

LMS485E Low Power RS-485 / RS-422 Differential Bus Transceiver

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FEATURES

- Meet ANSI Standard RS-485 and RS-422
- Data Rate 2.5 Mbps
- Single Supply Voltage Operation, 5V
- Wide Input and Output Voltage Range
- Thermal Shutdown Protection
- Short Circuit Protection
- Low Quiescent Current 800 μ A (Max)
- Allows Up To 32 Transceivers on the Bus
- Open Circuit Fail-Safe for Receiver
- Extended Operating Temperature Range -40°C to 85°C
- Drop-In Replacement to MAX485E
- Available in 8-pin SOIC and 8-pin PDIP Packages

APPLICATIONS

- Low Power RS-485 Systems
- Network Hubs, Bridges, and Routers
- Point of Sales Equipment (ATM, Barcode Scanners,...)
- Local Area Networks (LAN)
- Integrated Service Digital Network (ISDN)
- Industrial Programmable Logic Controllers
- High Speed Parallel and Serial Applications
- Multipoint Applications With Noisy Environment

DESCRIPTION

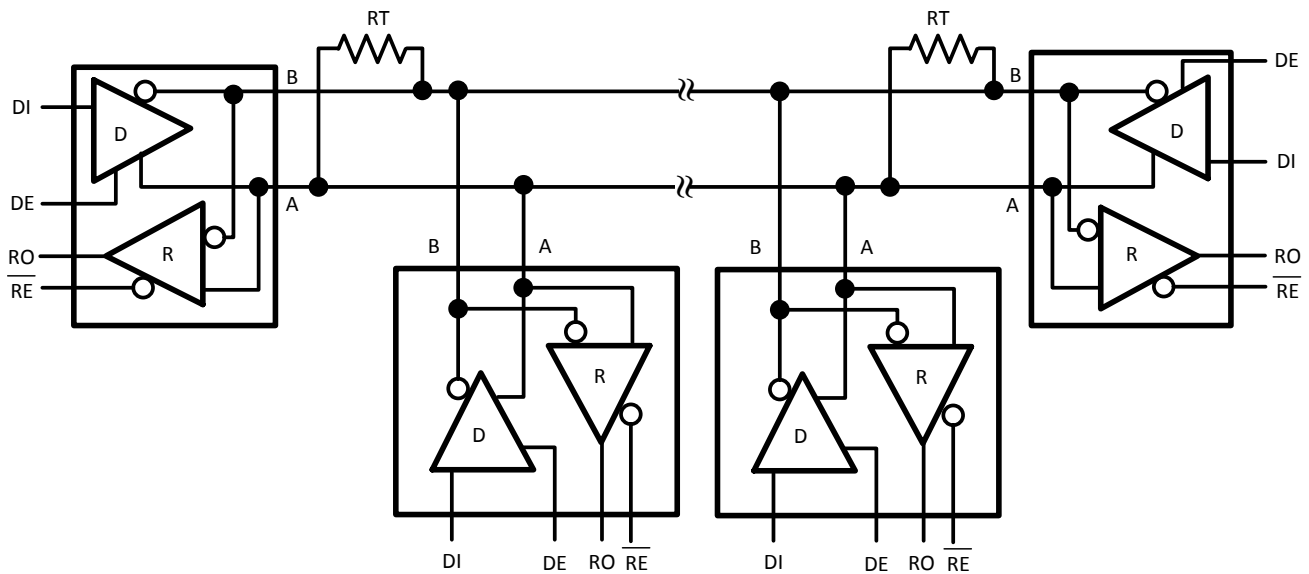
The LMS485E is a low power differential bus/line transceiver designed for high speed bidirectional data communication on multipoint bus transmission lines. It is designed for balanced transmission lines. It meets ANSI Standards TIA/EIA RS422-B, TIA/EIA RS485-A and ITU recommendation and V.11 and X.27. The driver outputs and receiver inputs have $\pm 15\text{kV}$ ESD protection. The LMS485E combines a TRI-STATE differential line driver and differential input receiver, both of which operate from a single 5.0V power supply. The driver and receiver have an active high and active low, respectively, that can be externally connected to function as a direction control. The driver outputs and receiver inputs are internally connected to form a differential input/output (I/O) bus port that is designed to offer minimum loading to bus whenever the driver is disabled or when $V_{CC} = 0\text{V}$. These ports feature wide positive and negative common mode voltage ranges, making the device suitable for multipoint applications in noisy environments. The LMS485E is available in 8-Pin SOIC and 8-pin PDIP packages. It is a drop-in replacement to Maxim's MAX485E.



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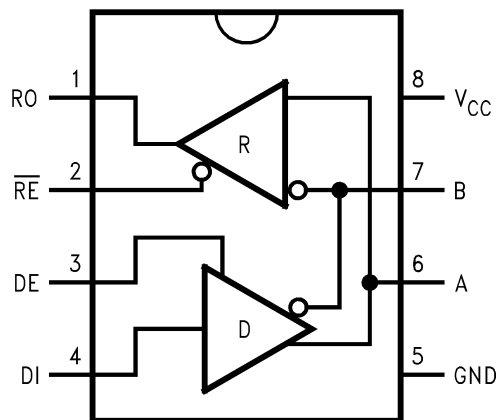
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TYPICAL APPLICATION



A typical multipoint application is shown in the above figure. Terminating resistor, R_T are typically required but only located at the two ends of the cable. Pull-up and pull-down resistors may be required at the end of the bus to provide fail-safe biasing. The biasing resistors provide a bias to the cable when all drivers are in TRI-STATE, See Texas Instruments Application Note, [SNLA031](#) for further information.

CONNECTION DIAGRAM



**Figure 1. 8-Pin SOIC or PDIP (Top View)
See D or P Package**

Table 1. TRUTH TABLE⁽¹⁾

| DRIVER SECTION | | | | |
|-------------------|----|--------------|---|----|
| \overline{RE}^* | DE | DI | A | B |
| X | H | H | H | L |
| X | H | L | L | H |
| X | L | X | Z | Z |
| RECEIVER SECTION | | | | |
| \overline{RE}^* | DE | A-B | | RO |
| L | L | $\geq +0.2V$ | | H |
| L | L | $\leq -0.2V$ | | L |
| H | X | X | | Z |
| L | L | OPEN * | | H |

- (1) * = Non Terminated, Open Input only
 X = Irrelevant
 Z = TRI-STATE
 H = High level
 L = Low level

PIN DESCRIPTIONS

| Pin # | I/O | Name | Function |
|-------|-----|-------------------|---|
| 1 | O | RO | Receiver Output: If $A > B$ by 200 mV, RO will be high; If $A < B$ by 200 mV, RO will be low. RO will be high also if the inputs (A and B) are open (non-terminated). |
| 2 | I | \overline{RE}^* | Receiver Output Enable: RO is enabled when \overline{RE}^* is low; RO is in TRI-STATE when \overline{RE}^* is high |
| 3 | I | DE | Driver Output Enable: The driver outputs (A and B) are enabled when DE is high; they are in TRI-STATE when DE is low. Pins A and B also function as the receiver input pins (see below) |
| 4 | I | DI | Driver Input: A low on DI forces A low and B high while a high on DI forces A high and B low when the driver is enabled |
| 5 | NA | GND | Ground |
| 6 | I/O | A | Non-inverting Driver Output and Receiver Input pin. Driver output levels conform to RS-485 signaling levels |
| 7 | I/O | B | Inverting Driver Output and Receiver Input pin. Driver Output levels conform to RS-485 signaling levels |
| 8 | NA | V_{CC} | Power Supply: $4.75V \leq V_{CC} \leq 5.25V$ |



These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

| | | |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Supply Voltage, V_{CC} ⁽³⁾ | | 6V |
| Input Voltage, V_{IN} (DI, DE, or \overline{RE}) | | -0.3V to $V_{CC} + 0.3V$ |
| Voltage Range at Bus Terminals (AB) | | -7V to 12V |
| Receiver Output | | -0.3V to $V_{CC} + 0.3V$ |
| Package Thermal Impedance, θ_{JA} | SOIC | 125° C/W |
| | PDIP | 92° C/W |
| Junction Temperature ⁽⁴⁾ | | 150°C |
| Operating Free-Air Temperature Range, T_A | Commercial | 0°C to 70°C |
| | Industrial | -40°C to 85°C |
| Storage Temperature Range | | -65°C to 150°C |
| Soldering Information | Infrared or Convection (20 sec.) | 235°C |
| | Lead Temperature Range | +260°C |
| ESD Rating (Human Body Model) ⁽⁵⁾ | Bus Pins | 15kV |
| | Other Pins | 2kV |
| ESD Rating (Machine Model) | All Pins | 200V |

- (1) Absolute Maximum Ratings indicate limits beyond which damage to the device may occur. Operating Ratings indicate conditions for which the device is intended to be functional, but specific performance is not ensured. For ensured specifications and the test conditions, see [ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS](#).
- (2) If Military/Aerospace specified devices are required, please contact the Texas Instruments Sales Office/Distributors for availability and specifications.
- (3) All voltage values, except differential I/O bus voltage, are with respect to the network ground terminal.
- (4) The maximum power dissipation is a function of $T_{J(MAX)}$, θ_{JA} , and T_A . The maximum allowable power dissipation at any ambient temperature, T_A , is $P_D = (T_{J(MAX)} - T_A)/\theta_{JA}$. All numbers apply for packages soldered directly into a PC board.
- (5) ESD rating based upon human body model, 100 pF discharged through 1.5 k Ω .

OPERATING RATINGS

| | Min | Nom | Max | |
|---|------|-----|----------|---|
| Supply Voltage, V_{CC} | 4.75 | 5.0 | 5.25 | V |
| Voltage at any Bus Terminal (Separately or Common Mode) | -7 | | 12 | V |
| High-Level Input Voltage, V_{IH} ⁽¹⁾ | 2 | | | V |
| Low-Level Input Voltage, V_{IL} ⁽¹⁾ | | | 0.8 | V |
| Differential Input Voltage, V_{ID} ⁽²⁾ | | | ± 12 | V |

- (1) Voltage limits apply to DI, DE, \overline{RE} pins.
- (2) Differential input/output bus voltage is measured at the non-inverting terminal A with respect to the inverting terminal B.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|----------------------------------|---|---|------|-----|---------|------------|
| Driver Section | | | | | | |
| $ V_{OD1} $ | Differential Output Voltage | $R = \infty$ (see Figure 11) | | | 5.25 | V |
| $ V_{OD2} $ | Differential Output Voltage | $R = 50\Omega$ (see Figure 11), RS-422 | 2.0 | | | V |
| | | $R = 27\Omega$ (see Figure 11), RS-485 | 1.5 | | 5.0 | |
| ΔV_{OD} | Change in Magnitude of Driver Differential Output Voltage for Complementary Output States | $R = 27\Omega$ or 50Ω (see Figure 11) ⁽¹⁾ | | | 0.2 | V |
| V_{OC} | Common Mode Output Voltage | $R = 27\Omega$ or 50Ω (see Figure 11) | | | 3.0 | V |
| ΔV_{OC} | Change in Magnitude of Driver Common-Mode Output Voltage for Complementary Output States | $R = 27\Omega$ or 50Ω (see Figure 11) ⁽¹⁾ | | | 0.2 | V |
| V_{IH} | CMOS Input Logic Threshold High | DE, DI, \overline{RE} | 2.0 | | | V |
| V_{IL} | CMOS Input Logic Threshold Low | DE, DI, \overline{RE} | | | 0.8 | V |
| I_{IN1} | Logic Input Current | DE, DI, \overline{RE} | | | ± 2 | μA |
| Receiver Section | | | | | | |
| I_{IN2} | Input Current (A, B) | DE = 0V, $V_{CC} = 0V$ or 5.25V $V_{IN} = 12V$ | | | 0.25 | mA |
| | | $V_{IN} = -7V$ | | | -0.2 | |
| V_{TH} | Differential Input Threshold Voltage | $-7V \leq V_{CM} \leq +12V$ | -0.2 | | +0.2 | V |
| ΔV_{TH} | Input Hysteresis ($V_{TH+} - V_{TH-}$) | $V_{CM} = 0$ | | 95 | | mV |
| V_{OH} | CMOS High-level Output Voltage | $I_{OH} = 4 mA$, $V_{ID} = -200 mV$ | 3.5 | | | V |
| V_{OL} | CMOS Low-level Output Voltage | $I_{OL} = -4 mA$, $V_{ID} = 200 mV$ | | | 0.4 | V |
| I_{OZR} | Tristate Output Leakage Current | $0.4V \leq V_O \leq +2.4V$ | | | ± 1 | μA |
| R_{IN} | Input Resistance | $-7V \leq V_{CM} \leq +12V$ | 12 | | | k Ω |
| Power Supply Current | | | | | | |
| I_{CC} | Supply Current | DE = V_{CC} , $\overline{RE} = GND$ or V_{CC} | | 400 | 800 | μA |
| | | DE = 0V, $\overline{RE} = GND$ or V_{CC} | | 360 | 560 | |
| I_{OSD1} | Driver Short-circuit Output Current | $V_O = \text{high}$, $-7V \leq V_{CM} \leq +12V$ | | | 250 | mA |
| I_{OSD2} | Driver Short-circuit Output Current | $V_O = \text{low}$, $-7V \leq V_{CM} \leq +12V$ | | | 250 | mA |
| I_{OSR} | Receiver Short-circuit Output Current | $0V \leq V_O \leq V_{CC}$ | | | 95 | mA |
| Switching Characteristics | | | | | | |
| Driver | | | | | | |
| T_{PLH} , T_{PHL} | Propagation Delay Input to Output | $R_L = 54\Omega$, $C_L = 100 pF$ | 10 | 40 | 80 | ns |
| T_{SKEW} | Driver Output Skew | $R_L = 54\Omega$, $C_L = 100 pF$ | | 5 | 10 | ns |
| T_R , T_F | Driver Rise and Fall Time | $R_L = 54\Omega$, $C_L = 100 pF$ | 3 | 10 | 40 | ns |
| T_{ZH} , T_{ZL} | Driver Enable to Output Valid Time | $C_L = 100 pF$ | | 25 | 70 | ns |
| T_{HZ} , T_{LZ} | Driver Output Disable Time | $C_L = 15 pF$ | | 35 | 70 | ns |

(1) $|\Delta V_{OD}|$ and $|\Delta V_{OC}|$ are changes in magnitude of V_{OD} and V_{OC} respectively, when the input changes from high to low levels.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

Over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Receiver | | | | | | |
| T_{PLH} , T_{PHL} | Propagation Delay Input to Output | $R_L = 54\Omega$, $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$ | 20 | 90 | 200 | ns |
| T_{SKEW} | Receiver Output Skew | $R_L = 54\Omega$, $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$ | | 5 | | ns |
| T_{ZH} , T_{ZL} | Receiver Enable Time | $C_L = 15\text{ pF}$ | | 20 | 50 | ns |
| T_{HZ} , T_{LZ} | Receiver Disable Time | $C_L = 15\text{ pF}$ | | 20 | 50 | ns |
| F_{MAX} | Maximum Data Rate | | 2.5 | | | Mbps |

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Output Current vs. Receiver Output Low Voltage

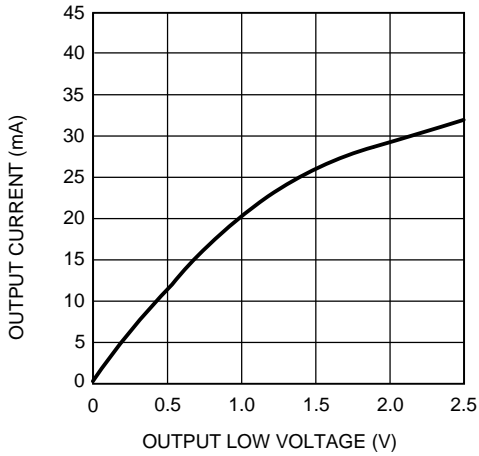


Figure 2.

Output Current vs. Receiver Output High Voltage

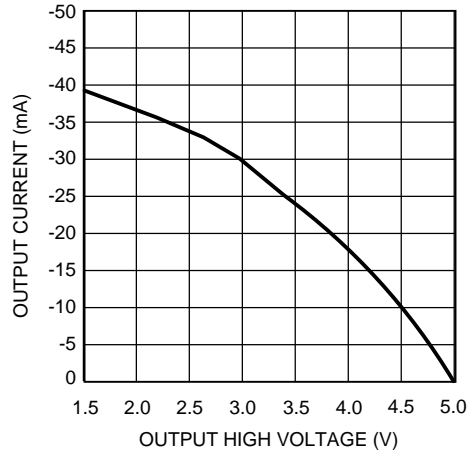


Figure 3.

Receiver Output High Voltage vs. Temperature

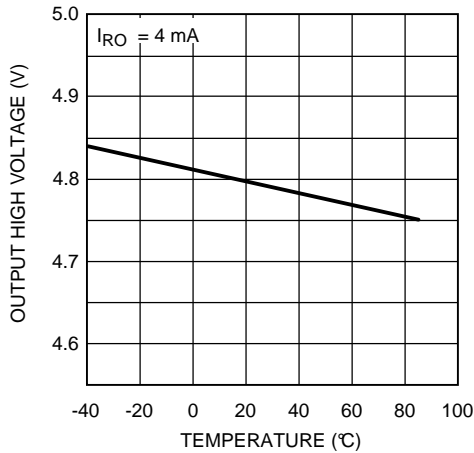


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Receiver Output Low-Voltage vs. Temperature

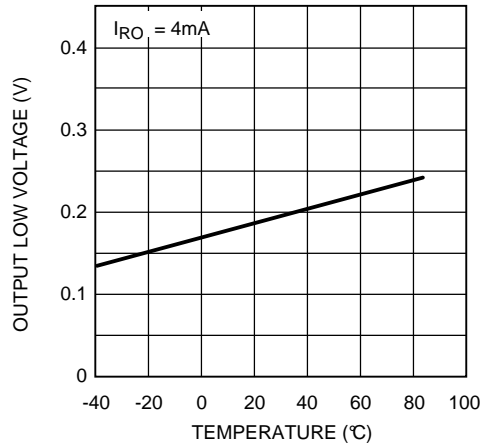


Figure 5.

Driver Output Current vs. Differential Output Voltage

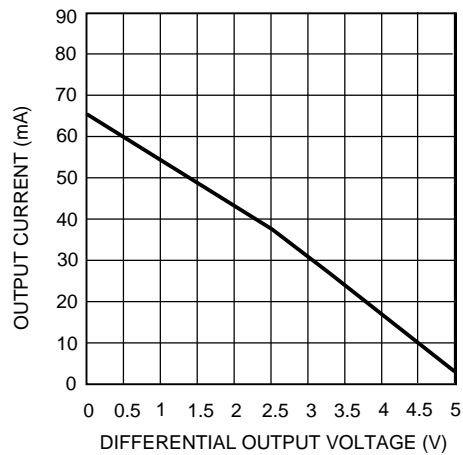


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Driver Differential Output Voltage vs. Temperature

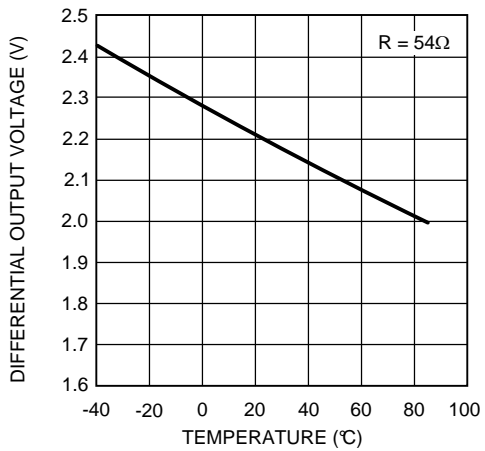


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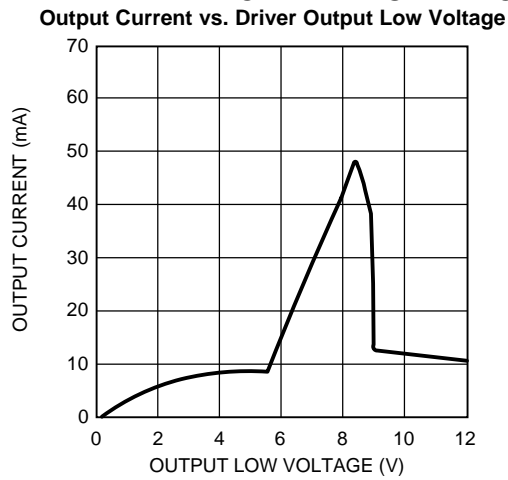


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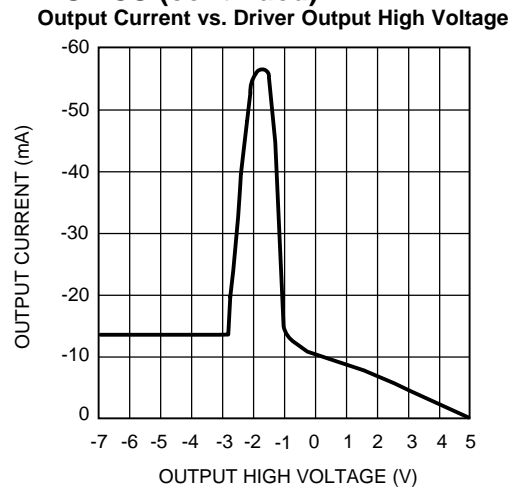


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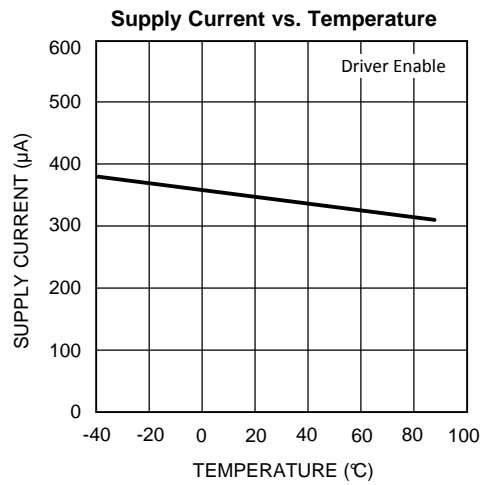


Figure 10.

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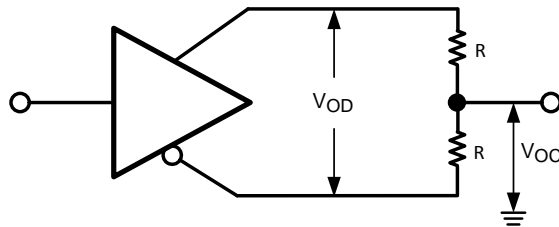


Figure 11. Test Circuit for V_{OD} and V_{OC}

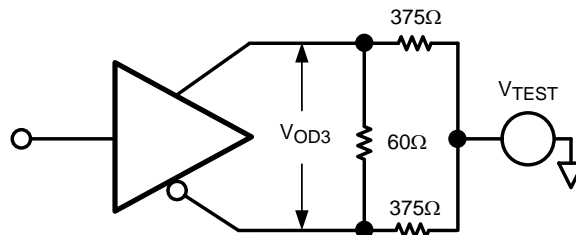


Figure 12. Test Circuit for V_{OD3}

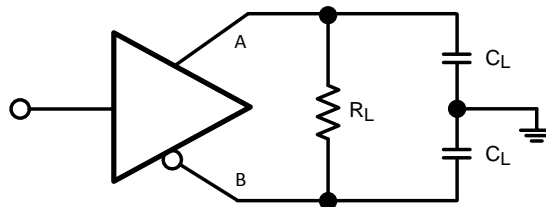


Figure 13. Test Circuit for Driver Propagation Delay

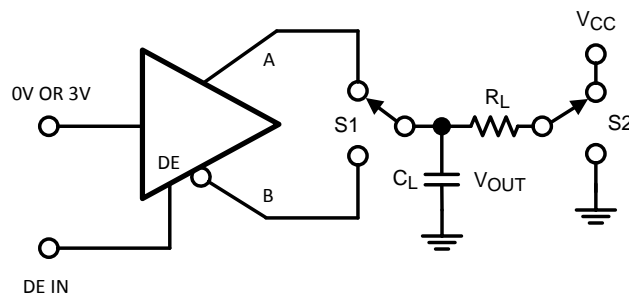
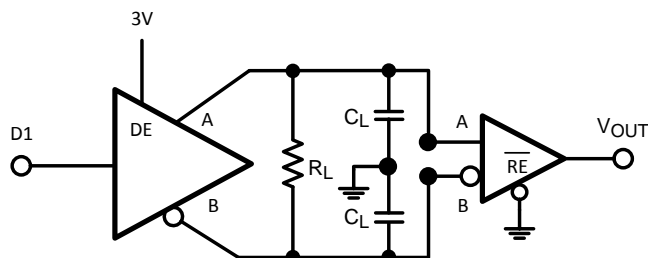
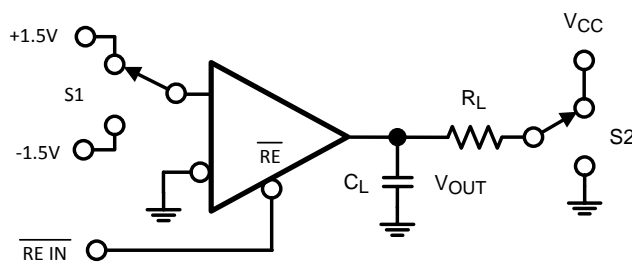


Figure 14. Test Circuit for Driver Enable / Disable

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Figure 15. Test Circuit for Receiver Propagation Delay

Figure 16. Test Circuit for Receiver Enable / Disable

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SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

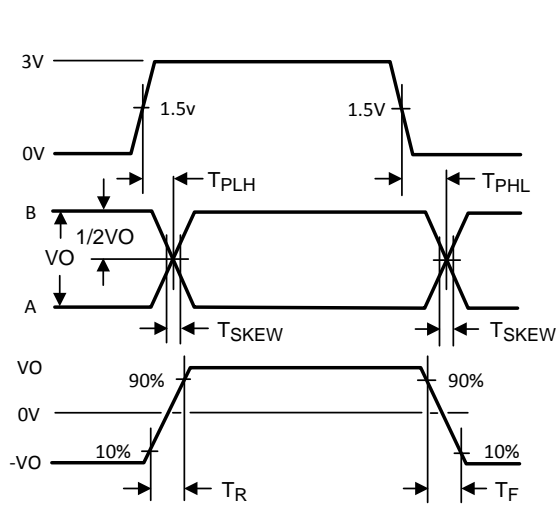


Figure 17. Driver Propagation Delay, Rise / Fall Time

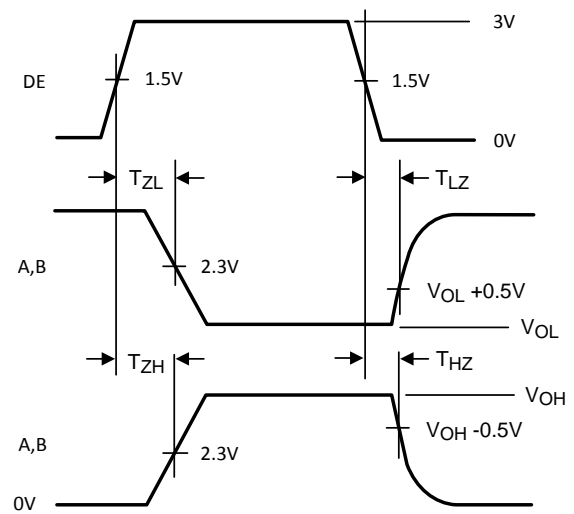


Figure 18. Driver Enable / Disable Time

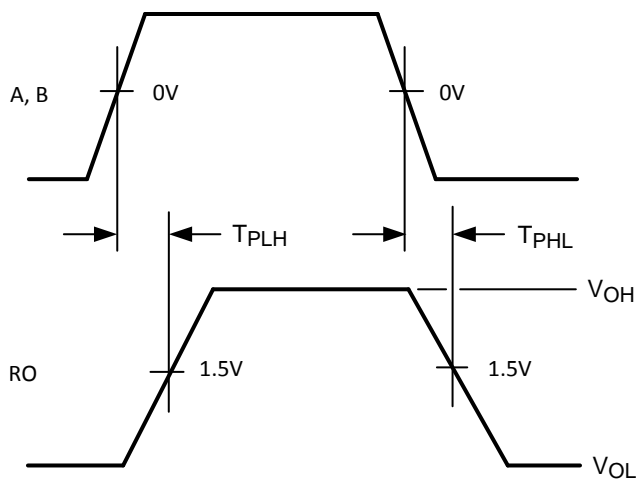


Figure 19. Receiver Propagation Delay

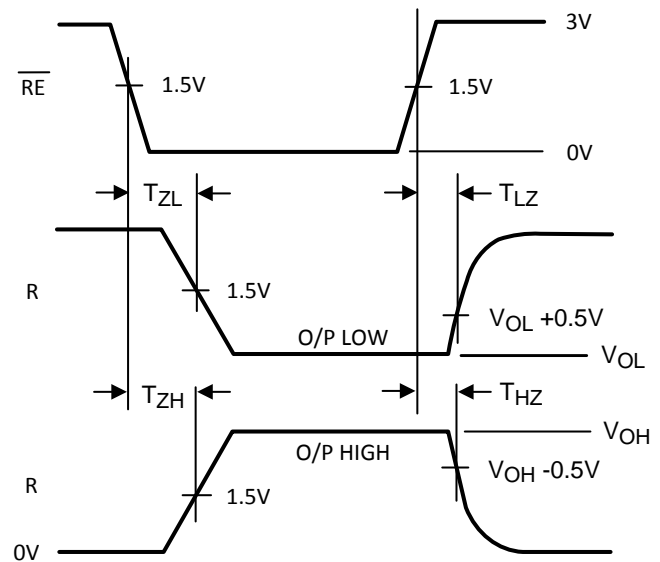


Figure 20. Receiver Enable / Disable Time

APPLICATION INFORMATION

POWER LINE NOISE FILTERING

A factor to consider in designing power and ground is noise filtering. A noise filtering circuit is designed to prevent noise generated by the integrated circuit (IC) as well as noise entering the IC from other devices. A common filtering method is to place by-pass capacitors (C_{bp}) between the power and ground lines.

Placing a by-pass capacitor (C_{bp}) with the correct value at the proper location solves many power supply noise problems. Choosing the correct capacitor value is based upon the desired noise filtering range. Since capacitors are not ideal, they may act more like inductors or resistors over a specific frequency range. Thus, many times two by-pass capacitors may be used to filter a wider bandwidth of noise. It is highly recommended to place a larger capacitor, such as $10\mu\text{F}$, between the power supply pin and ground to filter out low frequencies and a $0.1\mu\text{F}$ to filter out high frequencies.

By-pass capacitors must be mounted as close as possible to the IC to be effective. Long leads produce higher impedance at higher frequencies due to stray inductance. Thus, this will reduce the by-pass capacitor's effectiveness. Surface mounted chip capacitors are the best solution because they have lower inductance.

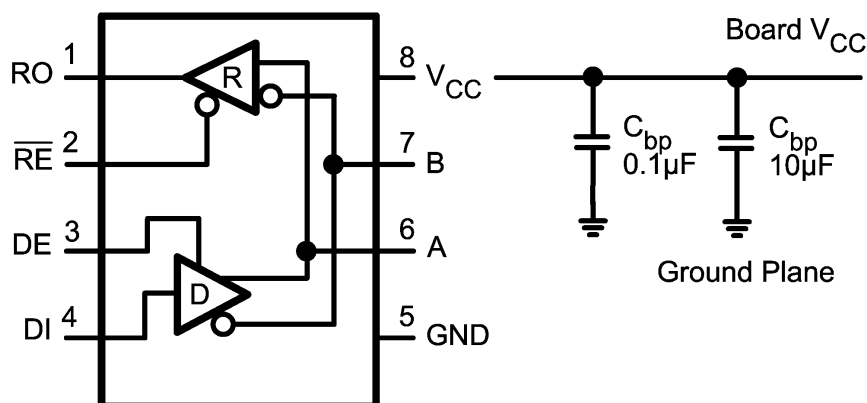


Figure 21. Placement of By-pass Capacitors, C_{bp}

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