General Description

The C38A is a 1/3" color camera module with digital output. It uses OmniVision's CMOS image sensor OV7620. Combining CMOS technology together with an easy to use digital interface makes C38A a low cost solution for higher quality video image application.

The digital video port supplies a continuous 8/16 bit-wide image data stream. All camera functions, such as exposure, gamma, gain, white balance, color matrix, windowing, are programmable through I²C interface.



Features:

326,688 pixels, VGA / CIF format

Small size: 40 x 28 mm Lens: f=6mm (Optional)

8/16 bit video data: CCIR601, CCIR656, ZV port

Read out - progressive / interlace

Data format -YCrCb 4:2:2, GRB 4:2:2, RGB

I²C interface

Built in 10bit 2 ch A/D converter

Electronic exposure / Gain / White balance control Image enhancement - brightness, contrast, gamma,

saturation, sharpness, window, etc

Internal / external synchronization scheme

Frame exposure / line exposure option

Wide dynamic range, anti blooming, zero smearing

Single 5V operation

Low power consumption (<120mW)

Monochrome composite video signal output (60Hz)

OV7620

PCB Layout (Top view)

Application Example

- Video Conferencing
- PC Multimedia
- Video Phone
- Video Mail
- Still Image
- Machine Vision
- Process control

Note: Evaluation Board is available for C38A

Specification

Imager	OV7620, CMOS image sensor
Array Size	664x492 pixels
Pixel size	7.6 x 7.6 μm
Scanning	Progressive / interlace
Effective image area	4.86mm x 3.64mm
Electronic Exposure	500:1
Gamma Correction	128 curve settings
S/N Ratio	>48dB
Min Illumination	2.5lux @F1.4
Operation Voltage	5 VDC
Operation Current	120mW Active
	10 μW Standby
Lens (Optional)	f6mm, F1.6

Pin Description

Y0~Y7

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9	PWDN	Power down mode
10	RST	Reset
11	SDA	I ² C Serial data
12	FODD	Odd Field flag
13	SCL	I ² C Serial clock input
14	HREF	Horizontal window reference output
15	AGND	Analog Ground
16	VSYN	Vertical Sync output
17	AGND	Analog Ground
18	PCLK	Pixel clock output
19	EXCLK	External clock input (need to remove crystal)
20	VCC	Power Supply 5VDC
21	AGND	Analog Ground
22	VCC	Power Supply 5VDC
23~30	UV0-UV7	Digital output UV bus.
31	GND	Common ground
32	VTO	Video Analog Output (75Ω monochrome)

Digital output Y Bus.