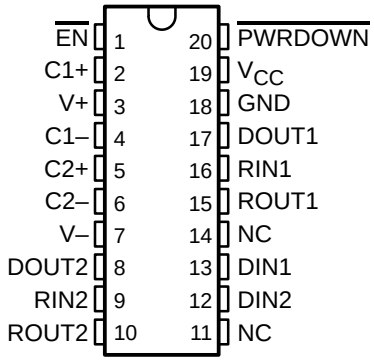
- **Meets or Exceeds the Requirements of TIA/EIA-232-F and ITU v.28 Standards**
- **Operates With 3-V to 5.5-V V_{CC} Supply**
- **Operates up to 250 kbit/s**
- **Two Drivers and Two Receivers**
- **Low Standby Current . . . 1 μA Typical**
- **External Capacitors . . . 4 × 0.1 μF**
- **Accepts 5-V Logic Input With 3.3-V Supply**
- **Designed to Be Interchangeable With Maxim MAX3222**
- **RS-232 Bus-Pin ESD Protection Exceeds ±15 kV Using Human-Body Model (HBM)**
- **Applications**
  - **Battery-Powered Systems, PDAs, Notebooks, Laptops, Palmtop PCs, and Hand-Held Equipment**

DB, DW, OR PW PACKAGE
(TOP VIEW)



NC – No internal connection

description/ordering information

The MAX3222 consists of two line drivers, two line receivers, and a dual charge-pump circuit with ±15-kV ESD protection pin to pin (serial-port connection pins, including GND). The device meets the requirements of TIA/EIA-232-F and provides the electrical interface between an asynchronous communication controller and the serial-port connector. The charge pump and four small external capacitors allow operation from a single 3-V to 5.5-V supply. The device operates at data signaling rates up to 250 kbit/s and a maximum of 30-V/μs driver output slew rate.

The MAX3222 can be placed in the power-down mode by setting $\overline{\text{PWRDOWN}}$ low, which draws only 1 μA from the power supply. When the device is powered down, the receivers remain active while the drivers are placed in the high-impedance state. Also, during power down, the onboard charge pump is disabled; V+ is lowered to V_{CC}, and V– is raised toward GND. Receiver outputs also can be placed in the high-impedance state by setting $\overline{\text{EN}}$ high.

ORDERING INFORMATION

T_A	PACKAGE†		ORDERABLE PART NUMBER	TOP-SIDE MARKING
–0°C to 70°C	SOIC (DW)	Tube	MAX3222CDW	MAX3222C
		Tape and reel	MAX3222CDWR	
	SSOP (DB)	Tape and reel	MAX3222CDBR	MA3222C
	TSSOP (PW)	Tape and reel	MAX3222CPWR	MA3222C
–40°C to 85°C	SOIC (DW)	Tube	MAX3222IDW	MAX3222I
		Tape and reel	MAX3222IDWR	
	SSOP (DB)	Tape and reel	MAX3222IDBR	MB3222I
	TSSOP (PW)	Tape and reel	MAX3222IPWR	MB3222I

† Package drawings, standard packing quantities, thermal data, symbolization, and PCB design guidelines are available at www.ti.com/sc/package.

Function Tables

EACH DRIVER

INPUTS		OUTPUT
DIN	$\overline{\text{PWRDOWN}}$	DOUT
X	L	Z
L	H	H
H	H	L

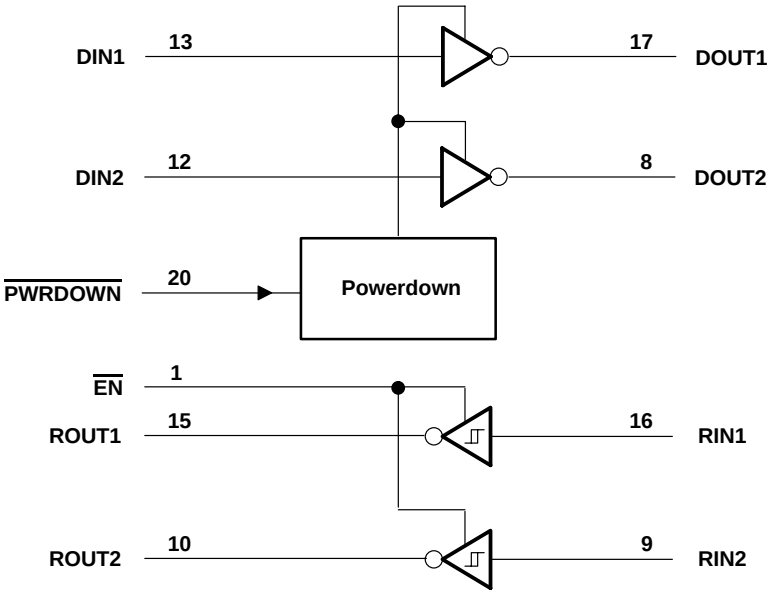
H = high level, L = low level, X = irrelevant, Z = high impedance

EACH RECEIVER

INPUTS		OUTPUT
RIN	$\overline{\text{EN}}$	ROUT
L	L	H
H	L	L
X	H	Z
Open	L	H

H = high level, L = low level, X = irrelevant, Z = high impedance (off), Open = input disconnected or connected driver off

logic diagram (positive logic)



absolute maximum ratings over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)†

Supply voltage range, V_{CC} (see Note 1) . . . . . –0.3 V to 6 V
Positive output supply voltage range, V+ (see Note 1) . . . . . –0.3 V to 7 V
Negative output supply voltage range, V– (see Note 1) . . . . . 0.3 V to –7 V
Supply voltage difference, V+ – V– (see Note 1) . . . . . 13 V
Input voltage range, V_I: Drivers, $\overline{EN}$, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$ . . . . . –0.3 V to 6 V
Receivers . . . . . –25 V to 25 V
Output voltage range, V_O: Drivers . . . . . –13.2 V to 13.2 V
Receivers . . . . . –0.3 V to V_{CC} + 0.3 V
Package thermal impedance, θ_{JA} (see Note 2): DB package . . . . . 70°C/W
DW package . . . . . 58°C/W
PW package . . . . . 83°C/W
Lead temperature 1,6 mm (1/16 inch) from case for 10 seconds . . . . . 260°C
Storage temperature range, T_{stg} . . . . . –65°C to 150°C

† Stresses beyond those listed under “absolute maximum ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under “recommended operating conditions” is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

NOTES: 1. All voltages are with respect to network GND.
2. The package thermal impedance is calculated in accordance with JESD 51-7.

recommended operating conditions (see Note 3 and Figure 5)

				MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
	Supply voltage	V_{CC} = 3.3 V		3	3.3	3.6	V
		V_{CC} = 5 V		4.5	5	5.5	
V_{IH}	Driver and control high-level input voltage	DIN, $\overline{EN}$, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$	V_{CC} = 3.3 V	2			V
			V_{CC} = 5 V	2.4			
V_{IL}	Driver and control low-level input voltage	DIN, $\overline{EN}$, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$				0.8	V
V_I	Driver and control input voltage	DIN, $\overline{EN}$, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$		0		5.5	V
V_I	Receiver input voltage			–25		25	V
T_A	Operating free-air temperature	MAX3222C		0		70	°C
		MAX3222I		–40		85	

NOTE 3: Test conditions are C1–C4 = 0.1 μF at V_{CC} = 3.3 V ± 0.3 V; C1 = 0.047 μF, C2–C4 = 0.33 μF at V_{CC} = 5 V ± 0.5 V.

electrical characteristics over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted) (see Note 3 and Figure 5)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP‡	MAX	UNIT
I_I	Input leakage current ($\overline{EN}$, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$)			±0.01	±1	μA
I_{CC}	Supply current	No load, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$ at V_{CC}		0.3	1	mA
	Supply current (powered off)	No load, $\overline{PWRDOWN}$ at GND		1	10	μA

‡ All typical values are at V_{CC} = 3.3 V or V_{CC} = 5 V, and T_A = 25°C.
NOTE 3: Test conditions are C1–C4 = 0.1 μF at V_{CC} = 3.3 V ± 0.3 V; C1 = 0.047 μF, C2–C4 = 0.33 μF at V_{CC} = 5 V ± 0.5 V.

DRIVER SECTION

electrical characteristics over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted) (see Note 3 and Figure 5)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP†	MAX	UNIT
V_{OH}	High-level output voltage	DOUT at R_L = 3 kΩ to GND,	DIN = GND	5	5.4		V
V_{OL}	Low-level output voltage	DOUT at R_L = 3 kΩ to GND,	DIN = V_{CC}	–5	–5.4		V
I_{IH}	High-level input current	$V_I = V_{CC}$			±0.01	±1	µA
I_{IL}	Low-level input current	V_I at GND			±0.01	±1	µA
I_{OS}	Short-circuit output current‡	V_{CC} = 3.6 V,	V_O = 0 V		±35	±60	mA
		V_{CC} = 5.5 V,	V_O = 0 V				
r_o	Output resistance	V_{CC}, V+, and V– = 0 V,	V_O = ±2 V	300	10M		Ω
I_{off}	Output leakage current	$\overline{\text{PWRDOWN}}$ = GND, V_{CC} = 0 to 5.5 V	V_O = ±12 V,			±25	mA

† All typical values are at V_{CC} = 3.3 V or V_{CC} = 5 V, and T_A = 25°C.
‡ Short-circuit durations should be controlled to prevent exceeding the device absolute power-dissipation ratings, and not more than one output should be shorted at a time.
NOTE 3: Test conditions are C1–C4 = 0.1 µF at V_{CC} = 3.3 V ± 0.3 V; C1 = 0.047 µF, C2–C4 = 0.33 µF at V_{CC} = 5 V ± 0.5 V.

switching characteristics over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted) (see Note 3 and Figure 5)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP†	MAX	UNIT
	Maximum data rate	C_L = 1000 pF, One DOUT switching,	R_L = 3 kΩ, See Figure 1	150	250		kbit/s
$t_{sk(p)}$	Pulse skew§	C_L = 150 pF to 2500 pF, See Figure 2	R_L = 3 kΩ to 7 kΩ,		300		ns
SR(tr)	Slew rate, transition region (See Figure 1)	R_L = 3 kΩ to 7 kΩ, V_{CC} = 3.3 V	C_L = 150 pF to 1000 pF	6		30	V/µs
			C_L = 150 pF to 2500 pF	4		30	

† All typical values are at V_{CC} = 3.3 V or V_{CC} = 5 V, and T_A = 25°C.
§ Pulse skew is defined as $|t_{PLH} - t_{PHL}|$ of each channel of the same device.
NOTE 3: Test conditions are C1–C4 = 0.1 µF at V_{CC} = 3.3 V ± 0.3 V; C1 = 0.047 µF, C2–C4 = 0.33 µF at V_{CC} = 5 V ± 0.5 V.

RECEIVER SECTION

electrical characteristics over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted) (see Note 3 and Figure 5)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP†	MAX	UNIT
V_{OH}	High-level output voltage	I_{OH} = –1 mA	V_{CC} – 0.6 V	V_{CC} – 0.1 V		V
V_{OL}	Low-level output voltage	I_{OL} = 1.6 mA			0.4	V
V_{IT+}	Positive-going input threshold voltage	V_{CC} = 3.3 V		1.5	2.4	V
		V_{CC} = 5 V		1.8	2.4	
$V_{IT–}$	Negative-going input threshold voltage	V_{CC} = 3.3 V	0.6	1.2		V
		V_{CC} = 5 V	0.8	1.5		
V_{hys}	Input hysteresis ($V_{IT+} – V_{IT–}$)			0.3		V
I_{off}	Output leakage current	$\overline{EN}$ = V_{CC}		±0.05	±10	µA
r_i	Input resistance	V_I = ±3 V to ±25 V	3	5	7	kΩ

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switching characteristics over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted) (see Note 3)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP†	MAX	UNIT
t_{PLH}	Propagation delay time, low- to high-level output	C_L = 150 pF, See Figure 3		300		ns
t_{PHL}	Propagation delay time, high- to low-level output	C_L= 150 pF, See Figure 3		300		ns
t_{en}	Output enable time	C_L= 150 pF, R_L = 3 kΩ, See Figure 4		200		ns
t_{dis}	Output disable time	C_L= 150 pF, R_L = 3 kΩ, See Figure 4		200		ns
$t_{sk(p)}$	Pulse skew‡	See Figure 3		300		ns

† All typical values are at V_{CC} = 3.3 V or V_{CC} = 5 V, and T_A = 25°C.
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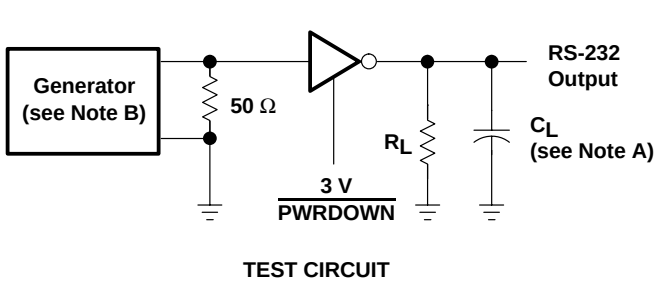

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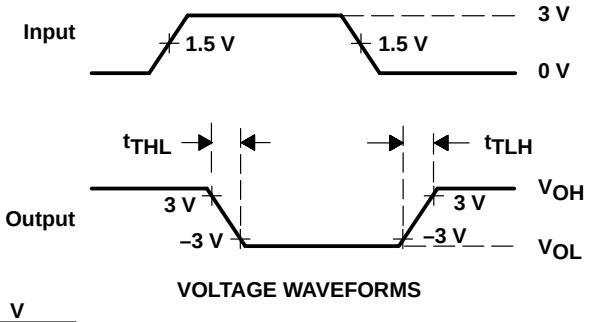
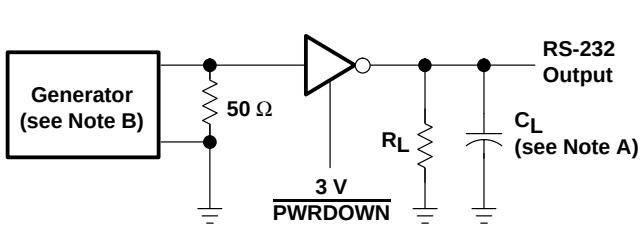


VOLTAGE WAVEFORMS

$$SR(tr) = \frac{6\ V}{t_{THL}\ \text{or}\ t_{TLH}}$$

NOTES: A. C_L includes probe and jig capacitance.
B. The pulse generator has the following characteristics: PRR = 250 kbit/s, Z_O = 50 Ω, 50% duty cycle, $t_r \le 10$ ns, $t_f \le 10$ ns.

Figure 1. Driver Slew Rate



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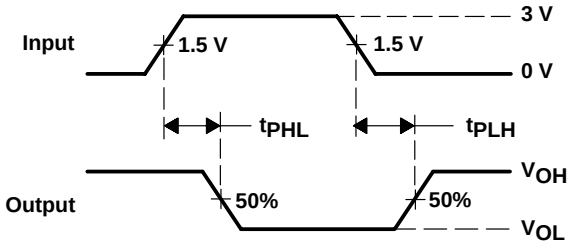

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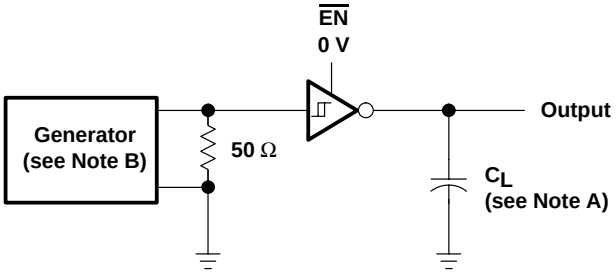
Figure 2. Driver Pulse Skew



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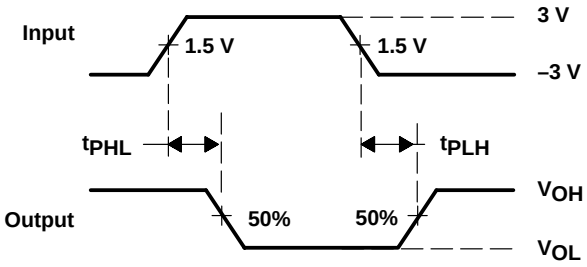
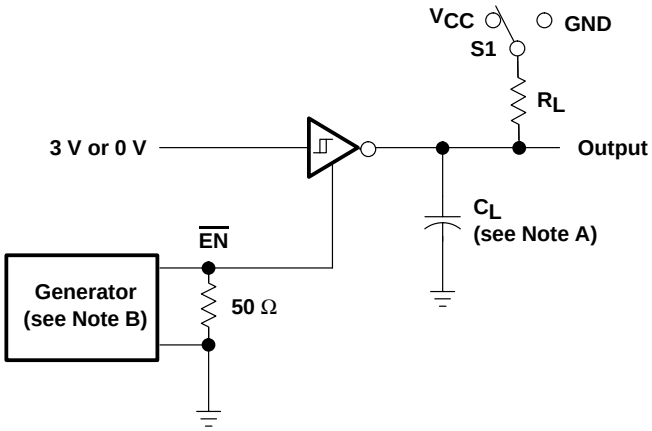


VOLTAGE WAVEFORMS

NOTES: A. C_L includes probe and jig capacitance.
B. The pulse generator has the following characteristics: Z_O = 50 Ω, 50% duty cycle, $t_r \le 10$ ns, $t_f \le 10$ ns.

Figure 3. Receiver Propagation Delay Times

PARAMETER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION



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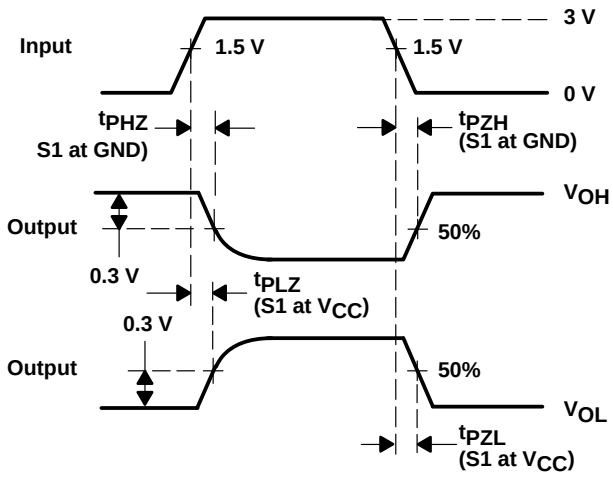

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NOTES: A. C_L includes probe and jig capacitance.
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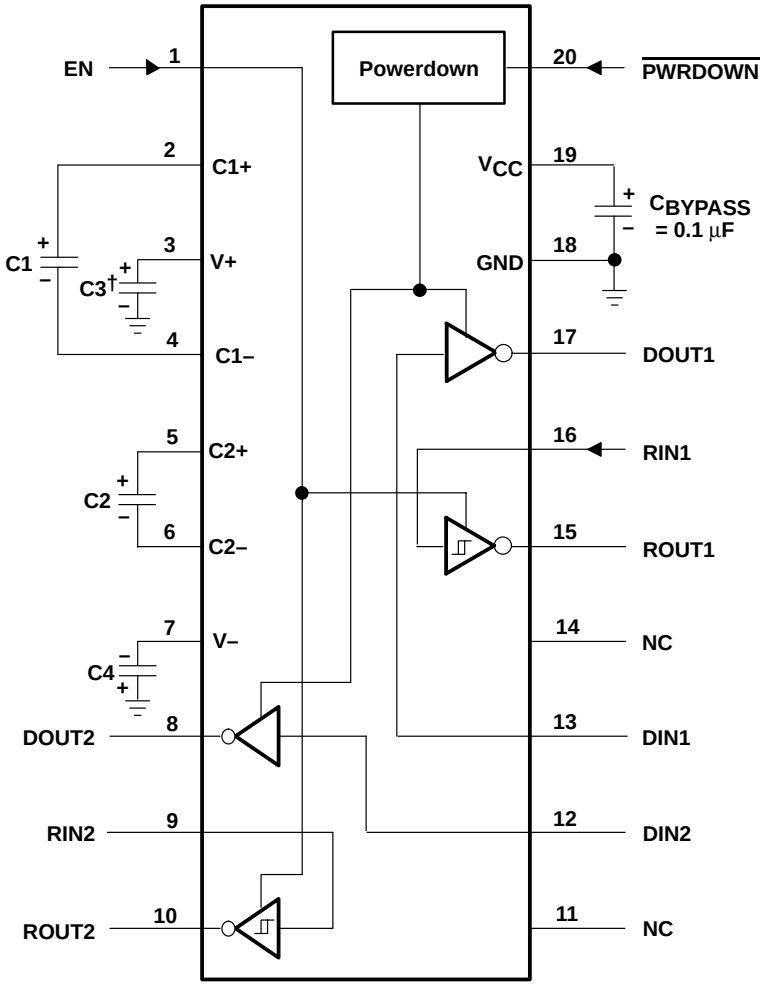
Figure 4. Receiver Enable and Disable Times

APPLICATION INFORMATION



† C3 can be connected to V_{CC} or GND.

NOTES: A. Resistor values shown are nominal.
B. NC – No internal connection.

V_{CC} vs CAPACITOR VALUES

V_{CC}	C1	C2, C3, and C4
3.3 V ± 0.3 V	0.1 μF	0.1 μF
5 V ± 0.5 V	0.047 μF	0.33 μF
3 V to 5.5 V	0.1 μF	0.47 μF

Figure 5. Typical Operating Circuit and Capacitor Values

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