

# CB350M6918A Series, Automotive, 0.5% Tolerance Operating Temperature -40°C~+105°C Shunt Based Current Sensor

## 1、Characteristics

- Current Sensing: Measurement Range: -8000A~+8000A
  - Continuous Operating Range: -350A~+350A
  - Measurement Accuracy:  $\pm 0.5\%$ (MAX)
  - Resolution: 10mA
- Temperature Sensing: Measurement Range: -50°C~+150°C
  - Measurement Error:  $\pm 3^\circ\text{C}$  (MAX)
  - Resolution: 0.1°C
- Communication Protocol: CAN2.0 A/B
  - Selectable Data Format
  - Configurable CAN ID
  - Configurable CAN Speed: 250Kbps-1Mbps
- Supply Voltage: 6VDC~18VDC
- Operating Temperature Range: -40°C~+105°C
- Power Consumption:  $\leq 216\text{mW}$  @12VDC
- Galvanic Isolation: 3000VAC
- The product design is based on ISO 26262 and it is ASIL C compliant.

## 2、Applications

- Automotive Current Monitor
- Grid Energy Storage
- UPS
- Charging Station

## 3、Introduction

CB350M6918A current sensor is an automotive current sensing module, which can be used to measure bidirectional DC current. Featuring high accuracy, low power consumption, wide operating temperature range, excellent response speed, temperature stability and anti-interference ability.

The sensor is designed based on low-TCR shunt, adopts high-precision ADC, communicates through CAN2.0 A/B protocol, and has large ranges of current and temperature measurement capabilities, and current compensation at whole temperature range.

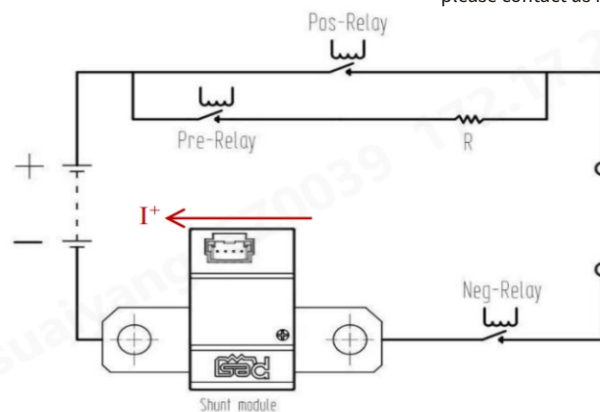
The sensor meets the operating temperature range of -40°C~+105°C, can apply to the continuous operating current of -350A~+350A at the whole temperature range, and the current measurement accuracy is no more than  $\pm 0.5\%$  in the range of +20A~+350A or -350A~-20A.

Power supply of CB350M6918A current sensor is from 6VDC to 18VDC. Its power consumption is controlled below 216mW (12VDC), and it can realize complete high-low voltage isolation, which can be applied to the main positive electrode or the main negative electrode of the battery system.

### Sensor Information

Part Number	Shunt Thickness	Resistance	Terminal Resistor
CB350M6918A1SS00	3mm	50 $\mu\Omega$	Yes
CB350M6918A1SN00	3mm	50 $\mu\Omega$	No

[1] For part numbers not included in the table, please contact us for technical support.



**Typical Application**

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## 4、Revision

Date	Revised Content	Note
2023.02	/	A0
2023.04.06	Flat washer is removed in Copper Bar Connection Diagram	A1
2023.08.29	Change the product packaging	A2
2023.09.14	Modify limit parameters of CAN, format B of data frame, order of connector pin and start-up time test curve	A3
2024.11.06	Add ASIL C compliance	A4
2024.12.05	Update the examples of Format B message frame	A5

## 5、Specifications

### 5.1 Limit Parameters

Note: Product will affect its reliability and cause unexpected permanent damage if operating under limit parameters for long time.

Parameter	Condition	Min.	Typical	Max.	Unit
Supply Voltage				30	VDC
Current Measurement Range	±1400A			10	s
	±8000A			50	ms
CAN Interface	Configured 120Ω Terminal Resistor (Continuous Power Supply)			6	V
	ESD			8	KV
Operating Temperature		-40		105	°C
Storage Temperature		-40		125	°C
Humidity				95	%RH

### 5.2 General Parameters

Test Conditions: Ambient Temperature 25 °C ( Unless Otherwise Noted)

Parameter	Condition	Min.	Typical	Max.	Unit
<b>Power Supply</b>					
Supply Voltage		6	12	18	VDC
Operating Current	6V	10	14	18	mA
	12V	10	14	18	mA
	18V	10	14	18	mA
Power Consumption	6V	60	85	108	mW
	12V	120	170	216	mW
	18V	180	250	324	mW
Start-Up Time	Required time from power-on to sending the first frame valid message	100	130	150	ms
<b>Current Measurement (- 40°C~+105°C)</b>					
Accuracy	-20A~+20A		±50	±100	mA
	+20A~+350A or -350A~-20A			±0.5	%
	+350A~+1000A or -1000A~-350A		±0.5	±1	%
	+1000A~+8000A or -8000A~-1000A		±1	±5	%
Duration	-350A~+350A		Continuous		
	±600A			5	min
	±1400A			5	s
	±8000A			40	ms
Resolution	-350A~+350A		10		mA
	>+350A or <-350A		60		mA
Linearity	-350A~+350A		±0.02		%
	>+350A or <-350A		±0.2		%

Test Conditions: Ambient Temperature 25 °C ( Unless Otherwise Noted)

Parameter	Condition	Min.	Typical	Max.	Unit
<b>Temperature Measurement</b>					
Measurement Range		-50		+150	°C
Measurement Error	-50°C~ +150°C	-3		+3	°C
Resolution			0.1		°C
<b>Power &amp; Temperature Rise</b>					
D C Impedance		45	50	55	μΩ
Inductance				3	nH
Temperature Rise	±350A@85°C Copper Bus Bar 20mm*3mm, 15Nm			60	°C
	±350A@85°C Copper Bus Bar 20mm*3mm, 15Nm			60	°C
<b>Communication</b>					
Protocol	CA N 2.0 A/B				
Communication Speed		250	500	1000	Kbps
Terminal Resistor	With Terminal Resistor	108	120	132	Ω
	Without Terminal Resistor				
Output Rate of Current Message		10	10	1000	ms
Output Rate of Temperature Message		10	100	1000	ms
<b>Isolation</b>					
Galvanic Isolation			3000		VAC
Creepage Distance			5.5		mm
Clearance			4.1		mm

### 5.3 Typical Characteristic Curve

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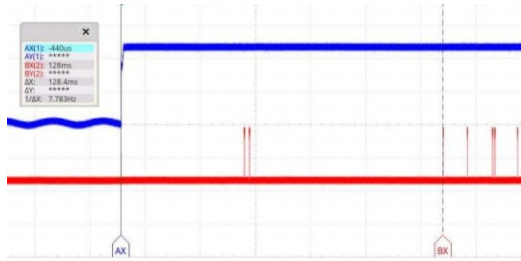


Figure 5-1 Sample1 Start-Up Time Test Curve

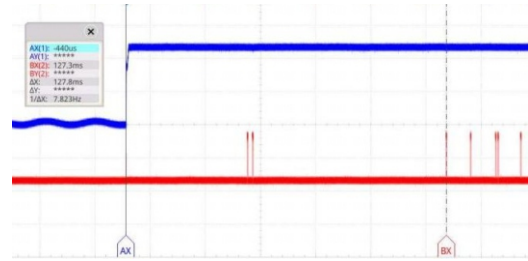


Figure 5-2 Sample2 Start-Up Time Test Curve

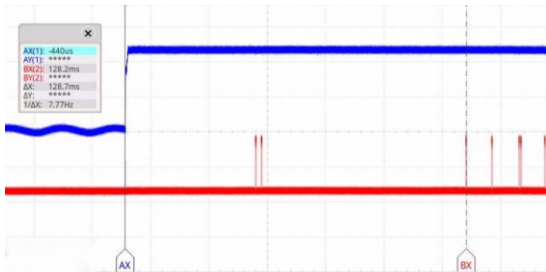


Figure 5-3 Sample3 Start-Up Time Test Curve

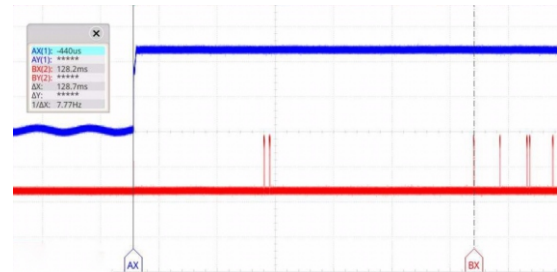


Figure 5-4 Sample4 Start-Up Time Test Curve

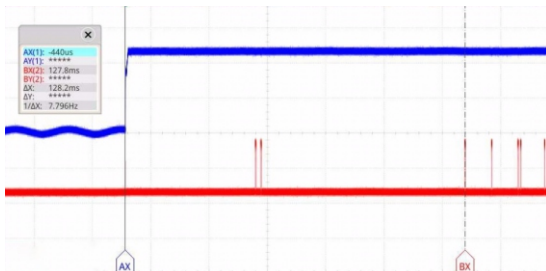


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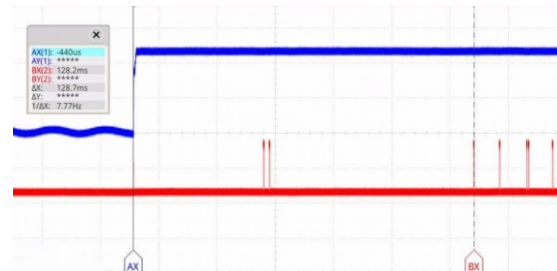


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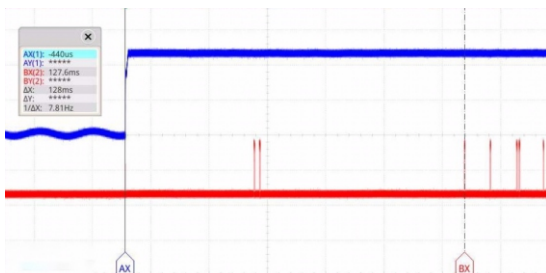


Figure 5-7 Sample7 Start-Up Time Test Curve

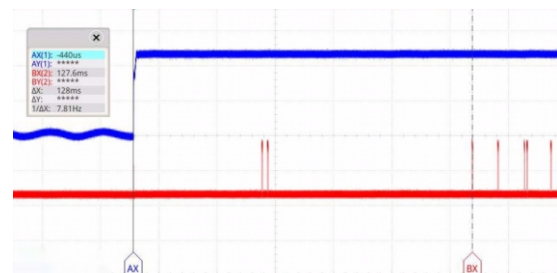


Figure 5-8 Sample8 Start-Up Time Test Curve

- [1] A channel acquires data of power supply, VCC and GND.
- [2] B channel acquires data of CAN differential signal, CAN\_H and CAN\_L.
- [3] ΔX is the time interval from power-on to sending the first frame valid message

5.3.2 Current Consumption Test Curve

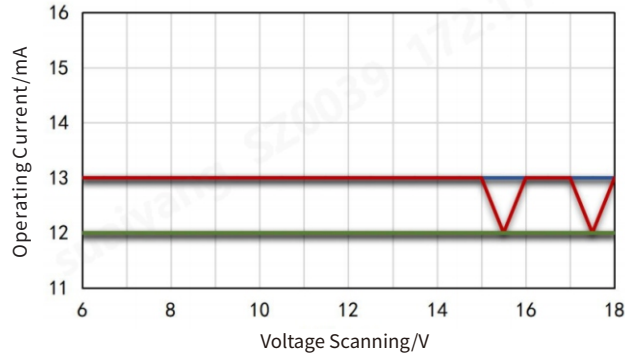


Figure 5-9 -40°C Current Consumption Test Curve

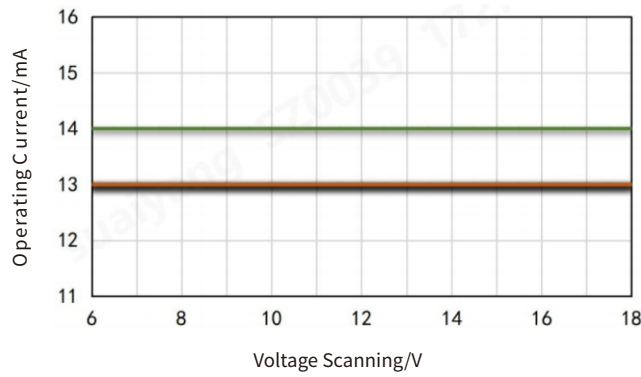


Figure 5-10 +25°C Current Consumption Curve

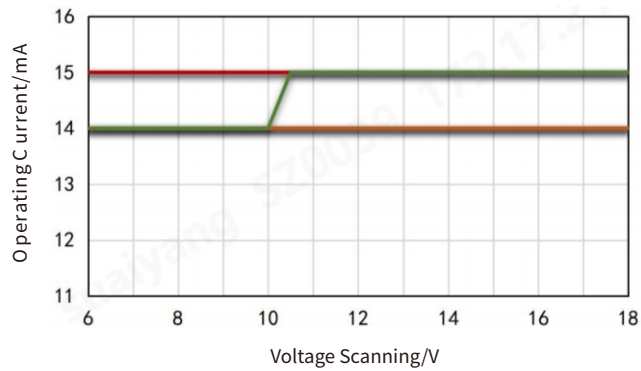


Figure 5-11 +105°C Current Consumption Curve

5.3.3 Low-Current Accuracy Test Curve

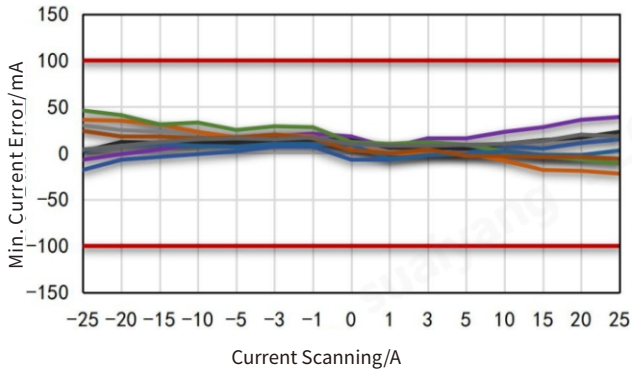


Figure 5-12 - 40°C Low-Current Test Accuracy@Min. Current Error

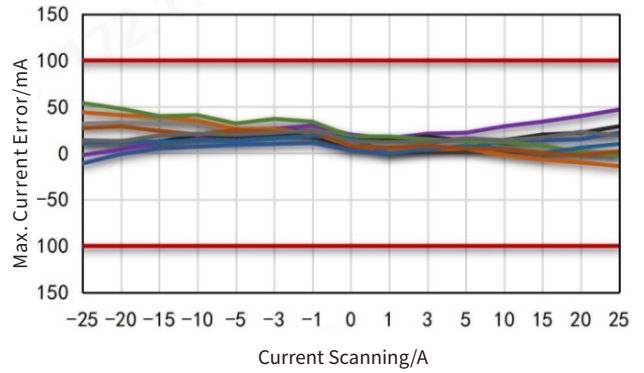


Figure 5-13 - 40°C Low-Current Test Accuracy@Max. Current Error

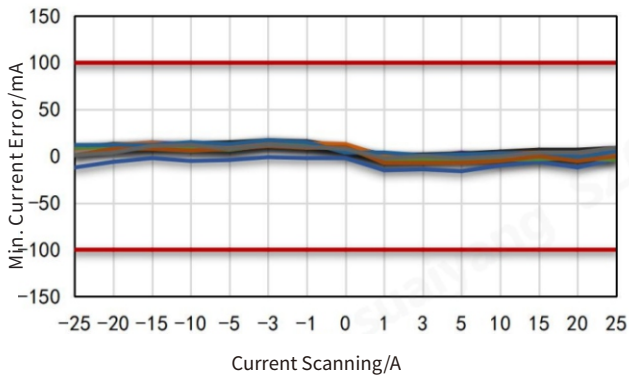


Figure 5-14 + 25°C Low-Current Test Accuracy@Min. Current Error

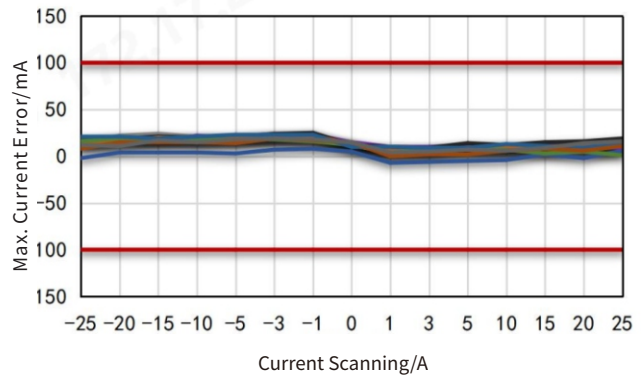


Figure 5-15 + 25°C Low-Current Test Accuracy@Max. Current Error

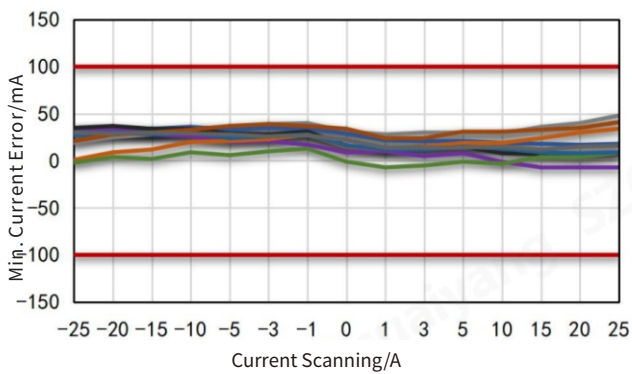


Figure 5-16 + 105°C Low-Current Test Accuracy@Min. Current Error

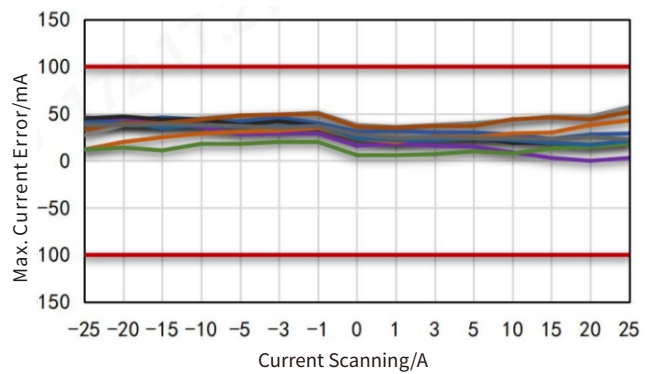


Figure 5-17 + 105°C Low-Current Test Accuracy@Max. Current Error

5.3.4 High-Current Accuracy Test Curve

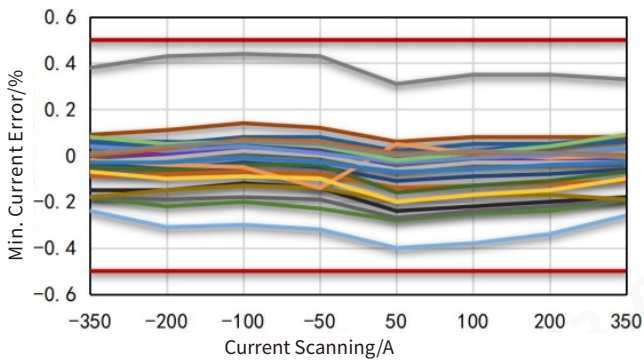


Figure 5-18 -40°C High-Current Test Accuracy@Min. Current Error

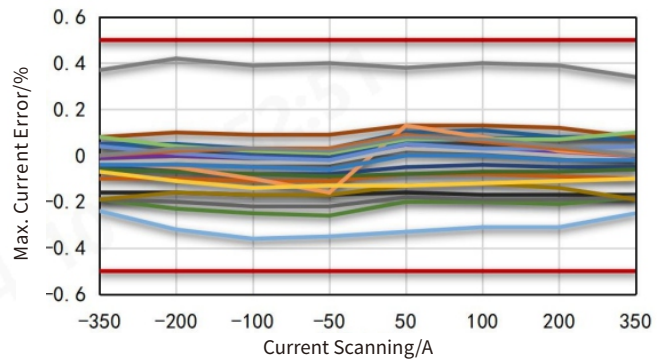


Figure 5-19 -40°C High-Current Test Accuracy@Max. Current Error

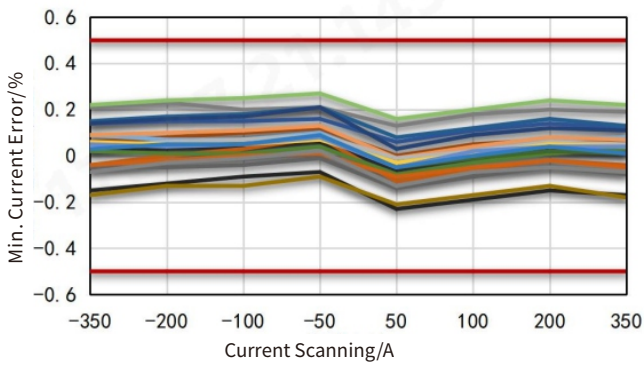


Figure 5-20 +25°C High-Current Test Accuracy@Min. Current Error

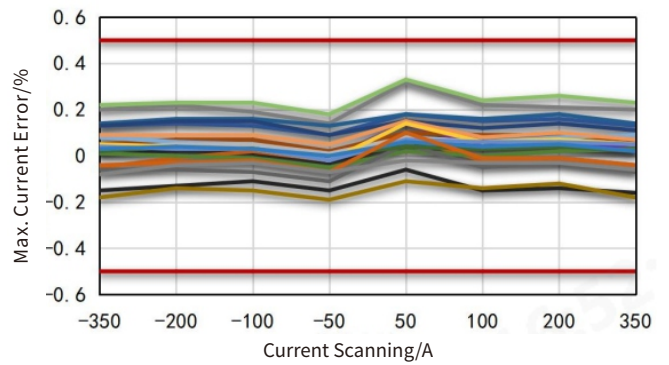


Figure 5-21 +25°C High-Current Test Accuracy@Max. Current Error

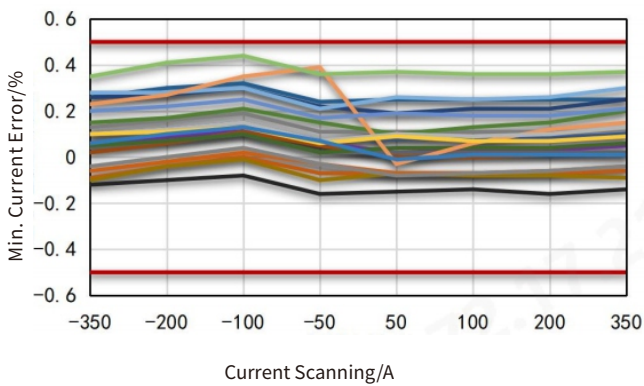


Figure 5-22 +85°C High-Current Test Accuracy@Min. Current Error

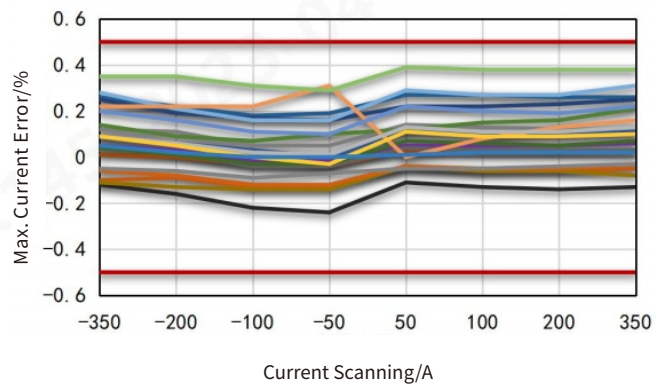


Figure 5-23 +85°C High-Current Test Accuracy@Max. Current Error



## 6、Test Standards

Test No.	Test Standards	Test Items
<b>General inspection</b>		
1	/	Appearance
2	/	Dimension
3	/	Weight
4	/	Function Check
<b>Electrical loads</b>		
5	VW 80000	E-01 Long-term overvoltage
6	VW 80000	E-02 Transient overvoltage
7	VW 80000	E-03 Transient undervoltage
8	VW 80000	E-04 Jump start
9	VW 80000	E-05 Load dump
10	VW 80000	E-06 Ripple voltage
11	VW 80000	E-07 Slow decrease and increase of the supply voltage
12	VW 80000	E-08 Slow decrease, quick increase of the supply voltage
13	VW 80000	E-09 Reset behavior
14	VW 80000	E-10 Brief interruptions
15	VW 80000	E-11 Start pulses
16	VW 80000	E-12 Voltage curve with vehicle electrical system control
17	VW 80000	E-13 Pin interruption
18	VW 80000	E-14 Connector interruption
19	VW 80000	E-15 Reverse polarity
20	VW 80000	E-16 Ground potential difference
21	VW 80000	E-17 Short circuit in signal cable and load circuits ..
22	VW 80000	E-18 Insulation resistance
23	VW 80000	E-19 Quiescent current
24	VW 80000	E-20 Dielectric strength
25	/	Continuous power test
26	ISO 7637-2:2011	CI pulse 1
27	ISO 7637-2:2011	CI pulse 2a / 2b
28	ISO 7637-2:2011	CI pulse 3a / 3b
29	ISO 7637-2:2011	CI pulse 4
30	ISO 7637-2:2011	CI pulse 5b
31	ISO 10605:2008	ESD
32	CISRP 25	Radiated emissions
33	CISRP 25	Conducted emissions
34	ISO 11452-2	Radiated immunity
35	ISO 11452-4	Bulk current injection

Test No.	Test Standards	Test Items
<b>Climatic loads</b>		
36	VW 80000	K-01 High-/low-temperature aging
37	VW 80000	K-02 Incremental temperature test
38	VW 80000	K-03 Low-temperature operation
39	VW 80000	K-05 Thermal shock (component).
40	VW 80000	K-14 Damp heat, constant
41	VW 80000	L-02 Service life test - high-temperature durability testing
42	VW 80000	L-03 Service life test – Temperature cycle durability testing
43	IEC 60068-2-30	Dew test
44	GB/T 2423.34	Composite temperature & humidity cyclic test
<b>Mechanical loads</b>		
45	VW 80000	M-01 Free fall
46	VW 80000	M-04 Vibration test
47	VW 80000	M-05 Mechanical shock
48	VW 80000	M-08 Protection against foreign bodies - IP0x to IP4x, A, B, C, D
<b>Regulation Validation</b>		
49	GB/T 30512-2014	Requirements for prohibited substances on automobiles
50	UL-94:2016	Vertical Burning Test

# 7、Communication

## 7.1 CAN Protocol

CB350M6918A applies CAN2.0 A/B communication protocol and communicates through data frame. The data length of message frame is between 1-8 bytes. The default CAN speed is 500Kbps. 1Mbps/250Kbps are also available. There are two kinds of data frame, standard frame and extended frame, as shown in Figure 7-1 and Figure 7-2. Standard frame has an ID of 11 bytes, and the extended frame has an ID of 29 bytes. The defaulted data frame is standard frame, which can be adjusted to the extended frame. The defaulted data format is Motorola, which can be adjusted to Intel.

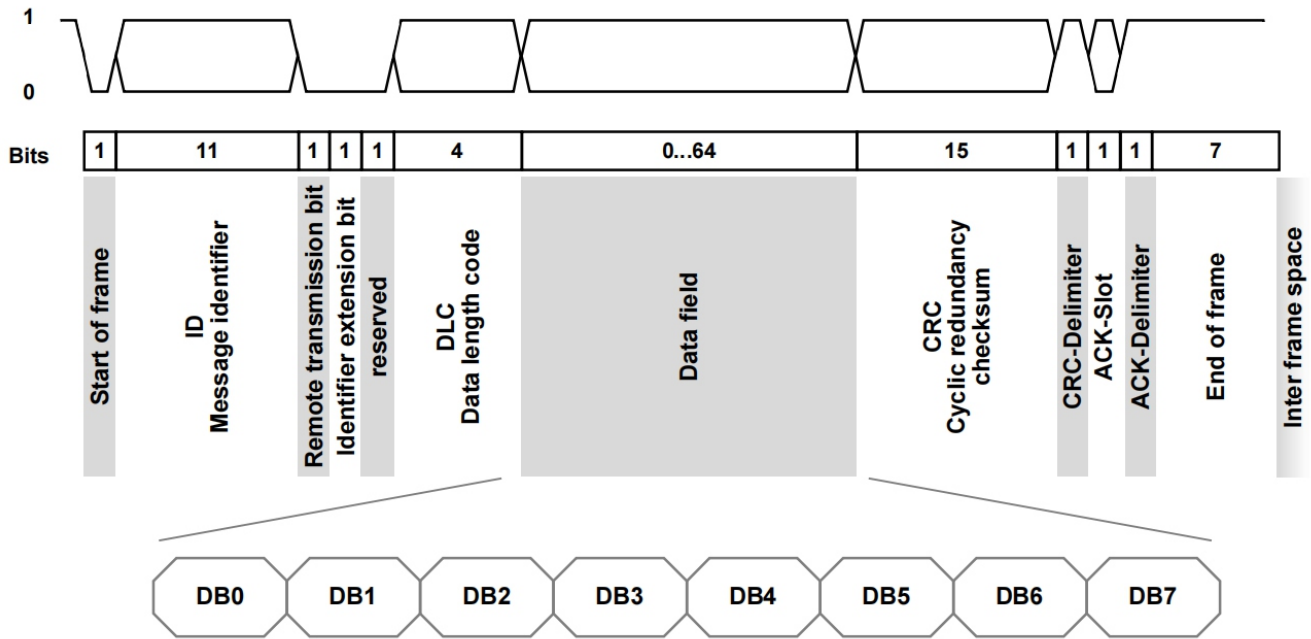


Figure 7-1 Standard Frame

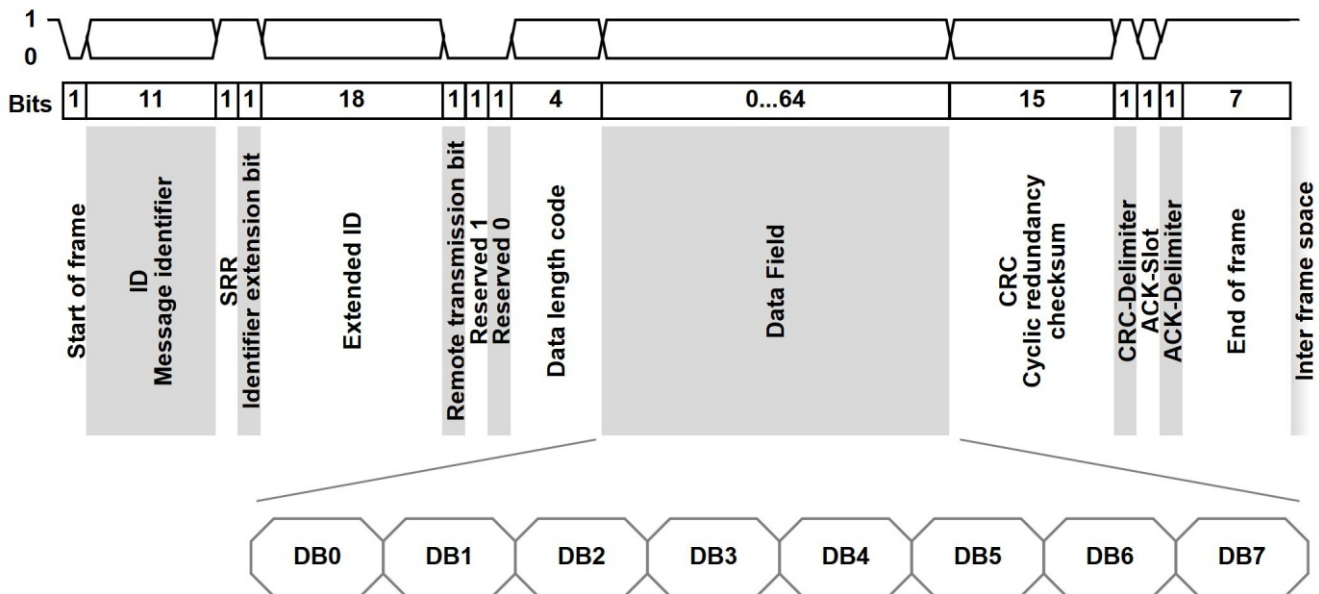


Figure 7-2 Extended Frame

## 7.2 Data Frame

The data frame of CB350M6918A can apply multiple data formats, as shown in Table 7-1. Among them, both formats A and B are composed of two frames of messages, which transmit real-time current and real-time temperature. Both formats C and D are composed of one frame of message. Format C transmits real-time current and real-time temperature in one frame of message. Format D only transmits real-time current. The data frame format defaults to format A.

**Table 7-1. Message Frame Data Format**

Data Format Type	Data Frame Content	CAN ID <sup>[1]</sup>	Data Length	Characteristics
Format A	Real-Time Current	0x0301	6	32-bit current value is a signed integer. Available Unit: mA/μA
	Real-Time Temperature	0x0325	6	32-bit temperature value is a signed integer, in 0.1°C
Format B	Real-Time Current	0x03C2	8	24-bit current value is an unsigned integer with offset 0x800000, in mA
	Real-Time Temperature	0x06C2	8	8-bit NTC temperature value is a signed short integer, in °C 8-bit MCU temperature value is a signed short integer, in °C
Format C	Real-Time Current & Temperature	0x03C2	8	24-bit current value is an unsigned integer with offset 0x800000, in mA 16-bit temperature value is a signed short integer. Unit: 0.1 °C
Format D	Real-Time Current	0x03C0	8	32-bit current value is an unsigned integer with offset 0x80000000, in mA

[1] The CAN ID in the above table are default and can be modified by commands (refer to the relevant application documents for details)

### 7.2.1 Format A

Format A consists of current data frame and temperature data frame, each with a 4-bit cyclic counter and a 2-bit module exception flag. In addition, the current data frame has an 8-bit current channel flag, a 32-bit current value, a 1-bit unit selection and a 1-bit reserved bit. The temperature data frame has an 8-bit temperature channel flag, a 32-bit temperature value and a 2-bit reserved bit. The details of the message are shown in Table 7-2, Examples of message and decoding information are shown in Table 7-3 and Table 7-4.

**Table 7-2. Format A Message**

Frame Type	CANID	Length	byte0	byte1	byte2	byte3	byte4	byte5
Current (mA/μA)	0x0301	6	0x00 <sup>[1]</sup>	B[7]: Reserved Bit <sup>[2]</sup> B[6]: Current Unit <sup>[3]</sup> B[5]: Measurement Error Flag <sup>[4]</sup> B[4]: Overcurrent Flag <sup>[5]</sup> B[3:0]: Cyclic Counter <sup>[6]</sup>	32-bit Signed Current Value <sup>[7]</sup>			
Temperature (0.1°C)	0x0325	6	0x04 <sup>[8]</sup>	B[7:6]: Reserved Bit <sup>[2]</sup> B[5]: Overtemperature Flag of Shunt <sup>[9]</sup> B[4]: Overtemperature Flag of PCBA <sup>[10]</sup> B[3:0]: Cyclic Counter <sup>[6]</sup>	32-bit Signed Temperature Value <sup>[11]</sup>			

[1] Current Channel Flag.

[2] Reserved bit, default is 0.

[3] Current Unit, 0: mA; 1: μA

[4] Measurement error flag, active when the ADC fault is detected, indicates that the current value is invalid. When alarming, the current sensor still sends and receives data messages, but the current value in the message is invalid. The measurement deviation may exceed the range specified in the technical specification.

[5] Overcurrent error flag. Default is inactive. It can be defined by the user.

[6] Cyclic Counter, 0x0-0xF cycle count value.

[7] 32-bit current data uses big-endian by default. The high bit is followed by the low bit. It is a signed integer.

[8] Temperature Channel Flag.

[9] Overtemperature Flag of Shunt, active when the shunt temperature is detected to be more than 150 °C, indicates that the sensor may have no message output or low accuracy. When alarming, the current sensor can still send and receive data messages in a short time, and the current value in the message is valid. If overtemperature for a long time, the performance of current sensor can be damaged. At this time, it is recommended to limit the output power of BMS.

[10] Overtemperature Flag of PCBA, active when the board temperature is detected to be more than 125 °C, indicates that the sensor may have no message output or low accuracy. When alarming, the current sensor can still send and receive data messages in a short time, and the current value in the message is valid. If overtemperature lasts for a long time, the performance of current sensor can be damaged.

Then, it is recommended to limit the output power of BMS.

[11] 32-bit temperature data uses big-endian by default. The high bit is followed by the low bit. It is a signed integer. Unit: 0.1 °C

**Table 7-3. Examples of Format A Message Frame**

Example	DB0	DB1	DB2	DB3	DB4	DB5
1	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x03	0xE8
2	0x00	0x00	0xFF	0xFF	0xFC	0x18
3	0x04	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x01	0x0A
4	0x04	0x00	0xFF	0xFF	0xFE	0xF6

**Table 7-4. Decoding Information of Table 7-3 Examples**

Example	Byte	Value	Message
1	DB0	0x00	Current Channel Flag.
	DB1	0x00	Reserved bit 0, unit: mA, no measurement error, cycle sequence 0
	DB2-DB5	0x000003E8	Current: 1000mA, i.e. 1A
2	DB0	0x00	Current Channel Flag.
	DB1	0x00	Reserved bit 0, unit: mA, no measurement error, cycle sequence 0
	DB2-DB5	0xFFFFFC18	Current: -1000mA, i.e. -1A
3	DB0	0x04	Temperature Channel Flag.
	DB1	0x00	Reserved bit 0, Shunt temperature < 150 °C, PCBA temperature < 125 °C, cycle sequence 0
	DB2-DB5	0x0000010A	The Temperature is + 26.6 °C
4	DB0	0x04	Temperature Channel Flag.
	DB1	0x00	Reserved bit 0, Shunt temperature < 150 °C, PCBA temperature < 125 °C, cycle sequence 0
	DB2-DB5	0xFFFFFEF6	The Temperature is - 26.6 °C

### 7.2.2 Format B

Format B consists of current data frame and temperature data frame, each with a 4-bit cyclic counter. In addition, the current data frame has a 24-bit current value, a 2-bit flag bit, an 8-bit software version, an 8-bit check bit and an 18-bit reserved bit. The temperature data frame has an 8-bit temperature value, a 4-bit status bit, an 8-bit check bit and a 32-bit reserved bit. The details of the message are shown in Table 7-5, Examples of message and decoding information are shown in Table 7-6 and Table 7-7.

**Table 7-5. Format B Message**

Frame Type	CANID	Length	byte0	byte1	byte2	byte3	byte4	byte5	byte6	byte7
Current (mA)	0x03C2	8	B[7:4]: Cyclic Counter <sup>[1]</sup> B[3:2]: Reserved Bit <sup>[2]</sup> B[1]: Hardware Fault Flag <sup>[3]</sup> B[0]: ADC Conversion Error <sup>[4]</sup>	24-bit Unsigned Current Value Offset 0x800000 <sup>[5]</sup>			Reserved Bit <sup>[2]</sup>		Software Version	CRC-8 Check SAE J1850 <sup>[6]</sup>
Temperature (°C)	0x06C2	8	B[7:4]: Cyclic Counter <sup>[1]</sup> B[3]: SHUNT Over Temperature Flag <sup>[7]</sup> B[2]: PCBA Over Temperature Flag <sup>[8]</sup> B[1]: SHUNT Temperature measurement Error Flag. <sup>[9]</sup> B[0]: PCBA Temperature measurement Error Flag <sup>[10]</sup>	SHUNT (°C) <sup>[11]</sup>	PCBA (°C) <sup>[12]</sup>	Reserved Bit <sup>[2]</sup>				CRC-8 Check SAE J1850 <sup>[6]</sup>

- [1] Cyclic Counter, 0x0-0xF cycle count value.
- [2] Reserved bit, default is 0.
- [3] Hardware Fault Flag, active when a hardware fault is detected, indicates that the ADC may have a fault.
- [4] ADC conversion error flag. When ADC sampling timeout exceeded, indicating the present current value is invalid. When flag occurs, the sensor can still receive and send message, but the current value of the message is invalid. The measured value may be out of the specifications range.
- [5] 24-bit current data uses big-endian by default. The high bit is followed by the low bit. It is an unflagged integer. Unit: mA  
The actual value is expressed as  $V=D-0x800000$ . D is the value in the message.
- [6] CRC-8 Check generates a check code for the first 7 bytes of data.
- [7] SHUNT over temperature flag. When measured temperature of SHUNT is over 150°C, it will be no message or measurement accuracy decreased. When flag occurs, the sensor can still receive and send message in a short period and the current value in the message is normal. If the sensor is over temperature for a long time, it could affect the functions of the sensor. It is recommended to derate BMS output power.
- [8] PCBA over temperature flag. When measured temperature of PCBA is over 125°C, it will be no message or measurement accuracy decreased. When flag occurs, the sensor can still receive and send message in a short period and the current value in the message is normal. If the sensor is over temperature for a long time, it could affect the functions of the sensor. It is recommended to derate BMS output power.
- [9] SHUNT temperature measurement error flag. Sign sets when SHUNT temperature measurement is error.
- [10] PCBA temperature measurement error flag. Sign sets when SHUNT temperature measurement is error.
- [11] SHUNT temperature, 8-bit temperature data by default unflagged integers. Unit: °C. The actual value expression is  $V=D-55$ . D is the value in the message.
- [12] PCBA temperature, 8-bit temperature data by default unflagged integers. Unit: °C. The actual value expression is  $V=D-55$ . D is the value in the message.

**Table 7-6. Examples of Format B Message Frame**

Example	DB0	DB1	DB2	DB3	DB4	DB5	DB6	DB7
1	0x00	0x80	0x03	0xE8	0x00	0x00	0x64	0x83
2	0x00	0x7F	0xFC	0x18	0x00	0x00	0x64	0xAB
3	0x00	0x50	0x50	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x3F
4	0x00	0x1E	0x1E	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x65

**Table 7-7. Decoding Information of Table 7-6 Examples**

Example	Byte	Value	Message
1	DB0	0x00	Cycle sequence 0, reserved bit 0, no hardware fault, No ADC conversion error
	DB1-DB3	0x8003E8	Current: 1000mA, i.e. +1A
	DB4-DB5	0x0000	Reserved bit 0
	DB6	0x64	Software version is V1.00
	DB7	0x83	CRC-8 Check Value
2	DB0	0x00	Cycle sequence 0, reserved bit 0, no hardware fault, No ADC conversion error
	DB1-DB3	0x7FFC18	Current: -1000mA, i.e. -1A
	DB4-DB5	0x0000	Reserved bit 0
	DB6	0x64	Software version is V1.00
	DB7	0xAB	CRC-8 Check Value
3	DB0	0x00	Cycle sequence 0, normal SHUNT & PCBA temperature, normal SHUNT, PCBA temperature
	DB1	0x50	SHUNT : + 25°C
	DB2	0x50	PCBA : + 25°C
	DB3-DB6	0x00000000	Reserved bit 0
	DB7	0x3F	CRC-8 Check Value
4	DB0	0x00	Cycle sequence 0, normal SHUNT & PCBA temperature, normal SHUNT, PCBA temperature
	DB1	0x1E	SHUNT :- 25°C
	DB2	0x1E	PCBA :- 25°C
	DB3-DB6	0x00000000	Reserved bit 0
	DB7	0x65	CRC-8 Check Value

**7.2.3 Format C**

Format C consists of one frame of message, including a 24-bit current value, an 16-bit temperature value, a 4-bit cyclic counter, a 2-bit status bit, a 1-bit flag bit, an 8-bit check bit and a 9-bit reserved bit. The details of the message are shown in Table 7-8, Examples of message and decoding information are shown in Table 7-9 and Table 7-10.

**Table 7-8. Format C Message**

Frame Type	CANID	Length	byte0	byte1	byte2	byte3	byte4	byte5	byte6	byte7
Current (mA) Temperature (0.1°C)	0x03C2	8	B[7:4]: Cyclic Counter <sup>[1]</sup> B[3:2]: Malfunction Status <sup>[2]</sup> B[1]: Hardware Fault Flag <sup>[3]</sup> B[0]: Reserved Bit <sup>[4]</sup>	24-bit Unsigned Current Value Offset 0x800000 <sup>[5]</sup>			16-bit Signed Temperature Value <sup>[6]</sup>	Reserved Bit <sup>[4]</sup>	CRC-8 Check SAE J1850 <sup>[7]</sup>	

[1] Cyclic Counter, 0x0-0xF cycle count value.

[2] Malfunction Status, '0': Normal; '1': ADC Conversion Error; '2': Current exceeds 1550A; '3': Shunt temperature exceeds 150 °C or PCBA temperature exceeds 125 °C.

[3] Hardware Fault Flag, active when a hardware fault is detected, indicates that the ADC may have a fault.

[4] Reserved bit, default is 0.

[5] 24-bit current data uses big-endian by default. The high bit is followed by the low bit. It is an unsigned integer. Unit: mA. The actual value is expressed as V=D-0x800000. D is the value in the message.

[6] 16-bit temperature data uses big-endian by default. The high bit is followed by the low bit. It is a signed integer. Unit: °C.

[7] CRC-8 Check generates a check code for the first 7 bytes of data.

**Table 7-9. Examples of Format C Message Frame**

Example	DB0	DB1	DB2	DB3	DB4	DB5	DB6	DB7
1	0x00	0x80	0x03	0xE8	0x01	0x0A	0x00	0x2E
2	0x00	0x7F	0xFC	0x18	0xFE	0xF6	0x00	0x9D

**Table 7-10. Decoding Information of Table 7-9 Examples**

Example	Byte	Value	Message
1	DB0	0x00	Cycle sequence 0, normal function, no hardware fault, reserved bit 0
	DB1-DB3	0x8003E8	Current: 1000mA, i.e. +1A
	DB4-DB5	0x010A	The temperature is +26.6 °C
	DB6	0x00	Reserved bit 0
	DB7	0x2E	CRC- 8 Check Value
2	DB0	0x00	Cycle sequence 0, normal function, no hardware fault, reserved bit 0
	DB1-DB3	0x7FFC18	Current: -1000mA, i.e. -1A
	DB4-DB5	0xFE6	The temperature is -26.6 °C
	DB6	0x00	Reserved bit 0
	DB7	0x9D	CRC- 8 Check Value

#### 7.2.4 Format D

Format D consists of one frame of message, including a 32-bit current value, a 1-bit flag bit, a 7-bit status bit, an 8-bit software version, a 16-bit reserved byte and no temperature value. The details of the message are shown in Table 7-11, Examples of message and decoding information are shown in Table 7-12 and Table 7-13.

**Table 7-11. Format D Message**

Frame Type	CANID	Length	byte0	byte1	byte2	byte3	byte4	byte5	byte6	byte7
Current (mA)	0x03C0	8	32-bit Unsigned Current Value Offset 0x80000000 <sup>[1]</sup>				B[0]: Error Flag <sup>[2]</sup> B[7:1]: Error Status <sup>[3]</sup>	Reserved Bit <sup>[4]</sup>	Software Version	

[1] 32-bit current data uses big-endian by default. The high bit is followed by the low bit. It is an unsigned integer. Unit: mA. The actual value is expressed as V=D-0x80000000. D is the value in the message.

[2] Error Flag, '0': Normal; '1': Error;

[3] Error Status, 0x64: no error; 0x50: ADC hardware error; 0x51: ADC conversion error; 0x60: Temperature exceeds the limit (current value remains measured).

[4] Reserved bit, default is 0.

**Table 7-12. Examples of Format D Message Frame**

Example	DB0	DB1	DB2	DB3	DB4	DB5	DB6	DB7
1	0x080	0x00	0x03	0xE8	0xC8	0x00	0x00	0x64
2	0x7F	0xFF	0xFC	0x18	0xC8	0x00	0x00	0x64

Table 7-13. Decoding Information of Table 7-12 Examples

Example	Byte	Value	Message
1	DB0-DB3	0x800003E8	Current: 1000mA, i.e. 1A
	DB4	0xC8	Normal, no error
	DB5-DB6	0x0000	Reserved bit 0
	DB7	0x64	Software version is V1.00
2	DB0-DB3	0x7FFFC18	Current: -1000mA, i.e. -1A
	DB4	0xC8	Normal, no error
	DB5-DB6	0x0000	Reserved byte 0
	DB7	0x64	Software version is V1.00

### 7.3 Bus Topology

CB350M6918A can be applied to a bus-type topology and transmits network information to each node through the bus, as shown in Figure 7-3.

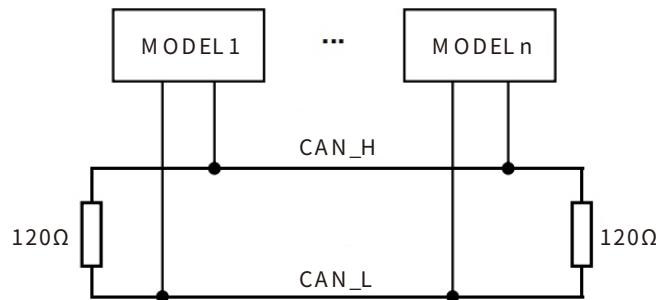


Figure 7-3 CAN Bus Topology

### 7.4 Measuring Mode

#### 7.4.1 Time Interval + Command Trigger Mode

The sensor samples data at a fixed time interval set by the system and sends message to the CAN bus. At the same time, It can also respond to the trigger command. In the sampling period, the measurement will be active immediately when the trigger command is received and sends message to CAN bus. No need to wait for next sampling interval. As shown in Figure 7-4.

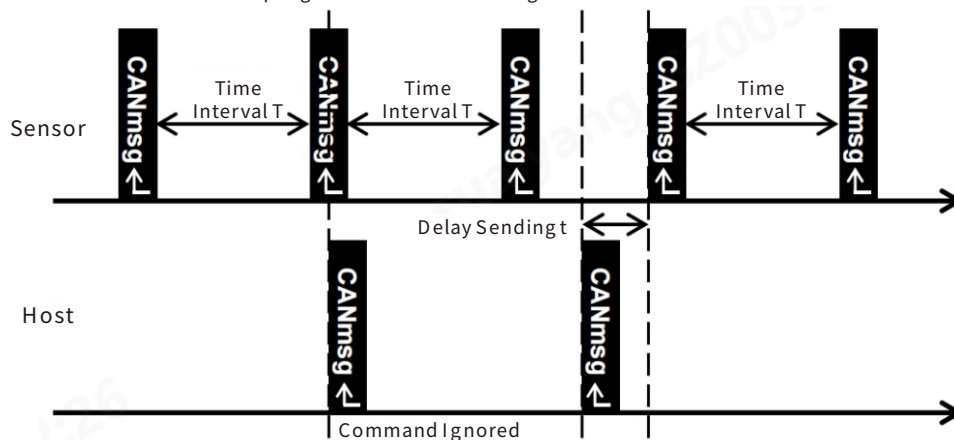


Figure 7-4. Time Interval + Command Trigger Mode

After the sensor receives the trigger command, if it is sampling or sending CAN message, the present trigger command will be ignored. When the command is valid, a sampling and sending process will be started, and the time interval T for the next sending will be automatically calculated from the moment of this trigger. As Figure 7-4 shown, there is a delay between the sensor receiving a valid trigger command and sending the CAN message, which is less than 1 ms.



### 7.4.2 Command Triggered Mode

Under this mode, the sensor will not automatically send message, but keep sampling, calculating and filtering data at a fixed time interval. The sensor will send the recent sampling data to CAN bus and reset the start of time interval when a valid command is received from the host, as Figure 7 - 5 shown.

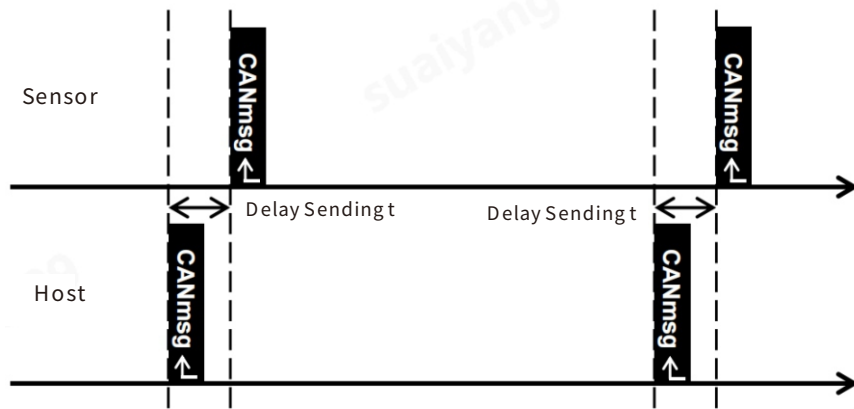


Figure 7-5. Command Trigger Mode

As Figure 7 - 5 shown, the sensor sends data to the CAN bus after receiving a trigger command from the host, with a delay of less than 1 ms between receiving the command and sending the data.

## 8、Mechanical Structure

### 8.1 Dimensions

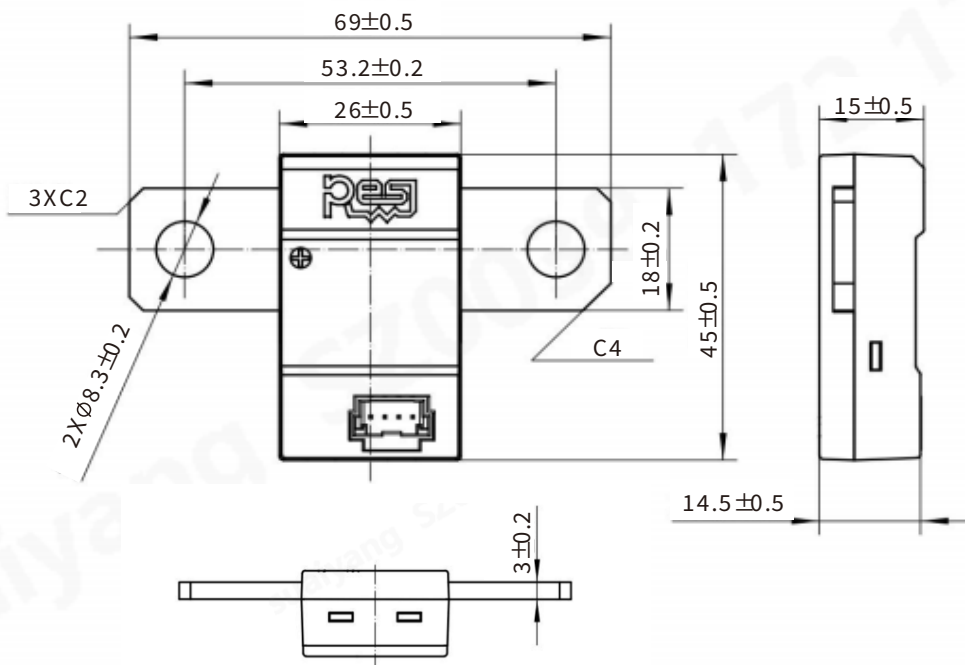


Figure 8.1 Structure Diagram

### 8.2 Copper Bar Connection

- Recommended Bolts :M8
- Recommended Torque:15- 20Nm
- Recommended Width \* Thickness of Copper Bar:24mm\*3mm
- Recommended Length of Overlap between Shunt and Copper Bar:20mm
- Do not use a flat washer between the copper bar and the shunt
- Keep the surface of shunt and copper bar clean and free of scratches

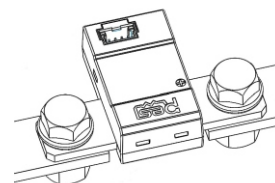


Figure 8-2. CB350M6918A Copper Bar Connection Diagram

### 8.3 Connector

Connector	Manufacturer	Pin Count	Part #
Male Connector <sup>[1]</sup>	Molex	4	5600200420
Recommended Female Connector <sup>[2]</sup>	Molex	4	5601230400

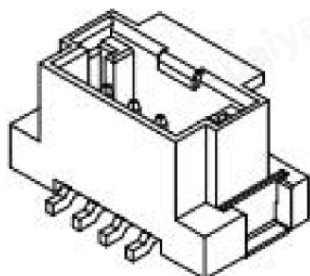


Figure 8-3. Male Connector

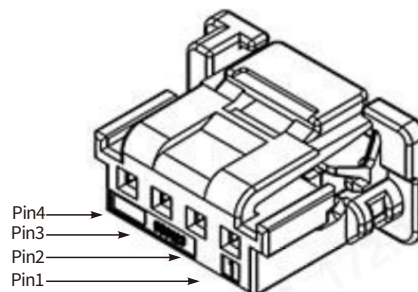


Figure 8-4. Female Connector ( Wire end reference)

[1] For more information about male connector, please refer to Molex datasheet:[https://www.molex.com/pdm\\_docs/sd/5600200420\\_sd.pdf](https://www.molex.com/pdm_docs/sd/5600200420_sd.pdf)

[2] For more information about female connector, please refer to Molex datasheet :[https://www.molex.com/pdm\\_docs/sd/5601230400\\_sd.pdf](https://www.molex.com/pdm_docs/sd/5601230400_sd.pdf)

8.4 Connector Definition

Pin No.	Description
Pin4	VCC
Pin3	CAN_L
Pin2	CAN_H
Pin1	GND

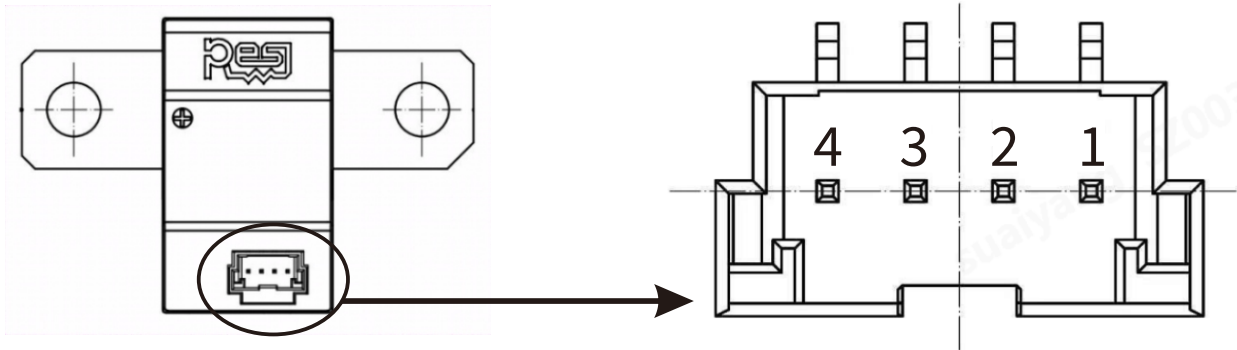


Figure 8- 5. Male Connector Molex5600200420

## 9、Typical Applications

CB350M6918A<sup>[1]</sup> is used for accurate current measurement in key system. It is recommended that the current sensor connects to the circuit of positive or negative electrode of high-voltage end<sup>[2]</sup> as shown in Figure 9-1 and Figure 9-2, to sample the current in the main circuit. The high and low voltage ends are galvanic isolated inside the sensor. It is recommended that the low voltage end connects to the battery management system, as shown in Figure 9-3, for real-time and accurate reporting of current data in key system.

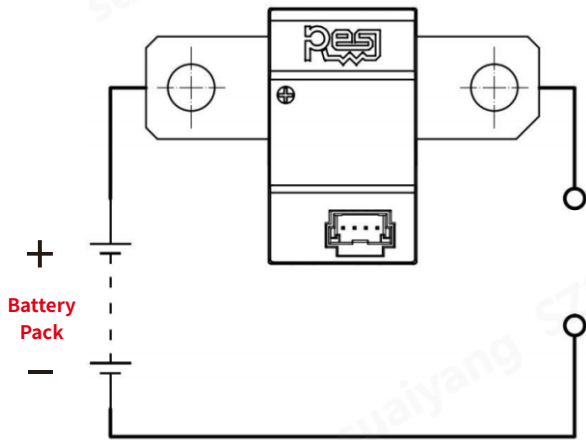


Figure 9-1. Recommended Use of Positive Electrode of High-Voltage End

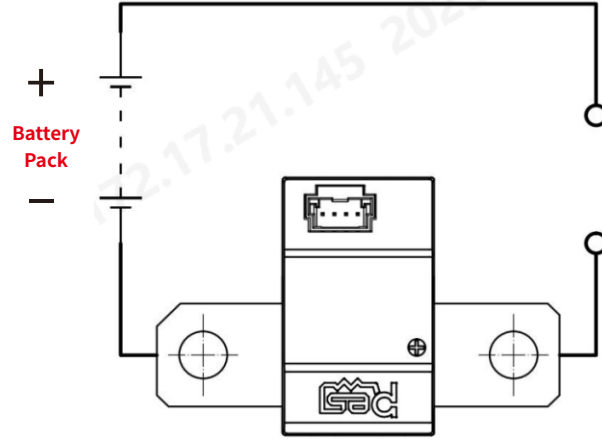


Figure 9-2. Recommended Use of Negative Electrode of High-Voltage End

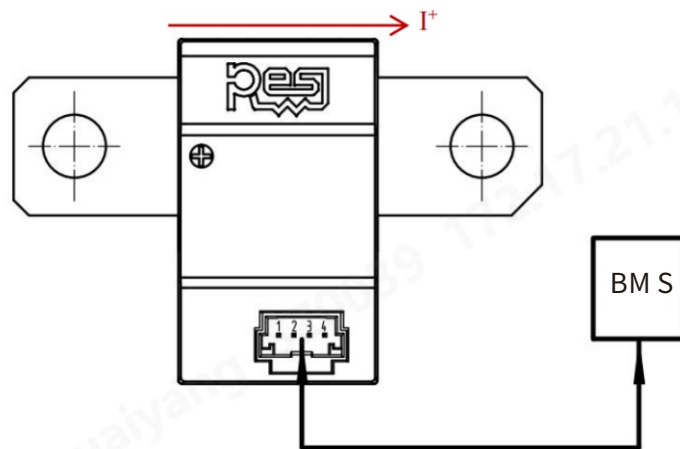


Figure 9-3. Recommended Use of Low-Voltage End

[1] The "+" on the CB350M8536A current sensor housing is the direction of current entry, that is, the positive current direction.  
 [2] The high voltage electrode is installed as shown in the figure. The operating condition indicated by the sensor output value is:  
 When the sensor outputs positive value, the battery pack is discharging;  
 When the sensor outputs negative value, the battery pack is charging.

# 10、Storage & Packaging

## 10.1 Storage

- Recommended storage at room temperature.
- The storage environment shall be clean, tidy, dry and free of harmful gases, and the packaging case shall be protected from direct sunlight.
- Anti-static bracelet or anti-static gloves shall be worn during installation, storage and handling.

## 10.2 Packaging

### 10.2.1 General Information

Packaging Element	Specifications	
SNP <sup>[1]</sup>	150	
Container Name	Carton	
Container Size	480*410*282	mm
Unit Weight of Finished Product	42±5	g

[1] SNP, Standard Number of Package

### 10.2.2 Auxiliary Materials Information

No.	Materials	Size L*W *H (mm)	Quantity
1	50-Grid EPE Tray	468*398*86	3
2	EPE Tray Cover	460*390*10	1
3	Anti-Static PE Bag	200*150	150
4	Anti-Static PE Accordion Bag	900*510	1

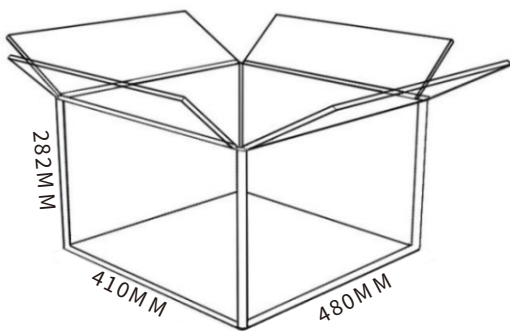


Figure 10-1. Carton Diagram

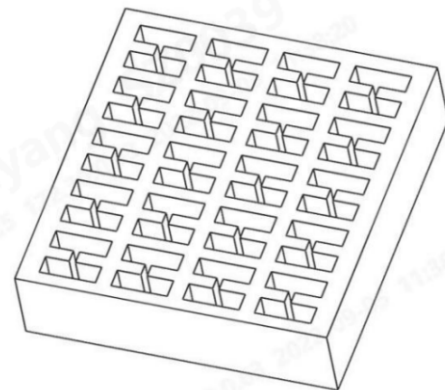


Figure 10-2. Structure Diagram of EPE

# 11、Part Number Information

**CB 350 M 6918 A 1 S S NN**

**Series**

CB: C & B Current Sensor

**Rated Current**

350: 350A  
600: 600A  
1000: 1000A

**Tolerance**

B: 0.05%  
F: 0.1%  
L: 0.2%  
M: 0.5%  
K: 1%

**Shunt Size**

6918: 69mm×18mm  
8518: 85mm×18mm  
8436: 84mm×36mm  
8536: 85mm×36mm

**Application Grade**

A: CAN Automotive  
T: CAN Industrial  
T: 485 Industrial

**Type**

0: Standard, Thickness 4mm  
1: Standard, Thickness 3mm  
2: Customized

**Special Byte**

Standard

K: 25μΩ  
S: 50μΩ  
P: 100μΩ  
J: 150μΩ

Customized

Custom Byte, 0~9, A~Z

**Special Byte**

Standard

S: CAN Terminal Resistor  
N: No CAN Terminal Resistor

Customized

Custom Byte, 0~9, A~Z

**Code**

NN : 00~99 or Blank

For more performance options and other relevant information, please refer to the official website: <https://en.resistor.today/>

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