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THEME	Notice about The MMCIF transfer data block size in multiblock read command.		Classification of Information	1. Spec change 2. Supplement of Documents ③. Limitation of Use 4. Change of Mask 5. Change of Production Line		
PRODUCT NAME	SH7760	Lot No.	Reference Documents	SH7760 hardware manual (ADE-602-291)	Effective Date	
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There are the following notes about the problem of the MMCIF data block size in the multiblock read command.

1. Summary

The MMCIF may not receive the command response correctly, when it finishes receiving the end bit of the first data block before receiving the end bit of the command response. It may occur after MMCIF sends CMD18 to the receive device.

2. Condition in which the problem occurs

When all of the following operations consist, the problem occurs.

- (1) The multiblock read command (CMD18) is sent.
- (2) The transfer data block size is setting to 1,2,4 or 8 byte(s).
- (3) The end bit of the command response is received after the end bit of the first data block is received.

3. Workaround for this problem

- (1) The transfer data block size in Transfer Byte Number Count Register (TBCR) must be more than 16 bytes when CMD18 is transmitted.

- (2) Confirm that the end bit of the command response is received before the end bit of the first data block is received, if the transfer data block size is 1,2,4 or 8 bytes when CMD18 is transmitted.

Keep the below formula in order to confirm that the end bit of the command response is received before the end bit of the first data block is received.

$$\text{NAC cycles} + \text{Read Data cycles} > (\text{NCR Cycles} + \text{Response cycles})$$

Please confirm the NAC and NCR in the spec of target devices to communicate.

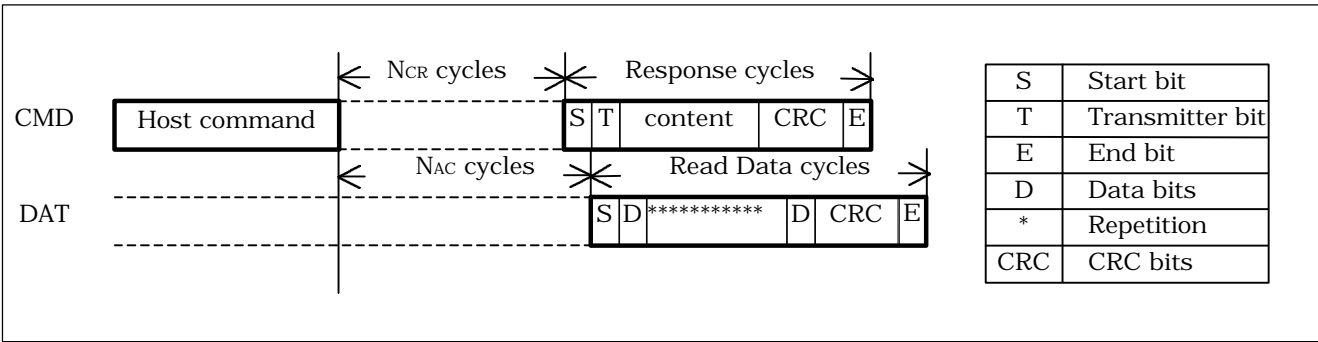


figure.1 Timing of receiving the command response and data