

Guide to Selecting Peripheral Components for Use with the Resolver-to-Digital Converters

Summary

This application note describes constants (or values) and settings required of external components to be used with the RAA3064002GFP or RAA3064003GFP resolver-to-digital converter IC.

Target Devices

RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP

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1. Overview

Figure 1.1 and figure 1.2 show examples of system configurations of the RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP. For the peripheral circuits, see section 2, Selecting Peripheral Components.

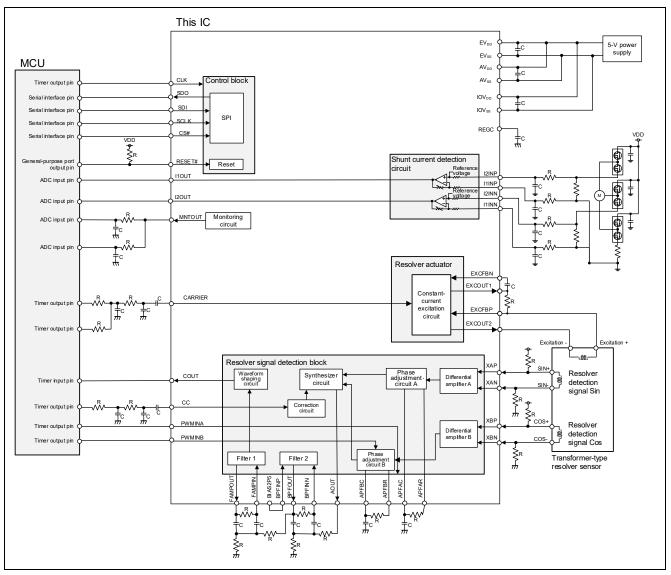


Figure 1.1 Example of a System Configuration with a Transformer-Type Resolver Sensor and Multiple-Feedback First-Order Band-Pass Filters 1 and 2



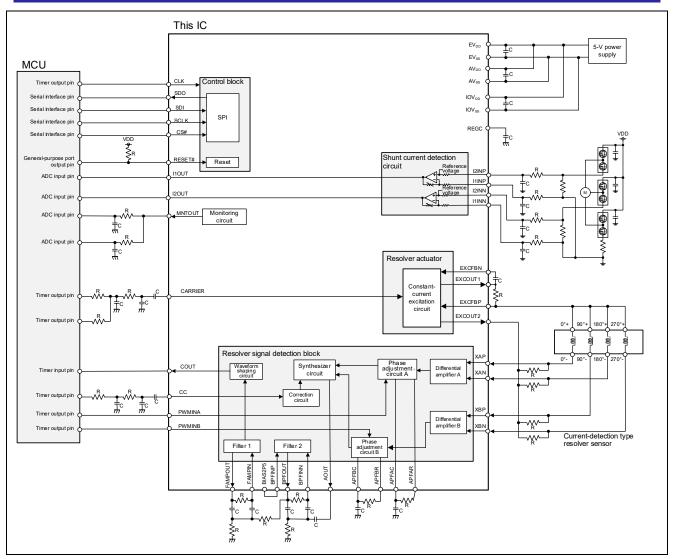


Figure 1.2 Example of the System Configuration with a Current-Detection Type Resolver Sensor, Multiple Feedback Second-Order High-Pass Filter 1, and Multiple-Feedback First-Order Band-Pass Filter 2



2. Selecting Peripheral Components

This section describes the configuration of the peripheral circuits of the RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP, and the selection of constants or values.

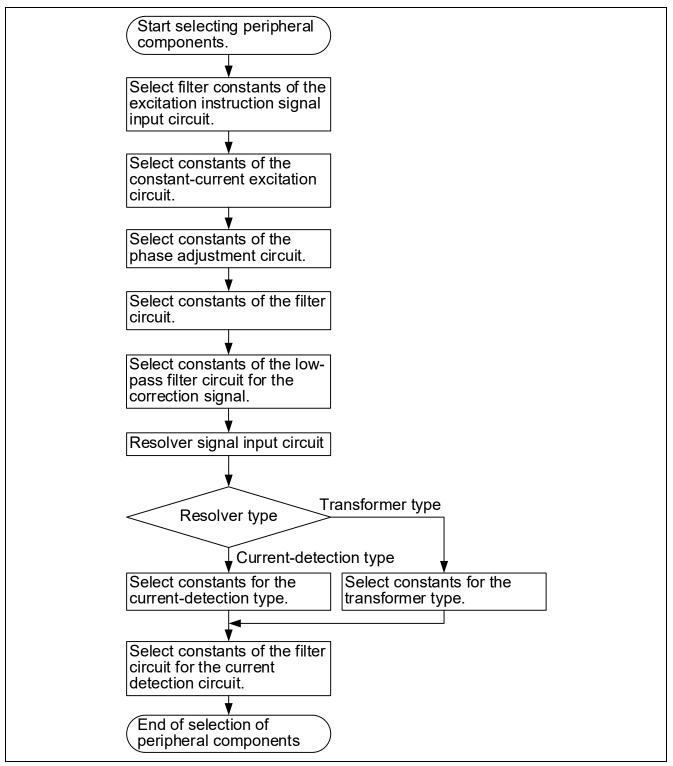


Figure 2.1 Flow of Selecting Peripheral Components



2.1 Circuit for the Input of the Resolver Actuating Signal

The resolver actuating signal is output from an MCU to the CARRIER pin of the RAA3064002GFP or RAA3064003GFP. This signal consists of two rectangular waveforms output from the timers in the MCU. The external filter circuit synthesizes a signal similar to a sine wave from these waveforms. This signal is then input to the CARRIER pin. Figure 2.2 shows an example of the circuit for the input of the resolver actuating signal. Table 2.1 lists typical filter constants. Adjust the filter constants to suit the excitation frequency.

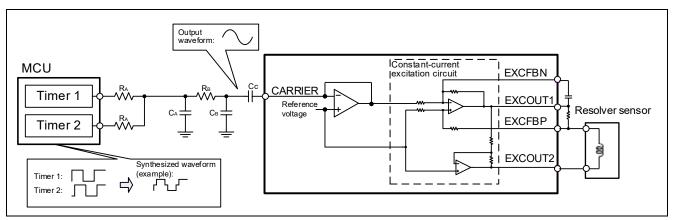


Figure 2.2 Example of the Circuit for the Input of the Resolver Actuating Signal

Excitation Frequency	Component	Number	Value	Tolerance	Temperature Characteristics
5 kHz	Resistor	RA	3.9 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	20 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	15 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	1.5 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Cc	0.01 µF	±10%	±15 ppm/°C
10 kHz	Resistor	RA	3.0 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	15 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	10 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	1 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Cc	0.01 µF	±10%	±15 ppm/°C
20 kHz	Resistor	RA	3.9 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	20 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	3.3 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	330 pF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Cc	0.01 µF	±10%	±15 ppm/°C

Table 2.1	Example of the Constants of the Circuit for the Input of the Resolver Actuating Signal	



2.2 Resolver Actuator

The RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP each incorporate a constant-current excitation circuit to apply the excitation current for the resolver. Figure 2.3 shows an example of connections between the constant-current excitation circuit and a resolver sensor. The constant-current excitation circuit requires a feedback capacitor C_A and a current limiting resistor R_A . They must be placed near the IC. Connect components with values that are appropriate for the excitation frequency. Table 2.2 lists typical values for the constant-current excitation circuit.

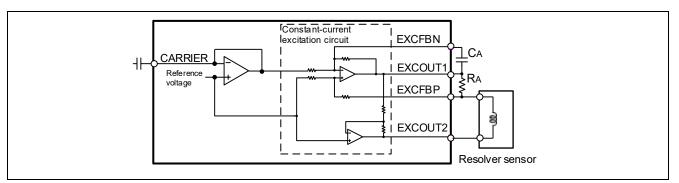


Figure 2.3 Constant-Current Excitation Circuit

Table 2.2	Example of Constants of the Constant-Current Excitation Circuit
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Excitation Frequency	Component	Number	Value	Tolerance	Temperature Characteristics
5 kHz	Resistor	RA	4.7 Ω	±5%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	2.7 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
10 kHz	Resistor	RA	5.1 Ω	±5%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	1.5 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
20 kHz	Resistor	RA	4.7 Ω	±5%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	680 pF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C



2.3 Phase Adjustment Circuit

The RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP each incorporate two phase adjustment circuits. Each phase adjustment circuit requires an external capacitor and resistor. Select them to suit the excitation frequency.

Figure 2.4 shows the phase adjustment circuits and Table 2.3 lists typical constants.

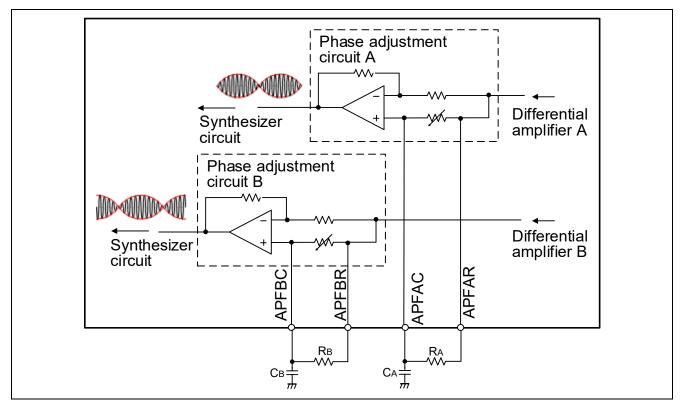


Figure 2.4 Phase Adjustment Circuits

Table 2.3 Example of Constants of Phase Adjustment Circuits

Excitation Frequency	Component	Number	Value	Tolerance	Temperature Characteristics
5 kHz	Resistor	RA	56 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RB	51 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	1.5 nF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	270 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
10 kHz	Resistor	RA	56 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RB	43 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	750 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	160 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
20 kHz	Resistor	RA	62 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	43 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	330 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	82 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C



2.4 Filter Circuits

The filter circuits are intended to remove the signal components described in sections 2.4.1 and 2.4.2 below.

2.4.1 Magnetic Noise

When a motor is made to rotate by applying current, magnetic noise is generated when stray capacitance causes current flowing in the motor coils to be applied to the resolver coils. The level of generated noise varies with the motor and resolver to be used. The user needs to determine the frequencies that require removal and the attenuation rate according to the usage environment and the target accuracy.

2.4.2 Harmonics of the Excitation Control Signal

The harmonics the excitation control signal includes are removed in the input circuit for the resolver actuating signal. If filtering of the harmonics by the given circuit is not sufficient, they must be removed by a further filter circuit. Configure a circuit that includes at least a first-order low-pass filter unless otherwise specified.

The RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP each incorporate two operational amplifiers to configure the filter circuits. One operational amplifier can be a configured as a multiple-feedback type filter by using the FAMPIN and FAMPOUT pins. The other operational amplifier can have various configurations because all input and output pins (BPFINP, BPFINN, and BPFOUT) of this operational amplifier are externally connectable.

When a resolver is attached to a brushless DC motor, the level of magnetic noise is generally low. However, when a resolver is attached to a stepping motor, the level of magnetic noise is higher. Accordingly, this application note provides two examples of filter configuration. Figure 2.5 shows an example of a configuration for a resolver in use with a brushless DC motor. Figure 2.6 shows an example of a configuration for a resolver in use with a stepping motor.

Table 2.4 and Table 2.5 list the constants in each case.



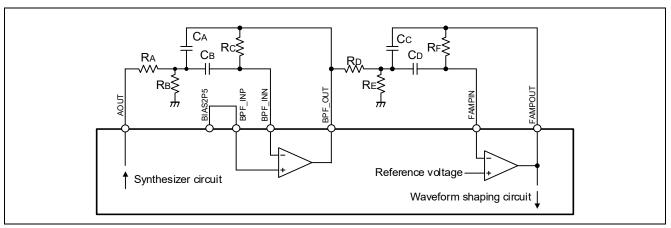


Figure 2.5 Configuration when a Resolver is in Use with a Brushless DC Motor

Excitation Frequency	Component	Number	Value	Tolerance	Temperature Characteristics
5 kHz	Resistor	RA	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	Rc	68 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RD	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	Re	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RF	68 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	1.0 nF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	1.0 nF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Cc	1.0 nF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CD	1.0 nF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
10 kHz	Resistor	RA	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RB	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	Rc	68 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RD	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	Re	33 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RF	68 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	470 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	470 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Cc	470 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CD	470 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C

Table 2.4 Constants when a Resolver is in Use with a Brushless DC Motor



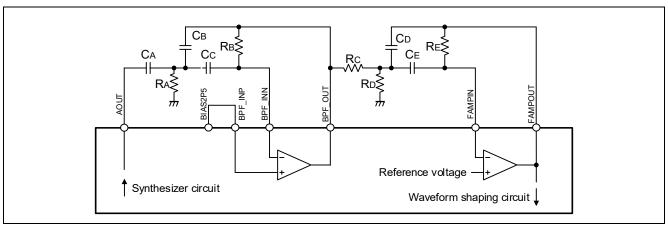


Figure 2.6 Configuration when a Resolver is in Use with a Stepping Motor

Table 2.5	Constants when a Resolver is in Use with a Stepping Motor

Excitation Frequency	Component	Number	Value	Tolerance	Temperature Characteristics
20 kHz	Resistor	RA	15 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RB	100 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	Rc	4.7 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RD	6.8 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	Re	47 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	220 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	220 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Cc	220 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CD	220 pF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CE	3.3 nF	±1%	±30 ppm/°C



2.5 Low-Pass Filter Circuit for the Correction Signal

The RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP each require a low-pass filter circuit for the correction signal for the correction of errors due to errors in the resolver coils. A PWM signal is output by the MCU as the correction signal for this circuit.

The input circuit for the correction circuit converts the signal from the MCU to a pseudo-sine-wave signal. The converted signal is then input to the CC pin of the given IC. Figure 2.7 shows the low-pass filter circuit. Table 2.6 lists typical constants.

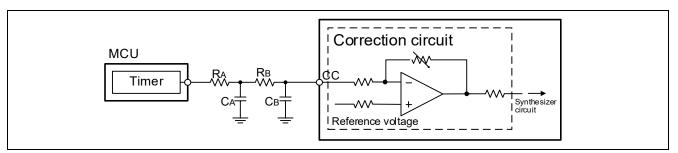


Figure 2.7 Low-Pass Filter Circuit for the Correction Signal

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Excitation Frequency	Component	Number	Value	Tolerance	Temperature Characteristics
5 kHz	Resistor	RA	2 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	20 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	15 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	1.5 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
10 kHz	Resistor	RA	1.5 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	RB	15 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	10 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	1 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
20 kHz	Resistor	RA	2 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Resistor	R _B	20 kΩ	±1%	±100 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	CA	3.3 nF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C
	Capacitor	Св	330 pF	±5%	±30 ppm/°C



2.6 Resolver Signal Input Circuit

2.6.1 Using a Current-Detection Type Resolver

2.6.1.1 Overview

When using a current-detection type resolver, detection resistors must be connected to the outputs of the resolver (Figure 2.8). Select the values of the detection resistors and the gain of the differential amplifiers to suit the characteristics of the resolver to be used. See section 2.6.1.2 below to select the values and gain.

SPI communications are used to set the gain of the differential amplifiers. For details of SPI communications and gain settings, see RAA3064002GFP/RAA3064003GFP Resolver-to-Digital Converters User's Manual: Hardware (R03UZ0002EJ0100).

2.6.1.2 Selecting the Value R_s of the Detection Resistors and Gain G_d of the Differential Amplifiers

Use the following expressions to calculate index A and index B from the resolver impedance Z (Ω) and depth of modulation m.

Index A = 0.67Z

Index $B = \frac{37.3}{m \cdot G_d}$

 G_d in the expression for index B is the gain of the differential amplifiers. Select a gain value from among the four values in table 2.7 such that the absolute value of the difference between index A and index B is minimized.

Select the value R_s of the detection resistors as desired from the following range based on the value of index B. That is, select Rs to be nearly equal to B unless otherwise specified.

 $0.9B \le R_s \le 1.1B$

Table 2.7 Selectable Gain Values of the Differential Amplifiers

Name	Sel	ectabl	e Valu	е
Gain Gd (times) of the	2	4	8	16.5
differential amplifiers				

Example of calculation: When resolver inductance L = 3 mH, modulation depth m = 0.1 (10%), and excitation frequency f = 5 kHz,

Resolver impedance $Z = 2\pi f L = 2\pi \times 5000 \times 0.003 = 94.2 \Omega$

Index $A = 0.67Z = 0.67 \times 94.2 = 63.1$

Index $B = \frac{37.3}{m \cdot G_d} = \frac{37.3}{0.1 \times 8} = 46.6$

If G_d = 8 in Table 2.7 is selected, | A-B | equals 15, which is a minimal difference between the absolute values of index A and index B.

Accordingly, the value R_s of the detection resistors is obtained as follows:

 $0.9B \le R_s \le 1.1B.$

 $0.9B \times 46.6 \le R_s \le 1.1 \times 46.6$

 $41.9 \le R_s \le 51.2$

 $B \approx R_s = 51 \Omega$ is selected from the E24 series. We recommend using a resolver with a resistor accuracy of ±0.1% as much as possible to avoid angle errors.



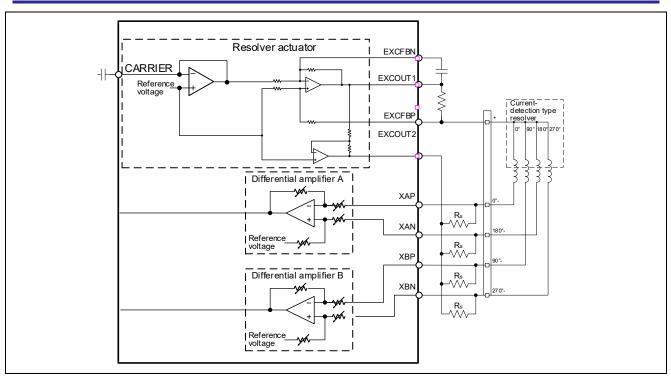


Figure 2.8 Detection Resistors Connected to the Outputs of the Resolver



2.6.2 Using a Transformer-Type Resolver 2.6.2.1 Gain of Differential Amplifiers

Set the gain of differential amplifiers that suits the characteristics of the resolver to be used. If a transformertype resolver is to be used, see the voltage ratio in the resolver data sheet.

Table 2.8	Gain Setting for Differential Amplifiers
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Voltage Ratio	Gain Setting
At least 0.2	8 times
Less than 0.2	16.5 times

Note that setting of the registers is handled through SPI communications. For details of SPI communications and registers, see RAA3064002GFP/RAA3064003GFP Resolver-to-Digital Converters User's Manual: Hardware (R03UZ0002EJ0100).

2.6.2.2 Resistors to Detect Disconnection from the Resolver Sensor

The RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP each are capable of detecting disconnection from the resolver sensor. Only connect the resistors to detect disconnection as shown in Figure 2.9 when using a transformer-type resolver. Set the values of the resistors R_A , R_B , R_C , R_C , and R_D to at least 100 k Ω such that detection of resolver signals is not affected. For details on detection of disconnection, see section 4.4, Detection of Disconnection.

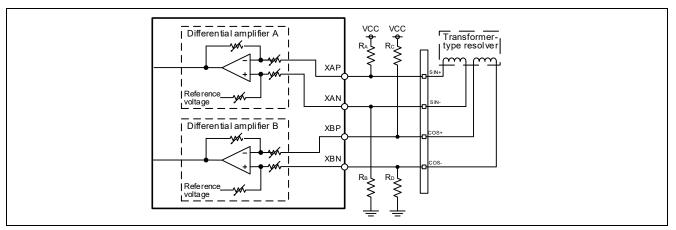


Figure 2.9 Resistors to Detect Disconnection from the Resolver Sensor



2.7 Filter Circuits for the Current Detection Circuit

The current detection circuit converts the current flowing in the shunt resistors of the motor to the voltage. Connecting the shunt resistors for use in current detection may lead to the generation of noise by the surge voltage of the MOSFET motor driver. The external components that configure low-pass filters are required to eliminate this noise. Note that, when resistors for the filter circuits are connected in series to the InINN and InINP pins (n = 1 or 2), the value should be no greater than 100 Ω . Relatively larger resistances may increase input impedance, resulting in the gain value for the current detection circuit being out of the specified range.

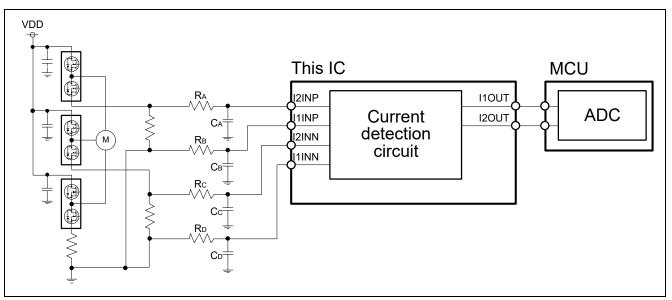


Figure 2.10 Filter Circuits for the Current Detection Circuit



2.8 Power-Supply Circuit

The RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP each have three pairs of power supply pins.

- AV_{DD} and AV_{SS}
- Power supply pins for the analog circuits in the RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP $\bullet~$ IOV_{DD} and IOV_{SS}
- Power supply pin for digital circuits in the RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP $\bullet~$ EV_{DD} and EV_{SS}

Power supply pins for the constant-current excitation circuit in the RAA3064002GFP and RAA3064003GFP



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2. Processing at power-on

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3. Input of signal during power-off state

Do not input signals or an I/O pull-up power supply while the device is powered off. The current injection that results from input of such a signal or I/O pull-up power supply may cause malfunction and the abnormal current that passes in the device at this time may cause degradation of internal elements. Follow the guideline for input signal during power-off state as described in your product documentation.

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5. Clock signals

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6. Voltage application waveform at input pin

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