



DESCRIPTION

The MAX3483ESA is $\pm 15\text{kV}$ ESD-protected, +3.3V, low-power transceivers for RS-485 and RS-422 communications.

Each device contains one driver and one receiver. The MAX3483ESA features slew-rate-limited drivers that minimize EMI and reduce reflections caused by improperly terminated cables, allowing error-free data transmission at data rates up to 250kbps.

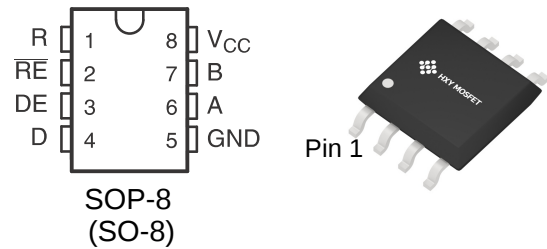
Devices feature enhanced electrostatic discharge (ESD) protection. All transmitter outputs and receiver inputs are protected to $\pm 15\text{kV}$ using IEC 1000-4-2 Air-Gap Discharge $\pm 8\text{kV}$ using IEC 1000-4-2 Contact Discharge, and $\pm 15\text{kV}$ using the Human Body Model.

Drivers are short-circuit current limited and are protected against excessive power dissipation by thermal shutdown circuitry that places the driver outputs into a high-impedance state.

The receiver input has a fail-safe feature that guarantees a logic-high output if both inputs are open circuit.

The MAX3483ESA is designed for half-duplex communication.

PIN CONFIGURATION



FEATURES

- Interoperable with +5V Logic
- 2nA Low-Current Shutdown Mode
- Operate from a Single +3.3V Supply-No Charge Pump Required
- Slew-Rate Limited for Errorless Data Transmission
- Provide enhanced ESD protection for RS-485/RS-422 A/B pins
- ESD Protection for RS-485 I/O Pins
HBM human mode $\pm 15\text{kV}$
IEC 1000-4-2: Contact discharge +8kV
IEC 1000-4-2: Air discharge $\pm 15\text{kV}$

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Supply Voltage (V_{CC}) 7V

Control Input Voltage -0.3V to 7V

Driver Input Voltage (DI) -0.3V to 7V

Driver Output Voltage (A, B) -7.5V to +12.5V

Receiver Input Voltage (A, B) -7.5V to +12.5V

Receiver Output Voltage (RO) -0.3V to ($V_{CC} + 0.3\text{V}$)

Continuous Power Dissipation ($T_A = +70^\circ\text{C}$)

8-Pin SO (derate 5.88mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$ above $+70^\circ\text{C}$)
471mW

Operating Temperature Ranges 0°C to $+70^\circ\text{C}$

Storage Temperature Range -65°C to $+150^\circ\text{C}$

Lead Temperature (soldering, 10sec) $+300^\circ\text{C}$

APPLICATIONS

- Packet Switching
- Telecommunications
- Integrated Services Digital Networks
- Industrial-Control Local Area Networks
- Transceivers for EMI-Sensitive Applications



DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

($V_{CC} = 3.3V \pm 0.3$, $T_A = T_{MIN}$ to T_{MAX} , unless otherwise noted, $T_A = 25^\circ C$)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Differential Driver Output (no load)	V_{OD1}		2.0			V
Differential Driver Output (with load)	V_{OD2}	$R = 54\Omega$ (RS-422)	2			V
		$R = 60\Omega$ (RS-485)	1.5			
Change in Magnitude of Driver Differential Output Voltage for Complementary Output States	ΔV_{OD}	$R = 54\Omega$ or 100Ω			0.2	V
Driver Common-Mode Output Voltage	V_{OC}	$R = 54\Omega$ or 100Ω			3	V
Change in Magnitude of Driver Common-Mode Output Voltage for Complementary Output States	ΔV_{OD}	$R = 54\Omega$ or 100Ω			0.2	V
Input High Voltage	V_{IH}	DE, DI, $\overline{RE}$	2.0			V
Input Low Voltage	V_{IL}	DE, DI, $\overline{RE}$			0.8	V
Input Current	I_{IN1}	DE, DI, $\overline{RE}$			± 2	μA
Input Current (A, B)	I_{IN2}	DE = 0V; $V_{CC} = 0V$ or $5.25V$,	$V_{IN} = 12V$		1.0	mA
			$V_{IN} = -7V$		-0.8	
Receiver Differential Threshold Voltage	V_{TH}	$-7V \leq V_{CM} \leq 12V$	-0.2		0.2	V
Receiver Input Hysteresis	ΔV_{TH}	$V_{CM} = 0V$		50		mV
Receiver Output High Voltage	V_{OH}	$I_O = -1.5mA$, $V_{ID} = 200mV$	2.9			V
Receiver Output Low Voltage	V_{OL}	$I_O = 2.5mA$, $V_{ID} = -200mV$			0.4	V
Three-State (high impedance) Output Current at Receiver	I_{OZR}	$V_{CC} = 3.6V$, $0.4V \leq V_O \leq 2.4V$			± 1	μA
Receiver Input Resistance	R_{IN}	$-7V \leq V_{CM} \leq 12V$	12			k Ω

DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

($V_{CC} = 5V \pm 5\%$, $T_A = T_{MIN}$ to T_{MAX} , unless otherwise noted.)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
No-Load Supply Current	I_{CC}	DE = V_{CC} , $\overline{RE} = 0V$ or V_{CC}		1.1	2.2	mA
		DE = 0V, $\overline{RE} = 0V$		0.95	1.9	
		DE = 0V, $\overline{RE} = V_{CC}$, DE = V_{CC} or 0		0.95	1.9	
Driver Short-Circuit Current,	I_{OSD}	$V_{OUT} = -7V$			-250	mA
		$V_{OUT} = -12V$			250	
Receiver Short-Circuit Current	I_{OSR}	$0V \leq V_O \leq V_{CC}$	± 8		± 60	mA



SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

($V_{CC} = 3.3V \pm 5\%$, $T_A = 25^\circ C$)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Maximum Data Rate	t_{DD}	$R_L = 60\Omega$	600	900	1400	ns
Driver Differential Output Delay	t_{TD}	$R_L = 60\Omega$	400	740	1200	ns
Driver Differential Output Transition Time	t_{PLH}	$R_L = 27\Omega$	700	930	1500	ns
Driver Propagation Delay, Low-to-High Level	t_{PHL}	$R_L = 27\Omega$	700	930	1500	ns
$ t_{PLH} - t_{PHL} $ Driver Propagation Delay Skew	t_{PDS}	$R_L = 27\Omega$		± 50		ns
Driver-Output Enable Time to Low Level	t_{PZL}	$R_L = 100\Omega$		900	1300	ns
Driver-Output Enable Time to High Level	t_{PZH}	$R_L = 100\Omega$		600	800	ns
Driver-Output Disable Time from High Level	t_{PHZ}	$R_L = 100\Omega$		50	80	ns
Driver-Output Disable Time from Low Level	t_{PLZ}	$R_L = 100\Omega$		50	80	ns
Driver-Output Enable Time from Shutdown to Low Level	t_{PSL}	$R_L = 100\Omega$		1.9	2.7	ns
Driver-Output Enable Time from Shutdown to High Level	t_{PSH}	$R_L = 100\Omega$		2.2	3.0	ns
Maximum Data Rate	f_{MAX}		250			kbps

RECEIVER SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

($V_{CC} = 3.3V \pm 5\%$, $T_A = 25^\circ C$)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Time to Shutdown	t_{SHDN}		80	190	300	ns
Receiver Propagation Delay, Low-to-High Level	t_{RPLH}	$V_{ID} = 0$ to 3.0, $C_L = 15pF$	25	75	120	ns
Receiver Propagation Delay, High-to-Low Level	t_{RPHL}	$V_{ID} = 0$ to 3.0, $C_L = 15pF$	25	75	120	ns
$ t_{PLH} - t_{PHL} $ Receiver Propagation Delay Skew	t_{RPDS}	$V_{ID} = 0$ to 3.0, $C_L = 15pF$		12	± 20	ns
Receiver Output Enable Time to Low Level	t_{PRZL}	$C_L = 15pF$		25	50	ns
Receiver Output Enable Time to High Level	t_{PRZH}	$C_L = 15pF$		25	50	ns
Receiver Output Disable Time from High Level	t_{PRHZ}	$C_L = 15pF$		25	45	ns
Receiver Output Disable Time from Low Level	t_{PRLZ}	$C_L = 15pF$		25	45	ns
Receiver Output Enable Time from Shutdown to Low Level	t_{PRSL}	$C_L = 15pF$		720	1400	ns
Receiver Output Enable Time from Shutdown to High Level	t_{PRSH}	$C_L = 15pF$		720	1400	ns



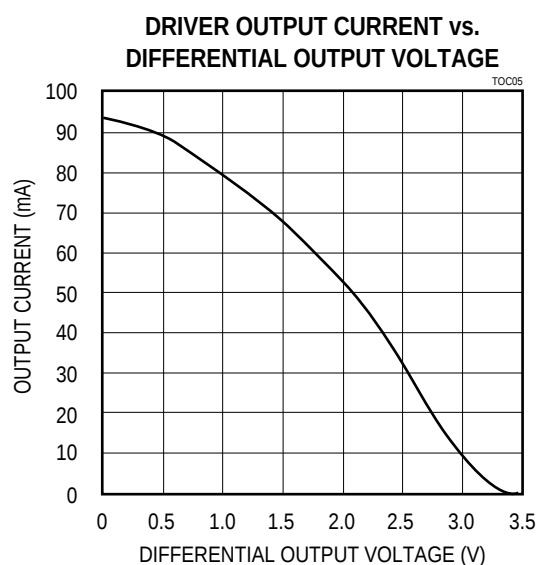
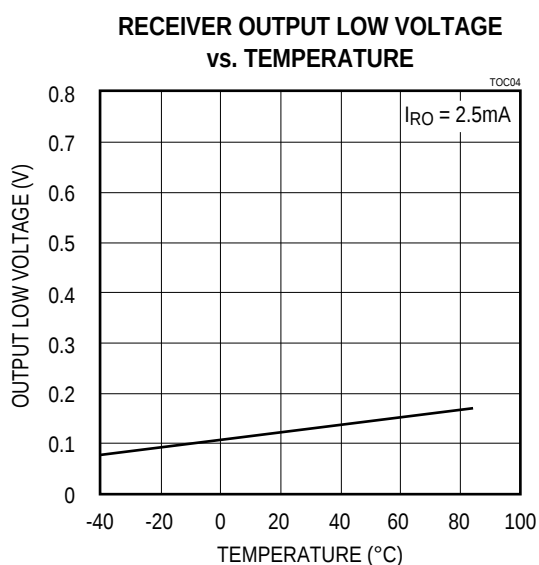
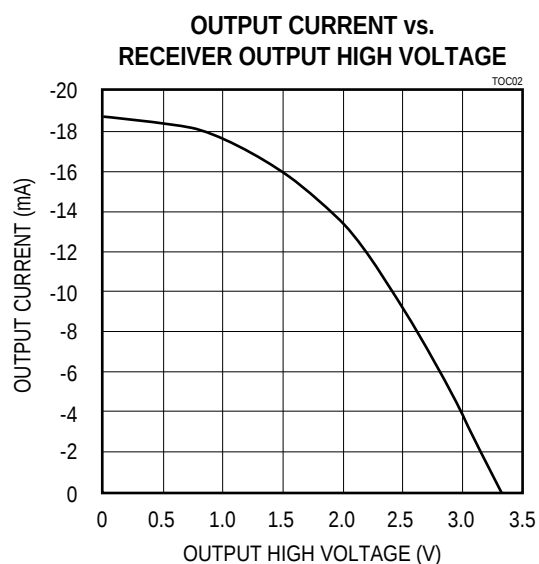
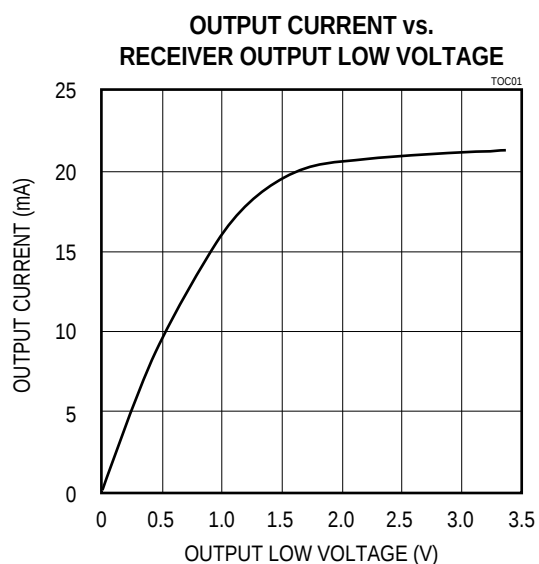
TABLE OF OPERATION

Transmission					Receipt			
Inputs			Outputs X		Inputs			Outputs
RE	DE	DI	A	B	RE	DE	A-B	RO
X	1	1	1	0	0	X	$\geq +0.2V$	1
X	1	0	0	1	0	X	$\leq -0.2V$	0
0	0	X	Z	Z	0	X	Inputs open	1
1	0	X	Z	Z	1	0	X	Z

X-Any level

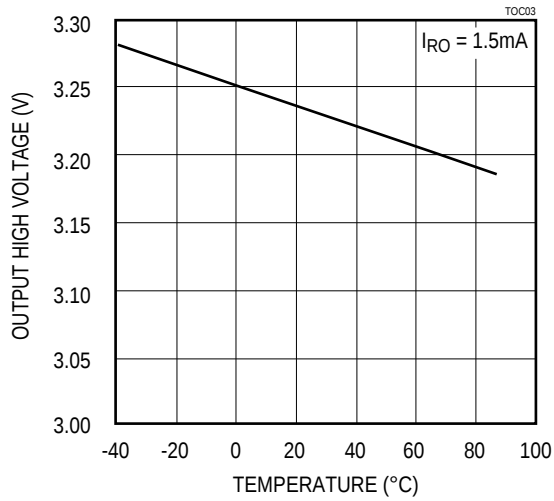
Z-High resistance

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

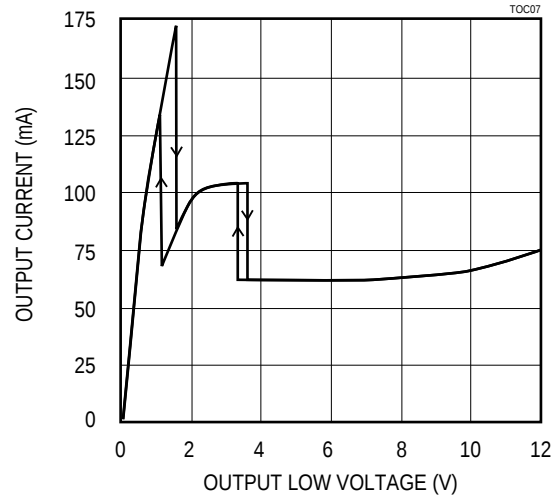




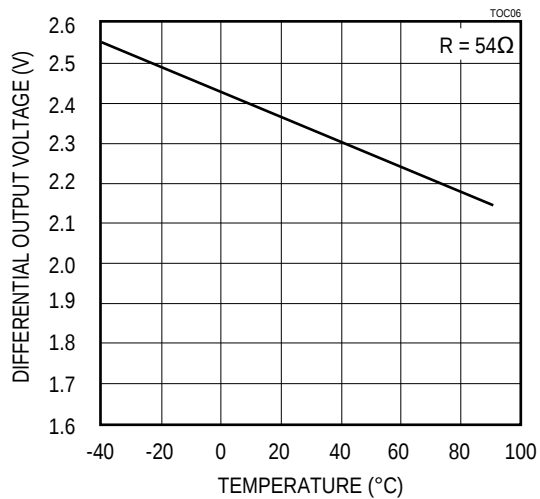
RECEIVER OUTPUT HIGH VOLTAGE
vs. TEMPERATURE



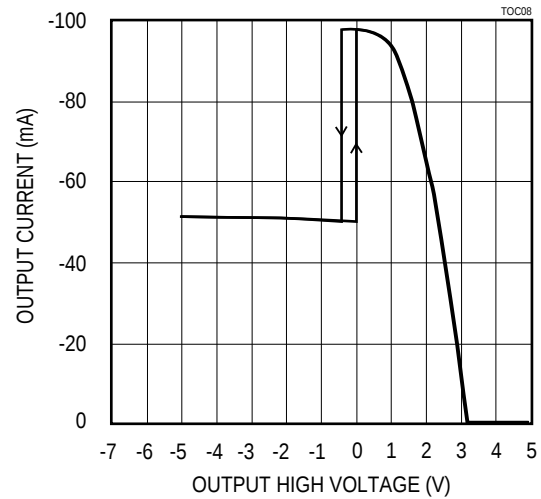
OUTPUT CURRENT vs.
DRIVER OUTPUT LOW VOLTAGE



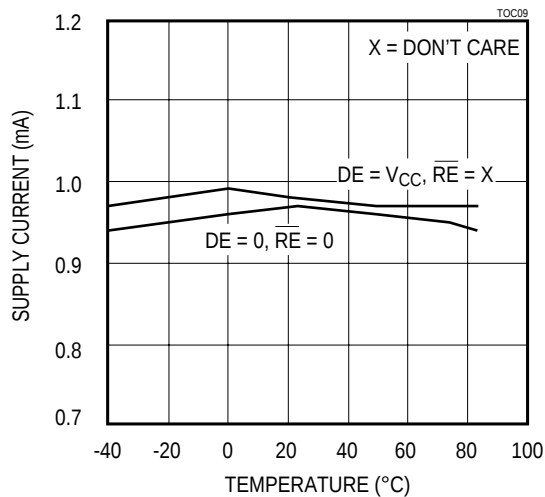
DRIVER DIFFERENTIAL OUTPUT
VOLTAGE vs. TEMPERATURE



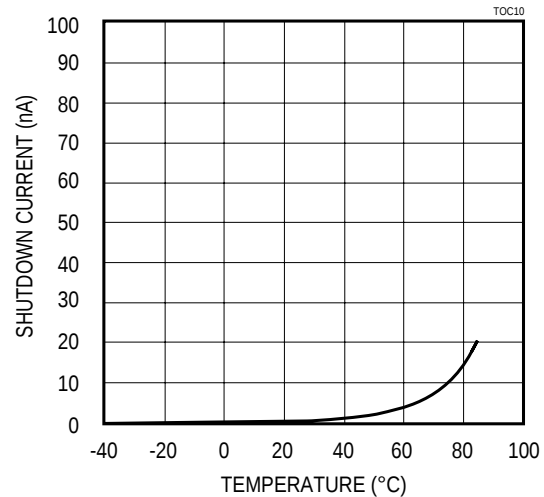
OUTPUT CURRENT vs.
DRIVER OUTPUT HIGH VOLTAGE



SUPPLY CURRENT
vs. TEMPERATURE

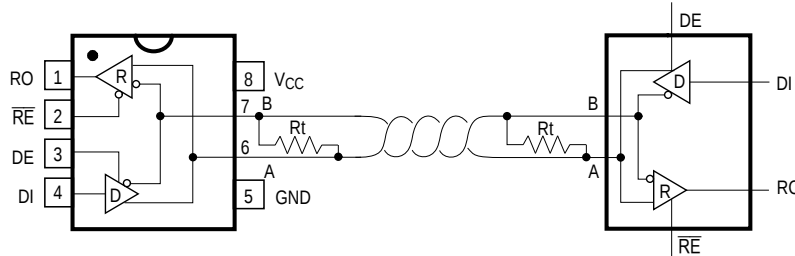


SHUTDOWN CURRENT
vs. TEMPERATURE





Typical Operating Circuit



Low-Power Shutdown Mode

A low-power shutdown mode is initiated by bringing both $\overline{RE}$ high and DE low.

The devices will not shut down unless both the driver and receiver are disabled (high impedance).

In shutdown, the devices typically draw only 2nA of supply current.

For these devices, the t_{PSH} and t_{PSL} enable times assume the part was in the low-power shutdown mode; the t_{PZH} and t_{PZL} enable times assume the receiver or driver was disabled, but the part was not shut down.

Applications Information

The MAX3485E is low-power transceivers for RS-485 and RS-422 communications. The MAX3483ESA can transmit and receive at data rates up to 250kbps. The MAX3483ESA is half-duplex. Driver Enable (DE) and Receiver Enable ($\overline{RE}$) pins is included on the MAX3483ESA.

When disabled, the driver and receiver outputs are high impedance.

Reduced EMI and Relections

The MAX3483ESA is slew-rate limited, mini-mizing EMI and reducing reflections caused by improp-erly terminated cables.

Driver Output Protection

Excessive output current and power dissipation caused by faults or by bus contention are prevented by two mechanisms. A foldback current limit on the output stage provides immediate protection against short circuits over the whole common-mode voltage range (see *Typical Operating Characteristics*). In addition, a thermal shut-down circuit forces the driver outputs into a high-imped-ance state if the die temperature rises excessively.

Propagation Delay

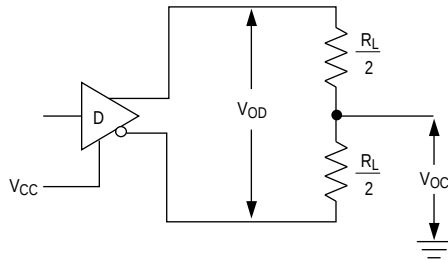
Skew time is simply the difference between the low-to-high and high-to-low propagation delay. Small driver/receiver skew times help maintain a symmetrical mark-space ratio (50% duty cycle).

The receiver skew time, $|t_{PRLH} - t_{PRHL}|$, is under 10ns 20ns for the MAX3483ESA).

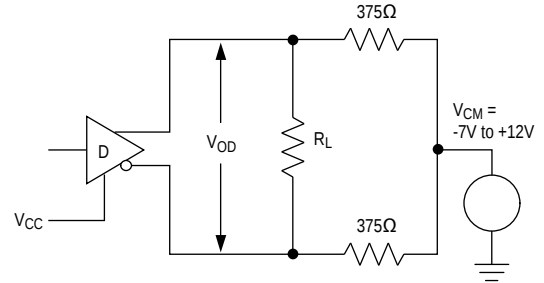
The driver skew times is 50ns.



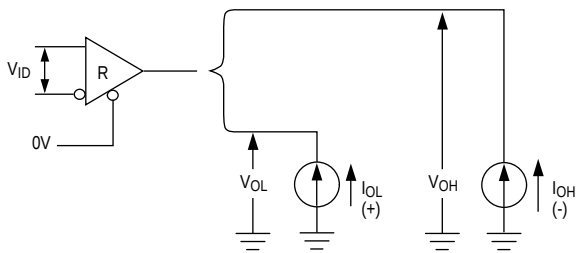
Driver DC Test Load



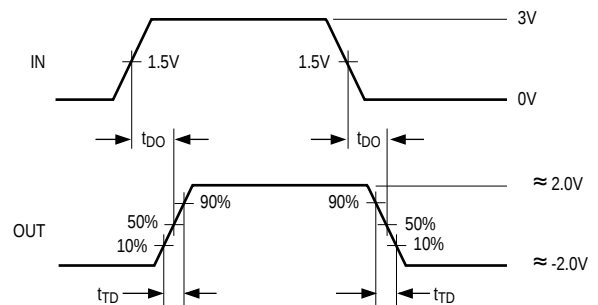
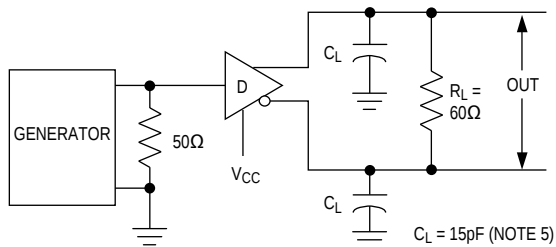
Driver VOD with Varying Common-Mode Voltage



Receiver VOH and VOL

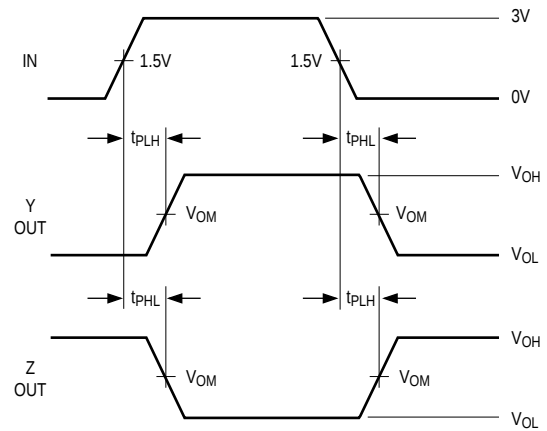
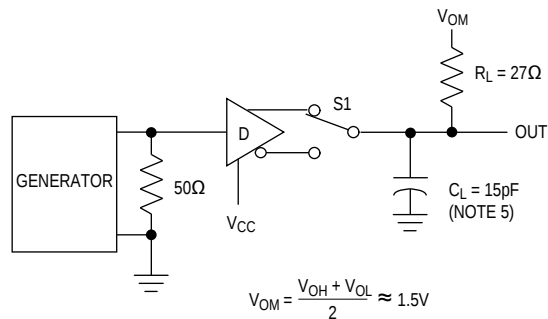


Driver Differential Output Delay and Transition Times

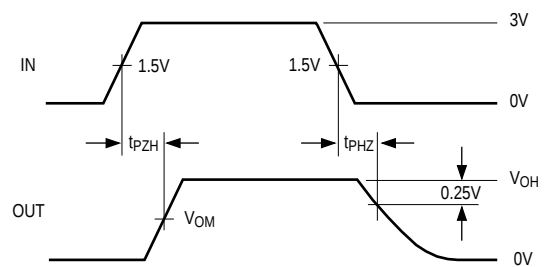
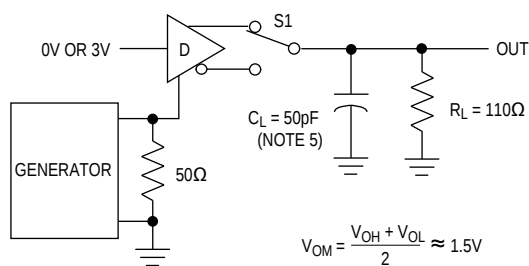




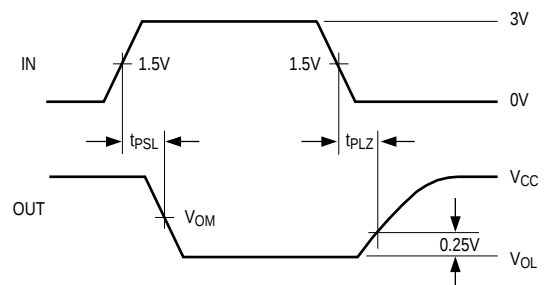
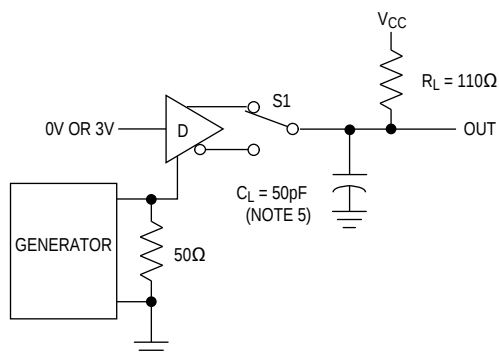
Driver Propagation Times



Driver Enable and Disable Times (tPZH, tPSH, tPHZ)

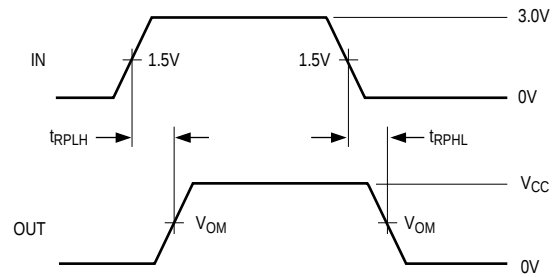
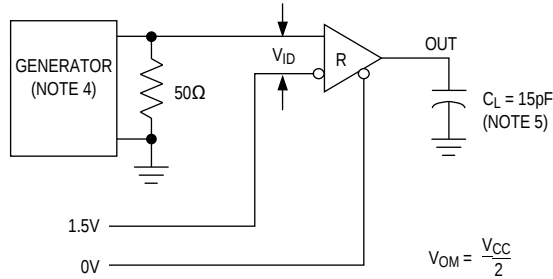


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Receiver Propagation Delay

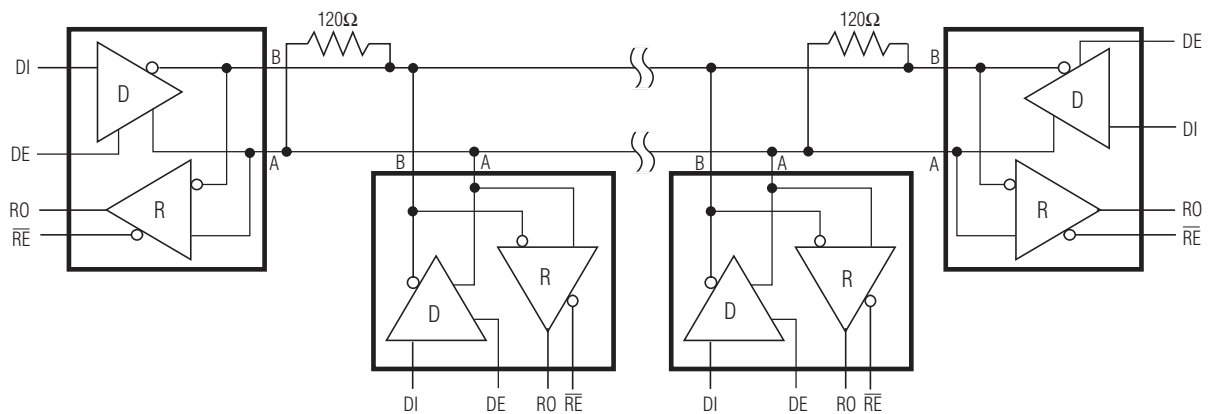


Typical Applications

The MAX3483E transceivers are designed for bidirectional data communications on multipoint bus transmission lines. The following figure show typical net-work applications circuits.

To minimize reflections, the line should be terminated at both ends in its characteristic impedance, and stub lengths off the main line should be kept as short as possible.

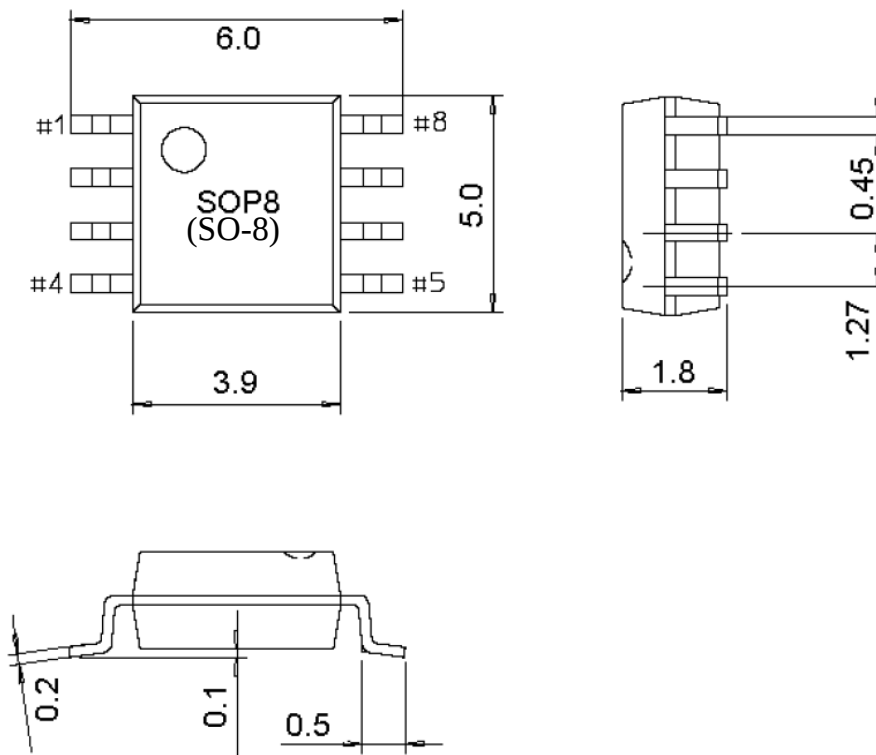
Typical Half-Duplex RS-485 Network





PACKAGE OUTLINE DIMENSIONS

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