

+5V-Powered, Multichannel RS-232 Drivers/Receivers

General Description

The MAX220–MAX249 family of line drivers/receivers is intended for all EIA/TIA-232E and V.28/V.24 communications interfaces, particularly applications where ±12V is not available.

These parts are especially useful in battery-powered systems, since their low-power shutdown mode reduces power dissipation to less than 5µW. The MAX225, MAX233, MAX235, and MAX245/MAX246/MAX247 use no external components and are recommended for applications where printed circuit board space is critical.

Applications

Portable Computers
Low-Power Modems
Interface Translation
Battery-Powered RS-232 Systems
Multidrop RS-232 Networks

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Next-Generation Device Features

- ♦ For Low-Voltage, Integrated ESD Applications MAX3222E/MAX3232E/MAX3237E/MAX3241E/ MAX3246E: +3.0V to +5.5V, Low-Power, Up to 1Mbps, True RS-232 Transceivers Using Four 0.1μF External Capacitors (MAX3246E Available in a UCSP™ Package)
- ♦ For Low-Cost Applications
 MAX221E: ±15kV ESD-Protected, +5V, 1μA,
 Single RS-232 Transceiver with AutoShutdown™

Ordering Information

PART	TEMP RANGE	PIN-PACKAGE
MAX220CPE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX220CSE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX220CWE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Wide SO
MAX220C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX220EPE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX220ESE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX220EWE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Wide SO
MAX220EJE	-40°C to +85°C	16 CERDIP
MAX220MJE	-55°C to +125°C	16 CERDIP

⁺Denotes a lead(Pb)-free/RoHS-compliant package.

Ordering Information continued at end of data sheet.

Selection Table

Dont	Power	No. of	No. of	Nominal	SHDN	Rx	D.1. D.1.	
Part Number	Supply (V)	RS-232 Drivers/Rx	No. of Ext. Caps	Cap. Value (µF)	& Three- State	Active in SHDN	Data Rate (kbps)	Features
MAX220	+5	2/2	A Caps	0.047/0.33	No	—	120	Ultra-low-power, industry-standard pinout
MAX222	+5	2/2	4	0.047/0.33	Yes		200	
			-					Low-power shutdown
MAX223 (MAX213)	+5	4/5	4	1.0 (0.1)	Yes	~	120	MAX241 and receivers active in shutdown
MAX225	+5	5/5	0		Yes	✓	120	Available in SO
MAX230 (MAX200)		5/0	4	1.0 (0.1)	Yes	_	120	5 drivers with shutdown
MAX231 (MAX201)		2/2	2	1.0 (0.1)	No	_	120	Standard +5/+12V or battery supplies;
	+7.5 to +13.2							same functions as MAX232
MAX232 (MAX202)	+5	2/2	4	1.0 (0.1)	No	_	120 (64)	Industry standard
MAX232A	+5	2/2	4	0.1	No	_	200	Higher slew rate, small caps
MAX233 (MAX203)	+5	2/2	0	_	No	_	120	No external caps
MAX233A	+5	2/2	0	_	No	_	200	No external caps, high slew rate
MAX234 (MAX204)	+5	4/0	4	1.0 (0.1)	No	_	120	Replaces 1488
MAX235 (MAX205)	+5	5/5	0	_	Yes	_	120	No external caps
MAX236 (MAX206)	+5	4/3	4	1.0 (0.1)	Yes	_	120	Shutdown, three state
MAX237 (MAX207)	+5	5/3	4	1.0 (0.1)	No	_	120	Complements IBM PC serial port
MAX238 (MAX208)	+5	4/4	4	1.0 (0.1)	No	_	120	Replaces 1488 and 1489
MAX239 (MAX209)	+5 and	3/5	2	1.0 (0.1)	No	_	120	Standard +5/+12V or battery supplies;
,	+7.5 to +13.2			, ,				single-package solution for IBM PC serial port
MAX240	+5	5/5	4	1.0	Yes	_	120	DIP or flatpack package
MAX241 (MAX211)	+5	4/5	4	1.0 (0.1)	Yes	_	120	Complete IBM PC serial port
MAX242	+5	2/2	4	0.1	Yes	~	200	Separate shutdown and enable
MAX243	+5	2/2	4	0.1	No	_	200	Open-line detection simplifies cabling
MAX244	+5	8/10	4	1.0	No		120	High slew rate
MAX245	+5	8/10	0	_	Yes	~	120	High slew rate, int. caps, two shutdown modes
MAX246	+5	8/10	0	_	Yes	~	120	High slew rate, int. caps, three shutdown modes
MAX247	+5	8/9	0	_	Yes	~	120	High slew rate, int. caps, nine operating modes
MAX248	+5	8/8	4	1.0	Yes	~	120	High slew rate, selective half-chip enables
MAX249	+5	6/10	4	1.0	Yes	/	120	Available in quad flatpack package

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^{*}Contact factory for dice specifications.

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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS—MAX220/222/232A/233A/242/243

(Voltages referenced to GND.)	16-Pin Narrow SO (derate 8.70mW/°C above +70°C)696mW
V _{CC} 0.3V to +6V	16-Pin Wide SO (derate 9.52mW/°C above +70°C)762mW
V+ (Note 1)(V _{CC} - 0.3V) to +14V	18-Pin Wide SO (derate 9.52mW/°C above +70°C)762mW
V- (Note 1)+0.3V to -14V	20-Pin Wide SO (derate 10.00mW/°C above +70°C)800mW
Input Voltages	20-Pin SSOP (derate 8.00mW/°C above +70°C)640mW
TIN0.3V to (V _{CC} - 0.3V)	16-Pin CERDIP (derate 10.00mW/°C above +70°C)800mW
RIN (Except MAX220)±30V	18-Pin CERDIP (derate 10.53mW/°C above +70°C)842mW
RIN (MAX220)±25V	Operating Temperature Ranges
TOUT (Except MAX220) (Note 2)±15V	MAX2AC, MAX2C0°C to +70°C
TOUT (MAX220)±13.2V	MAX2AE, MAX2E40°C to +85°C
Output Voltages	MAX2AM, MAX2M55°C to +125°C
TOUT±15V	Storage Temperature Range65°C to +160°C
ROUT0.3V to (V _{CC} + 0.3V)	Lead Temperature (soldering, 10s)+300°C
Driver/Receiver Output Short Circuited to GNDContinuous	Soldering Temperature (reflow)
Continuous Power Dissipation ($T_A = +70^{\circ}C$)	20 PDĬP (P20M+1)+225°C
16-Pin Plastic DIP (derate 10.53mW/°C above +70°C)842mW	All other lead(Pb)-free packages+260°C
18-Pin Plastic DIP (derate 11.11mW/°C above +70°C)889mW	All other packages containing lead(Pb)+240°C
20-Pin Plastic DIP (derate 8.00mW/°C above +70°C)440mW	

Note 1: For the MAX220, V+ and V- can have a maximum magnitude of 7V, but their absolute difference cannot exceed 13V. **Note 2:** Input voltage measured with TOUT in high-impedance state, $V_{\overline{SHDN}}$ or $V_{CC} = 0V$.

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX220/222/232A/233A/242/243

 $(V_{CC} = +5V \pm 10\%, C1-C4 = 0.1\mu F, MAX220, C1 = 0.047\mu F, C2-C4 = 0.33\mu F, T_A = T_{MIN}$ to T_{MAX} , unless otherwise noted.) (Note 3)

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
RS-232 TRANSMITTERS			•			•
Output Voltage Swing	All transmitter outpu	uts loaded with 3kΩ to GND	±5	±8		V
Input Logic-Low Voltage				1.4	0.8	V
Input Logic-High Voltage	All devices except	MAX220	2	1.4		V
input Logic-High Voltage	MAX220: V _{CC} = +5.	0V	2.4			V
	All except MAX220	, normal operation		5	40	
Logic Pullup/Input Current	VSHDN = 0V, MAX22 MAX220	22/MAX242, shutdown,		±0.01	±1	μΑ
Output Leakage Current	$V_{CC} = +5.5V$, $V_{SHDN} = 0V$, $V_{OUT} = \pm 15V$, $MAX222/MAX242$			±0.01	±10	
	N/- N/- OV	V _{OUT} = ±15V		±0.01	±10	μΑ
	$V_{CC} = V_{\overline{SHDN}} = 0V$	MAX220, V _{OUT} = ±12V			±25	
Data Rate				200	116	kbps
Transmitter Output Resistance	$V_{CC} = V + = V - = 0V$, V _{OUT} = ±2V	300	10M		Ω
Output Short-Circuit Current	VOUT = 0V	V _{OUT} = 0V	±7	±22		mA
Output Short-Circuit Current	V()() = 0V	MAX220			±60	IIIA
RS-232 RECEIVERS						
RS-232 Input Voltage Operating Range					±30	V
113-232 input voltage Operating Hange		MAX220			±25	V
RS-232 Input Threshold Low	V _{CC} = +5V	All except MAX243 R2IN	0.8	1.3		V
110-202 IIIput IIIIesiloid Low	VUU = +3V	MAX243 R2IN (Note 4)	-3			V
RS-232 Input Threshold High	Vcc = +5V	All except MAX243 R2IN		1.8	2.4	V
110-202 IIIput Hilesilolu High	VCC - +3V	MAX243 R2IN (Note 4)		-0.5	-0.1	1 V

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX220/222/232A/233A/242/243 (continued)

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PARAMETER		CC	ONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	
DC 000 lanut livator:-	All except MAX220/MAX243, V _{CC} = +5V, no hysteresis in shutdown			0.2	0.5	1.0	.,	
RS-232 Input Hysteresis	MAX220				0.3		V	
	MAX243				1			
DC 020 Input Decistance	T 25°C (A	44V00	20)	3	5	7	kΩ	
RS-232 Input Resistance	$T_A = +25^{\circ}C$ (N	//A/\ZZ	20)	3	5	7	K12	
TTL/CMOS Output Voltage Low	I _{OUT} = 3.2mA				0.2	0.4	V	
TTL/CIVIOS Output Voltage Low	$I_{OUT} = 1.6 \text{mA}$	(MAX	220)			0.4	V	
TTL/CMOS Output Voltage High	I _{OUT} = -1.0mA	ı		3.5	V _C C - 0.	2	V	
TTL/CMOS Output Short-Circuit Current	Sourcing Vout	= VG	iND	-2	-10		mA	
Trigorios output onort official outrent	Sinking Vout	= Vcc		10	30		1117 \	
TTL/CMOS Output Leakage Current	VSHDN = VCC (MAX222), 0V <		$T = V_{CC} (V_{\overline{SHDN}} = 0V)$ for $T \le V_{CC}$		±0.05	±10	μΑ	
EN Input Threshold Low	MAX242				1.4	0.8	V	
EN Input Threshold High	MAX242			2.0	1.4		V	
Supply Voltage Range				4.5		5.5	V	
V _{CC} Supply Current (V _{SHDN} = V _{CC}), Figures 5, 6, 11, 19	MA		(220		0.5	2		
	No load	1	X222/MAX232A/MAX233A/ X242/MAX243		4	10		
	3kΩ load both inputs MAX220 MAX222/MAX232A/MAX233A/ MAX242/MAX243		(220		12		mA	
					15			
		T _A =	= +25°C		0.1	10		
	MAX222/	$T_A = 0$ °C to +70°C			2	50		
Shutdown Supply Current	· —		$T_A = -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +85^{\circ}C$		2	50	μΑ	
		T _A =	= -55°C to +125°C		35	100	1	
SHDN Input Leakage Current	MAX222/MAX	242				±1	μΑ	
SHDN Threshold Low	MAX222/MAX	242			1.4	0.8	V	
SHDN Threshold High	MAX222/MAX	242		2.0	1.4		V	
Transition Slaw Rata	$C_L = 50$ pF to 25 $R_L = 3$ k Ω to 71 $V_{CC} = +5$ V, TA	kΩ, . =	MAX222/MAX232A/ MAX233/MAX242/MAX243	6	12	30	V/µs	
Transition Slew Rate	+25°C, measured from +3V to -3V or -3V to +3V		MAX220	1.5	3	30.0	ν/μ5	
	t _{PHLT} , Figure 1		MAX222/MAX232A/ MAX233/MAX242/MAX243		1.3	3.5		
Transmitter Propagation Delay TLL to			MAX220		4	10	μs	
RS-232 (Normal Operation)	t _{PLHT} , Figure 1		MAX222/MAX232A/ MAX233/MAX242/MAX243		1.5	3.5	μο	
			MAX220		5	10	1	

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX220/222/232A/233A/242/243 (continued)

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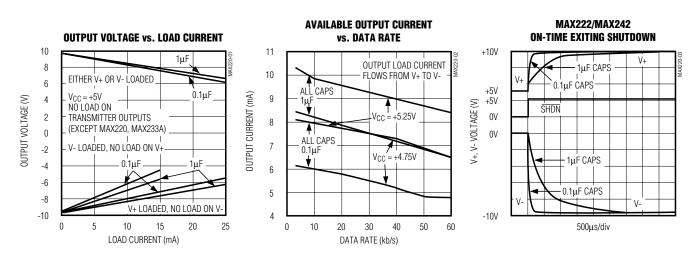
PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Receiver Propagation Delay RS-232 to TLL (Normal Operation)	t _{PHLR} , Figure 2	MAX222/MAX232A/MAX233/ MAX242/MAX243		0.5	1	
		MAX220		0.6	3	
	t _{PLHR} , Figure 2	MAX222/MAX232A/MAX233/ MAX242/MAX243		0.6	1	μs
		MAX220		0.8	3	
Receiver Propagation Delay RS-232 to	t _{PHLS} , Figure 2	MAX242		0.5	10	0
TLL (Shutdown)	t _{PHLS} , Figure 2	MAX242		2.5	10	μs
Receiver-Output Enable Time	ter	MAX242, Figure 3		125	500	ns
Receiver-Output Disable Time	t _{DR}	MAX242, Figure 3		160	500	ns
Transmitter-Output Enable Time (SHDN Goes High)	t _{ET}	MAX222/MAX242, 0.1μF caps (includes charge-pump start-up), Figure 4		250		μs
Transmitter-Output Disable Time (SHDN Goes Low)	t _{DT}	MAX222/MAX242, 0.1µF caps, Figure 4		600		ns
Transmitter + to - Propagation Delay Difference (Normal Operation)	tphlt - tplht	MAX222/MAX232A/MAX233/ MAX242/MAX243		300		ns
Difference (Normal Operation)		MAX220		2000		
Receiver + to - Propagation Delay Difference (Normal Operation)	tphlr - tplhr	MAX222/MAX232A/MAX233/ MAX242/MAX243		100		ns
Difference (Normal Operation)		MAX220		225		

Note 3: All units are production tested at hot. Specifications over temperature are guaranteed by design.

Note 4: MAX243 R2OUT is guaranteed to be low when R2IN ≥ 0V or is unconnected.

_Typical Operating Characteristics

MAX220/MAX222/MAX232A/MAX233A/MAX242/MAX243



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS—MAX223/MAX230-MAX241

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX223/MAX230-MAX241

 $(MAX223/230/232/234/236/237/238/240/241,\ V_{CC} = +5V\ \pm 10\%;\ MAX233/MAX235,\ V_{CC} = +5V\ \pm 5\%,\ C1-C4 = 1.0\mu F;\ MAX231/MAX239,\ V_{CC} = +5V\ \pm 10\%;\ V_{+} = +7.5V\ to\ +13.2V;\ T_{A} = T_{MIN}\ to\ T_{MAX};\ unless\ otherwise\ noted.)\ (Note\ 5)$

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	
Output Voltage Swing	All transmitter	All transmitter outputs loaded with $3k\Omega$ to ground		±7.3		V	
		MAX232/233		5	10		
V _{CC} Supply Current		MAX223/230/234-238/240/241		7	15	mA	
Output Voltage Swing All transmitted No load, TA = +25°C V+ Supply Current Shutdown Supply Current TA = +25°C TIN, EN, SH TIN Input Logic-High Voltage EN, SHDN (MAX231/239		0.4	1	1		
V. Supply Current		MAX231		1.8	5	mA	
v+ Supply Current		MAX239		5	15	mA	
Shutdown Supply Current	Shutdown Supply Current TA = +25°C	MAX223		15	50	μA	
Shutdown Supply Current		MAX230/235/236/240/241		1	10	μA	
Input Logic-Low Voltage	TIN, EN, SHD	N (MAX233); EN, SHDN (MAX230/235–241)			0.8	V	
	TIN		2.0				
		AX223); AX230/235/236/240/241)	2.4			V	
Logic Pullup Current	V _{TIN} = 0V			1.5	200	μΑ	
Receiver Input Voltage Operating Range			-30		+30	V	

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX223/MAX230-MAX241 (continued)

 $(MAX223/230/232/234/236/237/238/240/241,\ V_{CC} = +5V\ \pm 10\%;\ MAX233/MAX235,\ V_{CC} = +5V\ \pm 5\%,\ C1-C4 = 1.0\mu F;\ MAX231/MAX239,\ V_{CC} = +5V\ \pm 10\%;\ V_{+} = +7.5V\ to\ +13.2V;\ T_{A} = T_{MIN}\ to\ T_{MAX};\ unless\ otherwise\ noted.)\ (Note\ 5)$

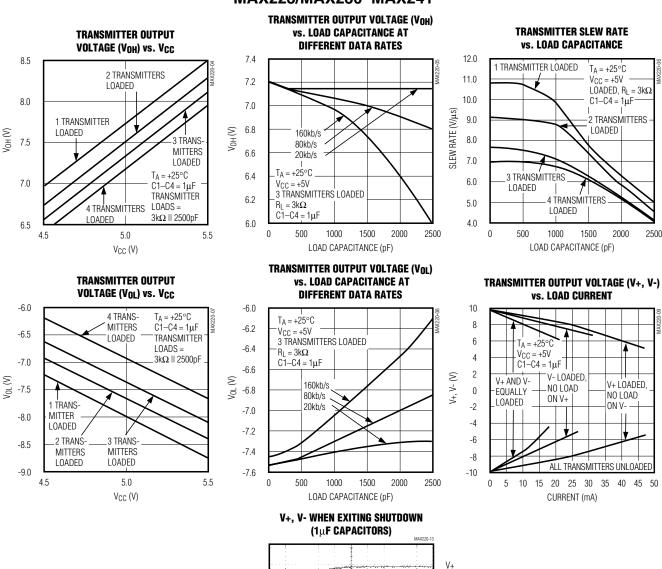
PARAMETER		CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
RS-232 Input Logic-Low Voltage	T _A = +25°C,	Normal operation $V_{\overline{SHDN}} = +5V \text{ (MAX223)}$ $V_{SHDN} = 0V \text{ (MAX235/236/240/241)}$		0.8	1.2		V
110-202 input Logic-Low Voltage	V _{CC} = +5V	Shutdown (MAX22 VSHDN = 0V, VEN = +5V (R4IN	,	0.6	1.5		V
DS 222 Input Logic High Voltage	T _A = +25°C,	Normal operation VSHDN = 5V (MA VSHDN = 0V (MA	.X223) .X235/236/240/241)		1.7	2.4	V
RS-232 Input Logic-High Voltage	V _{CC} = +5V	Shutdown (MAX22 VSHDN = 0V, VEN = +5V (R4IN	,		1.5	2.4	V
RS-232 Input Hysteresis	$V_{CC} = +5V$, no hy	ysteresis in shutdow	'n	0.2	0.5	1.0	V
RS-232 Input Resistance	T _A = +25°C, V _{CC} = +5V			3	5	7	kΩ
TTL/CMOS Output Voltage Low	I _{OUT} = 1.6mA (MAX231/232/233, I _{OUT} = 3.2mA)					0.4	V
TTL/CMOS Output Voltage High	I _{OUT} = -1mA			3.5	V _C C - 0.4		V
TTL/CMOS Output Leakage Current	$0V \le R_{OUT} \le V_{CC}; V_{EN} = 0V \text{ (MAX223)}; V_{EN} = V_{CC} \text{ (MAX235-241)}$				±0.05	±10	μΑ
Pagaivar Output Enable Time	Normal MAX223				600		no
Receiver Output Enable Time	operation	MAX235/236/239/240/241			400		ns
Receiver Output Disable Time	Normal	MAX223			900		- ns
Theceiver Output Disable Time	operation	MAX235/236/239/2	240/241		250		115
	RS-232 IN to	Normal operation			0.5	10	
Propagation Delay	TTL/CMOS OUT,	V _{SHDN} = 0V	tphls		4	40	μs
	$C_L = 150pF$	(MAX223)	tplhs		6	40	1
Transition Pagion Claw Pate	MAX223/MAX230/MAX234–241, T _A = +25°C, V _{CC} = +5V, R _L = $3k\Omega$ to $7k\Omega$, C _L = $50pF$ to $2500pF$, measured from +3V to -3V or -3V to +3V			3	5.1	30	M
Transition Region Slew Rate	MAX231/MAX232/MAX233, T _A = +25°C, V _{CC} = +5V, R _L = $3k\Omega$ to $7k\Omega$, C _L = $50pF$ to $2500pF$, measured from +3V to -3V or -3V to +3V				4	30	- V/μs
Transmitter Output Resistance	V _C C = V+ = V- =	$0V, V_{OUT} = \pm 2V$		300			Ω
Transmitter Output Short-Circuit Current					±10		mA

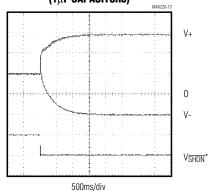
Note 5: All units are production tested at hot except for the MAX240, which is production tested at T_A = +25°C. Specifications over temperature are guaranteed by design.

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Typical Operating Characteristics

MAX223/MAX230-MAX241





^{*}SHUTDOWN POLARITY IS REVERSED

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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS—MAX225/MAX244-MAX249

(Voltages referenced to GND.) Supply Voltage (V _{CC})0.3V to +6V Input Voltages	Continuous Power Dissipation (T _A = +70°C) 28-Pin Wide SO (derate 12.50mW/°C above +70°C)1W 40-Pin Plastic DIP (derate 11.11mW/°C above +70°C)611mW
TIN, ENA, ENB, ENR, ENT, ENRA,	44-Pin PLCC (derate 13.33mW/°C above +70°C)1.07W
ENRB, ENTA, ENTB0.3V to (V _{CC} + 0.3V)	Operating Temperature Ranges
RIN±25V	MAX225C, MAX24_C0°C to +70°C
TOUT (Note 6)±15V	MAX225E, MAX24_E40°C to +85°C
ROUT0.3V to (V _{CC} + 0.3V)	Storage Temperature Range65°C to +160°C
Short Circuit Duration (one output at a time)	Lead Temperature (soldering, 10s))+300°C
TOUT to GNDContinuous	Soldering Temperature (reflow)
ROUT to GNDContinuous	40 PDIP (P40M-2)+225°C
	All other lead(Pb)-free packages+260°C
	All other packages containing lead(Pb)+240°C

Note 6: Input voltage measured with transmitter output in a high-impedance state, shutdown, or V_{CC} = 0V.

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX225/MAX244–MAX249

(MAX225, V_{CC} = +5.0V ±5%; MAX244–MAX249, V_{CC} = +5.0V ±10%, external capacitors C1–C4 = 1 μ F; TA = T_{MIN} to T_{MAX}; unless otherwise noted.) (Note 7)

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
RS-232 TRANSMITTERS	1					
Input Logic-Low Voltage				1.4	0.8	V
Input Logic-High Voltage			2	1.4		V
Logio Dullun/Innut Current	Tables 1a-1d	Normal operation		10	50	
Logic Pullup/Input Current	Tables Ta-Tu	Shutdown		±0.01	±1	μΑ
Data Rate	Tables 1a-1d, r	normal operation		120	64	kbps
Output Voltage Swing	All transmitter o	utputs loaded with 3kΩ to GND	±5	±7.5		V
Output Leakage Current (Shutdown)	T-1-1 4- 4-1	VENA, VENB, VENT, VENTA, VENTB = VCC, VOUT = ±15V		±0.01	±25	^
	Tables 1a-1d	V _{CC} = 0V, V _{OUT} = ±15V		±0.01	±25	μΑ
Transmitter Output Resistance	V _{CC} = V+ = V- = 0V, V _{OUT} = ±2V (Note 8)		300	10M		Ω
Output Short-Circuit Current	V _{OUT} = 0V		±7	±30		mA
RS-232 RECEIVERS						
RS-232 Input Voltage Operating Range					±25	V
RS-232 Input Logic-Low Voltage	$V_{CC} = +5V$		0.8	1.3		V
RS-232 Input Logic-High Voltage	$V_{CC} = +5V$			1.8	2.4	V
RS-232 Input Hysteresis	$V_{CC} = +5V$		0.2	0.5	1.0	V
RS-232 Input Resistance			3	5	7	kΩ
TTL/CMOS Output Voltage Low	$I_{OUT} = 3.2 mA$			0.2	0.4	V
TTL/CMOS Output Voltage High	I _{OUT} = -1.0mA		3.5	Vcc - 0.2		V
TTI (ON OCC O) to a to Chart Circuit Comment	Sourcing Vout = VGND		-2	-10		A
TTL/CMOS Output Short-Circuit Current	Sinking Vout =	· VCC	10	30		mA
TTL/CMOS Output Leakage Current		on, outputs disabled, 0V ≤ V _{OUT} ≤ V _{CC} , V <u>ENR</u> = V _{CC}		±0.05	±0.10	μА

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS—MAX225/MAX244–MAX249 (continued)

(MAX225, V_{CC} = +5.0V ±5%; MAX244–MAX249, V_{CC} = +5.0V ±10%, external capacitors C1–C4 = 1 μ F; T_A = T_{MIN} to T_{MAX} ; unless otherwise noted.) (Note 7)

PARAMETER		CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
POWER SUPPLY AND CONTROL LO	GIC					•
Cumply Voltage Denge		MAX225	4.75		5.25	V
Supply Voltage Range		MAX244-MAX249	4.5		5.5	1 V
	Nelsed	MAX225		10	20	
V _{CC} Supply Current	No load	MAX244-MAX249		11	30	
(Normal Operation)	3kΩ loads on	MAX225		40		- mA
	all outputs	MAX244-MAX249		57		
Charteleura Campha Carrent	T _A = +25°C			8	25	
Shutdown Supply Current	$T_A = T_{MIN}$ to T_1	MAX			50	μA
	Leakage curre	nt			±1	μΑ
Control Input	Logic-low volta	ge		1.4	0.8	V
	Logic-high volt	age	2.4	1.4]
AC CHARACTERISTICS	-					1
Transition Slew Rate		C_L = 50pF to 2500pF, R_L = 3k Ω to 7k Ω , V_{CC} = +5V, T_A = +25°C, measured from +3V to -3V or -3V to +3V			30	V/µs
Transmitter Propagation Delay	t _{PHLT} , Figure 1			1.3	3.5	
TLL to RS-232 (Normal Operation)	t _{PLHT} , Figure 1			1.5	3.5	μs
Receiver Propagation Delay	t _{PHLR} , Figure 2		0.6	1.5		
TLL to RS-232 (Normal Operation)	t _{PLHR} , Figure 2			0.6	1.5	- µs
Receiver Propagation Delay	t _{PHLS} , Figure 2		0.6	10		
TLL to RS-232 (Low-Power Mode)	tpLHS, Figure 2			3.0	10	μs
Transmitter + to - Propagation Delay Difference (Normal Operation)	tPHLT - tPLHT			350		ns
Receiver + to - Propagation Delay Difference (Normal Operation)	tPHLR - tPLHR			350		ns
Receiver-Output Enable Time	t _{ER} , Figure 3			100	500	ns
Receiver-Output Disable Time	t _{DR} , Figure 3			100	500	ns
Transmitter Enable Time	ter	MAX246-MAX249 (excludes charge-pump startup)		5		μs
Transmitter Enable Time	tet	MAX225/MAX245–MAX249 (includes charge-pump startup)		10	r	
Transmitter Disable Time	t _{DT} , Figure 4			100		ns

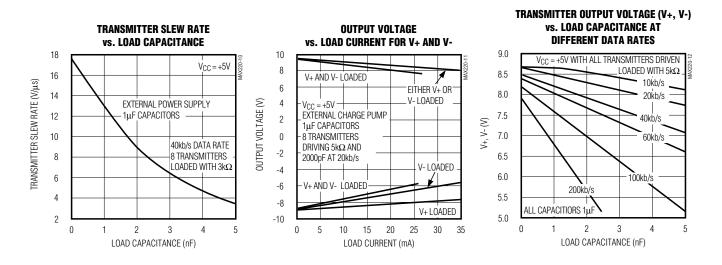
Note 7: All units production tested at hot. Specifications over temperature are guaranteed by design.

Note 8: The 300Ω minimum specification complies with EIA/TIA-232E, but the actual resistance when in shutdown mode or $V_{CC} = 0$ V is $10M\Omega$ as is implied by the leakage specification.

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Test Circuits/Timing Diagrams

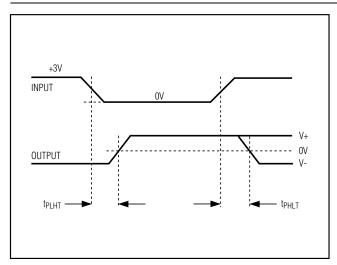


Figure 1. Transmitter Propagation-Delay Timing

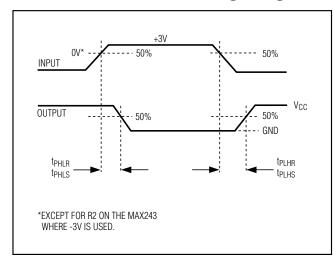


Figure 2. Receiver Propagation-Delay Timing

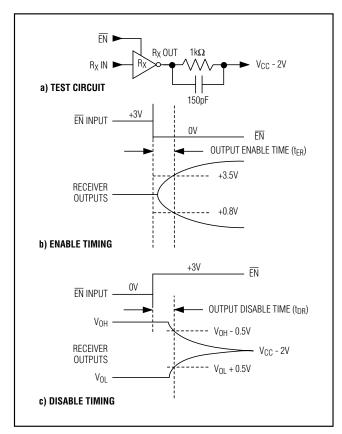


Figure 3. Receiver-Output Enable and Disable Timing

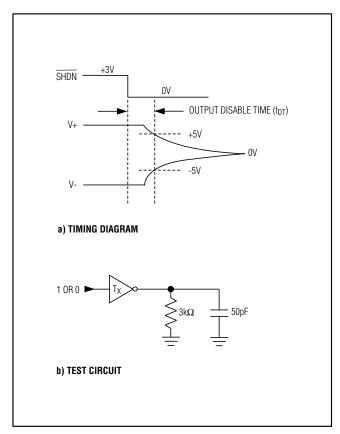


Figure 4. Transmitter-Output Disable Timing

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_____Control Pin Configuration Tables

Table 1a. MAX245 Control Pin Configurations

ENT	ENR	OPERATION STATUS	TRANSMITTERS	RECEIVERS
0	0	Normal Operation	All Active	All Active
0	1	Normal Operation	All Active	All High-Z
1	0	Shutdown	All High-Z	All Low-Power Receive Mode
1	1	Shutdown	All High-Z	All High-Z

Table 1b. MAX245 Control Pin Configurations

ENT	ENR	OPERATION	TRANSMITTERS		RECEIVERS	
EINI	ENN	STATUS	TA1-TA4	TB1-TB4	RA1-RA5	RB1-RB5
0	0	Normal Operation	All Active	All Active	All Active	All Active
0	1	Normal Operation	All Active	All Active	RA1-RA4 High-Z, RA5 Active	RB1-RB4 High-Z, RB5 Active
1	0	Shutdown	All High-Z	All High-Z	All Low-Power Receive Mode	All Low-Power Receive Mode
1	1	Shutdown	All High-Z	All High-Z	RA1-RA4 High-Z, RA5 Low-Power Receive Mode	RB1–RB4 High-Z, RB5 Low-Power Receive Mode

Table 1c. MAX246 Control Pin Configurations

ĒNĀ	ENB	OPERATION	TRANSMITTERS		RECE	IVERS
ENA	END	STATUS	TA1-TA4	TB1-TB4	RA1-RA5	RB1-RB5
0	0	Normal Operation	All Active	All Active	All Active	All Active
0	1	Normal Operation	All Active	All High-Z	All Active	RB1–RB4 High-Z, RB5 Active
1	0	Shutdown	All High-Z	All Active	RA1-RA4 High-Z, RA5 Active	All Active
1	1	Shutdown	All High-Z	All High-Z	RA1–RA4 High-Z, RA5 Low-Power Receive Mode	RB1–RB4 High-Z, RA5 Low-Power Receive Mode

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Table 1d. MAX247/MAX248/MAX249 Control Pin Configurations

						TRANS	MITTERS		EIVERS
				OPERATION	MAX247	TA1-TA4	TB1-TB4	RA1-RA4	RB1-RB5
ENTA	ENTB	ENRA	ENRB	STATUS	MAX248	TA1-TA4	TB1-TB4	RA1-RA4	RB1-RB4
					MAX249	TA1-TA3	TB1-TB3	RA1-RA5	RB1-RB5
0	0	0	0	Normal Operation		All Active	All Active	All Active	All Active
0	0	0	1	Normal Operation		All Active	All Active	All Active	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
0	0	1	0	Normal Operation		All Active	All Active	All High-Z	All Active
0	0	1	1	Normal Operation		All Active	All Active	All High-Z	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
0	1	0	0	Normal Operation		All Active	All High-Z	All Active	All Active
0	1	0	1	Normal Operation		All Active	All High-Z	All Active	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
0	1	1	0	Normal Operation		All Active	All High-Z	All High-Z	All Active
0	1	1	1	Normal Operation		All Active	All High-Z	All High-Z	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
1	0	0	0	Normal Operation		All High-Z	All Active	All Active	All Active
1	0	0	1	Normal Operation		All High-Z	All Active	All Active	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
1	0	1	0	Normal Operation		All High-Z	All Active	All High-Z	All Active
1	0	1	1	Normal Operation		All High-Z	All Active	All High-Z	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
1	1	0	0	Shutdown		All High-Z	All High-Z	Low-Power Receive Mode	Low-Power Receive Mode
1	1	0	1	Shutdown		All High-Z	All High-Z	Low-Power Receive Mode	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247
1	1	1	0	Shutdown		All High-Z	All High-Z	All High-Z	Low-Power Receive Mode
1	1	1	1	Shutdown		All High-Z	All High-Z	All High-Z	All High-Z, except RB5 stays active on MAX247

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Detailed Description

The MAX220-MAX249 contain four sections: dual charge-pump DC-DC voltage converters, RS-232 drivers, RS-232 receivers, and receiver and transmitter enable control inputs.

Dual Charge-Pump Voltage Converter

The MAX220–MAX249 have two internal charge-pumps that convert +5V to $\pm10V$ (unloaded) for RS-232 driver operation. The first converter uses capacitor C1 to double the +5V input to +10V on C3 at the V+ output. The second converter uses capacitor C2 to invert +10V to -10V on C4 at the V- output.

A small amount of power may be drawn from the +10V (V+) and -10V (V-) outputs to power external circuitry (see the *Typical Operating Characteristics* section), except on the MAX225 and MAX245–MAX247, where these pins are not available. V+ and V- are not regulated, so the output voltage drops with increasing load current. Do not load V+ and V- to a point that violates the minimum ±5V EIA/TIA-232E driver output voltage when sourcing current from V+ and V- to external circuitry.

When using the shutdown feature in the MAX222, MAX225, MAX230, MAX235, MAX236, MAX240, MAX241, and MAX245–MAX249, avoid using V+ and V- to power external circuitry. When these parts are shut down, V- falls to 0V, and V+ falls to +5V. For applications where a +10V external supply is applied to the V+ pin (instead of using the internal charge pump to generate +10V), the C1 capacitor must not be installed and the \overline{SHDN} pin must be connected to VCC. This is because V+ is internally connected to VCC in shutdown mode.

RS-232 Drivers

The typical driver output voltage swing is $\pm 8V$ when loaded with a nominal $5k\Omega$ RS-232 receiver and V_{CC} = +5V. Output swing is guaranteed to meet the EIA/TIA-232E and V.28 specification, which calls for $\pm 5V$ minimum driver output levels under worst-case conditions. These include a minimum $3k\Omega$ load, V_{CC} = +4.5V, and maximum operating temperature. Unloaded driver output voltage ranges from (V+ -1.3V) to (V- +0.5V).

Input thresholds are both TTL and CMOS compatible. The inputs of unused drivers can be left unconnected since $400 k\Omega$ input pullup resistors to VCC are built in (except for the MAX220). The pullup resistors force the outputs of unused drivers low because all drivers invert. The internal input pullup resistors typically source 12µA, except in shutdown mode where the pullups are disabled. Driver outputs turn off and enter a high-impedance state—where leakage current is typically microamperes (maximum $25\mu A)$ —when in shutdown

mode, in three-state mode, or when device power is removed. Outputs can be driven to $\pm 15V$. The power-supply current typically drops to $8\mu A$ in shutdown mode. The MAX220 does not have pullup resistors to force the outputs of the unused drivers low. Connect unused inputs to GND or V_{CC} .

The MAX239 has a receiver three-state control line, and the MAX223, MAX225, MAX235, MAX236, MAX240, and MAX241 have both a receiver three-state control line and a low-power shutdown control. Table 2 shows the effects of the shutdown control and receiver three-state control on the receiver outputs.

The receiver TTL/CMOS outputs are in a high-impedance, three-state mode whenever the three-state enable line is high (for the MAX225/MAX235/MAX236/MAX239–MAX241), and are also high-impedance whenever the shutdown control line is high.

When in low-power shutdown mode, the driver outputs are turned off and their leakage current is less than 1µA with the driver output pulled to ground. The driver output leakage remains less than 1µA, even if the transmitter output is backdriven between 0V and (VCC + 6V). Below -0.5V, the transmitter is diode clamped to ground with 1k Ω series impedance. The transmitter is also zener clamped to approximately VCC + 6V, with a series impedance of 1k Ω .

The driver output slew rate is limited to less than 30V/ μ s as required by the EIA/TIA-232E and V.28 specifications. Typical slew rates are 24V/ μ s unloaded and 10V/ μ s loaded with 3 Ω and 2500pF.

RS-232 Receivers

EIA/TIA-232E and V.28 specifications define a voltage level greater than 3V as a logic 0, so all receivers invert. Input thresholds are set at 0.8V and 2.4V, so receivers respond to TTL level inputs as well as EIA/TIA-232E and V.28 levels.

The receiver inputs withstand an input overvoltage up to ±25V and provide input terminating resistors with

Table 2. Three-State Control of Receivers

PART	SHDN	SHDN	EN	EN(R)	RECEIVERS
MAX223	_	Low High High	X Low High		High Impedance Active High Impedance
MAX225	_			Low High	High Impedance Active
MAX235 MAX236 MAX240	Low Low High	_	_	Low High X	High Impedance Active High Impedance

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nominal 5k Ω values. The receivers implement Type 1 interpretation of the fault conditions of V.28 and EIA/TIA-232E.

The receiver input hysteresis is typically 0.5V with a guaranteed minimum of 0.2V. This produces clear output transitions with slow-moving input signals, even with moderate amounts of noise and ringing. The receiver propagation delay is typically 600ns and is independent of input swing direction.

Low-Power Receive Mode

The low-power receive mode feature of the MAX223, MAX242, and MAX245–MAX249 puts the IC into shutdown mode but still allows it to receive information. This is important for applications where systems are periodically awakened to look for activity. Using low-power receive mode, the system can still receive a signal that will activate it on command and prepare it for communication at faster data rates. This operation conserves system power.

Negative Threshold—MAX243

The MAX243 is pin compatible with the MAX232A, differing only in that RS-232 cable fault protection is removed on one of the two receiver inputs. This means that control lines such as CTS and RTS can either be driven or left unconnected without interrupting communication. Different cables are not needed to interface with different pieces of equipment.

The input threshold of the receiver without cable fault protection is -0.8V rather than +1.4V. Its output goes positive only if the input is connected to a control line that is actively driven negative. If not driven, it defaults to the 0 or "OK to send" state. Normally, the MAX243's other receiver (+1.4V threshold) is used for the data line (TD or RD), while the negative threshold receiver is connected to the control line (DTR, DTS, CTS, RTS, etc.).

Other members of the RS-232 family implement the optional cable fault protection as specified by EIA/TIA-232E specifications. This means a receiver output goes high whenever its input is driven negative, left unconnected, or shorted to ground. The high output tells the serial communications IC to stop sending data. To avoid this, the control lines must either be driven or connected with jumpers to an appropriate positive voltage level.

Shutdown—MAX222-MAX242

On the MAX222, MAX235, MAX236, MAX240, and MAX241, all receivers are disabled during shutdown. On the MAX223 and MAX242, two receivers continue to operate in a reduced power mode when the chip is in shutdown. Under these conditions, the propagation delay increases to about 2.5µs for a high-to-low input transition. When in shutdown, the receiver acts as a CMOS inverter with no hysteresis. The MAX223 and MAX242 also have a receiver output enable input $(\overline{\text{EN}})$ for the MAX242 and EN for the MAX223) that allows receiver output control independent of $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$ (SHDN for MAX241). With all other devices, $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$ (SHDN for MAX241) also disables the receiver outputs.

The MAX225 provides five transmitters and five receivers, while the MAX245 provides ten receivers and eight transmitters. Both devices have separate receiver and transmitter-enable controls. The charge pumps turn off and the devices shut down when a logic high is applied to the ENT input. In this state, the supply current drops to less than 25μA and the receivers continue to operate in a low-power receive mode. Driver outputs enter a high-impedance state (three-state mode). On the MAX225, all five receivers are controlled by the ENR input. On the MAX245, eight of the receiver outputs are controlled by the ENR input, while the remaining two receivers (RA5 and RB5) are always active. RA1–RA4 and RB1–RB4 are put in a three-state mode when ENR is a logic high.

Receiver and Transmitter Enable Control Inputs

The MAX225 and MAX245–MAX249 feature transmitter and receiver enable controls.

The receivers have three modes of operation: full-speed receive (normal active), three-state (disabled), and low-power receive (enabled receivers continue to function at lower data rates). The receiver enable inputs control the full-speed receive and three-state modes. The transmitters have two modes of operation: full-speed transmit (normal active) and three-state (disabled). The transmitter enable inputs also control the shutdown mode. The device enters shutdown mode when all transmitters are disabled. Enabled receivers function in the low-power receive mode when in shutdown.

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Tables 1a-1d define the control states. The MAX244 has no control pins and is not included in these tables.

The MAX246 has ten receivers and eight drivers with two control pins, each controlling one side of the device. A logic high at the A-side control input (\overline{ENA}) causes the four A-side receivers and drivers to go into a three-state mode. Similarly, the B-side control input (\overline{ENB}) causes the four B-side drivers and receivers to go into a three-state mode. As in the MAX245, one A-side and one B-side receiver (RA5 and RB5) remain active at all times. The entire device is put into shutdown mode when both the A and B sides are disabled $(\overline{ENA} = \overline{ENB} = +5V)$.

The MAX247 provides nine receivers and eight drivers with four control pins. The $\overline{\text{ENRA}}$ and $\overline{\text{ENRB}}$ receiver enable inputs each control four receiver outputs. The $\overline{\text{ENTA}}$ and $\overline{\text{ENTB}}$ transmitter enable inputs each control four drivers. The ninth receiver (RB5) is always active. The device enters shutdown mode with a logic high on both $\overline{\text{ENTA}}$ and $\overline{\text{ENTB}}$.

The MAX248 provides eight receivers and eight drivers with four control pins. The ENRA and ENRB receiver enable inputs each control four receiver outputs. The ENTA and ENTB transmitter enable inputs control four drivers each. This part does not have an always-active receiver. The device enters shutdown mode and transmitters go into a three-state mode with a logic high on both ENTA and ENTB.

The MAX249 provides ten receivers and six drivers with four control pins. The ENRA and ENRB receiver enable inputs each control five receiver outputs. The ENTA and ENTB transmitter enable inputs control three drivers each. There is no always-active receiver. The device enters shutdown mode and transmitters go into a three-state mode with a logic high on both ENTA and ENTB. In shutdown mode, active receivers operate in a low-power receive mode at data rates up to 20kb/s.

Applications Information

Figures 5 through 25 show pin configurations and typical operating circuits. In applications that are sensitive to power-supply noise, VCC should be decoupled to ground with a capacitor of the same value as C1 and C2 connected as close as possible to the device.

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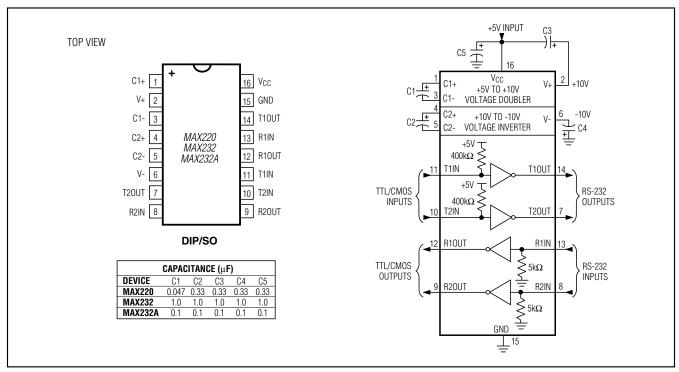


Figure 5. MAX220/MAX232/MAX232A Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

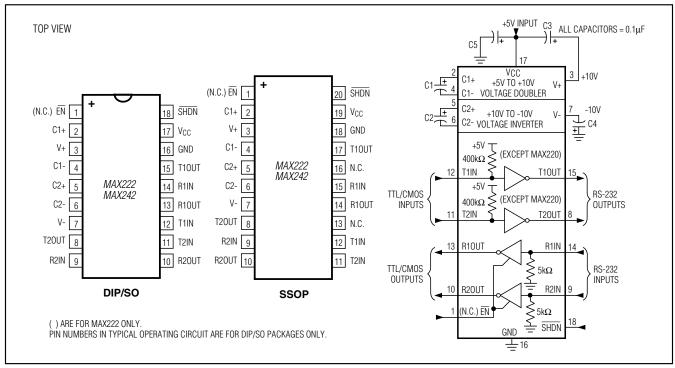


Figure 6. MAX222/MAX242 Pin Configurations and Typical Operating Circuit

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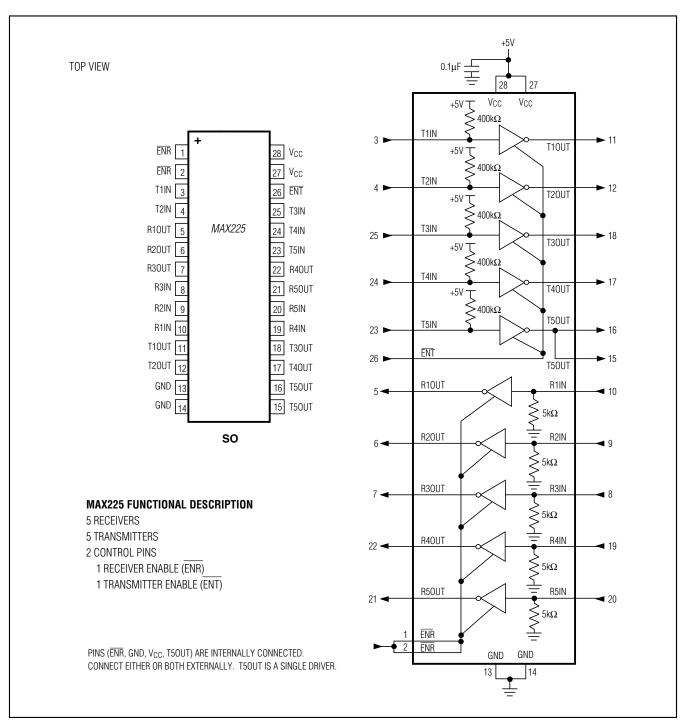


Figure 7. MAX225 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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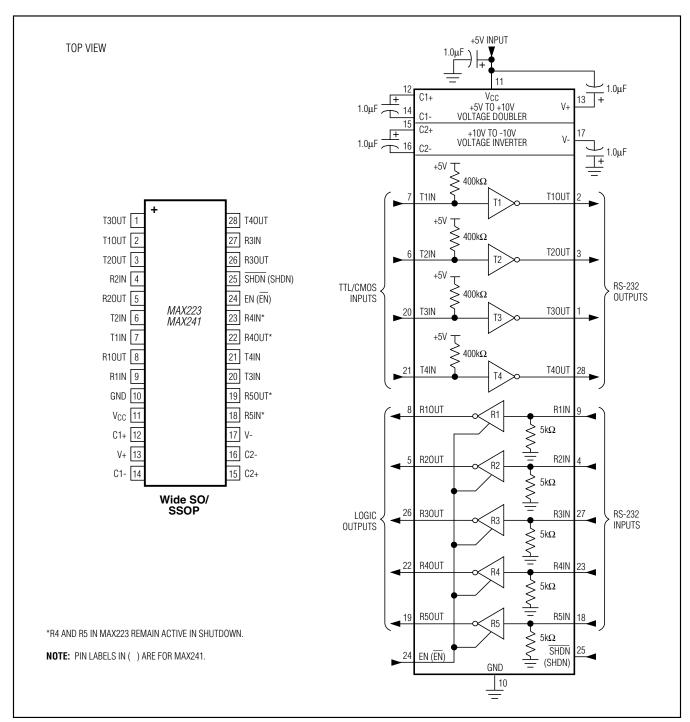


Figure 8. MAX223/MAX241 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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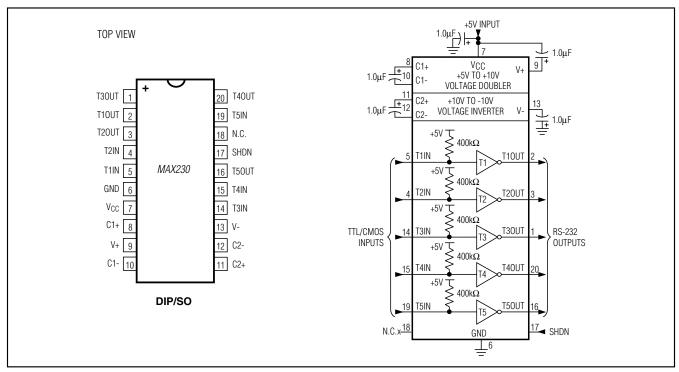


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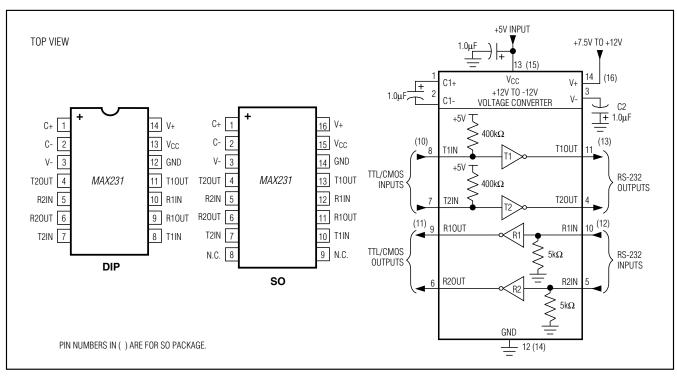


Figure 10. MAX231 Pin Configurations and Typical Operating Circuit

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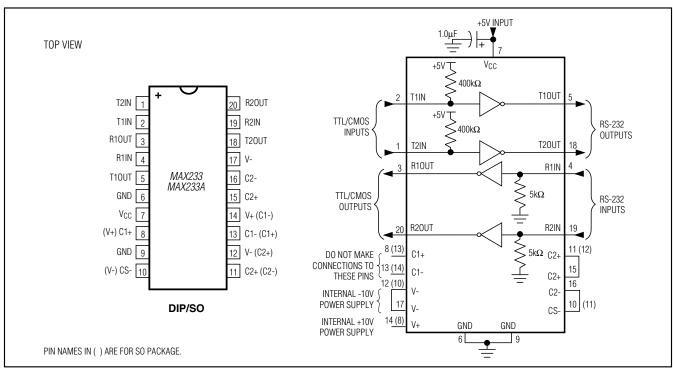


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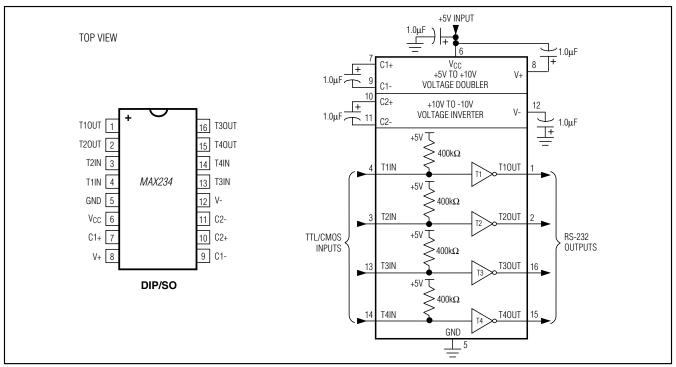


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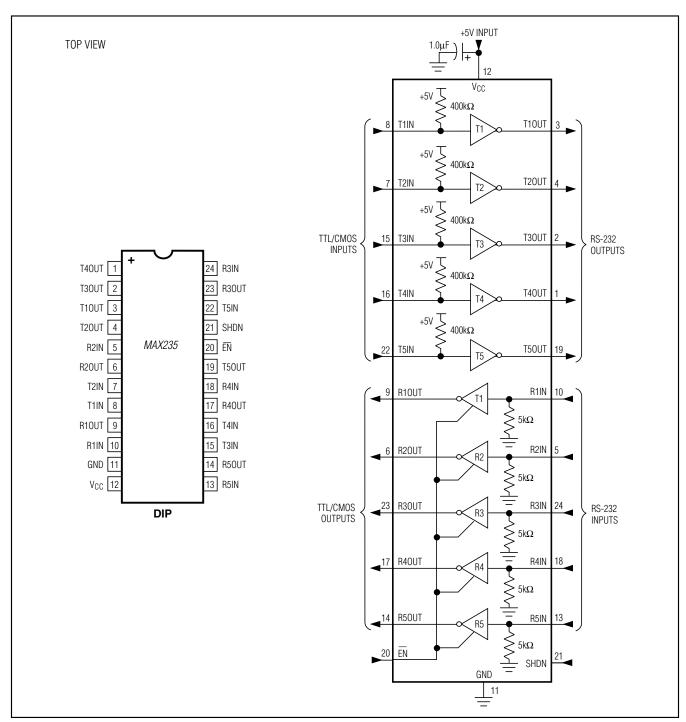


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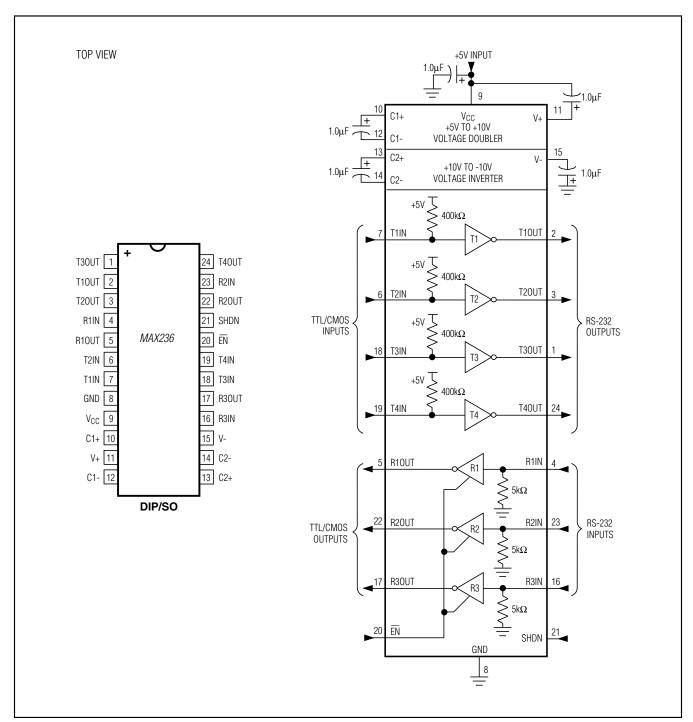


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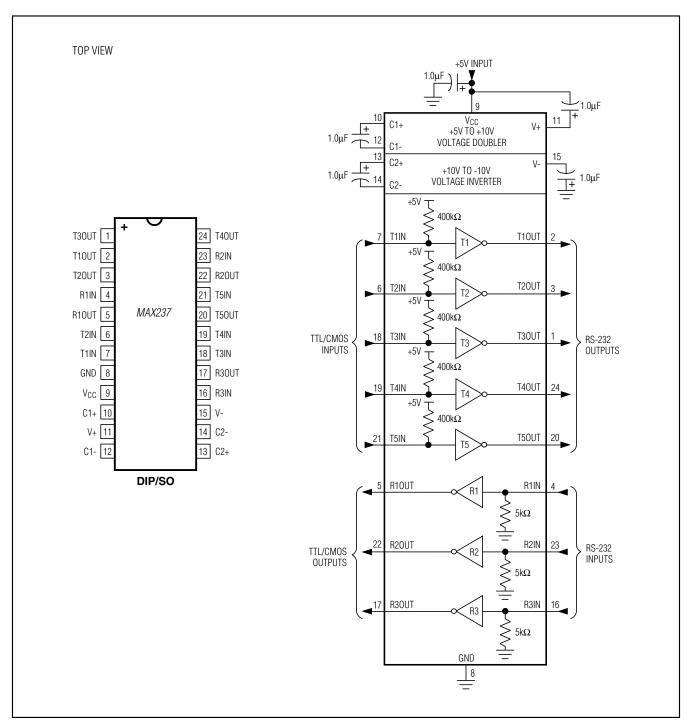


Figure 15. MAX237 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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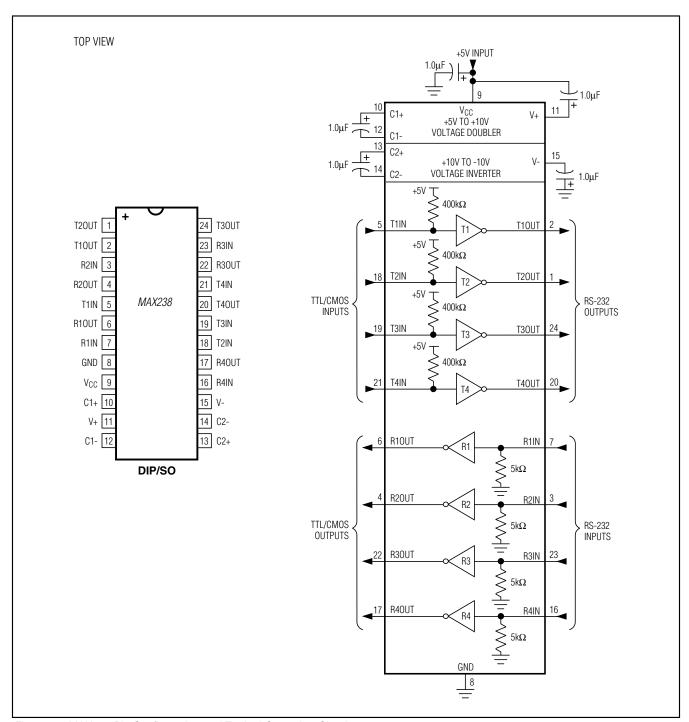


Figure 16. MAX238 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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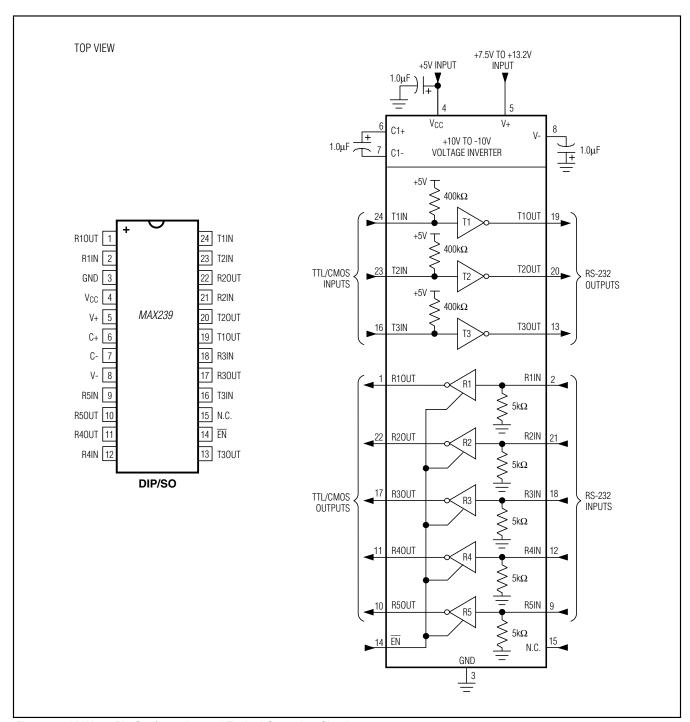


Figure 17. MAX239 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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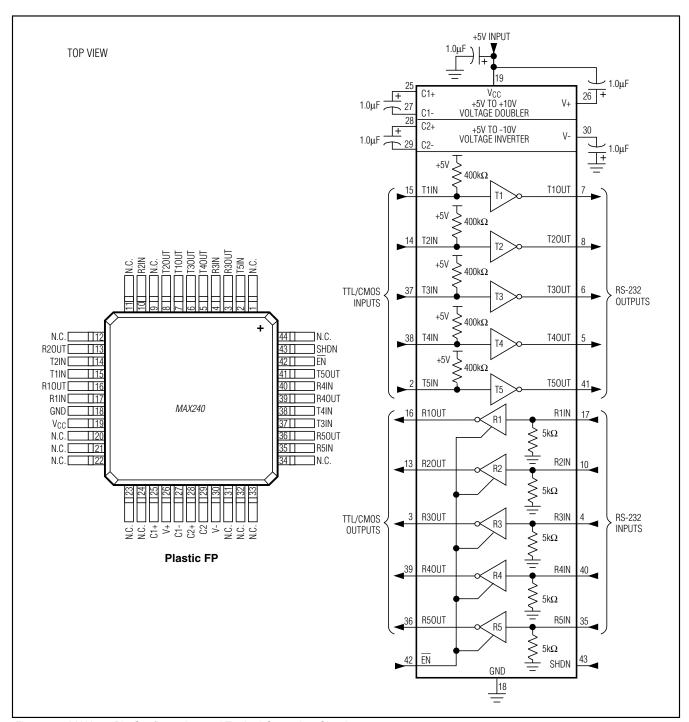


Figure 18. MAX240 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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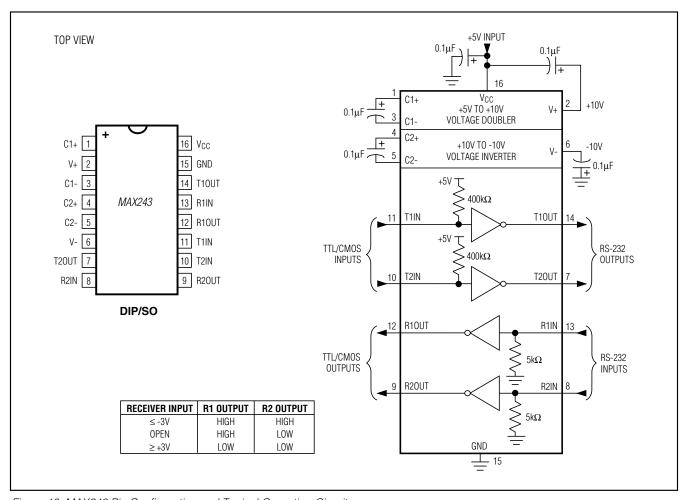


Figure 19. MAX243 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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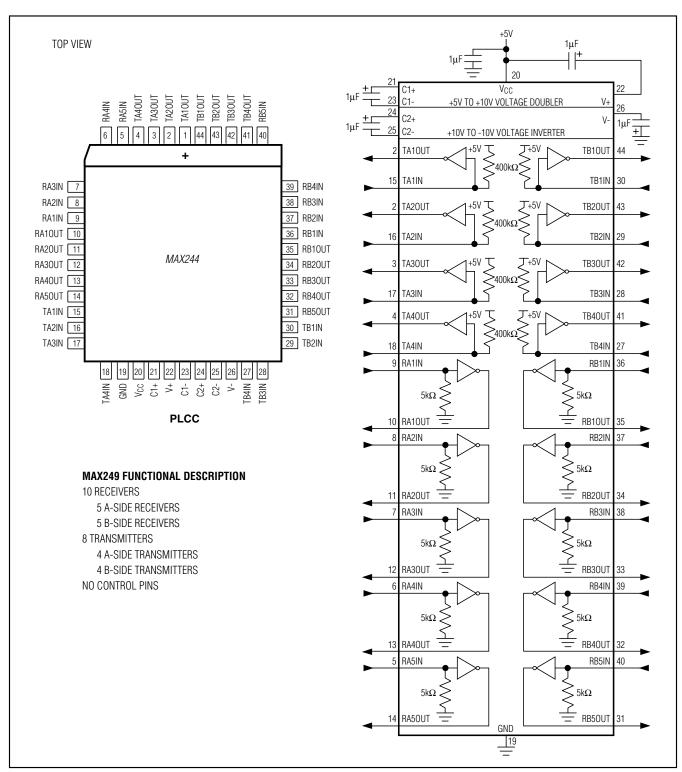


Figure 20. MAX244 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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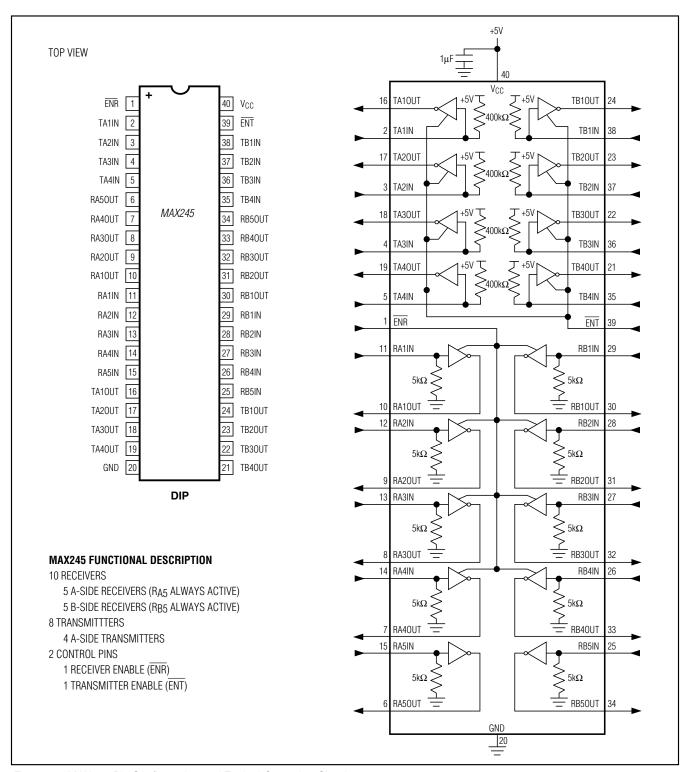


Figure 21. MAX245 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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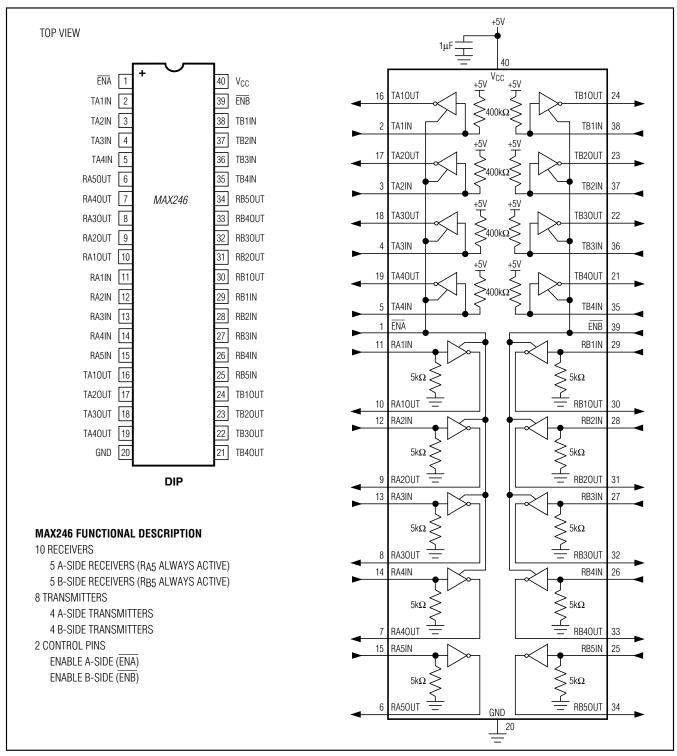


Figure 22. MAX246 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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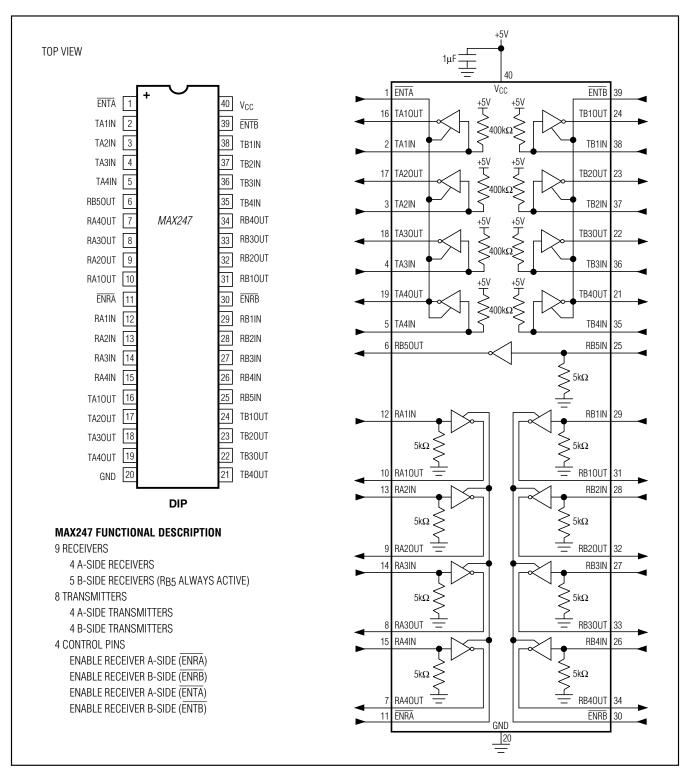


Figure 23. MAX247 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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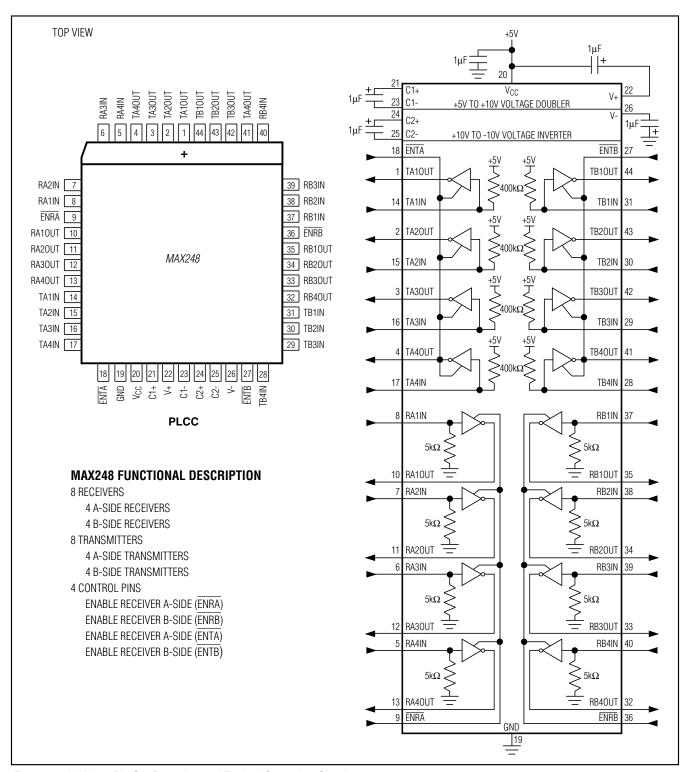


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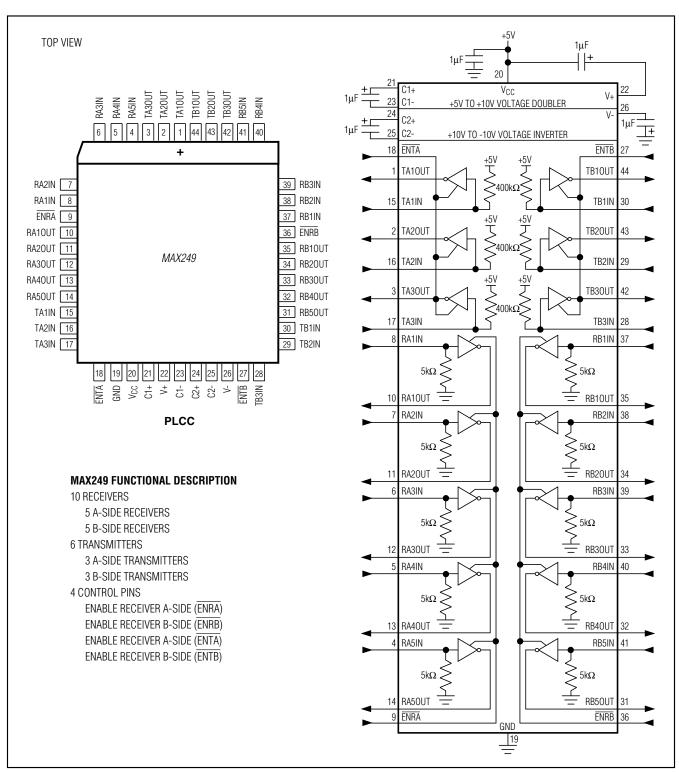


Figure 25. MAX249 Pin Configuration and Typical Operating Circuit

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Ordering Information (continued)

PART	TEMP RANGE	PIN-PACKAGE
MAX222CPN+	0°C to +70°C	18 Plastic DIP
MAX222CWN+	0°C to +70°C	18 Wide SO
MAX222C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX222EPN+	-40°C to +85°C	18 Plastic DIP
MAX222EWN+	-40°C to +85°C	18 Wide SO
MAX222EJN	-40°C to +85°C	18 CERDIP
MAX222MJN	-55°C to +125°C	18 CERDIP
MAX223CAI+	0°C to +70°C	28 SSOP
MAX223CWI+	0°C to +70°C	28 Wide SO
MAX223C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX223EAI+	-40°C to +85°C	28 SSOP
MAX223EWI+	-40°C to +85°C	28 Wide SO
MAX225CWI+	0°C to +70°C	28 Wide SO
MAX225EWI+	-40°C to +85°C	28 Wide SO
MAX230CPP+	0°C to +70°C	20 Plastic DIP
MAX230CWP+	0°C to +70°C	20 Wide SO
MAX230C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX230EPP+	-40°C to +85°C	20 Plastic DIP
MAX230EWP+	-40°C to +85°C	20 Wide SO
MAX230EJP	-40°C to +85°C	20 CERDIP
MAX230MJP	-55°C to +125°C	20 CERDIP
MAX231CPD+	0°C to +70°C	14 Plastic DIP
MAX231CWE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Wide SO
MAX231CJD	0°C to +70°C	14 CERDIP
MAX231C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX231EPD+	-40°C to +85°C	14 Plastic DIP
MAX231EWE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Wide SO
MAX231EJD	-40°C to +85°C	14 CERDIP
MAX231MJD	-55°C to +125°C	14 CERDIP
MAX232CPE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX232CSE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX232CWE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Wide SO
MAX232C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX232EPE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX232ESE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX232EWE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Wide SO
MAX232EJE	-40°C to +85°C	16 CERDIP
MAX232MJE	-55°C to +125°C	16 CERDIP
MAX232MLP+	-55°C to +125°C	20 LCC
MAX232ACPE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX232ACSE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX232ACWE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Wide SO

PART TEMP RANGE PIN-PACKAGE MAX232AC/D 0°C to +70°C Dice* MAX232AEPE+ -40°C to +85°C 16 Plastic DIP MAX232AESE+ -40°C to +85°C 16 Narrow SO MAX232AEWE+ -40°C to +85°C 16 Wide SO MAX232AEJE -40°C to +85°C 16 CERDIP MAX232AMJE -55°C to +125°C 20 LCC MAX233CAMLP+ -55°C to +70°C 20 Plastic DIP MAX233EPP+ -40°C to +85°C 20 Plastic DIP MAX233ACPP+ 0°C to +70°C 20 Plastic DIP MAX233ACWP+ 0°C to +70°C 20 Wide SO MAX233AEPP+ -40°C to +85°C 20 Plastic DIP	
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MAX233AEPP+ -40°C to +85°C 20 Plastic DIP	
MAX233AEWP+ -40°C to +85°C 20 Wide SO	
MAX234 CPE+ 0°C to +70°C 16 Plastic DIP	
MAX234CWE+ 0°C to +70°C 16 Wide SO	
MAX234C/D 0°C to +70°C Dice*	
MAX234EPE+ -40°C to +85°C 16 Plastic DIP	
MAX234EWE+ -40°C to +85°C 16 Wide SO	
MAX234EJE -40°C to +85°C 16 CERDIP	
MAX234MJE -55°C to +125°C 16 CERDIP	
MAX235CPG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Wide Plastic D	ΙP
MAX235EPG+ -40°C to +85°C 24 Wide Plastic D	ΙP
MAX235EDG -40°C to +85°C 24 Ceramic SB	
MAX235MDG -55°C to +125°C 24 Ceramic SB	
MAX236CNG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Narrow Plastic [ΝP
MAX236CWG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Wide SO	
MAX236C/D 0°C to +70°C Dice*	
MAX236ENG+ -40°C to +85°C 24 Narrow Plastic [)IP
MAX236EWG+ -40°C to +85°C 24 Wide SO	
MAX236ERG -40°C to +85°C 24 Narrow CERD	Ρ
MAX236MRG -55°C to +125°C 24 Narrow CERD	Р
MAX237CNG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Narrow Plastic [)IP
MAX237CWG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Wide SO	
MAX237C/D 0°C to +70°C Dice*	
MAX237ENG+ -40°C to +85°C 24 Narrow Plastic [)IP
MAX237EWG+ -40°C to +85°C 24 Wide SO	
MAX237ERG -40°C to +85°C 24 Narrow CERD	Ρ
MAX237MRG -55°C to +125°C 24 Narrow CERD	P
MAX238CNG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Narrow Plastic [ЭIP
MAX238CWG+ 0°C to +70°C 24 Wide SO	
MAX238C/D 0°C to +70°C Dice*	

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PART	TEMP RANGE	PIN-PACKAGE
MAX238ENG+	-40°C to +85°C	24 Narrow Plastic DIP
MAX238EWG+	-40°C to +85°C	24 Wide SO
MAX238ERG	-40°C to +85°C	24 Narrow CERDIP
MAX238MRG	-55°C to +125°C	24 Narrow CERDIP
MAX239CNG+	0°C to +70°C	24 Narrow Plastic DIP
MAX239CWG+	0°C to +70°C	24 Wide SO
MAX239C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX239ENG+	-40°C to +85°C	24 Narrow Plastic DIP
MAX239EWG+	-40°C to +85°C	24 Wide SO
MAX239ERG	-40°C to +85°C	24 Narrow CERDIP
MAX239MRG	-55°C to +125°C	24 Narrow CERDIP
MAX240CMH+	0°C to +70°C	44 Plastic FP
MAX240C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX241CAI+	0°C to +70°C	28 SSOP
MAX241CWI+	0°C to +70°C	28 Wide SO
MAX241C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX241EAI+	-40°C to +85°C	28 SSOP
MAX241EWI+	-40°C to +85°C	28 Wide SO
MAX242CAP+	0°C to +70°C	20 SSOP
MAX242CPN+	0°C to +70°C	18 Plastic DIP
MAX242CWN+	0°C to +70°C	18 Wide SO
MAX242C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX242EPN+	-40°C to +85°C	18 Plastic DIP
MAX242EWN+	-40°C to +85°C	18 Wide SO
MAX242EJN	-40°C to +85°C	18 CERDIP
MAX242MJN	-55°C to +125°C	18 CERDIP

PART	TEMP RANGE	PIN-PACKAGE
MAX243CPE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX243CSE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX243CWE+	0°C to +70°C	16 Wide SO
MAX243C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX243EPE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Plastic DIP
MAX243ESE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Narrow SO
MAX243EWE+	-40°C to +85°C	16 Wide SO
MAX243EJE	-40°C to +85°C	16 CERDIP
MAX243MJE	-55°C to +125°C	16 CERDIP
MAX244CQH+	0°C to +70°C	44 PLCC
MAX244C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX244EQH+	-40°C to +85°C	44 PLCC
MAX245CPL+	0°C to +70°C	40 Plastic DIP
MAX245C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX245EPL+	-40°C to +85°C	40 Plastic DIP
MAX246CPL+	0°C to +70°C	40 Plastic DIP
MAX246C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX246EPL+	-40°C to +85°C	40 Plastic DIP
MAX247CPL+	0°C to +70°C	40 Plastic DIP
MAX247C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX247EPL+	-40°C to +85°C	40 Plastic DIP
MAX248CQH+	0°C to +70°C	44 PLCC
MAX248C/D	0°C to +70°C	Dice*
MAX248EQH+	-40°C to +85°C	44 PLCC
MAX249CQH+	0°C to +70°C	44 PLCC
MAX249EQH+	-40°C to +85°C	44 PLCC

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Package Information

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PACKAGE TYPE	PACKAGE CODE	OUTLINE NO.	LAND PATTERN NO.
14 PDIP	P14+3		
16 PDIP	P16+1		
16 PDIP	P16+2		
16 PDIP	P16+3	01 0040	
18 PDIP	P18+5	<u>21-0043</u>	
20 PDIP	P20+3		
20 PDIP	P20M+1		
24 PDIP	N24+3		
24 PDIP	P24M+1		_
28 PDIP	P28+2	21-0044	
40 PDIP	P40+1	<u>21-0044</u>	
40 PDIP	P40M+2		
14 CERDIP	J14-3		
16 CERDIP	J16-3		
18 CERDIP	J18-2	<u>21-0045</u>	
20 CERDIP	J20-2		
24 CERDIP	R24-4		
16 SO(N)	S16+3	01 0041	00 0007
16 SO(N)	S16+5	<u>21-0041</u>	<u>90-0097</u>
16 SO(W)	W16+1		
16 SO(W)	W16+2		<u>90-0107</u>
16 SO(W)	W16+3		
18 SO(W)	W18+1		<u>90-0181</u>
20 SO(W)	W20+3	21-0042	90-0108
20 SO(W)	W20M+1	<u> </u>	<u>30-0100</u>
24 SO(W)	W24+2		90-0182
28 SO(W)	W28+1		
28 SO(W)	W28+2		<u>90-0109</u>
28 SO(W)	W28M+1		
20 LCC	L20+3	<u>21-0658</u>	90-0177
20 SSOP	A20+1		90-0094
24 SSOP	A24+2	21-0056	<u>90-0110</u>
28 SSOP	A28+1	<u>21-0056</u>	90-0095
16 TSSOP	U16+1		90-0117
16 FPCK	F16-3	21-0013	_
44 MQFP	M44+5	<u>21-0826</u>	<u>90-0169</u>
44 PLCC	Q44+1	01 0040	00.0000
44 PLCC	Q44+2	<u>21-0049</u>	<u>90-0236</u>

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Revision History

REVISION NUMBER	REVISION DATE	DESCRIPTION	PAGES CHANGED
15	1/06	Added part information to the lead temperature in the Absolute Maximum Ratings sections	2, 5, 8
16	7/10	Changed multiple packages to lead-free versions; updated/added notes 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8 to the <i>Electrical Characteristics</i> table; removed incorrect subscripting from all pin names in the <i>Electrical Characteristics</i> table and <i>Pin Configurations</i>	1, 2–9, 17–36



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