W " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 0 | 1 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |
| 1   | 0  | 0                    | 1                             | 1 | 1 |   |   |                      |                          |   |   |   |   |                                 |  |



8-Bit operation and 8-digit 2-line display (using internal reset)

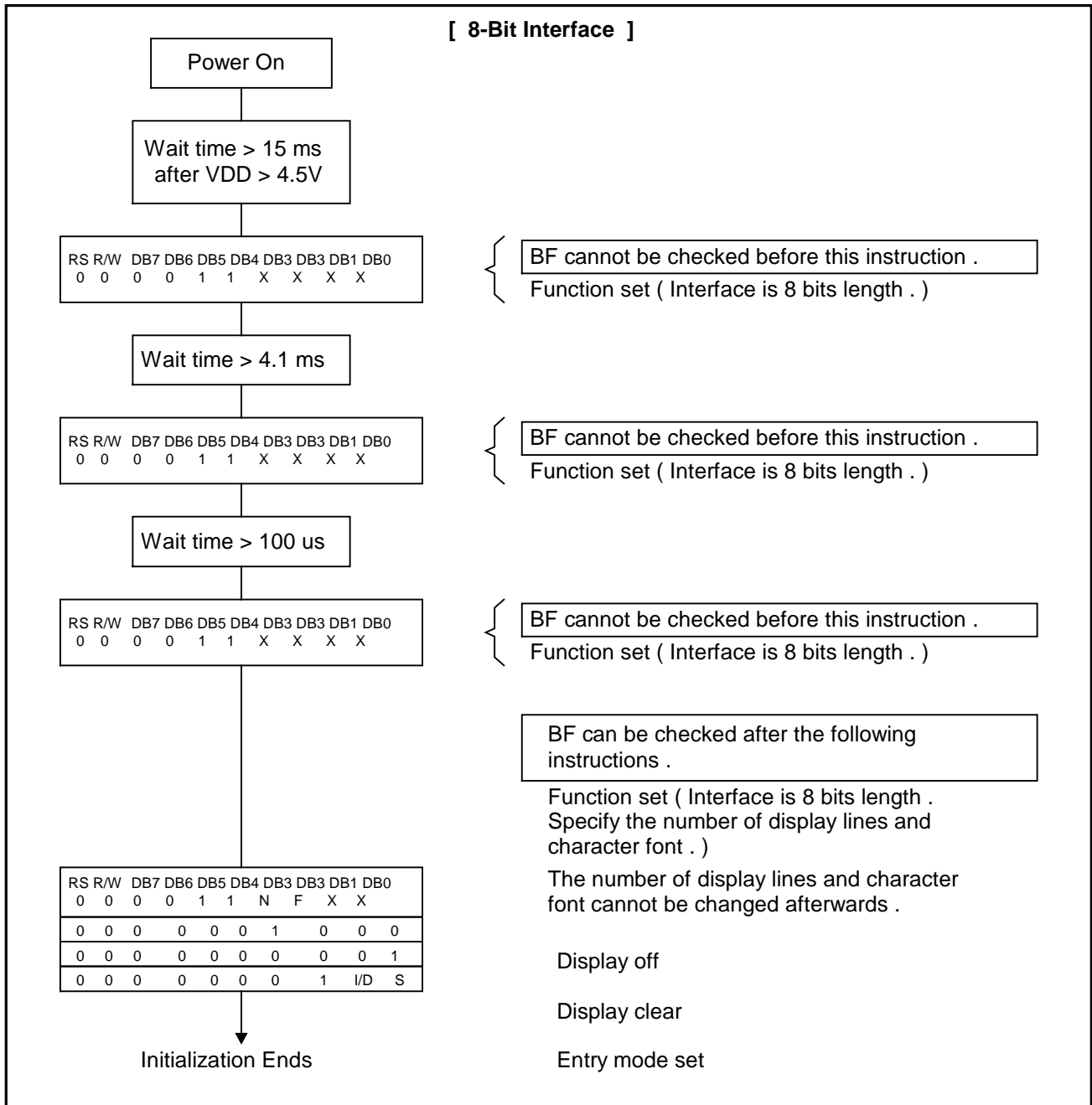
| No. | Instruction  | Display                                | Operation  |
|-----|--|--|--|
| 1   | Power on . ( SPLC780A1 starts initializing )                           | <u>          </u><br><u>          </u> | Power on reset . No display .  |
| 2   | Function set<br>RS R/WDB7DB6DB5DB4DB3DB2 DB1DB0<br>0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 X X | <u>          </u><br><u>          </u> | Set to 8-bit operation and select 2-line display line and 5 x 7 dot character font .   |
| 3   | Display on / off control<br>0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0                        | <u>  _  </u><br><u>          </u>      | Display on .<br>Cursor appear .  |
| 4   | Entry mode set<br>0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0                                  | <u>  _  </u><br><u>          </u>      | Increase address by one .<br>It will shift the cursor to the right when writing to the DD RAM / CG RAM .<br>Now the display has no shift . |
| 5   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br>1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1                   | W <u>  </u><br><u>          </u>       | Write " W " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 6   | ⋮  | ⋮                                      |  |
| 7   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br>1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1                   | WELCOME <u>  </u><br><u>          </u> | Write " E " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 8   | Set DD RAM address<br>0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0                              | WELCOME<br><u>  _  </u>                | It sets DD RAM's address .<br>The cursor is moved to the beginning position of the 2nd line .  |
| 9   | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br>1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0                   | WELCOME<br>T <u>  </u>                 | Write " T " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 10  | ⋮  | ⋮                                      |  |
| 11  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br>1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0                   | WELCOME<br>TO PART <u>  </u>           | Write " T " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 12  | Entry mode set<br>0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1                                  | WELCOME<br>TO PART <u>  </u>           | When writing , it sets mode for the display shift .  |
| 13  | Write data to CG RAM / DD RAM<br>1 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 1                   | ELCOME<br>O PARTY <u>  </u>            | Write " Y " .<br>The cursor is incremented by one and shifted to the right .   |
| 14  | ⋮  | ⋮                                      |  |
| 15  | Return home<br>0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0                                     | WELCOME<br>TO PARTY                    | Both the display and the cursor return to the original position ( address 0 ) .  |



■ RESET FUNCTION

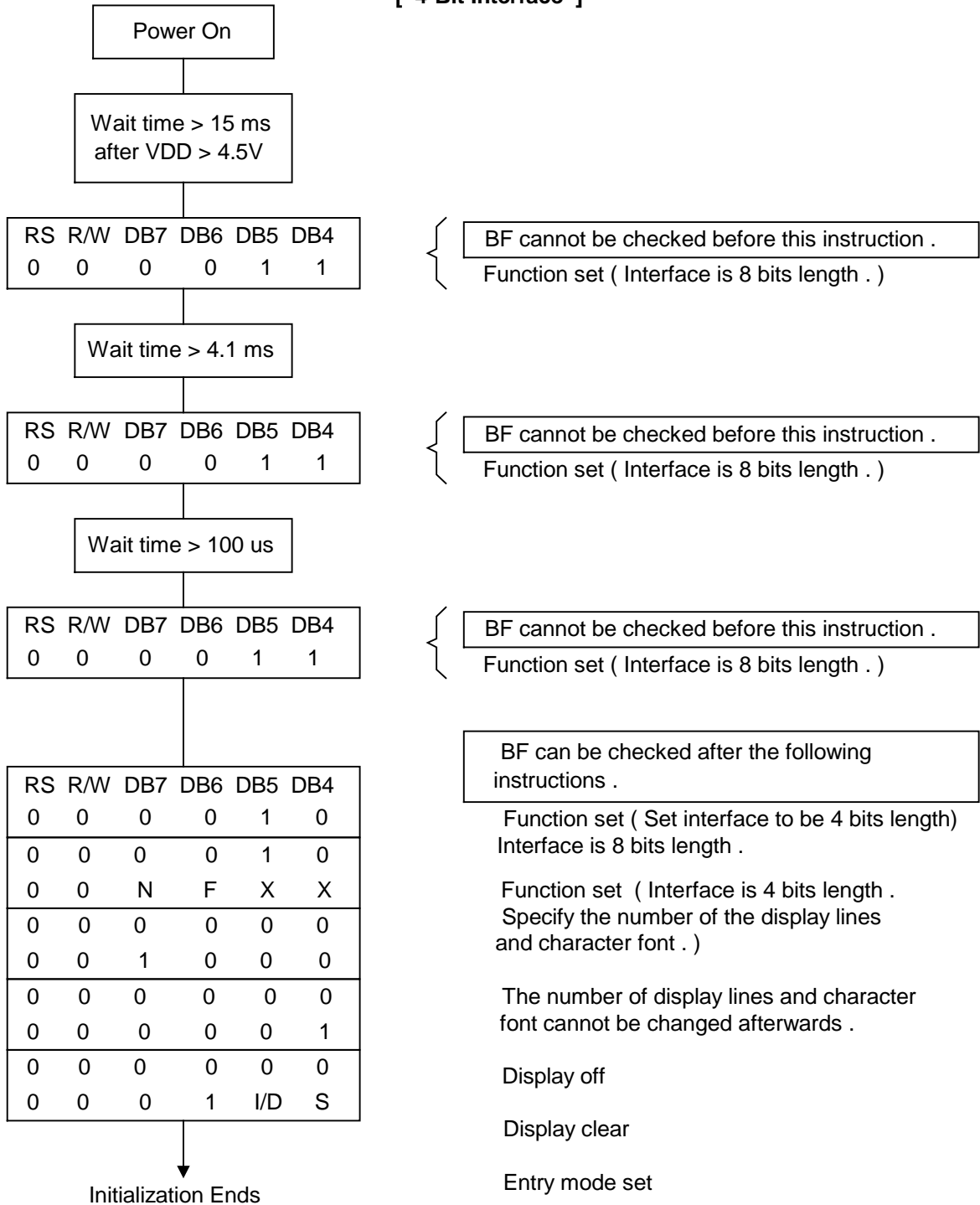
At power on, it starts the internal auto-reset circuit and executes the initial instructions.

There are the initial procedures shown as follows:





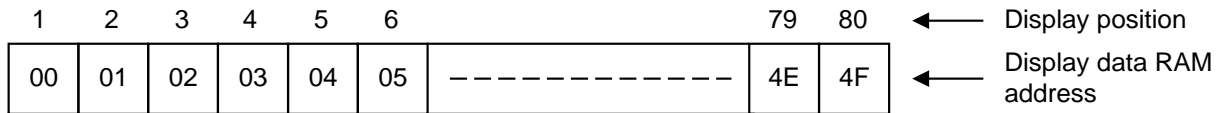
[ 4-Bit Interface ]



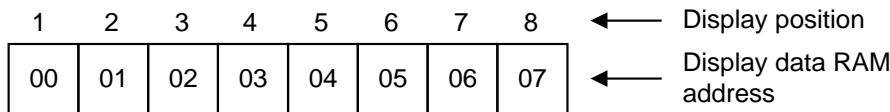
■ **DISPLAY DATA RAM (DD RAM)**

The DD RAM stores display data and its RAM size is 80 bytes. The area in DD RAM that is not used for display can be used as a general data RAM. Its address is set in the address counter. There are the relations between the display data RAM's address and the LCD's position shown belows.

1-line display , 80 display characters

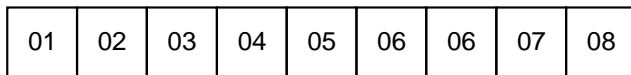


( Example ) 1-line display , 8 display characters

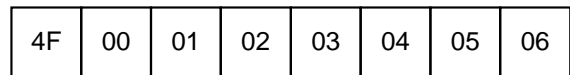


When the display shift operation is performed , the display data RAM's address moves as :

( i ) Left shift



( ii ) Right shift



■ **CHARACTER GENERATOR ROM (CG ROM)**

Using 8-bit character code, the character generator ROM generates 5 x 7 dot or 5 x 10 dot character patterns. It also can generate 160 5 x 7 dot character patterns and 32 5 x 10 dot character patterns.

■ **CHARACTER GENERATOR RAM (CG RAM)**

Using the programs, users can easily change the character patterns in the character generator RAM. It can be written with 5 x 7 dots, 8 character patterns or written with 5 x 10 dots, 4 character patterns.



Here are the SPLC780A1's character patterns shown as belows:

Correspondence between Character Codes and Character Patterns (ROM Code: 01)

| b7-<br>b3<br>-b0 | b4<br>-b0        | 0000 | 0010 | 0011 | 0100 | 0101 | 0110 | 0111 | 1010 | 1011 | 1100 | 1101 | 1110 | 1111 |
|------------------|------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 0000             | CG<br>RAM<br>(1) |      | 0    | a    | P    | `    | P    | -    | 9    | E    | o    | p    |      |      |
|                  | (2)              | !    | 1    | A    | Q    | a    | 9    | a    | 7    | 7    | 4    | ä    | q    |      |
| 0010             | (3)              | "    | 2    | B    | R    | b    | r    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | (4)              | #    | 3    | C    | S    | c    | s    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 0100             | (5)              | \$   | 4    | D    | T    | d    | t    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | (6)              | %    | 5    | E    | U    | e    | u    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 0110             | (7)              | &    | 6    | F    | V    | f    | v    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | CG<br>RAM<br>(8) | '    | 7    | G    | W    | g    | w    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 1000             | CG<br>RAM<br>(1) | (    | B    | H    | X    | h    | x    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | (2)              | )    | 9    | I    | Y    | i    | y    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 1010             | (3)              | *    | :    | J    | Z    | j    | z    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | (4)              | +    | ;    | K    | C    | k    | c    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 1100             | (5)              | ,    | <    | L    | *    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | (6)              | -    | =    | M    | I    | m    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 1110             | (7)              | .    | >    | N    | ^    | n    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
|                  | CG<br>RAM<br>(8) | /    | ?    | O    | _    | o    | e    | w    | y    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |




Correspondence between Character Codes and Character Patterns (ROM Code: 02)



| b7-<br>b3<br>b4<br>-b0 | 0000             | 0010 | 0011 | 0100 | 0101 | 0110 | 0111 | 1010 | 1011 | 1100 | 1101 | 1110 | 1111 |
|------------------------|------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 0000                   | CG<br>RAM<br>(1) |      | 0    | а    | Р    | ´    | Р    | Б    | Ю    | Ч    | .    | Д    | М    |
| 0001                   | (2)              | !    | 1    | А    | Q    | а    | q    | Г    | Я    | ш    | ,    | Ц    | Н    |
| 0010                   | (3)              | "    | 2    | В    | Р    | б    | р    | Е    | Б    | ъ    | „    | Ш    | Ъ    |
| 0011                   | (4)              | #    | 3    | С    | С    | с    | с    | Ж    | В    | ы    | „    | д    | Ч    |
| 0100                   | (5)              | \$   | 4    | Д    | Т    | д    | т    | З    | Г    | ь    | ¿    | Ф    | Н    |
| 0101                   | (6)              | %    | 5    | Е    | U    | e    | u    | Н    | ё    | э    | ж    | Ц    | ´    |
| 0110                   | (7)              | &    | 6    | F    | V    | f    | v    | Й    | Ж    | н    | ¿    | ш    | Ъ    |
| 0111                   | CG<br>RAM<br>(8) | '    | 7    | G    | W    | g    | w    | Л    | з    | я    | ı    | ´    | Е    |
| 1000                   | CG<br>RAM<br>(1) | (    | 8    | H    | X    | h    | x    | П    | И    | о    | „    | ”    | ı    |
| 1001                   | (2)              | )    | 9    | I    | Y    | i    | y    | У    | й    | о    | †    | ˘    | ı    |
| 1010                   | (3)              | *    | :    | J    | Z    | j    | z    | Ф    | К    | е    | ↓    | é    | ı    |
| 1011                   | (4)              | +    | ;    | K    | C    | k    | c    | Ч    | л    | ”    | „    | ı    | ı    |
| 1100                   | (5)              | ,    | <    | L    | o    | l    | e    | Ш    | М    | Н    | „    | ü    | ı    |
| 1101                   | (6)              | -    | =    | M    | J    | m    | s    | б    | Н    | с    | „    | ı    | ı    |
| 1110                   | (7)              | .    | >    | N    | ^    | n    | e    | Ы    | п    | ı    | ı    | ı    | ı    |
| 1111                   | CG<br>RAM<br>(8) | /    | ?    | 0    | _    | o    | e    | Э    | Т    | é    | .    | o    | ı    |

There are the relations between character generator RAM addresses, character generator RAM datas (character patterns) and character codes shown as belows:

5 X 7 dot character patterns

| Character Code (DD RAM Data)   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | CG RAM Address |    |    |    |    |    | Character Patterns (CG RAM Data) |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| b7   | b6 | b5 | b4 | b3 | b2 | b1 | b0 | b5             | b4 | b3 | b2 | b1 | b0 | b7                               | b6 | b5 | b4 | b3 | b2 | b1 | b0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | X  | /  | /  | /  | /              | /  | /  | 0  | 0  | 0  | /                                | /  | /  | /  | /  | /  | /  | /  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 0  | 0  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 0  | 1  | 0  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 0  | 1  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 0  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 1  | 0  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 1  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | X  | /  | /  | /  | /              | /  | /  | 0  | 0  | 0  | /                                | /  | /  | /  | /  | /  | /  | /  | / | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 0  | 0  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 0  | 1  | 0  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 0  | 1  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 0  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 1  | 0  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    | 1  | 1  | 1  |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |
|  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |                                  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |

Note :

-  : It means that the bit0~2 of the character code correspond to the bit3~5 of the CG RAM address .
-  : These areas are not used for display , but can be used for the general data RAM .
- When all of the bit4-7 of the character code are 0 , CG RAM character patterns are selected .
- " 1 " : Selected , " 0 " : No selected , " X " : Do not care ( 0 or 1 ) .
- For example (1), to set character code (b2 = b1 = b0 = 0, b3 = 0 or 1, b7-b4 = 0) is to display " T " .  
That means character code (00)<sub>16</sub>,and (08)<sub>16</sub> can display " T " character.
- The bits 0-2 of the character code RAM is character pattern line position. The 8th line is the cursor position and display is formed by logical OR with the cursor.



## 5 X 10 dot character patterns

| Character Code<br>( DD RAM Data ) |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | CG RAM<br>Address |    |    |    |    |    | Character Patterns<br>( CG RAM Data ) |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------------------|----|----|----|----|----|---------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| b7                                | b6 | b5 | b4 | b3 | b2 | b1 | b0 | b5                | b4 | b3 | b2 | b1 | b0 | b7                                    | b6 | b5 | b4 | b3 | b2 | b1 | b0 |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 0  | 1  | 1  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
| 0                                 | 0  | 0  | 0  | X  | 0  | 0  | X  | 0                 | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 1  | X                                     | X  | X  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 1  | 1  | 0  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 0  | 1  | 1  | 1  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 1  |                                       |    |    | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 0  | 1  | 0  |                                       |    |    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 0  | 1  | 1  |                                       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0  |                                       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 1  | 0  | 1  | X                                     | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 1  | 1  | 0  |                                       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                   |    | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  |                                       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

Character Pattern Example (1)

Cursor Position ←

## Note :

-  : It means that the bit1~2 of the character code correspond to the bit4~5 of the CG RAM address .
-  : These areas are not used for display , but can be used for the general data RAM .
- When all of the bit4-7 of the character code are 0 , CG RAM character patterns are selected .
- " 1 " : Selected , " 0 " : No selected , " X " : Do not care ( 0 or 1 ) .
- For example (1), to set character code (b2 = b1 = 0, b3 = b0 = 0 or 1, b7-b4 = 0) is to display " U " .  
That means all of the character codes (00)<sub>16</sub>, (01)<sub>16</sub>, (08)<sub>16</sub>,and (09)<sub>16</sub> can display " U " character.
- The bits 0-3 of the character code RAM is character pattern line position. The 11th line is the cursor position and display is formed by logical OR with the cursor.

**■ TIMING GENERATION CIRCUIT**

The timing generation circuit can generate needed timing signals to the internal circuits. In order to prevent the internal timing interface, the MPU access timing and the RAM access timing are separately generated.

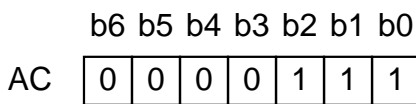
■ LCD DRIVER CIRCUIT

There are 16 commons x 40 segments signal drivers in the LCD driver circuit. When a program specifies the character fonts and line numbers, the corresponding common signals will output drive waveforms and the others still output unselected waveforms.

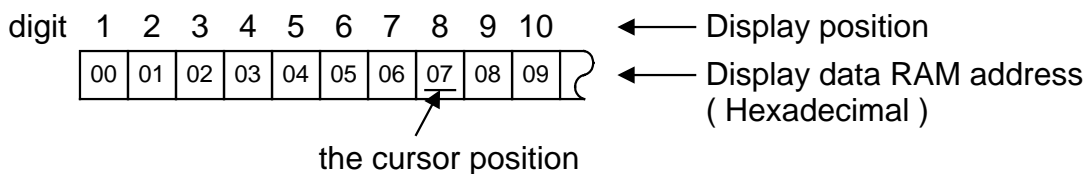
■ CURSOR / BLINK CONTROL CIRCUIT

It can generate the cursor or blink in the cursor / blink control circuit. The cursor or the blink appears in the digit at the display data RAM address set in the address counter.

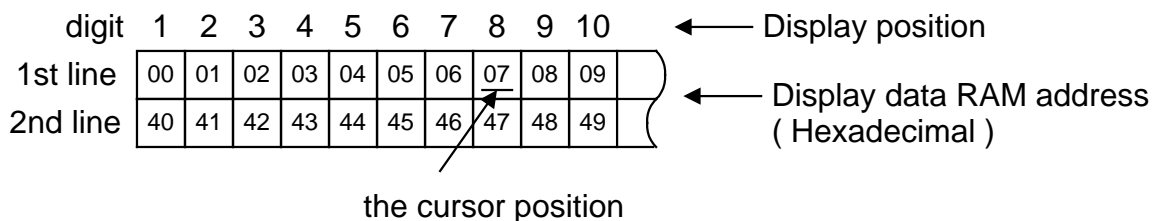
When the address counter is (07)<sub>16</sub>, the cursor's position is shown as follows:



In a 1-line display



In a 2-line display



■ INTERFACING TO MPU

There are two kinds of data operations - one is 4-bit operations, the other is 8-bit operations. Using 4-bit MPU, the interfacing 4-bit datas are transferred by 4-busline (DB7 - 4). DB3 - 0 buslines are not used. Using 4-bit MPU to interface 8-bit datas needs two times. First, the higher order 4-bit datas are transferred by 4-busline (DB7 - 4). Secondly, the lower order 4-bit datas are transferred by 4-busline (DB3 - 0). Using 8-bit MPU, the interfacing 8-bit datas are transferred by 8-buslines (DB7 - 0).

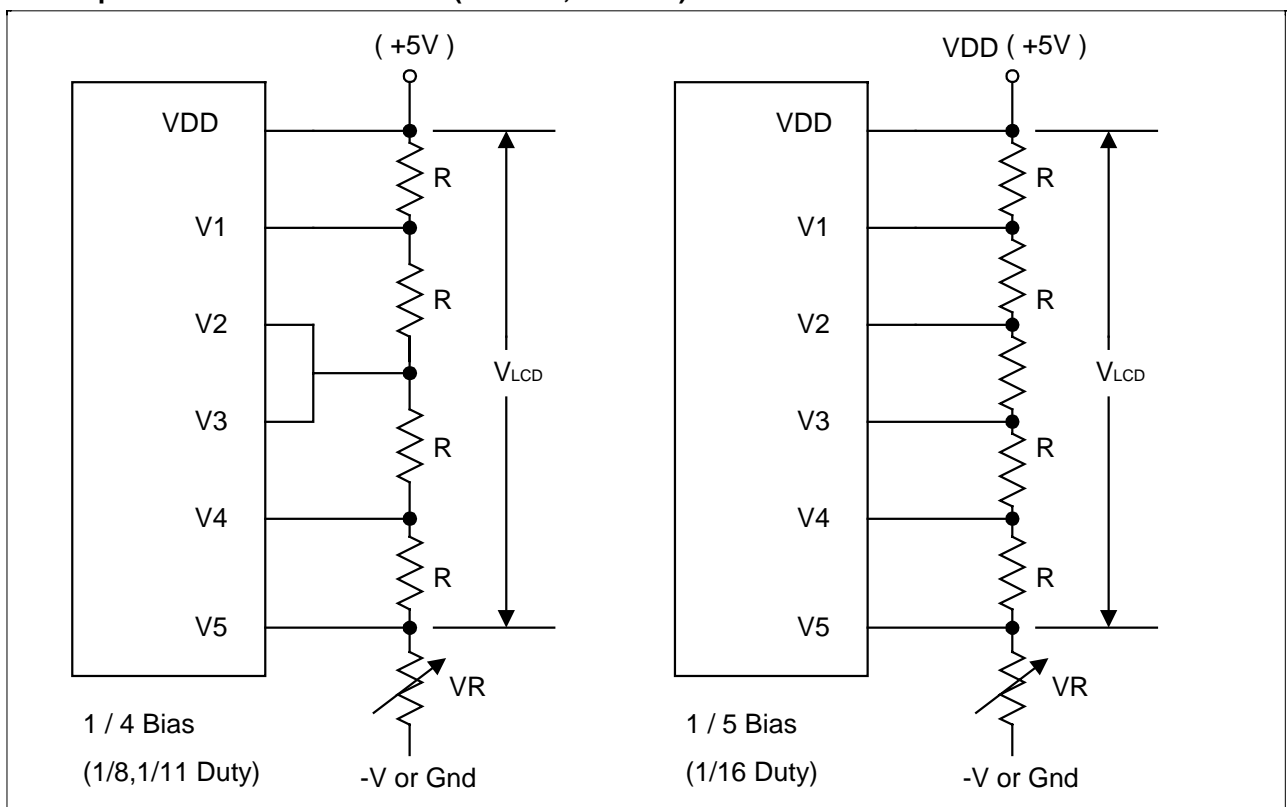


■ SUPPLY VOLTAGE FOR LCD DRIVE

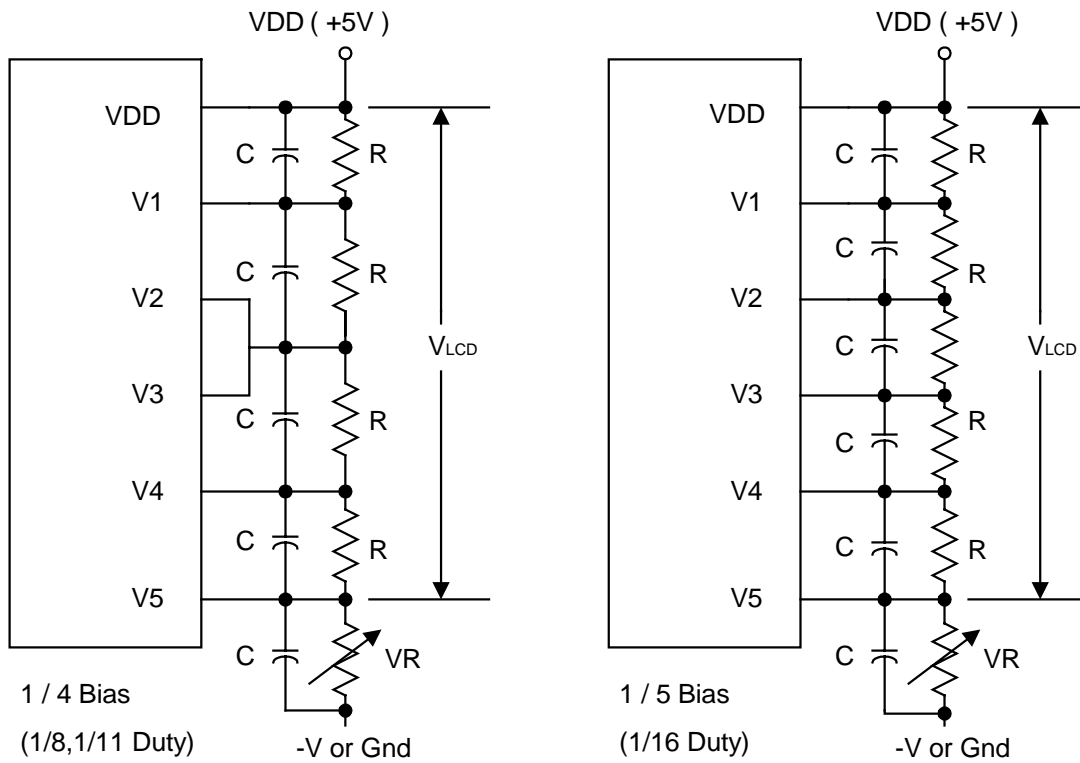
There are different voltages that supply to SPLC780A1's pins (V5 - 1) to obtain LCD drive waveform. The relations of the bias, duty factor and supply voltages are shown as follows:

| Duty Factor \ Bias | 1 / 8 , 1 / 11      | 1 / 16              |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Supply Voltage     | 1 / 4               | 1 / 5               |
| V1                 | $VDD - 1/4 V_{LCD}$ | $VDD - 1/5 V_{LCD}$ |
| V2                 | $VDD - 1/2 V_{LCD}$ | $VDD - 2/5 V_{LCD}$ |
| V3                 | $VDD - 1/2 V_{LCD}$ | $VDD - 3/5 V_{LCD}$ |
| V4                 | $VDD - 3/4 V_{LCD}$ | $VDD - 4/5 V_{LCD}$ |
| V5                 | $VDD - V_{LCD}$     | $VDD - V_{LCD}$     |

— The power connections for LCD (1/4 Bias, 1/5 Bias) are shown belows:



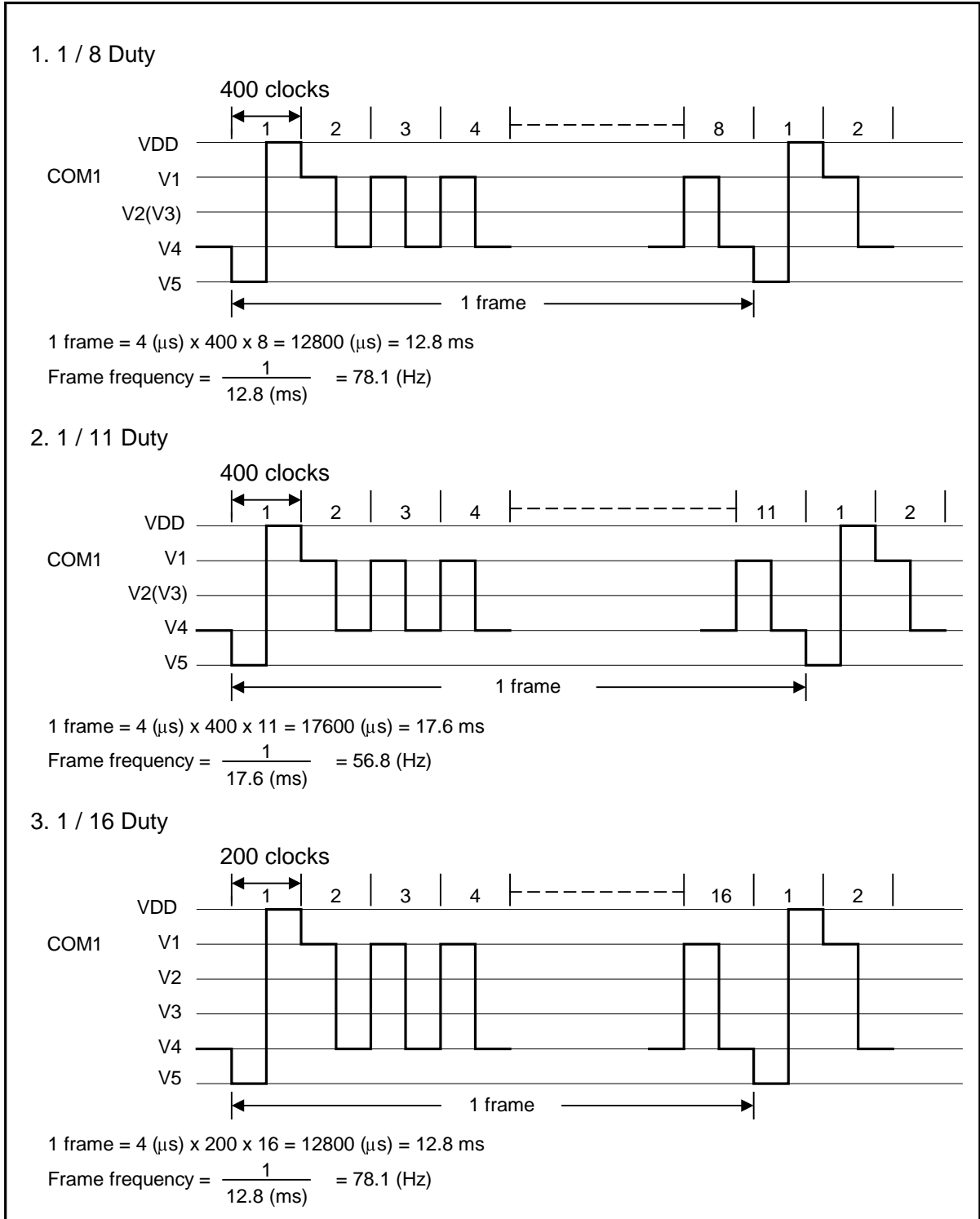
The bypass-capacitor can improve the LCD display's quality.



The bias voltage must have the following relations:  
 $VDD > V1 > V2 \geq V3 > V4 > V5, V5 \leq 0$  (volt).

— The relations between LCD frame's frequency and oscillator's frequency

(Assume the oscillation frequency is 250KHz, 1 clock cycle time = 4 μs)



■ REGISTER --- IR (Instruction Register) and DR (Data Register)

SPLC780A1 has two 8-bit registers - IR (instruction register) and DR (data register).

In the followings, we can use the combinations of the RS pin and the R/W pin to select the IR and DR.

| RS | R/W | Operation  |
|----|-----|--|
| 0  | 0   | IR write(Display clear, etc.)                                |
| 0  | 1   | Read busy flag (DB7) and address counter (DB6 - 0)           |
| 1  | 0   | DR write (DR to Display data RAM or Character generator RAM) |
| 1  | 1   | DR read (Display data RAM or Character generator RAM to DR)  |

The IR can be written from the MPU but cannot read by the MPU.

■ BUSY FLAG (BF)

When RS = 0 and R/W = 1, the busy flag is output to DB7.

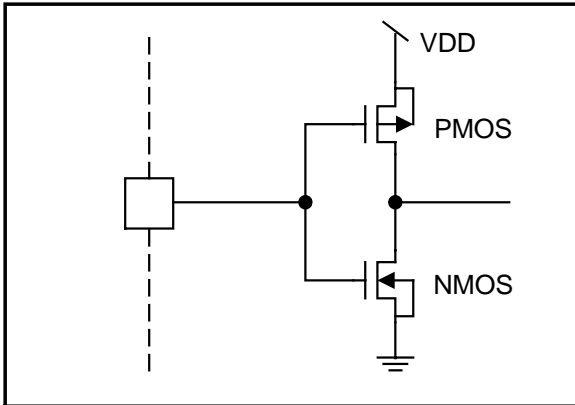
As the busy flag =1, SPLC780A1 is in busy state and does not accept any instructions until the busy flag = 0.

■ ADDRESS COUNTER (AC)

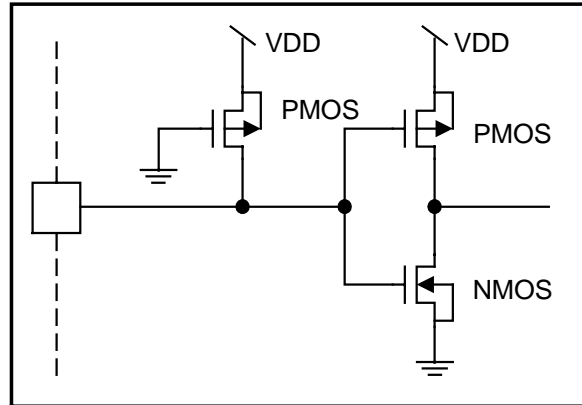
The address counter assigns addresses to display data RAM and character generator RAM. When an instruction for address is written in IR, the address information is sent from IR to AC. After writing into (or reading from) display data RAM or character generator RAM, AC is automatically incremented by+1 (or decremented by -1). AC contents are output to DB6 - DB0 when RS = 0 and R/W = 1.

■ I/O PORT CONFIGURATION

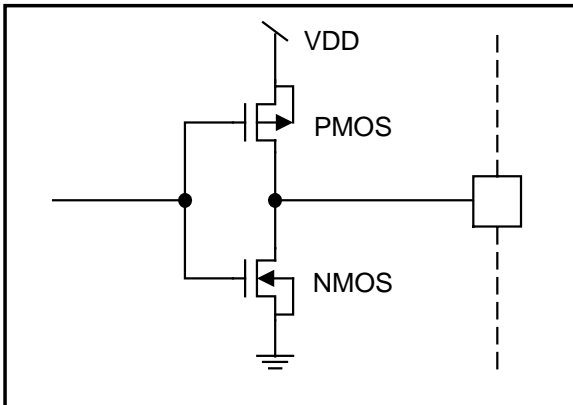
Input port : E



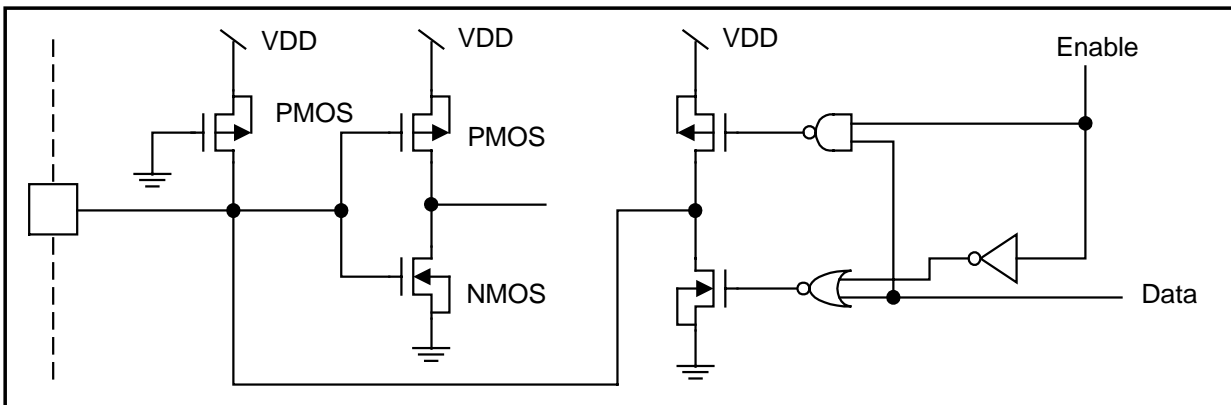
Input port : R / W , RS



Output port : CL1 , CL2 , M , D



Input / Output port : DB7 - 0





**PIN DESCRIPTION**

| Mnemonic     | PIN No. | Type | Description  |
|--------------|---------|------|--|
| VDD          | 10      | I    | Power input  |
| VSS          | 80      | I    | Ground   |
| OSC1<br>OSC2 | 1<br>2  |      | Both OSC1 and OSC2 are connected to the ceramic filter or resistor for internal oscillator circuit.<br>For external clock operation, the clock is input to OSC1. |
| V5 - 1       | 7 - 3   | I    | Supply voltage for LCD driving.  |
| E            | 15      | I    | It is a start signal to read data or write data.   |
| R / W        | 14      | I    | It is a signal to select read or write.<br>1: Read, 0: Write.  |
| RS           | 13      | I    | It is a signal to select register.<br>1: Data register (for read and write)<br>0: Instruction register (for write),<br>Busy flag -- address counter (for read).  |
| DB3 - 0      | 19 - 16 | I/O  | Low-order 4 data bits  |
| DB7 - 4      | 23 - 20 | I/O  | High-order 4 data bits   |
| CL1          | 8       | O    | Clock to latch serial data D.  |
| CL2          | 9       | O    | Clock to shift serial data D.  |
| M            | 11      | O    | Switch signal to convert LCD waveform to AC.   |
| D            | 12      | O    | Sends character pattern data corresponding to each common signal serially.<br>1: Selection, 0: Non-selection.  |
| SEG40 - 1    | 40 - 79 | O    | Segment signals for LCD.   |
| COM16 - 1    | 39 - 24 | O    | Common signals for LCD.  |

**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

| Characteristics       | Symbol           | Ratings             |
|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Operating Voltage     | VDD              | -0.3V to +7.0V      |
| Driver Supply Voltage | V <sub>LCD</sub> | VDD-12V to VDD+0.3V |
| Input Voltage Range   | V <sub>IN</sub>  | -0.3V to VDD + 0.3V |
| Operating Temperature | T <sub>A</sub>   | 0 °C to +60 °C      |
| Storage Temperature   | T <sub>STO</sub> | -55 °C to +125 °C   |

Note: Stresses beyond those given in the Absolute Maximum Rating table may cause operational errors or damage to the device. For normal operational conditions see AC/DC Electrical Characteristics.

**DC CHARACTERISTICS (T<sub>A</sub> = 25 °C, VDD = 2.7 to 4.5V)**

| Characteristics            | Symbol           | Limit   |      |        | Unit | Test Condition   |
|----------------------------|------------------|---------|------|--------|------|--|
|                            |                  | Min.    | Typ. | Max.   |      |  |
| Operating Current          | I <sub>DD</sub>  | -       | 0.2  | 0.4    | mA   | External clock (Note)  |
| Input High Voltage         | V <sub>IH1</sub> | 0.7VDD  | -    | VDD    | V    | Pins:(E, RS, R/W, DB7 - 0)                                       |
| Input Low Voltage          | V <sub>IL1</sub> | -0.3    | -    | 0.55   | V    |  |
| Input High Voltage         | V <sub>IH2</sub> | 0.7VDD  | -    | VDD    | V    | Pin OSC1   |
| Input Low Voltage          | V <sub>IL2</sub> | -0.2    | -    | 0.2VDD | V    |  |
| Input High Current         | I <sub>IH</sub>  | -1.0    | -    | 1.0    | μA   | Pins: (RS, R/W, DB7 - 0)   |
| Input Low Current          | I <sub>IL</sub>  | -5.0    | -15  | -30    | μA   | VDD = 3.0V   |
| Output High Voltage (TTL)  | V <sub>OH1</sub> | 0.75VDD | -    | -      | V    | I <sub>OH</sub> = - 0.1mA<br>Pins: DB7 - 0                       |
| Output Low Voltage (TTL)   | V <sub>OL1</sub> | -       | -    | 0.2VDD | V    | I <sub>OL</sub> = 0.1mA<br>Pins: DB7 - 0                         |
| Output High Voltage (CMOS) | V <sub>OH2</sub> | 0.8VDD  | -    | -      | V    | I <sub>OH</sub> = - 40μA,<br>Pins: CL1, CL2, M, D                |
| Output Low Voltage (CMOS)  | V <sub>OL2</sub> | -       | -    | 0.2VDD | V    | I <sub>OL</sub> = 40μA, Pins:<br>CL1, CL2, M, D                  |
| Driver ON Resistance (COM) | R <sub>COM</sub> | -       | -    | 20     | KΩ   | I <sub>o</sub> = ±50μA, V <sub>LCD</sub> = 4V<br>Pins: COM16 - 1 |
| Driver ON Resistance (SEG) | R <sub>SEG</sub> | -       | -    | 30     | KΩ   | I <sub>o</sub> = ±50μA, V <sub>LCD</sub> = 4V<br>Pins: SEG40 - 1 |
| LCD Voltage                | V <sub>LCD</sub> | 3.0     | -    | 11.0   | V    | VDD-V5, 1/4 bias or 1/5 bias                                     |

Note: F<sub>osc</sub> = 250KHz, VDD = 3V, pin E = "L", RS, R/W, DB7 - 0 are open, all outputs are no loads.

**AC CHARACTERISTICS (T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, VDD = 2.7 to 4.5V)**
**■ INTERNAL CLOCK OPERATION**

| Characteristics | Symbol            | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition             |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------|------|------|------|----------------------------|
|                 |                   | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                            |
| OSC Frequency   | F <sub>osc1</sub> | 190   | 270  | 350  | KHz  | VDD = 3V<br>Rf = 75KΩ ± 2% |

**■ EXTERNAL CLOCK OPERATION**

| Characteristics    | Symbol                          | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|----------------|
|                    |                                 | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                |
| External Frequency | F <sub>osc2</sub>               | 125   | 250  | 350  | KHz  |                |
| Duty Cycle         |                                 | 45    | 50   | 55   | %    |                |
| Rise/Fall Time     | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | -     | -    | 0.2  | μs   |                |

**■ WRITE MODE (Writing data from MPU to SPLC780A1)**

| Characteristics    | Symbol                          | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition   |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|------------------|
|                    |                                 | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                  |
| E Cycle Time       | t <sub>c</sub>                  | 1000  | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Pulse Width      | t <sub>PW</sub>                 | 450   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Rise/Fall Time   | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | -     | -    | 25   | ns   | Pin E            |
| Address Setup Time | t <sub>SP1</sub>                | 60    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Address Hold Time  | t <sub>HD1</sub>                | 20    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Data Setup Time    | t <sub>SP2</sub>                | 195   | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: DB7 - 0    |
| Data Hold Time     | t <sub>HD2</sub>                | 10    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: DB7 - 0    |

**■ READ MODE (Reading data from SPLC780A1 to MPU)**

| Characteristics        | Symbol                          | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition   |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|------------------|
|                        |                                 | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                  |
| E Cycle Time           | t <sub>c</sub>                  | 1000  | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Pulse Width          | t <sub>w</sub>                  | 450   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Rise/Fall Time       | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | -     | -    | 25   | ns   | Pin E            |
| Address Setup Time     | t <sub>SP1</sub>                | 60    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Address Hold Time      | t <sub>HD1</sub>                | 20    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Data Output Delay Time | t <sub>D</sub>                  | -     | -    | 360  | ns   | Pins: DB7 - 0    |
| Data hold time         | t <sub>HD2</sub>                | 5.0   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin DB7 - 0      |



**DC CHARACTERISTICS ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{DD} = 4.5$  to  $5.5\text{V}$ )**

| Characteristics            | Symbol    | Limit  |      |        | Unit             | Test Condition   |
|----------------------------|-----------|--------|------|--------|------------------|--|
|                            |           | Min.   | Typ. | Max.   |                  |  |
| Operating Current          | $I_{DD}$  | -      | 0.55 | 0.8    | mA               | External clock (Note)  |
| Input High Voltage         | $V_{IH1}$ | 2.2    | -    | VDD    | V                | Pins:(E, RS, R/W, DB7 - 0)   |
| Input Low Voltage          | $V_{IL1}$ | -0.3   | -    | 0.6    | V                |  |
| Input High Voltage         | $V_{IH2}$ | VDD-1  | -    | VDD    | V                | Pin OSC1   |
| Input Low Voltage          | $V_{IL2}$ | -0.2   | -    | 1.0    | V                | Pin OSC1   |
| Input High Current         | $I_{IH}$  | -2.0   | -    | 2.0    | $\mu\text{A}$    | Pins: (RS, R/W, DB7 - 0)<br>VDD = 5.0V                               |
| Input Low Current          | $I_{IL}$  | -20    | -50  | -100   | $\mu\text{A}$    |  |
| Output High Voltage (TTL)  | $V_{OH1}$ | 2.4    | -    | VDD    | V                | $I_{OH} = -0.1\text{mA}$<br>Pins: DB7 - 0                            |
| Output Low Voltage (TTL)   | $V_{OL1}$ | -      | -    | 0.4    | V                | $I_{OL} = 0.1\text{mA}$<br>Pins: DB7 - 0                             |
| Output High Voltage (CMOS) | $V_{OH2}$ | 0.9VDD | -    | VDD    | V                | $I_{OH} = -40\mu\text{A}$ ,<br>Pins: CL1, CL2, M, D                  |
| Output Low Voltage (CMOS)  | $V_{OL2}$ | -      | -    | 0.1VDD | V                | $I_{OL} = 40\mu\text{A}$ , Pins:<br>CL1, CL2, M, D                   |
| Driver ON Resistance (COM) | $R_{COM}$ | -      | -    | 20     | $\text{K}\Omega$ | $I_o = \pm 50\mu\text{A}$ , $V_{LCD} = 4\text{V}$<br>Pins: COM16 - 1 |
| Driver ON Resistance (SEG) | $R_{SEG}$ | -      | -    | 30     | $\text{K}\Omega$ | $I_o = \pm 50\mu\text{A}$ , $V_{LCD} = 4\text{V}$<br>Pins: SEG40 - 1 |
| LCD Voltage                | $V_{LCD}$ | 3.0    | -    | 11.0   | V                | VDD-V5, 1/4 bias or 1/5 bias   |

Note:  $F_{osc} = 250\text{KHz}$ ,  $V_{DD} = 5\text{V}$ , pin E = "L", RS, R/W, DB7 - 0 are open, all outputs are no loads.

**AC CHARACTERISTICS (T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, VDD = 4.5 to 5.5V)**
**■ INTERNAL CLOCK OPERATION**

| Characteristics | Symbol            | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition              |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|
|                 |                   | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                             |
| OSC Frequency   | F <sub>OSC1</sub> | 190   | 270  | 350  | KHz  | VDD = 5V<br>Rf = 91 KΩ ± 2% |

**■ EXTERNAL CLOCK OPERATION**

| Characteristics    | Symbol                          | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|----------------|
|                    |                                 | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                |
| External Frequency | F <sub>OSC2</sub>               | 125   | 250  | 350  | KHz  |                |
| Duty Cycle         |                                 | 45    | 50   | 55   | %    |                |
| Rise/Fall Time     | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | -     | -    | 0.2  | μs   |                |

**■ WRITE MODE (Writing Data from MPU to SPLC780A1)**

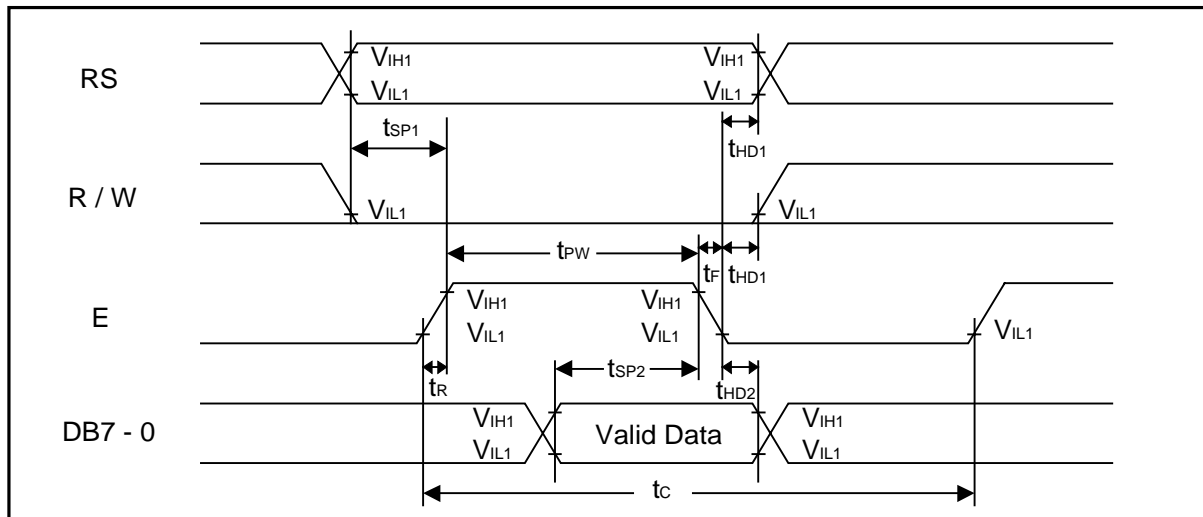
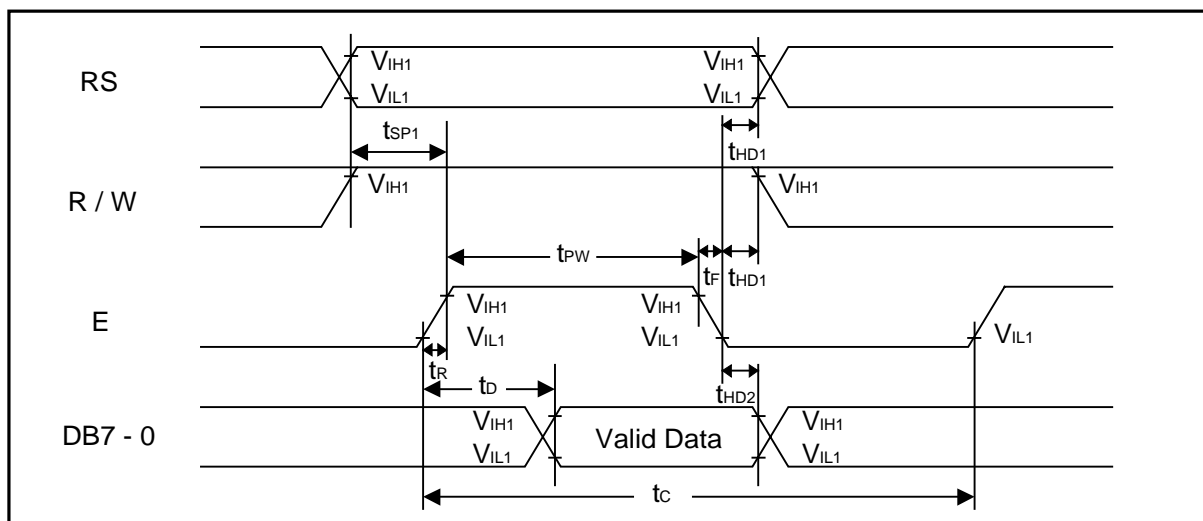
| Characteristics    | Symbol                          | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition   |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|------------------|
|                    |                                 | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                  |
| E Cycle Time       | t <sub>c</sub>                  | 400   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Pulse Width      | t <sub>PW</sub>                 | 150   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Rise/Fall Time   | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | -     | -    | 25   | ns   | Pin E            |
| Address Setup Time | t <sub>SP1</sub>                | 30    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Address Hold Time  | t <sub>HD1</sub>                | 10    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Data Setup Time    | t <sub>SP2</sub>                | 40    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: DB7 - 0    |
| Data Hold Time     | t <sub>HD2</sub>                | 10    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: DB7 - 0    |

**■ READ MODE (Reading Data from SPLC780A1 to MPU)**

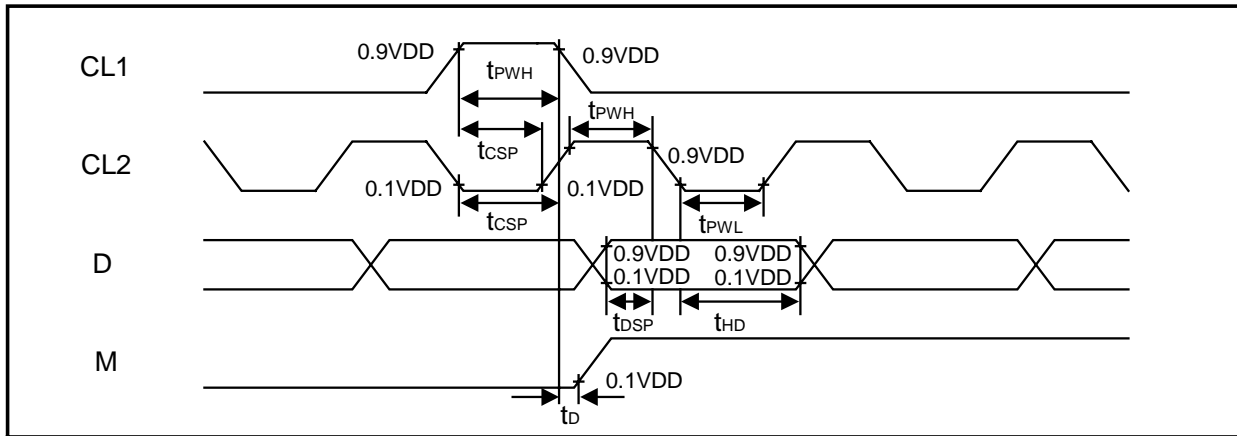
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|------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|------------------|
|                        |                                 | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                  |
| E Cycle Time           | t <sub>c</sub>                  | 400   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Pulse Width          | t <sub>w</sub>                  | 150   | -    | -    | ns   | Pin E            |
| E Rise/Fall Time       | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | -     | -    | 25   | ns   | Pin E            |
| Address Setup Time     | t <sub>SP1</sub>                | 30    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Address Hold Time      | t <sub>HD1</sub>                | 10    | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: RS, R/W, E |
| Data Output Delay Time | t <sub>d</sub>                  | -     | -    | 100  | ns   | Pins: DB7 - 0    |
| Data hold time         | t <sub>HD2</sub>                | 20    | -    | -    | ns   | Pin DB7 - 0      |

**■ INTERFACE MODE WITH LCD DRIVER (SPLC100A1)**

| Characteristics        | Symbol    | Limit |      |      | Unit | Test Condition |
|------------------------|-----------|-------|------|------|------|----------------|
|                        |           | Min.  | Typ. | Max. |      |                |
| Clock pulse width high | $t_{PWH}$ | 800   | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: CL1, CL2 |
| Clock pulse width low  | $t_{PWL}$ | 800   | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: CL1, CL2 |
| Clock setup time       | $t_{CSP}$ | 500   | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: CL1, CL2 |
| Data setup time        | $t_{DSP}$ | 300   | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: D        |
| Data hold time         | $t_{HD}$  | 300   | -    | -    | ns   | Pins: D        |
| M delay time           | $t_D$     | -1000 | -    | 1000 | ns   | Pins: M        |

**■ WRITE MODE TIMING DIAGRAM (Writing Data from MPU to SPLC780A1)**

**■ READ MODE TIMING DIAGRAM (Reading Data from SPLC780A1 to MPU)**


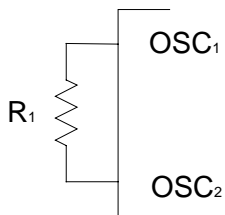
■ INTERFACE MODE WITH SPLC100A1 TIMING DIAGRAM



APPLICATION NOTES

■ R-OSCILLATOR

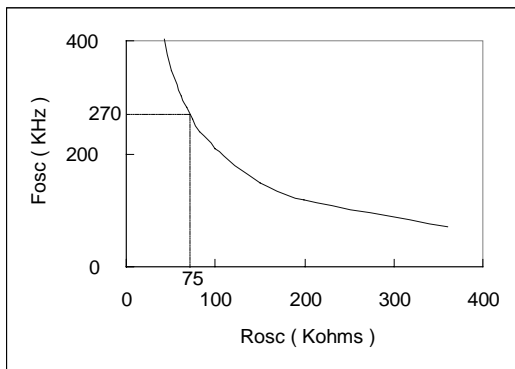
The oscillation resistor  $R_f$  is used only for the internal oscillator operation mode.



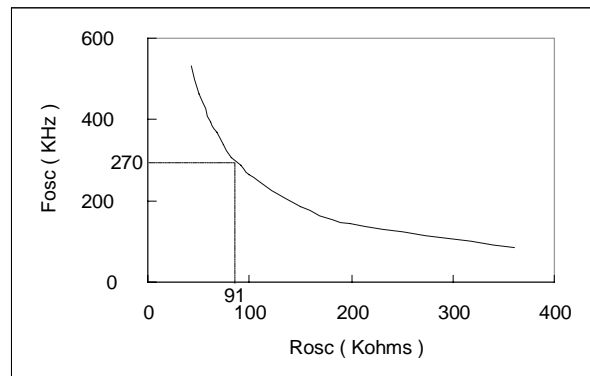
$R_f$  :  $75K\Omega \pm 2\%$  ( when  $VDD = 3V$  )

$R_f$  :  $91K\Omega \pm 2\%$  ( when  $VDD = 5V$  )

Since the oscillation frequency varies depending on the  $OSC_1$  and  $OSC_2$  pin capacitance, the wiring length to these pins should be minimized.



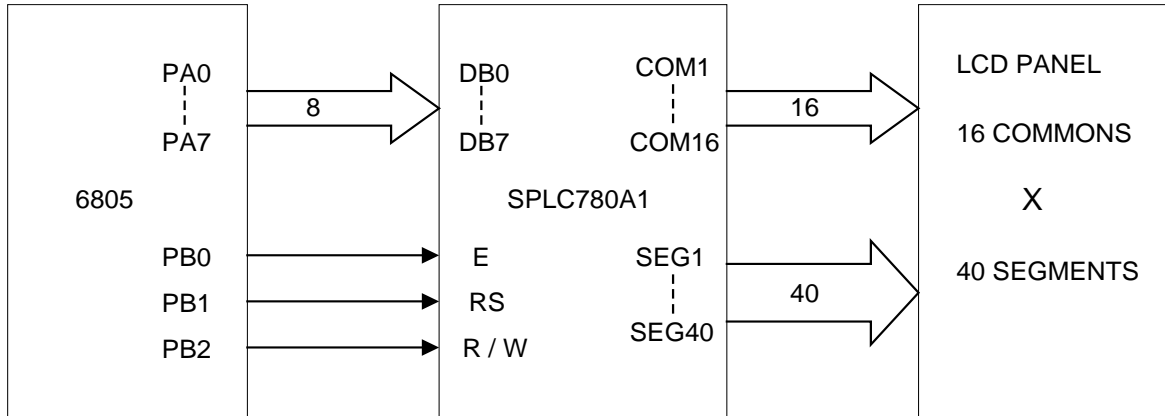
VDD = 3V



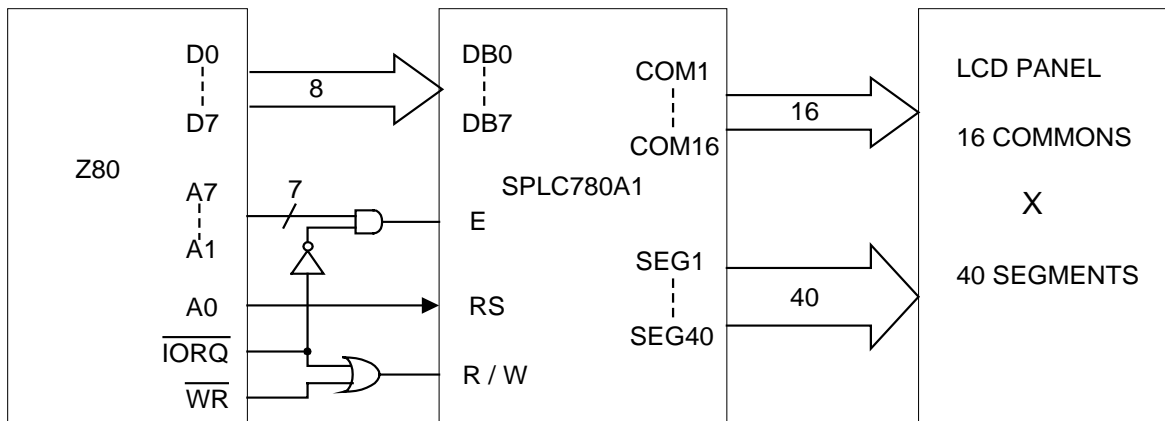
VDD = 5V

■ INTERFACE TO MPU

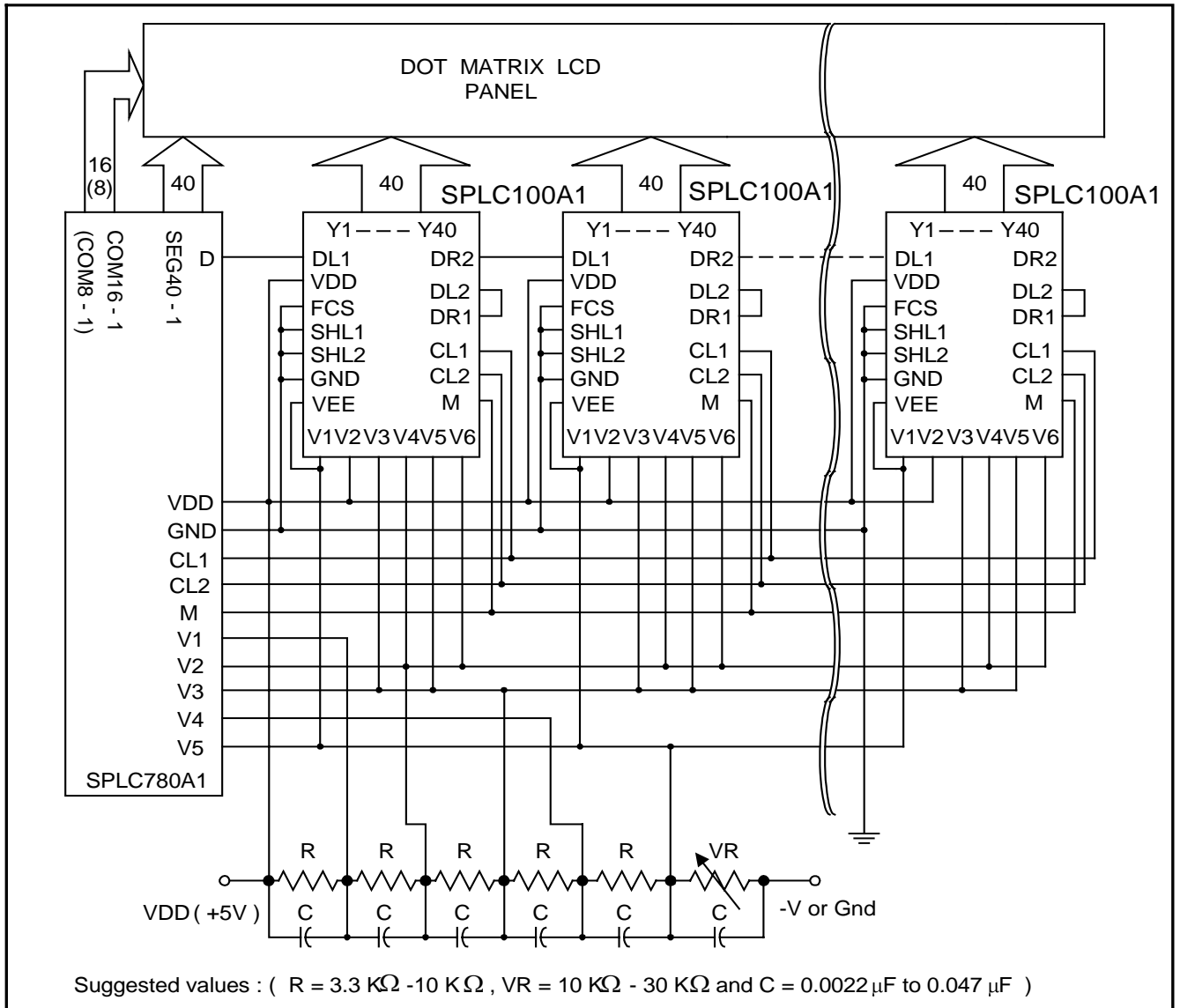
Interface to 8-bit MPU ( 6805 )



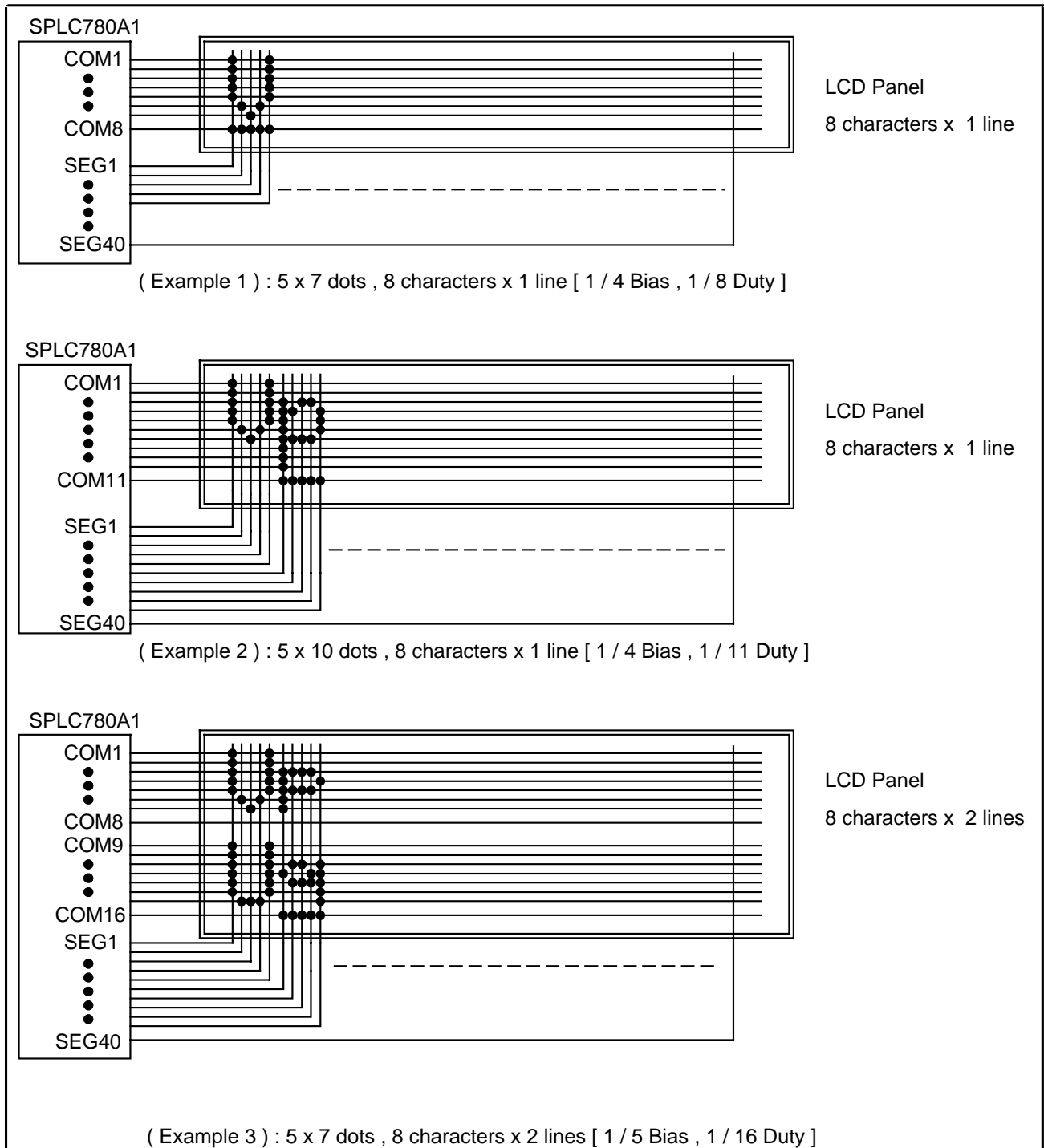
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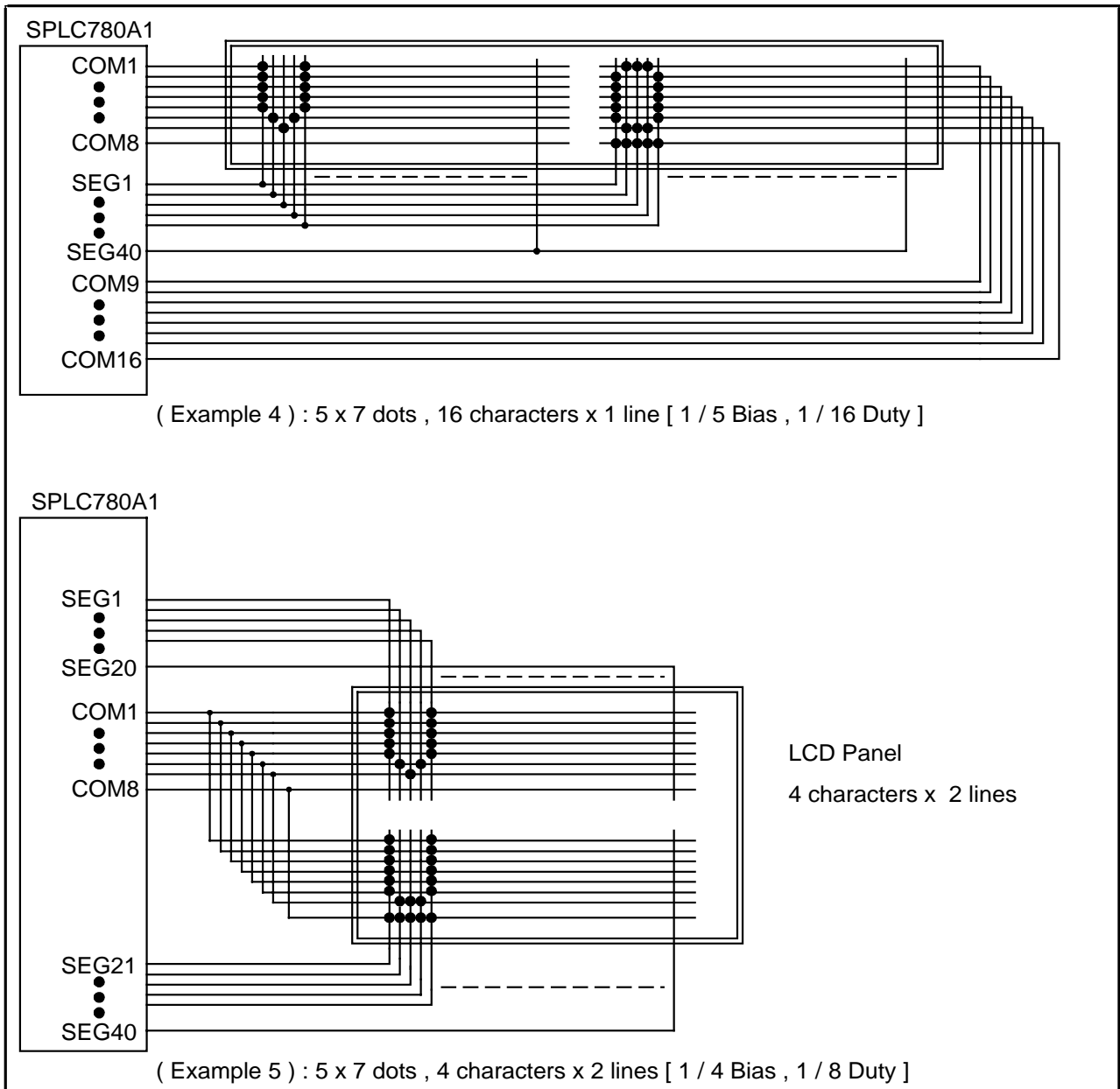


■ SPLC780A1 APPLICATION CIRCUIT



■ APPLICATIONS FOR LCD

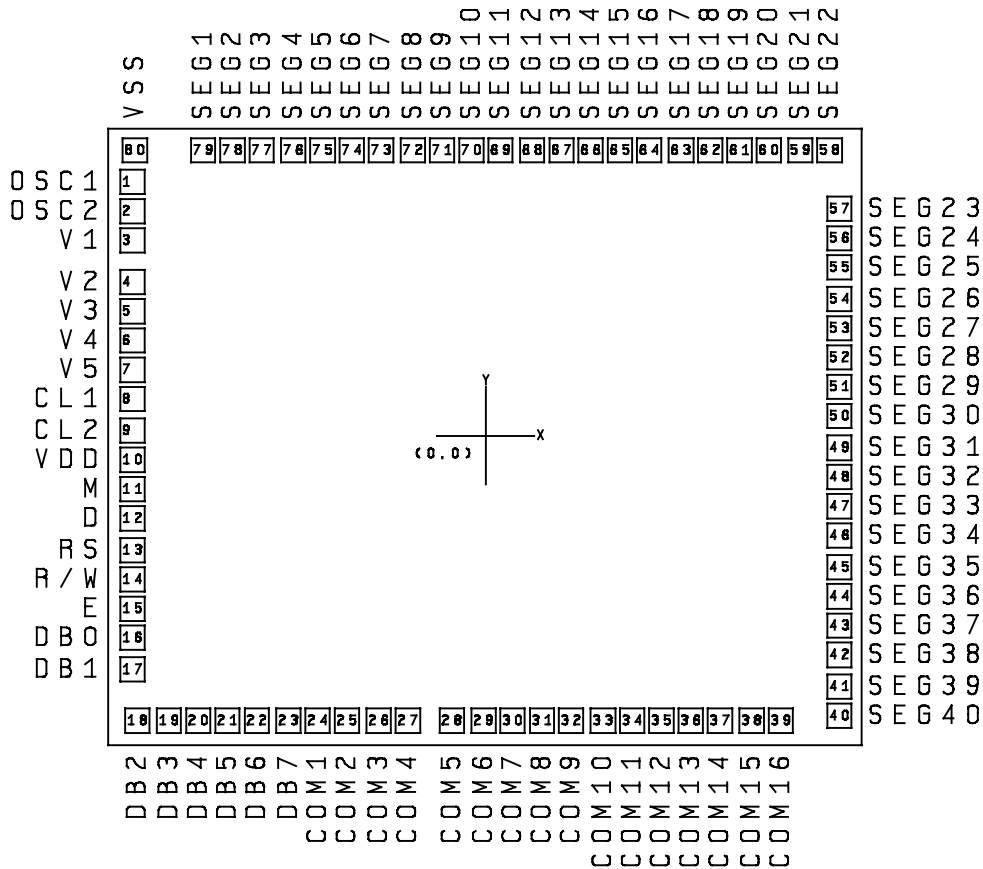






PAD ASSIGNMENT AND LOCATIONS

■ PAD ASSIGNMENT



Chip Size: 3810 $\mu$ m x 3140 $\mu$ m

This IC substrate should be connected to VDD

Note: To ensure IC function properly, please bond all of the VDD and VSS pins.

Ordering Information

| Product Number    | Package Type |
|-------------------|--------------|
| SPLC780A1-nnnnV-C | Chip form    |

Note1: Code number (nnnnV) is assigned for customer.

Note2: Code number (nnnn = 0000 - 9999); version (V = A - Z).

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**■ PAD LOCATIONS**

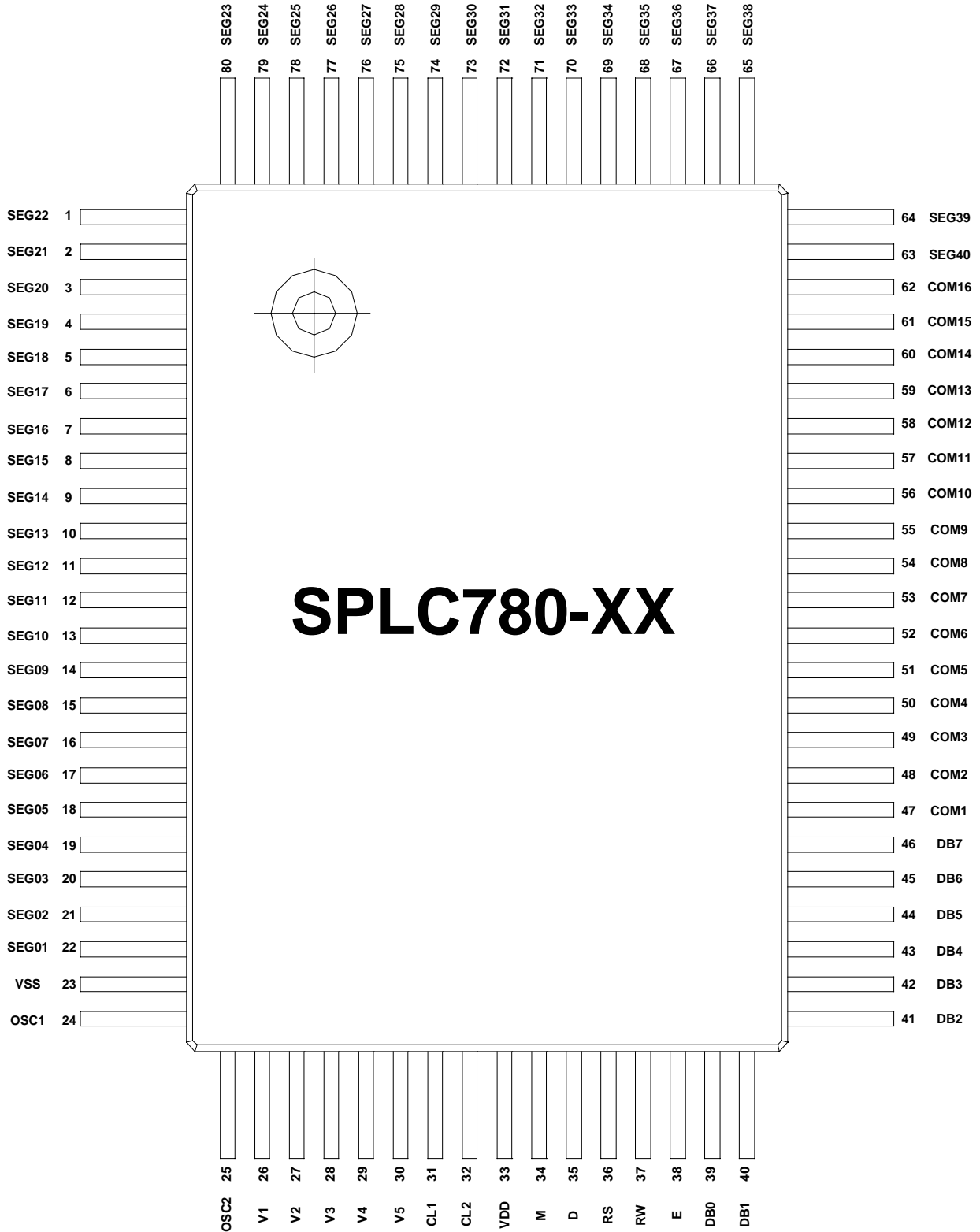
| Pad No | Pad Name | X     | Y     | Pad No | Pad Name | X    | Y     |
|--------|----------|-------|-------|--------|----------|------|-------|
| 1      | OSC1     | -1738 | 1256  | 33     | COM10    | 576  | -1404 |
| 2      | OSC2     | -1738 | 1110  | 34     | COM11    | 722  | -1404 |
| 3      | V1       | -1738 | 963   | 35     | COM12    | 868  | -1404 |
| 4      | V2       | -1738 | 765   | 36     | COM13    | 1015 | -1404 |
| 5      | V3       | -1738 | 619   | 37     | COM14    | 1162 | -1404 |
| 6      | V4       | -1738 | 472   | 38     | COM15    | 1309 | -1404 |
| 7      | V5       | -1738 | 325   | 39     | COM16    | 1455 | -1404 |
| 8      | CL1      | -1738 | 178   | 40     | SEG40    | 1744 | -1372 |
| 9      | CL2      | -1738 | 32    | 41     | SEG39    | 1744 | -1226 |
| 10     | VDD      | -1738 | -115  | 42     | SEG38    | 1744 | -1078 |
| 11     | M        | -1738 | -261  | 43     | SEG37    | 1744 | -932  |
| 12     | D        | -1738 | -408  | 44     | SEG36    | 1744 | -786  |
| 13     | RS       | -1738 | -554  | 45     | SEG35    | 1744 | -638  |
| 14     | R / W    | -1738 | -702  | 46     | SEG34    | 1744 | -492  |
| 15     | E        | -1738 | -848  | 47     | SEG33    | 1744 | -345  |
| 16     | DB0      | -1738 | -994  | 48     | SEG32    | 1744 | -199  |
| 17     | DB1      | -1738 | -1142 | 49     | SEG31    | 1744 | -51   |
| 18     | DB2      | -1705 | -1404 | 50     | SEG30    | 1744 | 94    |
| 19     | DB3      | -1558 | -1404 | 51     | SEG29    | 1744 | 241   |
| 20     | DB4      | -1411 | -1404 | 52     | SEG28    | 1744 | 388   |
| 21     | DB5      | -1264 | -1404 | 53     | SEG27    | 1744 | 535   |
| 22     | DB6      | -1118 | -1404 | 54     | SEG26    | 1744 | 681   |
| 23     | DB7      | -970  | -1404 | 55     | SEG25    | 1744 | 829   |
| 24     | COM1     | -819  | -1404 | 56     | SEG24    | 1744 | 975   |
| 25     | COM2     | -673  | -1404 | 57     | SEG23    | 1744 | 1122  |
| 26     | COM3     | -526  | -1404 | 58     | SEG22    | 1695 | 1406  |
| 27     | COM4     | -379  | -1404 | 59     | SEG21    | 1549 | 1406  |
| 28     | COM5     | -158  | -1404 | 60     | SEG20    | 1402 | 1406  |
| 29     | COM6     | -12   | -1404 | 61     | SEG19    | 1255 | 1406  |
| 30     | COM7     | 135   | -1404 | 62     | SEG18    | 1108 | 1406  |
| 31     | COM8     | 282   | -1404 | 63     | SEG17    | 962  | 1406  |
| 32     | COM9     | 428   | -1404 | 64     | SEG16    | 814  | 1406  |



| Pad No | Pad Name | X    | Y    | Pad No | Pad Name | X     | Y    |
|--------|----------|------|------|--------|----------|-------|------|
| 65     | SEG15    | 668  | 1406 | 73     | SEG7     | -505  | 1406 |
| 66     | SEG14    | 522  | 1406 | 74     | SEG6     | -652  | 1406 |
| 67     | SEG13    | 374  | 1406 | 75     | SEG5     | -799  | 1406 |
| 68     | SEG12    | 228  | 1406 | 76     | SEG4     | -945  | 1406 |
| 69     | SEG11    | 81   | 1406 | 77     | SEG3     | -1093 | 1406 |
| 70     | SEG10    | -64  | 1406 | 78     | SEG2     | -1239 | 1406 |
| 71     | SEG9     | -212 | 1406 | 79     | SEG1     | -1386 | 1406 |
| 72     | SEG8     | -358 | 1406 | 80     | VSS      | -1719 | 1402 |

■ PACKAGE CONFIGURATION

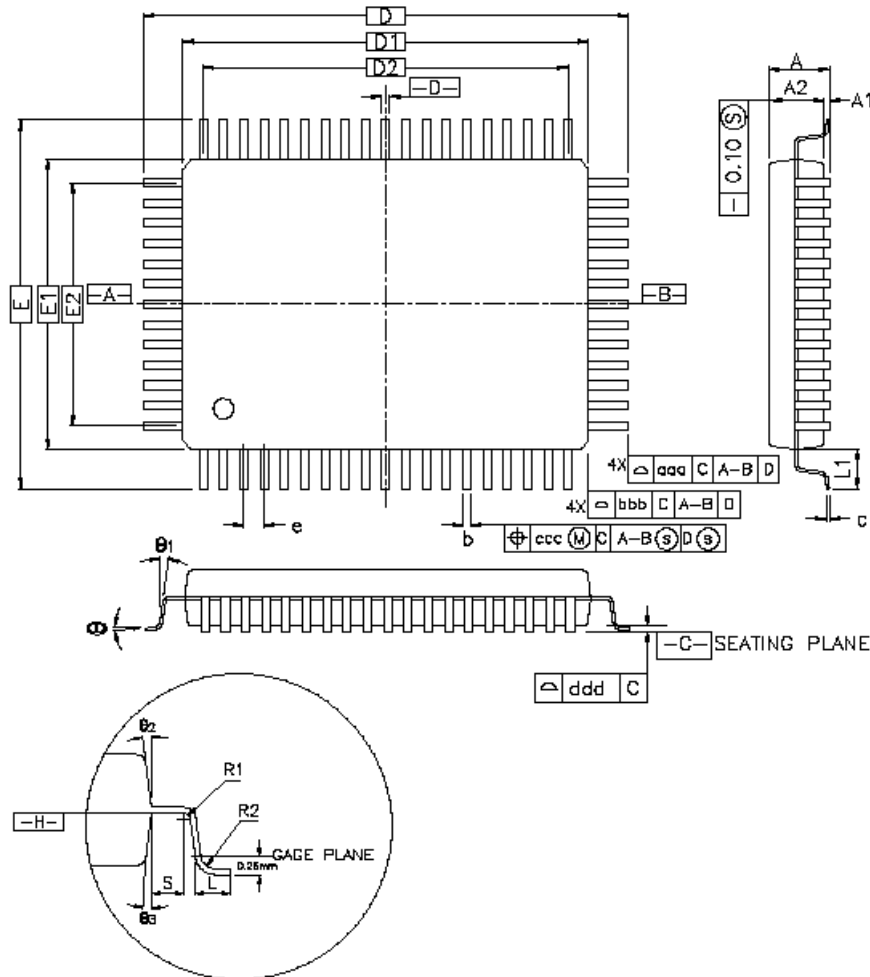
QFP 80L Top View



■ PACKAGE INFORMATION

QFP 80L Outline Dimensions

Unit: inch/mm



CONTROL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS.

| SYMBOL                            | MILLIMETER  |      |      | INCH        |       |       |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|------|------|-------------|-------|-------|
|                                   | MIN.        | NOM. | MAX. | MIN.        | NOM.  | MAX.  |
| A                                 | —           | —    | 3.40 | —           | —     | 0.134 |
| A1                                | 0.25        | —    | —    | 0.010       | —     | —     |
| A2                                | 2.50        | 2.72 | 2.90 | 0.098       | 0.107 | 0.114 |
| D                                 | 23.20 BASIC |      |      | 0.913 BASIC |       |       |
| D1                                | 20.00 BASIC |      |      | 0.787 BASIC |       |       |
| E                                 | 17.20 BASIC |      |      | 0.677 BASIC |       |       |
| E1                                | 14.00 BASIC |      |      | 0.551 BASIC |       |       |
| R2                                | 0.13        | —    | 0.30 | 0.005       | —     | 0.012 |
| R1                                | 0.13        | —    | —    | 0.005       | —     | —     |
| $\theta$                          | 0°          | —    | 7°   | 0°          | —     | 7°    |
| $\theta_1$                        | 0°          | —    | —    | 0°          | —     | —     |
| ALLOY 42 L/F $\theta_2, \theta_3$ | 7° REF      |      |      | 7° REF      |       |       |
| COPPER L/F $\theta_2, \theta_3$   | 15° REF     |      |      | 15° REF     |       |       |
| c                                 | 0.11        | 0.15 | 0.23 | 0.004       | 0.006 | 0.009 |
| L                                 | 0.73        | 0.88 | 1.03 | 0.029       | 0.035 | 0.041 |
| L1                                | 1.60 REF    |      |      | 0.063 REF   |       |       |
| S                                 | 0.20        | —    | —    | 0.008       | —     | —     |

| SYMBOL     | 80L        |      |      |            |       |       |
|------------|------------|------|------|------------|-------|-------|
|            | MILLIMETER |      |      | INCH       |       |       |
|            | MIN.       | NOM. | MAX. | MIN.       | NOM.  | MAX.  |
| b          | 0.30       | 0.35 | 0.45 | 0.012      | 0.014 | 0.018 |
| e          | 0.80 BSC.  |      |      | 0.031 BSC. |       |       |
| D2         | 18.40 REF  |      |      | 0.724      |       |       |
| E2         | 12.00 REF  |      |      | 0.472      |       |       |
| TOLERANCES |            |      |      |            |       |       |
| aaa        | 0.25       |      |      | 0.010      |       |       |
| bbb        | 0.20       |      |      | 0.008      |       |       |
| ccc        | 0.20       |      |      | 0.008      |       |       |
| ddd        | 0.10       |      |      | 0.004      |       |       |

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