



U641B

Interval-and Wipe/ Wash Wiper Control IC with Delay

Description

As a convenience feature of the windshield wiper intermittent and wipe/wash operation are implemented in most of the automobiles. The U641B is the low-cost solution for an accurate timing function control. Wipe/wash mode has priority over interval mode. Interval pause and afterwiping time can be set to fixed values by using

resistors in a broad time range. Added value can be provided with an individual, continuous adjustment of the interval pause by a potentiometer which may be built into the stalk. For proper operation it is mandatory to feed the signal of the wiper motor's park switch into U641B.

Features

- Interval pause: 4 to 20 s
- Afterwiping time: 2 to 20 s
- Wiper motor's park switch
- 0.6 s prewash delay
- Wipe/wash mode priority
- One external capacitor, determines all time sequences
- Relay driver with Z-diode
- Interference protection according to VDE 0839 or ISO/TR 7637/1
- Load-dump protected

Block Diagram

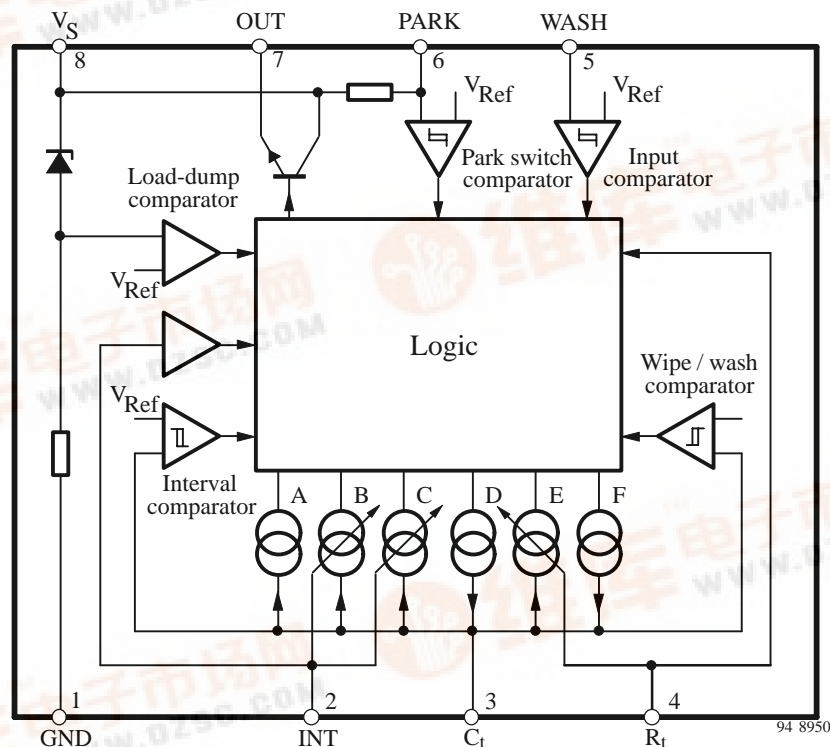


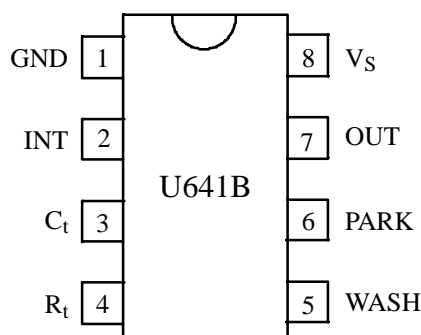
Figure 1. Block diagram

Ordering Information

| Extended Type Number | Package | Remarks |
|----------------------|---------|---------|
| U641B | DIP8 | |
| U641B-FP | SO8 | |

Pin Description

| Pin | Symbol | Function |
|-----|--------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | GND | Ground |
| 2 | INT | Interval switch |
| 3 | C_t | Timing capacitor C_2 |
| 4 | R_t | Afterwiping time resistance |
| 5 | WASH | Wipe/ wash switch |
| 6 | PARK | Park switch for wiper motor |
| 7 | OUT | Relay control output |
| 8 | V_S | Supply voltage KI. 15 |



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Figure 2. Pinning

Circuit Description

Interval Function, Pin 2

By closing the interval switch, S_2 , to supply voltage, V_{Batt} , the relay is activated. The internal current source (Pin 3) which holds the capacitor C_2 in charged state is switched-off. As soon as there is a positive potential at the park switch (S_1), current source F (see figure 1) charges the capacitor C_2 very fast. After the wiper operation is finished, S_1 is again at ground potential, the relay is in off position – interval pause begins – the capacitor C_2 is discharged through the current source C, till the voltage at Pin 3 is below the threshold of 2 V. Interval pause can be adjusted between 4 s to 20 s with the help of potentiometer R_3 . Now the relay switches on and the next interval cycle begins. Opening switch S_2 causes current source A to discharge C_2 immediately and current sources C and F are switched off.

Wipe/ Wash (WIWA) Operation, Pin 5

By closing the WIWA-switch, S_3 , to supply voltage, V_{Batt} , the water pump starts spraying the water on the windscreen, the current source A is switched-off which keeps the capacitor C_2 in discharged state. Now the capacitor is charged through the current source F, and when after a time interval of approximately 600 ms, the voltage

at the capacitor is greater than 6.1 V, the relay is turned on as long as the switch "WIWA" is closed.

The after-wipe-time begins after the switch is open whereas the sources D and F are switched off and the source E is activated. Source E discharges the capacitor till the voltage is less than 2.2 V. The relay is off and the wiper-motor is supplied via the park switch until the park position will be reached. The after-wipe-time is determined by the current source E which can be regulated with the external resistor R_{Time} . Afterwards the source A discharges the capacitor. Relay switch off is independent of the park switch S_1 .

Interval and WIWA Functions

The interval function is interrupted immediately when the switch S_2 is activated. The current source A discharges the capacitor to a value of 2 V, afterwards the normal wash function starts.

Interval wiping starts immediately when the after-wipe-time is over. The switching delays are slightly shorter, because the capacitor is already charged to a value of 2 V.

The Wipe/Wash function is not interrupted when interval switch S_2 is activated. Interval function begins after the WIWA function is over.

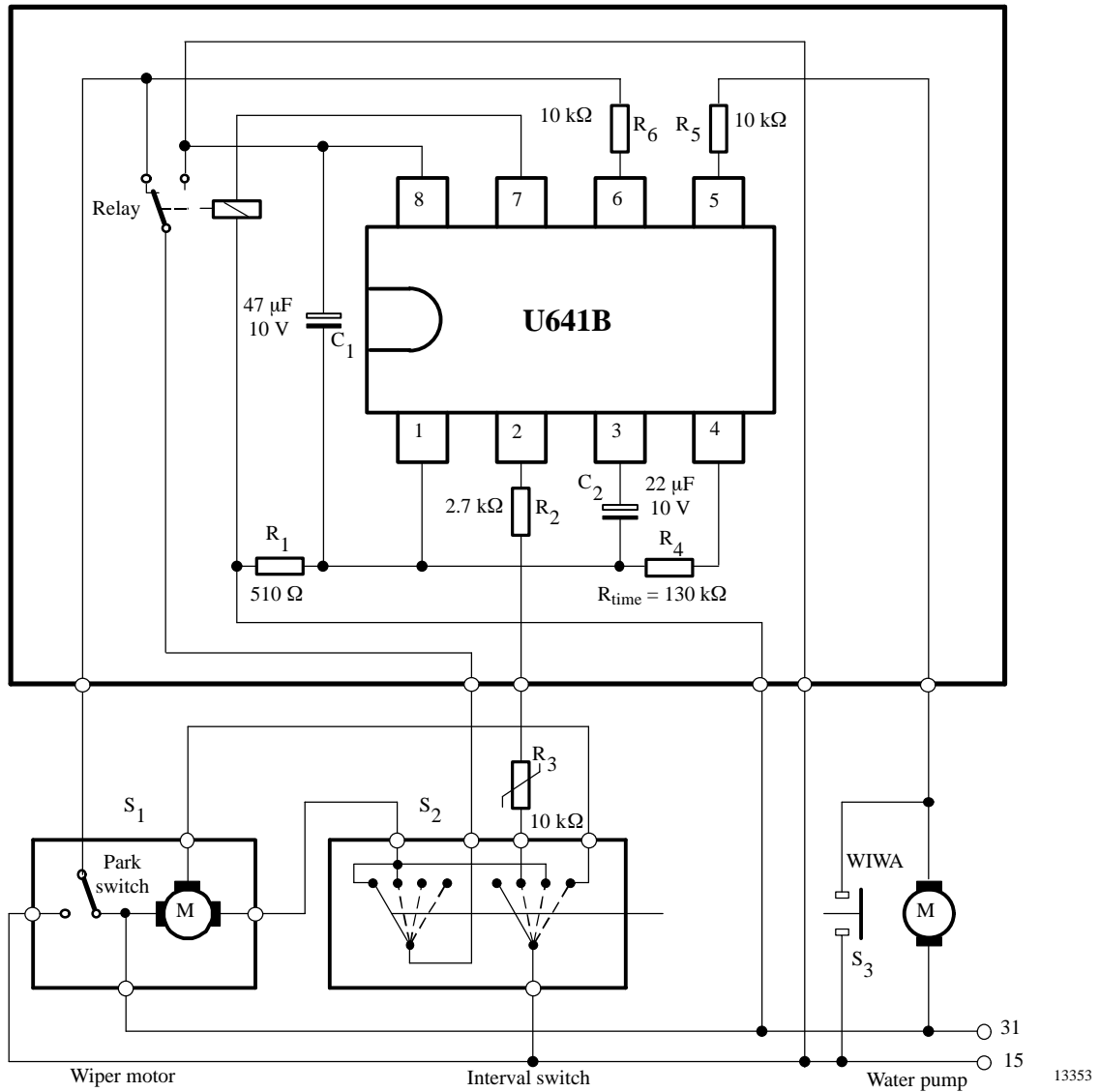


Figure 3. Application circuit with interval and wipe/wash operation

Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameters | | | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|--|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------|------|
| Supply voltage | t = 60 s | Terminal 15, Pin 8 | V _{Batt} | 28 | V |
| Supply current | t = 2 ms | Pin 8 | I ₈ | 1.5 | A |
| | t = 200 ms | | I ₈ | 150 | mA |
| Relay control output current (DC) | t = 200 ms | Pin 7 | I ₇ | 200 | mA |
| | | | I ₇ | 1.2 | A |
| Pulse current (control inputs) t = 200 ms | | | | | |
| | Park switch, S ₁ | Pin 6 | I ₆ | 50 | mA |
| | Wipe/Wash switch, S ₃ | Pin 5 | I ₅ | 50 | |
| | Interval switch, S ₂ | Pin 2 | I ₂ | 50 | |
| Power dissipation | T _{amb} = 90°C | | P _{tot} | 500 | mW |
| Storage temperature range | | | T _{stg} | −55 to +125 | °C |
| Ambient temperature range | | | T _{amb} | −40 to +85 | °C |

Thermal Resistance

| Parameters | | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|------------------|------|-------------------|-------|------|
| Junction ambient | DIP8 | R _{thJA} | 120 | K/W |
| | SO8 | R _{thJA} | 160 | K/W |

Electrical Characteristics

V_{Batt} = 12 V, T_{amb} = 25°C, reference point is Pin 8 (see figure 3) unless otherwise specified.

| Parameters | Test Conditions / Pins | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit |
|-----------------------------|--|-------------------|------|------|--------------|------|
| Supply voltage | Pin 8 | V _{Batt} | 9 | | 16.5 | V |
| Supply current | | I ₈ | | 10 | | mA |
| Z-diode limitation | | V ₁ | | 7.6 | | V |
| Overvoltage | | | | | | |
| Threshold current | | I ₁ | | −50 | | mA |
| Threshold voltage | | V _{Batt} | | 35 | | V |
| Relay control output Pin 7 | | | | | | |
| Saturation voltage | I ₇ = 100 mA I ₇ = 200 mA | V ₇ | | | −1.0 −1.5 | V |
| Leakage current | | I ₇ | | 100 | | μA |
| Park switch Pin 6 | | | | | | |
| Internal pull-up resistance | R ₆ = 10 kΩ | R ₆ | | 50 | | kΩ |
| Switching threshold voltage | | V ₆ | | −3.3 | | V |
| Protection diode | I ₆ = −10 mA | V ₆ | | −0.8 | | V |
| | I ₆ = 10 mA | V ₆ | | 7.6 | | V |

Electrical Characteristics (continued)

$V_{Batt} = 12\text{ V}$, $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$, reference point is Pin 8 (see figure 3) unless otherwise specified.

| Parameters | Test Conditions / Pins | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit |
|---|--|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| Input C_t Pin 3 | | | | | | |
| Internal resistance | | R_3 | | 100 | | Ω |
| Interval input , $R_2 = 2.7\text{ to }30\text{ k}\Omega$ Pin 2 | | | | | | |
| Protection diode | $I_2 = -10\text{ mA}$ $I_2 = 30\text{ mA}/10\text{ ms}$ | V_2 | | -0.8 7.6 | | V |
| WASH Input , $R_5 = 10\text{ k}\Omega$ Pin 5 | | | | | | |
| Switching threshold/ Hysteresis | | V_5 | | -1.4/-5.4 | | V |
| Protection diode | $I_5 = -10\text{ mA}$ $I_5 = 10\text{ mA}$ | V | | -0.8 7.6 | | V |
| Switching Characteristics , $R_4 = 47\text{ k}\Omega\text{ to }300\text{ k}\Omega$, $I_4 = -150\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | | | | | | |
| Interval time | $R_3 = 0\text{ k}\Omega$ $R_3 = 10\text{ k}\Omega$ | t_2 | 3.6 10.8 | 4 12 | 4.4 13.2 | s |
| Prewash delay | | t_{del} | | 600 | | ms |
| After-wipe-time | $R_4 = 130\text{ k}\Omega$ Pin 5 | t_5 | 4.75 | 5.25 | 5.75 | s |

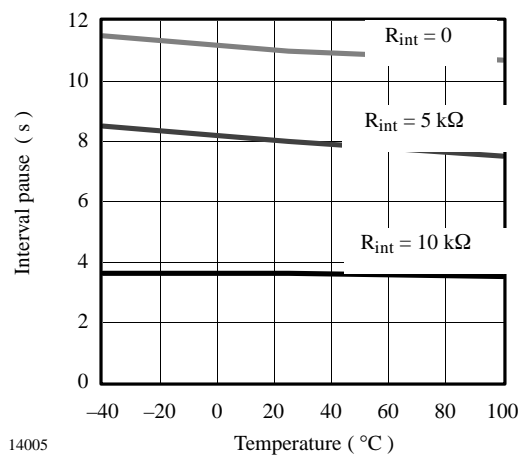


Figure 4. Interval pause = $f(T)$; $C_t = 22 \mu\text{F}$

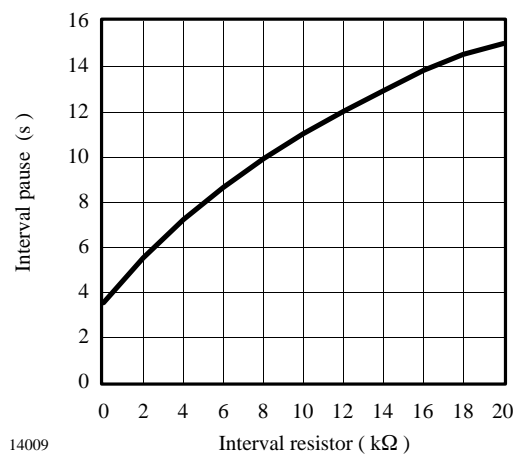


Figure 7. Interval pause = $f(R_{INT})$; $C_t = 22 \mu\text{F}$

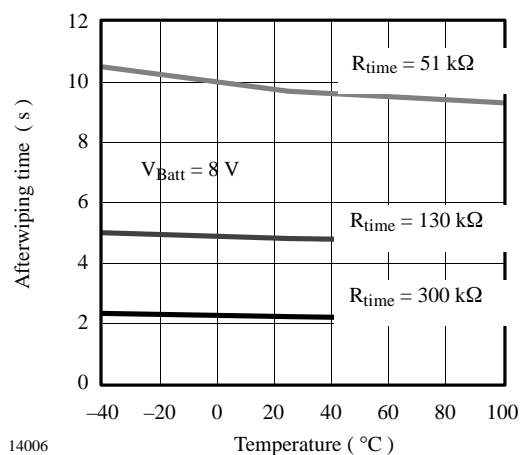


Figure 5. Afterwiping time = $f(T)$; $C_t = 22 \mu\text{F}$

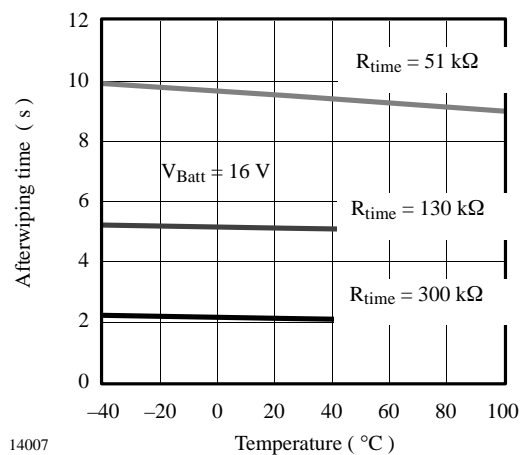


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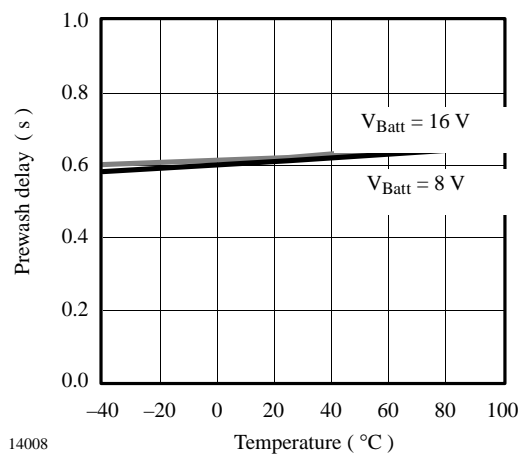
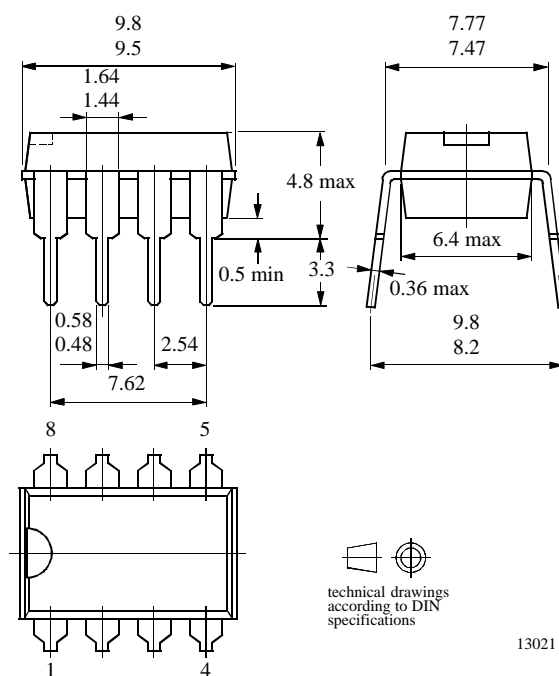


Figure 6. Prewash time = $f(T)$; $C_t = 22 \mu\text{F}$

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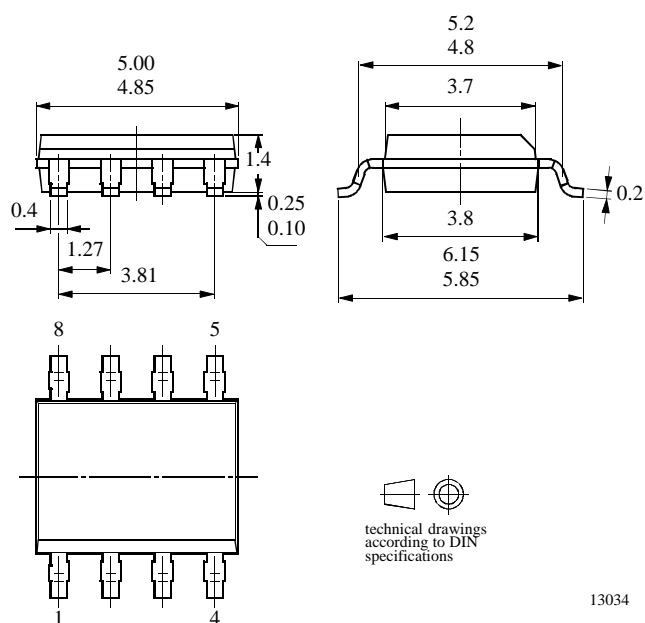
Package DIP8

Dimensions in mm



Package SO8

Dimensions in mm



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