


## Optoelectronics Designer's Catalog

Intensive solid state research, the development of advanced manufacturing techniques and con-
tinued expansion has enabled HewlettPackard to become a high volume supplier of quality, competitively priced LED displays, LED lamps, optocouplers, fiber optics, and emitters/detectors.

In addition to our broad product line, Hewlett-Packard also offers the following
services: immediate delivery from any of our authorized stocking distributors, applications support, special QA testing, and a one year guarantee on all of our optoelectronic products.

This package of products and services has enabled Hewlett-Packard to become a recognized leader in the optoelectronic industry.


Hewlett-Packard is one of the world's leading designers and manufacturers of electronic, medical, analytical and computing instruments and systems, diodes, transistors, and optoelectronic products. Since its founding in Palo Alto, California, in 1939, HP has done its best to offer only products that represent significant technological advancements.
To maintain its leadership in instrument and component technology, Hewlett-Packard invests heavily in new product development. Research and development expenditures traditionally average about 10 percent of sales revenue, and over 1,500 engineers and
scientists are assigned the responsibilities of carrying out the company's various $R$ and $D$ projects.

HP produces more than 4,000 products at 32 domestic divisions in California, Colorado, Oregon, Idaho, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Pennsylvania and at overseas plants located in the German Federal Republic, Scotland, France, Japan, Singapore, Malaysia and Brazil.

However, for the customer, Hewlett-Packard is no further away than the nearest telephone. Hewlett-Packard currently has sales and service offices located around the world.


These field offices are staffed by trained engineers, each of whom has the primary responsibility of providing technical assistance and data to customers. A vast communications network has been established to link each field office with the factories and with corporate offices. No matter what the product or the request, a customer can be accommodated by a single contact with the company.

Hewlett-Packard is guided by a set of written objectives. One of these is "to provide products and services of the greatest possible value to our customers". Through application of advanced technology, efficient manufacturing, and imaginative marketing, it is the customer that the more than 43,000 Hewlett-Packard people strive to serve. Every effort is made to anticipate the customer's needs, to provide the customer with products that will enable more efficient operation, to offer the kind of service and reliability that will
merit the customer's highest confidence, and to provide all of this at a reasonable price.

To better serve its many customers' broad spectrum of technological needs, HewlettPackard publishes several catalogs. Among these are:

- Electronic Instruments and Systems for Measurement/Computation (General Catalog)
- DC Power Supply Catalog
- Medical Instrumentation Catalog
- Analytical Instruments for Chemistry Catalog
- Coax, and W/G Measurement Accessories Catalog
- Diode and Transistor Catalog

All catalogs are available at no charge from your local HP sales office.

## Where Reputation and Quality Count

When quality represents a competitive edge, or when the reputation and dependability of your products is on the line, you can count on Hewlett-Packard Optoelectronic components for excellent product consistency.

The optoelectronic products available include a complete line of GaAsP and GaP discrete light emitting diodes (LED's), numeric, hexa-
decimal, and alphanumeric displays, optocouplers, fiber optics, and emitters/detectors. For a general overview of the products available, the next seven pages will include highlights of the discrete product family groups. There is complete technical data included in this designer's catalog for each of the Hewlett-Packard Optoelectronic products.


As the growing trend continues for microprocessor systems capable of high reso-lution-mechanical to electronic-interfaces, Hewlett-Packard addresses a genuine unfulfilled need with their new optical sensor. This small, self-contained optical reflective sensor combines a light source and detector with focused optics in a single package.

## Emitters/ Detectors

This unique component can detect an object as fine as a human hair as well as the precise edge of large objects such as paper or printed lines and marks. It therefore becomes ideally suited in such applications as pattern recognition, optical limit switching, tachometry, defect detection, and bar code scanning.


This optical sensor also coupled with a clean circuit design is packaged attractively in a stylized digital bar code reading wand. The wand is designed to read black and white bar codes (it will also read most colors) on a fairly flat surface. It consists of an electro-optical emitter-detector module which produces an analog signal, followed by a current to voltage converter and then an A to D converter. The result is a computer-understandable digital electrical signal.

In addition to the complete emitter/detector system described in both the optical scanner and digital wand, Hewlett-Packard also offers the designer the choice of discrete emitter and detector components. High radiant intensity emitters near infrared in both flood-
light and spotlight configurations are ideally suited for use in optical transducers and encoders, smoke detectors, and fiber optic drivers.
Hewlett-Packard PIN photodiodes are excellent light detectors with an exceptionally fast response of 1 ns , wide spectral response from near infrared to ultra-violet, and wide range linearity (constant efficiency over 6 decades of amplitude). With dark current as low as 250 pA at 10 V , these detectors are especially well-suited for operation at low light levels. The device construction allows high speed operation at reverse voltages of 5 volts. Some applications include fiber optic receivers, laser scanners, range finders, and medical diagnostic equipment. High reliability test programs are also available.


In 1978, Hewlett-Packard introduced its first complete fiber optic system. Fiber optics is one of the most exciting and fastest growing technologies in data transmission. With fiber optics, pulses of light travel down hair-thin fibers replacing electrical signals transmitted over copper wire. The light signals are impervious to electrical or magnetic interference and therefore generate no electrical or magnetic noise. This makes them ideal for linking computers or control devices and their peripherals in different environments such as those found in factories, aircraft, hospitals and large power plants.
A fiber optic system consists of a transmitter, a receiver, and a length of cable encasing the hair-thin glass or plastic fiber that carries optical signals. Currently, Hewlett-Packard's

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fiber optic system is capable of receiving signals from distances up to 1000 metres.

The design of cost effective fiber optic systems requires the understanding and analysis of several complex technologies - optical fibers, precision connectors, LED/laser emitters, photodetectors, circuit design, packaging, and optics. Hewlett-Packard's approach to the design of fiber optic hardware is systems oriented, drawing on the broad base of technologies available within our computer, instrumentation, semiconductor components, and corporate research and development activities. State-of-the-art LED, photodetector, and integrated circuit capability are at the heart of HP's fiber optic systems. Beginning on page 26 of this catalog, you will find further details on Hewlett-Packard's fiber optic systems.


Hewlett-Packard's family of optocouplers provide economical, high performance solutions to problems caused by ground loops and induced common mode noise for both analog and digital applications in commercial, industrial, and military products. Hewlett-Packard's original approach toward integrated output detectors provides performance not found in conventional phototransistor output optocouplers. With 3000 VDC isolation, the types of optocouplers available include high speed devices capable of 10 M bits and high gain devices
which are specified at 400\% CTR at input currents as low as 0.5 mA . In addition, highly linear optocouplers are useful in analog applications and a Hewlett-Packard integrated input optically coupled line receiver can be connected directly to twisted pair wires without additional circuitry. Most of these devices are available in dual versions, as well as in hermetic DIP packages. For military users, Hewlett-Packard's established hirel capability facilitates economical, hi-rel purchases.


Light Bar Modules are
Hewlett-Packard's answer to
the problem of how to effectively backlight legends. The Light Bar's large, uniformly illuminated surface provides a bright light source available in either high efficiency red, yellow, or green. The universal pinout arrangement allows connecting in parallel, series, or series/parallel configurations. Hew-lett-Packard's LED Light Bar Modules are available in four sizes in a variety of arrangements including single, twin, and quad. They are $X-Y$ stackable, and flush mounting is easy and convenient.
Besides the new Light Bar Modules, HewlettPackard LED lamps are available in a wide

## Lamps

variety of plastic and hermetic packages to satisfy almost any application. Many styles can be mounted on a front panel using clips and all are suitable for P.C. board mounting. Hewlett-Packard military screened hermetic lamps are very popular in applications demanding highreliability.
Products with wide or narrow viewing angles, and a range of brightnesses, are available in red, high efficiency red, yellow and green. Package styles include the traditional T-1-3/4, T-1, and TO-18 packages, as well as our own subminiature (stackable on $2.54 \mathrm{~mm}(0.100$ in.) centers), rectangular, and panel mountable hermetic packages.


Hewlett-Packard has expanded its selection of both alphanumeric and seven-segment numeric

## Displays

integral lens results in a character size of 3.8 mm ( 0.15 in .) making these displays ideal for use
displays to satisfy an even broader base of applications.

Hewlett-Packard's completely supported alphanumeric display systems allow freedom from costly display maintenance, require very low operating power, and minimize the interaction normally required for alphanumeric displays. The display systems are TTL compatible, require a single 5 V supply, and easily interface to a keyboard or microprocessor. They are ideally suited for word processing equipment, instrumentation, desk:op calculators, and automatic banking terminal applications.

Hewlett-Packard's yellow alphanumeric display is the answer to applications that require small size and prohibit the use of red displays. Both red and yellow alphanumeric displays feature four $5 \times 7$ dot matrix characters and on-board shift registers for data storage. They are contained in 16-pin DIPs which are endstackable for unlimited possibilities in alphanumeric display formatting.
Available in four- and eight-character endstackable modules are Hewlett-Packard's 18segment solid state LED alphanumeric displays. Magnification of the LED by an
in computer peripheral products, automotive instrument panels, calculators, and electronic instruments and systems requiring low power consumption.

Low cost numeric displays, packaged single or clustered, are available in character heights from .11" to .8". Low power small character displays have been designed for portable instrumentation and calculator applications. Other seven-segment display units are available in red, yellow, and green colors for use in instrumentation, point of sale terminals, and TV indicator applications. High power, sun-light viewable, large character displays are readily adapted to outdoor terminals, gas pumps and agricultural instrumentation. For these displays, HewlettPackard has successfully integrated a gray package design with untinted segments. This results in excellent bright ambient contrast enhancement.

Integrated numeric and hexadecimal displays (with on-board IC's), available in plastic and hermetic packages, solve the designer's decoding/driving problem. These displays have been designed for low cost and ease of application in a wide range of environments.


Hewlett-Packard has supplied specially tested high reliability optoelectronic products since 1968 for use in state-of-the-art commercial, military, and aerospace applications. To meet the requirements of high reliability, products must be designed with rugged capabilities to withstand severe levels of environmental stress and exposure without failure. We have accomplished this objective by designing a unique family of hermetic products including lamps, displays and optocouplers which have proven their merits in numerous advanced space and defense programs to the international market place. These products receive reliability screening and qualification tests in accordance with appropriate reliability programs similar to those of MIL-S-19500 and MIL-M-38510 and are supplied as either standard JAN or JANTX devices or as HP standard light reliability units which meet our in-house TXV or TXVB programs. Reliability programs are also performed to individual

## High Reliability

customer control drawings and specifications when needed. Some of these special testing programs are very complex and may include Class S requirements for microcircuits. HP's optoelectronic epoxy encapsulated products are designed for long life applications where non man rated or ground support requirements allow their use. As with hermetic products, the capabilities of epoxy parts can be enhanced by $100 \%$ screening and conditioning tests. Lot capabilities can be confirmed by acceptance qualification test programs.

All testing is done by experienced HewlettPackard employees using facilities which are either approved, or pending approval, by DESC for JAN products and by customer inspection for special programs. Environmental equipment capabilities and operating methods of the test laboratory meet MIL-STD-750 or MIL-STD-883 procedures.


This Optoelectronics Designer's Catalog contains detailed, up-to-date specifications on our complete optoelectronic product line. It is divided into five major product sections: Emitters/ Detectors, Fiber Optics, Optocouplers, LED Lamps, and LED Displays. A special section which includes all of the latest application notes in full-length version follows the Displays product section. Hewlett-Packard Sales and Service Offices are listed on pages 475-478 and the Hewlett-Packard Components Franchised Distributors and Representatives Directory can be found on pages 472-474.

## How to Use This Catalog

Three methods are incorporated for locating components:

- a Table of Contents with tabs that allow you to locate components by their general description
- a Numeric Index that lists all components by part number and,
- a Selection Guide for each product group giving a brief overview of the product line.

How to Order All Hewlett-Packard components may be ordered through any of the Sales and Service Offices listed on pages 475-478.

In addition, for immediate delivery of HewlettPackard optoelectronic components, contact any of the world-wide stocking distributors and representatives listed on pages 472-474.

## Warranty

HP's Components are warranted against defects in material and workmanship for a period of one year from the date of shipment. HP will repair or, at its option, replace Components that prove to be defective in material or workmanship under proper use during the warranty period. This warranty extends only to HP customers.

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## Emitter/Detector Systems

## - Features

HEDS-1000 HIGH RESOLUTION OPTICAL REFLECTIVE SENSOR
Focused optics
Gives higher resolution

Can detect most colors
A. Faster response time
B. Speed, linearity, and gain options available
Mounting hardware readily available
Moisture resistant
Compatible with all IC technologies

No precision alignment required
System design simplified
Performance fully specified and guaranteed

- Advantages
$\qquad$
Moisture resist
single ended 3.5 V to 20 V
power supply
Fully integrated, assembled and tested
Standard TO-5 package
Sealed package
Detector IC operates from


## HEDS-3000 DIGITAL BAR CODE WAND

Digital output
Low digitizing error
Push-to-read switch
Guaranteed performance
Single supply operation
Lightweight stylized
plastic case
Custom options
available
No analog signal conditioning circuitry needed

High percentage Good reads
Conserves power No strobing circuitry required
System design simplified
Compatible with standard digital systems
Minimizes operator fatigue
Styling to match customer's products

## Emitters

## - Features

Near IR emission
Functions with most silicon phototransistors and photodiodes
Plastic Package
HEMT 3300 uses isotropic LED chip

HEMT 6000 uses surface emitter LED chip

HEMT 6000 has offset wirebond

## - Advantages

Visible
Easy to use

Low cost
Provides floodlight type beam

Provides bright spot
of light
Active area of the chip is not masked or shadowed

## - Benefits

Facilitates alignment
Cost effective implementation

Cost effective implementation
Well suited for applications that require a large area to be irradiated

Facilitates focusing light on active area of photodetector

Facilitates use with fiber optics

## Detectors (PIN Photodiodes)

## - Features

Offset wirebond

All HP PIN photodiodes have anti-reflective coating

Wide spectral response (ultraviolet through IR)

Low junction capacitance
ULTRA Linear

## - Advantages

Can be used with fiber optics
Converts more incident radiation (light) into photocurrent
A single device can cover the light spectrum plus UV and IR

Wide bandwidth
Permits operation over 10 decades

## - Benefits

Fiber can be placed directly over active area

High Responsivity

Works with a variety of sources

Can detect high speed pulses
Eliminates the need for equalization

## Features

- FOCUSED EMITTER AND DETECTOR IN A SINGLE PACKAGE
- HIGH RESOLUTION - . 190 mm SPOT SIZE
- 700nm VISIBLE EMITTER
- LENS FILTERED TO REJECT AMBIENT LIGHT
- TO-5 MINIATURE SEALED PACKAGE
- PHOTODIODE AND TRANSISTOR OUTPUT
- SOLID STATE RELIABILITY


## Description

The HEDS-1000 is a fully integrated module designed for optical reflective sensing. The module contains a .178 mm (. 007 in .) diameter 700 nm visible LED emitter and a matched I.C. photodetector. A bifurcated aspheric lens is used to image the active areas of the emitter and the detector to a single spot 4.27 mm ( 0.168 in .) in front of the package. The reflected signal can be sensed directly from the photodiode or through an internal transistor that can be configured as a high gain amplifier.

## Applications

Applications include pattern recognition and verification, object sizing, optical limit switching, tachometry, textile thread counting and defect detection, dimensional monitoring, line locating, mark, and bar code scanning, and paper edge detection.


## Mechanical Considerations

The HEDS-1000 is packaged in a high profile 8 pin TO-5 metal can with a glass window. The emitter and photodetector chips are mounted on the header at the base of the package. Positioned above these active elements is a bifurcated aspheric acrylic lens that focuses them to the same point.

The sensor can be rigidly secured by commercially available two piece TO-5 style heat sinks, such as Thermalloy 2205, or Aavid Engineering 3215. These fixtures provide a stable reference platform and their tapped mounting holes allow for ease of affixing this assembly to the circuit board.

## Package Dimensions




## NOTES:

1. ALL DIMENSIONS IN MILLIMETERS AND (INCHES)
2. ALL UNTOLERANCED DIMENSIONS ARE FOR REFERENCE ONLY.
3. THE REFERENCE PLANE IS THE TOP SURFACE OF THE PACKAGE,
4. NICKEL CAN AND GOLD PLATED LEADS
5. NICKEL CAN AND GO
6. THE LEAD DIAMETER IS $0.45 \mathrm{~mm}(0.018 \mathrm{in}$ ) TYP.

## Electrical Operation

The detector section of the sensor can be connected as a single photodiode，or as a photodiode transistor amplifier． When photodiode operation is desired，it is recommended that the substrate diodes be defeated by connecting the collector of the transistor to the positive potential of the power supply and shorting the base－emitter junction of the transistor．Figure 15 shows photocurrent being supplied from the anode of the photodiode to an inverting input of the operational amplifier．The circuit is recommended to improve the reflected photocurrent to stray photocurrent ratio by keeping the substrate diodes from acting as photodiodes．

The cathode of the 700 nm emitter is physically and electrically connected to the case－substrate of the device． Applications that require modulation or switching of the LED should be designed to have the cathode connected to the electrical ground of the system．This insures minimum capacitive coupling of the switching transients through the substrate diodes to the detector amplifier section．
The HEDS－1000 detector also includes an NPN transistor which can be used to increase the output current of the sensor．A current feedback amplifier as shown in Figure 6 provides moderate current gain and bias point stability．


CONNECTION DIAGRAM


| PIN | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | TRANSISTOR COLLECTOR |
| 2 | TBANSISTOR BASE，PHOTOOLODE ANODE |
| 3 | PHOTODIODE CATHODE |
| 4 | LEDCATHODE，SUBSTRATE，CASE |
| 5 | NC |
| 6 | LED ANODE |
| 7 | MC |
| 8 | TRANSISTOR EMITTER |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min． | Max． | Units | Fig． | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature | Ts | －40 | $+75$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {A }}$ | －20 | $+70$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | \％ |
| Lead Soldering Temperature 1.6 mm from Seating Plane |  | $\therefore$ 多 | $\begin{gathered} 260 \\ \text { for } 10 \mathrm{sec} \end{gathered}$ | 凩边 |  | $11$ |
| Average LED Forward Current | If |  | 50 | mA |  | 2 |
| Peak LED Forward Current | IFPK |  | 75 | \％ mA | － 1 | 1 |
| Reverse LED Input Voltage | $V_{\text {R }}$ |  | 5 |  | 虏 |  |
| Package Power Dissipation | Pp |  | 120 | mW | S\％ | 3 |
| Collector Output Current | 10 |  | － 8 | mA | $\because$ |  |
| Supply and Output Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{C}}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}}$ | －0．5 | $\therefore 20$ | V $\mathrm{V}^{\text {a }}$ | ，20，梅 | \％ 10 |
| Transistor Base Current | $\mathrm{IB}_{8}$ |  | 5 | ma | －－ | \％ |
| Transistor Emitter Base Voltage | $V_{\text {EB }}$ |  | 5 | V | 人 |  |

System Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Detector Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Conditions |  | FIg. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dark Current | IPD |  | 5 | 120 | pA | $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I F=0, V_{D}=5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { Reflection }=0 \% \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 10 | nA | $T_{A}=70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| Capacitance | CD |  | 45 |  | pF | $V_{D}=0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{Ip}=0, \mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  |  |
| Flux Responsivity | F ${ }_{\text {¢ }}$ |  | . 22 |  | $\frac{A}{W}$ | $\lambda=700 \mathrm{~nm}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{D}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 12 |  |
| Detector Area | AD |  | . 160 |  | $\mathrm{mm}^{2}$ | Square, w | Length $=.4 \mathrm{~mm} /$ Side |  |  |

## Emitter Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Condiltions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Forward Voltage | $V_{F}$ |  | 1.6 | 1.8 | V | $1 F=35 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 13 |  |
| Reverse Breakdown Voltage | BVA | 5 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{IR}_{\mathrm{B}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  |  |
| Radiant Flux | $\phi_{\mathrm{E}}$ | 5 | 9.0 | - | $\mu \mathrm{W}$ | $1 \mathrm{~F}=35 \mathrm{~mA}, \lambda=700 \mathrm{~nm}$ | 14 |  |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{p}$ | 680 | 700 | 720 | nm | $1 F=35 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 14 |  |
| Thermal Resistance | OJc |  | 150 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |  |  |  |
| Temperature Coefficient of $V_{F}$ | $\Delta V_{F} / \Delta T$ |  | -1.2 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $1 F=35 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  |

## Transistor Electrical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Collector-Emitter Leakage | Iceo |  | 1 |  | pA | $V_{C E}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Base-Emitter Voltage | $V_{B E}$ |  | . 6 |  | $V$ | $\mathrm{IC}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}, 1 \mathrm{lb}=70 \mathrm{nA}$ |  |  |
| Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage | $V_{\text {CE }}(S A T)$ |  | . 4 |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}}=1 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{E}}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  |  |
| Collector-Base Capacitance | CCb |  | . 3 |  | pF | $t=1 \mathrm{MHz}, V_{C B}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Base-Emitter Capacitance | Cbe |  | . 4 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{BE}}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Thermal Resistance | $\Theta^{\text {je }}$ |  | 200 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |  |  |  |

NOTES:

1. $300 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ pulse width, 1 kHz pulse rate.
2. Derate Maximum Average Current linearly from $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ by $6 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Without heat sinking from $T_{A}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, derate Maximum Average Power linearly by $12 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
4. Measured from a reflector coated with a $99 \%$ reflective white paint (Kodak 6080 ) positioned 4.27 mm ( 0.168 in.) from the reference plane.
5. Peak-to-Peak response to black and white bar patterns.
6. Center of maximum signal point image lies within a circle of diameter $D$ relative to the center line of the package. A second emitter image (through the detector lens) is also visible. This image does not affect normal operation.
7. This measurement is made with the lens cusp parallel to the black-white transition.
8. Image size is defined as the distance for the $10 \%-90 \%$ response as the sensor moves over an abrupt black-white edge.
9. $(+)$ indicates an increase in the distance from the reflector to the reference plane.
10. All voltages referenced to Pin 4.
11. CAUTION: The thermal constraints of the acrylic lens will not permit the use of conventional wave soldering procedures. The typical preheat and post cleaning temperatures and dwell times can subject the lens to thermal stresses beyond the absolute maximum ratings and can cause it to defocus.


Figure 1. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration


Figure 2. Relative Total Photocurrent vs. LED DC Forward Current


Figure 3. Ip Test Circuit


Figure 4. Normalized Transistor DC Forward Current Gain vs. Base Current at Temperature


Figure 6. Slew Rate Measurement Circuit


Figure 8. Image Size vs. Maximum Signal Point


Figure 5. Common Emitter Collector Characteristics


Figure 7. Image Location


Figure 9. Reflector Distance vs. \% Reflected Photocurrent


Figure 10. Step Edge Response


Figure 12. Detector Spectral Response


Figure 14. Relative Radiant Flux vs. Wavelength


Figure 11. Modulation Transfer Function


Figure 13. LED Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage Characteristics


Figure 15. Photodiode Interconnection

## Features

- 0.3 mm RESOLUTION

Enhances the Readability of dot matrix printed bar codes

- DIGITAL OUTPUT

Open Collector Output Compatible with TTL and CMOS

- PUSH-TO-READ SWITCH

Wand Consumes Power Only When Switch is Depressed

- SINGLE SUPPLY OPERATION
- STYLIZED CASE
- DURABLE LOW FRICTION TIP
- SOLID STATE RELIABILITY Uses LED and IC Technology


## Description

The HEDS-3000 Digital Bar Code Wand is a hand held scanner with integral push-to-read switch. It is designed to read all common bar code formats that have the narrowest bars printed with a nominal width of 0.3 mm ( 0.012 in .). The wand contains an optical sensor with a 700 nm visible light source, photo IC detector, and precision aspheric optics. Internal signal conditioning circuitry converts the optical information into a logic level pulse width representation of the bars and spaces.
The HEDS-3000 comes equipped with a push-to-read switch which is used to activate the electronics, and strain relieved 104 cm ( 41 in .) cord with nine-pin subminiature D-style connector.


## Applications

The Digital Bar Code Wand is an effective alternative to the keyboard when used to collect information in selfcontained blocks. Bar code scanning is faster than key entry and also more accurate since most codes have check-sums built-in to prevent incorrect reads from being entered.

Applications include remote data collection, ticket identification systems, security checkpoint verification, file folder tracking, inventory control, identifying assemblies in service, repair, and manufacturing environments, and programming appliances, intelligent instruments and personal computers.

## Wand Dimensions



## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Mf. | Max. | Units: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bat V19th | sib | 0.3 |  | \% |
| Scan velocity | can | 76. | 7 | chus |
| Conluas | 1 | 0 |  | 0 |
| Supply Voltage | Vs | 3.6 | 55.75 | V |
| Temperature | - $\mathrm{T}^{\text {a }}$ A | 0 | 55 | 0 |
| Orientallon |  |  |  |  |

## Electrical Operation

The HEDS-3000 consists of a precision optical sensor, an analog amplifier, a digitizing circuit, and an output transistor. These elements provide a TTL compatible output from a single voltage supply range of 3.6 V to 5.75 V . A non-reflecting black bar results in a logic high (1) level, while a reflecting white space will cause a logic low (0) at the $V_{O}$ connection (pin 2). The output of the HEDS-3000 is an open collector transistor.
A push-to-read switch is used to energize the 700 nm LED emitter and electronic circuitry. When the switch is initially depressed, its contact bounce may cause a series of random pulses to appear at the output, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$. This pulse train will typically settle to a final value within 0.5 ms .

## Absolute Maximum Ratings



Electrical Characteristics
( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{S}}=3.6 \mathrm{~V}$ to 5.75 V at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, R_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$, unless otherwise noted)

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max | Units | Conditions | Fig. | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Switch Bounce | $t_{\text {sb }}$ | ¢ | 0.5 | 5 | ms |  |  | 3 |
| High Level Output Current | $10 \mathrm{H}=$ | , | - | -400 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$, Bar Condition (Black) | 3 |  |
| Low Level Output Current | 10 L | \% | \% | 16 | mA | $\mathrm{VOL}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$, Space Condition (White) | 3 |  |
| Output Rise Time | $\mathrm{tr}_{1}$ | - | - 2 | \% | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | 10\%-90\% Transition | 3 | \% |
| Output Fall Time | $\mathrm{tf}_{1}$ | 4 | 2 | \% | Ms | 90\%-10\% Transition | 3 |  |
| Supply Current | Is |  | \%-6 | 50 | mA | VS $=5 \mathrm{~V}$, Bar Condition (Black) |  | 2,4 |

Block Diagram


## GUARANTEED WIDTH ERROR PERFORMANCE

( V S $=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$, unless otherwise noted)


TYPICAL WIDTH ERROR PERFORMANCE ( $V_{S}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$, unless otherwise noted)


Notes:

1. Storage Temperature is dictated by Wand case.
2. Power supply ripple and noise should be less than 100 mV .
3. Switch bounce causes a series of sub-millisecond pulses to appear at the output, Vo.
4. Push-to-Read switch is depressed, and the Wand is placed on a non-reflecting (black) surface.
5. The margin refers to the reflecting (white) space that preceeds the first bar of the bar code.
6. The interior bars and spaces are those which follow the first bar of bar code tag.
7. The standard test tag consists of black bars, white spaces ( 0.3 $\mathrm{mm}, 0.012 \mathrm{in}$. min.) photographed on Kodagraph Transtar TC5 ${ }^{\circledR}$ paper with a print contrast signal greater than 0.9 .
8. The print contrast signal (PCS) is defined as: $\mathrm{PCS}=\left(\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{w}}-\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{b}}\right)$ $/ R_{w}$, where $R_{w}$ is the reflectance at 700 nm from the white spaces, and $R_{b}$ is the reflectance at 700 nm for the bars.
$9.1 .0 \mathrm{in} .=25.4 \mathrm{~mm}, 1 \mathrm{~mm}=0.0394 \mathrm{in}$.
9. The Wand is in the preferred orientation when the surface of the switch button is parallel to the height dimension of the bar code.

## OPERATION CONSIDERATIONS

The HEDS-3000 resolution is specified in terms of a bar and space Width Error, WE. The width error is defined as the difference between the calculated bar (space) width, B, (S), and the optically measured bar (space) widths, b (s). When a constant scan velocity is used, the width error can be calculated from the following:
$B=t_{b} \cdot v_{s c a n}$
$\mathrm{S}=\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{s}} \cdot \mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{sc} \text { an }}$
$\Delta b=B-b$
$\Delta \mathrm{s}=\mathrm{S}-\mathrm{s}$
Where
$\Delta b, \Delta s=$ bar, space Width Error (mm)
$\mathrm{b}, \mathrm{s}=$ optical bar, space width (mm)
B, S = calculated bar, space width ( mm )
$v_{\text {scan }}=$ scan velocity ( $\mathrm{mm} / \mathrm{s}$ )
$\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{b}}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{s}}=$ wand pulse width output(s)
The magnitude of the width error is dependent upon the width of the bar (space) preceeding the space (bar) being measured. The Guaranteed Width Errors are specified as a maximum for the margin to first bar transition, as well as, maximums and minimums for the bar and space width errors resulting from transitions internal to the body of the bar code character. The Typical Width Error Performance specifies all possible transitions in a two level code (e.g. 2 of 5). For example, the $\Delta b_{2-1}$ Width Error specifies the width error of a single bar module ( 0.3 mm ) when preceeded by a double space module ( 0.6 mm ).
The Bar Width Error $\Delta \mathrm{b}$, typically has a positive polarity which causes the calculated bar, B, to appear wider than its printed counterpart. The typical negative polarity of the Space Width Error $\Delta \mathrm{s}$, causes the measured spaces to appear narrower. The consistency of the polarity of the bar and space Width Errors suggest decoding schemes which average the measured bars and measured spaces


Figure 1. Preferred Wand Orientation.
within a character. These techniques will produce a higher percentage of good reads.
The Wand will respond to a bar code with a nominal module width of 0.3 mm when it is scanned at tilt angles between $0^{\circ}$ and $30^{\circ}$. The optimum performance will be obtained when the Wand is held in the preferred orientation (Figure 1), tilted at an angle of $10^{\circ}$ to $20^{\circ}$, and the Wand tip is in contact with the tag. The Wand height, when held normal to the tag, is measured from the tip's aperture, and when it is tilted it is measured from the tip's surface closest to the tag. The Width Error is specified for the preferred orientation, and using a Standard Test Tag consisting of black bars and white spaces. Figure 2 illustrates the random two level bar code tag. The Standard Test Tag is photographed on Kodagraph Transtar TC5 ${ }^{\circledR}$ paper with a nominal module width of 0.3 mm ( 0.012 in .) and a Print Contrast Signal (PCS) of greater than $90 \%$.


BAR WIDTH 0.3 mm ( 0.012 in .) BLACK \& WHITE
RWHITE $\geqslant 75 \%$, PCS $\geqslant 0.9$ KODAGRAPH TRANSTAR TC5 ${ }^{\circledR}$ ( PAPER

Figure 2. Standard Test Tag Format.


Figure 3. Recommended Logic Interface.

## Typical Performance CurveS ( $\left.\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=\mathbf{2 . 2 k} \Omega\right)$



Figure 4. Width Error vs. Tilt (Preferred Orientation).


Figure 6. Width Error vs. Height (Preferred Orientation).


Figure 8. Width Error vs. Bar Width.


Figure 5. Width Error vs. Tilt (Any Orientation).


Figure 7. Width Error vs. Height (Any Orientation).


Figure 9. Width Error vs. Scan Velocity.


Figure 10. Width Error vs. Supply Voltage.

## MECHANICAL CONSIDERATIONS

The HEDS-3000 includes a standard nine pin D-style connector with integral squeeze-to-release retention mechanism. Two types of receptacles compatible with the retention mechanism are available from AMP Corp. (Printed circuit header: 745001-2 Panel mount: 745018, body; 66570-3, pins). Panel mount connectors that are compatible with the HEDS-3000 connector, but do not include the retention mechanism, are the Molex A7224, and AMP 2074-56-2.

## MAINTENANCE CONSIDERATIONS

While there are no user serviceable parts inside the Wand, the tip should be checked periodically for wear and dirt, or obstructions in the aperture. The tip aperture is designed to reject particles and dirt but a gradual degradation in performance will occur as the tip wears down, or becomes obstructed by foreign materiais.
Before unscrewing the tip, disconnect the Wand from the system power source. The aperture can be cleaned with a cotton swab or similar device and a liquid detergent.
The glass window on the sensor should be inspected and cleaned if dust, dirt, or fingerprints are visible. To clean the sensor window dampen a lint free cloth with a liquid cleaner, then clean the window with the cloth taking care not to disturb the orientation of the sensor. DO NOT SPRAY CLEANER DIRECTLY ON THE SENSOR OR WAND.


Figure 11. Width Error vs. Temperature.


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Figure 12. Wand Tip.
After cleaning the tip aperture and sensor window, the tip should be gently and securely screwed back into the Wand assembly. The tip should be replaced if there are visible indications of wear such as a disfigured, or distorted aperture. The part number for the Wand tip is HEDS-3001. It can be ordered from any Hewlett-Packard parts center or franchised Hewlett-Packard distributor.

## OPTIONAL FEATURES

The wand may also be ordered with the following special features:

- 193 color options
- Customer specified label
- No label
- Heavy duty retractable coiled cord
- No connector
- No switch button

For more information, call your local Hewlett-Packard sales office or franchised distributor.


Figure 13. Connector Specifications.

670 nm HIGH RADIANT INTENSITY
EMITTER
HEMT-3300

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## Features

- HIGH EFFICIENCY
- NONSATURATING OUTPUT
- NARROW BEAM ANGLE
- VISIBLE FLUX AIDS ALIGNMENT
- BANDWIDTH: DC TO 3 MHz
- IC COMPATIBLE/LOW CURRENT REQUIREMENT


## Description

The HEMT-3300 is a visible, near-IR, source using a GaAsP on GaP LED chip optimized for maximum quantum efficiency at 670 nm . The emitter's beam is sufficiently narrow to minimize stray flux problems, yet broad enough to simplify optical alignment. This product is suitable for use in consumer and industrial applications such as optical transducers and encoders, smoke detectors, assembly line monitors, small parts counters, paper tape readers and fiber optic drivers.

## Package Dimensions



Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{e}}$ | Axial Radiant Intensity | 200 | 500 |  | $\mu \mathrm{W} / \mathrm{sr})$ | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 3,4 |
| $\mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{e}}$ | Temperature Coefficient of Intensity |  | -0.009 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}^{-1}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$, Note 1 |  |
| $\eta$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 22 |  | 1 mN | Note 2 |  |
| $2 \Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Half Intensity Total Angle |  | 22 |  | deg. | Note 3, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 6 |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  | 670 |  | nm | Measured at Peak | 1 |
| $\Delta \lambda_{\text {PEAK }} / \Delta T$ | Spectral Shift Temperature Coefficient |  | 0.089 |  | $\mathrm{nm} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | Measured at Peak, Note 4 |  |
| $t_{r}$ | Output Rise Time $(10 \%-90 \%)$ |  | 120 |  | ns | $I_{\text {PEAK }}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{f}}$ | Output Fall Time $(90 \%-10 \%)$ |  | 50 | , | ns | $I_{\text {PEAK }}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ Pulse |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{0}$ | Capacitance |  | 15 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 5.0 |  |  | V | $I_{R}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.9 | 2.5 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 2 |
| $\Delta V_{F} / \Delta T$ | Temperature Coefficient of $V_{F}$ |  | -2.2 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $I_{F}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  |
| $\Theta_{J C}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 160 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{CN}$ | Junction to cathode lead at seating plane. |  |

Notes: 1. $I_{e}(T)=I_{e}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \exp \left[\mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{e}}\left(\mathrm{T}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)\right] 2 . I_{v}=\eta_{\mathrm{v}} \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}$ where $I_{\mathrm{v}}$ is in candela, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}$ in watts/steradian and $\eta_{\mathrm{v}}$ in lumen/watt.
3. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the radiant intensity is half the axial intensity. The deviation between the mechanical and optical axis is typically within a conical half-angle of five degrees. 4. $\lambda$ PEAK $(T)=\lambda$ PEAK $\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)+\left(\Delta \lambda_{\text {PEAK }} / \Delta T\right)\left(T-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$.

## Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Power Dissipation
120 mW
(derate linearly from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $1.6 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) Average Forward Current . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 30 mA (derate linearly from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Peak Forward Current $\qquad$ See Figure 5 Operating and Storage

Temperature Range . . . . . . . . . . . . . $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Lead Soldering Temperature ........... $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 sec .
( 1.6 mm [ 0.063 inch] from body)


Figure 3. Relative Radiant Intensity versus Forward Current.


Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Radiant Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current.


Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current versus Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Figure 6. Far-Field Radiation Pattern.

## Features

- HIGH RADIANT INTENSITY
- NARROW BEAM ANGLE
- NONSATURATING OUTPUT
- BANDWIDTH: DC TO 5 MHz
- IC COMPATIBLE/LOW CURRENT REQUIREMENT
- VISIBLE FLUX AIDS ALIGNMENT


NOTES:

1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETRES IINCHES:
2. SILVER-PLATED LEAOS. SEE APPLICATION BULLETIN 3
3. USER MAY BEND LEADS AS SHOWN.
4. EPOXY ENCAPSUL.ANT HAS A AEFRACTIVE INDEX OF 1.53
5. CHIP CENTERING WITHIN THE PACKAGE IS CONSISTENT
6. CHIP CENTERING W
WITH FOOTNOTE 3.

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## Description

The HEMT-6000 uses a GaAsP chip designed for optimum tradeoff between speed and quantum efficiency. This optimization allows a flat modulation bandwidth of 5 MHz without peaking, yet provides a radiant flux level comparable to that of 900 nm IREDs. The subminiature package allows operation of multiple closely-spaced channels, while the narrow beam angle minimizes crosstalk. The nominal 700 nm wavelength can offer spectral performance advantages over 900 nm IREDs, and is sufficiently visible to aid optical alignment. Applications include paper-tape readers, punch-card readers, bar code scanners, optical encoders or transducers, interrupt modules, safety interlocks, tape loop stabilizers and fiber optic drivers.

## Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Power Dissipation .............................. 50 mW (derate linearly from $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C} @ 1.0 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Average Forward Current ........................ 20 mA (derate linearly from $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C} @ 0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Peak Forward Current
See Figure 5
Operating and Storage
Temperature Range .................... $-55^{\circ}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Soldering
Temperature ......................... $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 sec.
[ 1.6 mm ( 0.063 in. ) from body]

- VISIBLE FLUX AIDS ALIGNMENT


Figure 1. Relative Intensity versus Wavelength.

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}$. | Radiant Intensity along Mechanical Axis | 100 | 250 |  | $\mu \mathrm{W} / \mathrm{sr}$ | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 3,4 |
| $K_{\text {e }}$ | Temperature Coefficient of Intensity |  | -0.005 | $\because$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}^{-1}$ | Note 1 |  |
| $\eta_{v}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 2.5 |  | $\mathrm{Im} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 2 |  |
| $2 \Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Optical Axis Half Intensity Total Angle |  | 16 |  | deg. | Note 3, $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 6 |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength (Range) |  | 690-715 |  | nm | Measured @ Peak | 1. |
| $\Delta \lambda_{P E A K} / \Delta T$ | Spectral Shift Temperature Coefficient |  | . 193 | : | $n \mathrm{n} \mathrm{P}^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | Measured @ Peak, Note 4 |  |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r}}$ | Output Rise Time (10\%-90\%) |  | 70 |  | ns | IPEAK $=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |
| $t_{\text {f }}$ | Output Fall Time (90\%-10\%) |  | 40 |  | ns | $I_{\text {PEAK }}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{0}$ | Capacitance |  | 65 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 5 | 12 |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.5 | 1.8 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 2 |
| $\Delta V_{F} / \Delta T$ | Temperature Coefficient of $V_{F}$ |  | -2.1 |  | $m V /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $I_{F}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  |
| $\Theta_{j c}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 140 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{CN}$ | Junction to cathode lead at $0.79 \mathrm{~mm}(.031 \mathrm{in})$ from body |  |

NOTES: 1. $I_{e}(T)=I_{e}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \exp \left[K_{e}\left(T-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)\right]$.
2. $I_{v}=\eta_{\mathbf{v}} I_{e}$ where $I_{v}$ is in candela, $I_{e}$ in watts/steradian, and $\eta_{v}$ in lumen/watt.
3. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-ax is angle at which the radiant intensity is half the intensity along the optical axis. The deviation between the mechanical and the optical axis is typically within a conical half-angle of three degrees.
4. $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}(\mathrm{T})^{\prime}=\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)+\left(\Delta \lambda_{\text {PEAK }} \mid \Delta T\right)\left(\mathrm{T}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$

$V_{F}$ - FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 2. Forward Current versus Forward Voltage.

$I_{F}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 3. Relative Radiant Intensity versus Forward Current.


I PEAK - PEAK CURRENT - mA
Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Radiant Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current.


Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current versus Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Figure 6. Far-Field Radiation Pattern.

## Features

- HIGH SENSITIVITY (NEP <-108 dBm)
- WIDE DYNAMIC RANGE ( $1 \%$ LINEARITY OVER 100 dB )
- BROAD SPECTRAL RESPONSE
- HIGH SPEED (Tr, Tf,<1ns)
- STABILITY SUITABLE FOR PHOTOMETRY/ RADIOMETRY
- HIGH RELIABILITY
- FLOATING, SHIELDED CONSTRUCTION
- LOW CAPACITANCE
- LOW NOISE


## Description

The HP silicon planar PIN photodiodes are ultra-fast light detectors for visible and near infrared radiation. Their response to blue and violet is unusually good for low dark current silicon photodiodes.
These devices are suitable for applications such as high speed tachometry, optical distance measurement, star tracking, densitometry, radiometry, and fiber-optic termination.
The speed of response of these detectors is less than one nanosecond. Laser pulses shorter than 0.1 nanosecond may be observed. The frequency response extends from dc to 1 GHz .
The low dark current of these planar diodes enables detection of very low light levels. The quantum detection efficiency is constant over ten decades of light intensity, providing a wide dynamic range.


The 5082-4203, -4204, and -4207 are packaged on a standard TO-18 header with a flat glass window cap. For versatility of circuit connection, they are electrically insulated from the header. The light sensitve area of the $5082-4203$ and -4204 is 0.508 mm ( 0.020 inch) in diameter and is located 1.905 mm ( 0.075 inch) behind the window. The light sensitive area of the 5082-4207 is $1.016 \mathrm{~mm}(0.040$ inch) in diameter and is also located 1.905 mm ( 0.075 inch) behind the window.
The 5082-4205 is in a low capacitance Kovar and ceramic package of very small dimensions, with a hemispherical glass lens.
The 5082-4220 is packaged on a TO-46 header with the 0.508 mm ( 0.020 inch) diameter sensitive area located 2.540 mm ( 0.100 inch ) behind a flat glass window.

## Package Dimensions



## Absolute Maximum Ratings Operating and Storage Temperature－ $55^{\circ}$ to $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | 4203 | -4204 | 4205 | 4207 | 4220 | Units |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PMAX Power Dissipation 1 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 100 | 100 | mW |
| Steady Reverse Voltage 3 | 50 | 20 | 50 | 20 | 50 | volts |

## Electrical／Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbel | Description | 4803 |  |  | 4204 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 42720 |  |  | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Win． | TY\％ |  | Min． | TYp： | Max． | Hins | Tus． | Hen． |  | Typ． | Max． | Min． | Typ | Hax， |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & R_{E_{k}}, 0^{m} \\ & R_{\phi} \cdot A \end{aligned}$ | Axial Incidance <br> Respense at 77 ham 14 ） |  <br> $\because$ <br> $\therefore$ | 1.0 |  | $\because$ | $1.0$ |  | ㄴ．． | 1．5＊ |  | ．．． | 4.1 | $\because$ |  | 1.0 | $\cdots \times$ | $\frac{\beta A}{m W / \mathrm{cm}[2]}$ |
| A | Active Area ${ }^{4}$ | $\therefore$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 x \\ & 10^{3} \end{aligned}$ |  | ＂：＂$\because$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 x \\ & 10-3 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 3 x \\ 103 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\therefore$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \times \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ | ， | 。 | $\begin{aligned} & 2 x \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\operatorname{cm}{ }^{(2]}$ |
| $\mathbf{R}_{6}$ | Flux Respon： sivity $770 \mathrm{~nm}^{5}$ （Fig．1，3） | $\cdots$ | 5 |  | $\because$ | 景 |  |  | 牙 | $\therefore$ | $\because \because$ $\because$ $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  | －； | 5. | $\because$ | $\frac{\mu A}{\mu W}$ |
| 10 | Dark Current ${ }^{6}$ （Fig． 41 |  | ＊＊＊＊ | 20 | nim |  | 0.6 |  |  | ．15 |  |  | 2.5 |  | ＂ | 50， | 7A |
| NEP | Noise Equivalent Power 7 （Fig．8） |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5.1 x \\ & 10-14 \end{aligned}$ | ＂$\because$ | 为 | $\begin{aligned} & 28 x \\ & 1014 \end{aligned}$ | 边 | 边 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.4 x \\ & 18.14 \end{aligned}$ | $\because$ | $\because$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.7 \times \\ & 1014 \end{aligned}$ | $\because$ | ，， | $\begin{aligned} & 8.1 x \\ & 10^{-14} \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{W_{2}}{\sqrt{I_{2}}}$ |
| D＊ | Detectivity ${ }^{8}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 x \\ & 1014 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 1.6 x \\ 10^{12} \end{gathered}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \times 4 \\ & 1012 \end{aligned}$ | 3 | 令 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.5 x \\ & 10^{12} \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5.6 \mathrm{x} \\ & 1011 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\because$ | $\frac{\operatorname{cman}}{1 / 2}$ |
| $C_{\text {I }}$ | Junction Capaci tance9（Fig．5） |  | 15 |  |  | 2.0 | 刮＂， | 为 | 0.7 |  |  | 5.5 |  |  | 2.0 |  | pr |
| Cp | Package Capacitance 10 |  | $\therefore 2$ |  |  | 2 |  |  |  | ＂ |  | 2 |  | $\cdots$ |  |  | pF |
| $t_{i} ; t_{i}$ | Zero Bias Speed （Rise，＇Fall Time） 11 | －… | 300 | ，$\because$ | $\therefore$ ㅊ․ | $300$ |  | 为 |  |  |  | 300 | 次 | ＇${ }^{\prime}$ | $300$ | $\therefore$ | ns |
| $t_{6},{ }_{4}$ | Rev．－Bias Speed （Aise，Fall Time） $12$ | ， | $\stackrel{\text {＂}}{ }{ }^{\text {\％}}$ | 1. | $\because \because$ | $\cdots$ | 1 | （ $\because .$. | ＂， | $\cdots$ |  | ， | 1 | ＂ |  | $<1$ | ns |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{S}}$ | Series Resistance |  |  | 50 | ， | $\therefore$ | 50 |  | － | 50 |  | ． | 50 |  |  | 80 | $\Omega$ |

＊see Note 4.
NOTES：
1．Peak Pulse Power
When exposing the diode to high level incidance the following photocurrent limits must be observed：
$I_{p}($ avg $M A X)<.\frac{\mathrm{P}_{\text {MAX }}-\mathrm{P}_{\phi}}{\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{c}}}$ ；and in addition：
$I_{\text {p }}($ PEAK $)<\frac{1000 \mathrm{~A}}{t(\mu \mathrm{sec})}$ or $<500 \mathrm{~mA}$ or $<\frac{I_{p}(\text { avg MAX．})}{f \times t}$
whichever of the above three conditions is least．
$I_{p}$－photocurrent（A）f－pulse repetion rate（MHz）
$E_{C}$－supply voltage（V） $\mathrm{P}_{\phi}$－power input via photon flux $t$－pulse duration（ $\mu \mathrm{s}$ ） $\mathrm{P}_{\text {MAX }}$－max dissipation（W）

Power dissipation limits apply to the sum of both the optical power input to the device and the electrical power input from flow of photocurrent when reverse voltage is applied．
2．Exceeding the Peak Reverse Voltage will cause permanent damage to the diode．Forward current is harmless to the diode，within the power dissipation limit．For optimum performance，the diode should be reversed biased with $E_{c}$ between 5 and 20 volts．
3．Exceeding the Steady Reverse Voltage may impair the low－noise properties of the photodiodes，an effect which is noticeable only if operation is diode－noise limited（see Figure 8）．
4．The $5082-4205$ has a lens with approximately $2.5 x$ magnification；the actual junction area is $0.5 \times 10^{-3} \mathbf{~ c m}{ }^{2}$ ，corresponding to a diameter of $0.25 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.010^{\prime \prime}\right)$ ．Specification includes lens effect．
5．At any particular wavelength and for the flux in a small spot falling entirely within the active area，responsivity is the ratio of incremental photodiode current to the incremental flux producing it．It is related to quantum efficiency，$\eta_{\mathrm{q}}$ in electrons per photon by：

$$
\mathrm{R}_{\phi}=\eta_{\mathrm{q}}\left(\frac{\lambda}{1240}\right)
$$

where $\lambda$ is the wavelength in nanometers．．Thus，at 770 nm ，a responsivity of $0.5 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{W}$ corresponds to a quantum efficiency of 0.81 （or $81 \%$ ） electrons per photon．
6．At -10 V for the 5082－4204，-4205 ，and -4207 ；at -25 V for the 5082－4203 and $\mathbf{- 4 2 2 0}$ ．
7．For $(\lambda, f, \Delta f)=(770 \mathrm{~nm}, 100 \mathrm{~Hz}, 6 \mathrm{~Hz})$ where $f$ is the frequency for a spot noise measurement and $\Delta f$ is the noise bandwidth，NEP is the optical flux required for unity signal／noise ratio normalized for bandwidth．Thus：

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { NEP }=\frac{I_{N} / \sqrt{\Delta f}}{R_{\phi}} \quad \text { where } I_{N} / \sqrt{\Delta f} \text { is the bandwidth - normalized noise current computed from the shot noise formula: } \\
& \text { 8. Detectivity, } D^{*} \text { is the active-area-normalized signal to noise ratio. It is computed: } \\
& \text { for }(\lambda, f, \Delta f)=(770 \mathrm{~nm}, 100 \mathrm{~Hz}, 6 \mathrm{~Hz}) .
\end{aligned}
$$

9．At -10 V for 5082－4204，$-4205,-4207,-4220$ ；at -25 V for 5082－4203．
10．Between diode cathode lead and case－does not apply to 5082－4205，－4220．
11．With $50 \Omega$ load
12．With $50 \Omega$ load and -20 V bias．


Figure 1. Spectral Response.


Figure 2. Relative Directional Sensitivity of the PIN Photodiodes.


BIAS VOLTAGE (ANODE TO CATHODE VOLTAGE)

Figure 3. Typical Output Characteristics at $\lambda=900 \mathrm{~nm}$.


Figure 4. Dark Current at -10V Bias vs. Temperature.


Figure 7. Photodiode Cut-Off Frequency vs. Load Resistance ( $C=2 \mathrm{pF}$ ).

Figure 9. Photodiode Equivalent Circuit.



Figure 6. Noise vs. Load Resistance.

Figure 5. Typical Capacitance Variation With Applied Voltage.


Figure 8. Noise Equivalent Power vs. Load Resistance.
$\mathrm{Ip}=$ Signal current $\approx 0.5 \mu \mathrm{~A} / \mu \mathrm{W} \times$ flux input at 770 nm $\mathbf{I}_{\mathrm{N}}=$ Shot noise current
$<1.2 \times 10-14 \mathrm{amps} / \mathrm{Hz} 1 / 2(5082-4204)$
$<4 \times 10-14 \mathrm{amps} / \mathrm{Hz} 1 / 2(5082-4207)$
ID $=$ Dark current
$<600 \times 10-12 \mathrm{amps}$ at $\mathbf{- 1 0} \mathrm{V}$ dc (5082-4204)
$<2500 \times 10-12 \mathrm{amps}$ at $\mathbf{- 1 0} \mathrm{V}$ dc $(5082-4207)$
$R_{p}=1011 \Omega$
$\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{S}}=<50 \Omega$

## Application Information

## NOISE FREE PROPERTIES

The noise current of the PIN diodes is negligible. This is a direct result of the exceptionally low leakage current, in accordance with the shot noise formula $I_{N}=\left(2 q I_{R} \Delta f\right)^{1 / 2}$. Since the leakage current does not exceed 600 picoamps for the 5082-4204 at a reverse bias of 10 volts, shot noise current is less than $1.4 \times 10^{-14} \mathrm{amp} \mathrm{Hz}{ }^{-1 / 2}$ at this voltage. Excess noise is also very low, appearing only at frequencies below 10 Hz , and varying approximately as $1 / \mathrm{f}$. When the output of the diode is observed in a load, thermal noise of the load resistance ( $R_{L}$ ) is $1.28 \times 10^{-10}$ $\left(R_{L}\right)^{-1 / 2} \times(\Delta f)^{1 / 2}$ at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, and far exceeds the diode shot noise for load resistance less than 100 megohms (see Figure 6). Thus in high frequency operation where low values of load resistance are required for high cut-off frequency, all PIN photodiodes contribute virtually no noise to the system (see Figures 6 and 7).

## HIGH SPEED PROPERTIES

Ultra-fast operation is possible because the HP PIN photodiodes are capable of a response time less than one nanosecond. A significant advantage of this device is that the speed of response is exhibited at relatively low reverse bias ( -10 to -20 volts).
OFF-AXIS INCIDÁNCE RESPONSE
Response of the photodiodes to a uniform field of radiant incidance $E_{e}$, parallel to the polar axis is given by $1=(R A) x$ $\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{e}}$ for 770 nm . The response from a field not parallel to the axis can be found by multiplying (RA) by a normalizing factor obtained from the radiation pattern at the angle of operation. For example, the multiplying factor for the 5082-4207 with incidance $E_{e}$ at an angle of $40^{\circ}$ from the polar axis is 0.8 . If $E_{e}=1 \mathrm{~mW} / \mathrm{cm}^{2}$, then $I_{p}=k \times(R A) \times E_{e}$; $I_{p}=0.8 \times 4.0 \times 1=3.2 \mu \mathrm{mps}$.

## SPECTRAL RESPONSE

To obtain the response at a wavelength other than 770 nm , the relative spectral response must be considered. Referring to the spectral response curve, Figure 1, obtain response, $X$, at the wavelength desired. Then the ratio of the response at the desired wavelength to response at 770 nm is given by:

$$
\text { RATIO }=\frac{X}{0.5}
$$

Multiplying this ratio by the incidance response at 770 nm gives the incidance response at the desired wavelength.

## ULTRAVIOLET RESPONSE

Under reverse bias, a region around the outside edge of the nominal active area becomes responsive. The width of this annular ring is approximately $25 \mu \mathrm{~m}$ ( 0.001 inch ) at -20 V , and expands with higher reverse voltage. Responsivity in this edge region is higher than in the interior, particularly at shorter wavelengths; at 400 nm the interior, responsivity is $0.1 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{W}$ while edge responsivity is 0.35 A/W. At wavelengths shorter than 400 nm , attenuation by the glass window affects response adversely. Speed of response for edge incidance is $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r}}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{f}} \approx 300 \mathrm{~ns}$.

## 5082-4205 MOUNTING RECOMMENDATIONS

a. The 5082-4205 is intended to be soldered to a printed circuit board having a thickness of from 0.51 to 1.52 mm ( 0.02 to 0.06 inch).
b. Soldering temperature should be controlled so that at no time does the case temperature approach $280^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The lowest solder melting point in the device is $280^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (gold-tin eutectic). If this temperature is approached, the solder will soften, and the lens may fall off. Lead-tin solder is recommended for mounting the package, and should be applied with a small soldering iron, for the shortest possible time, to avoid the temperature approaching $280^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
c. Contact to the lens end should be made by soldering to one or both of the tabs provided. Care should be exercised to prevent solder from coming in contact with the lens.
d. If printed circuit board mounting is not convenient, wire leads may be soldering or welded to the devices using the precautions noted above.

## LINEAR OPERATION

Having an equivalent circuit as shown in Figure 9, operation of the photodiode is most linear when operated with a current amplifier as shown in Figure 10.


Figure 10. Linear Operation.

Lowest noise is obtained with $E_{c}=0$, but higher speed and wider dynamic range are obtained if $5<\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{c}}<20$ volts. The amplifier should have as high an input resistance as possible to permit high loop gain. If the photodiode is reversed, bias should also be reversed.

## LOGARITHMIC OPERATION

If the photodiode is operated at zero bias with a very high impedance amplifier, the output voltage will be:

$$
V_{\text {OUT }}=\left(1+\frac{R_{2}}{R_{1}}\right) \cdot \frac{k T}{q} \cdot \ln \quad\left(1+\frac{I_{P}}{I_{S}}\right)
$$

where $I_{S}=I_{F}\left(e \frac{q V}{k T}-1\right)^{-1}$ at $0<I_{F}<0.1 \mathrm{~mA}$
using a circuit as shown in Figure 11.


Figure 11. Logarithmic Operation.

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－Features，Advantages，Benefits ．．． 26
－Transmitters
－Receivers
－Cables

## Fiber Optics!

Fiber optics is emerging as a practical, cost-effective technology for data communications. Pulses of light traveling down hair-thin fibers are replacing electrical signals transmitted over copper wires. The transmission of information over optical cables offers many features, advantages, and benefits, some not available with any other technology:

## - Features

Optical transmission path
Light pulse "carrier" signals

Bandwidth independent of cable size

## - Advantages

Complete input-output electrical isolation

No EMI susceptibility or radiation

Very high distance/bandwidth products achievable

Light weight, small diameter cables possible

## - Benefits

Freedom from ground loops. Lightning safe.

Freedom from induced noise. Freedom from crosstalk. Secure communications.
Greater data rates at longer distances than wire/coax.

Lower cost installation and maintenance. More bandwidth (channels) per unit area or unit weight.

## Versatile

HP's new fiber optic systems are point-topoint links intended for short to intermediate distance processor-to-processor or pro-cessor-to-peripheral interconnection in commercial, industrial, or military applications. Some of these are:

- Large computer installations
- Distributed processing (minicomputer) systems
- Hospital computer systems
- Power plant communications/control
- Industrial/process control
- Industrial or military secure communications
- Aircraft/shipboard data links
- High voltage or electromagnetic field research
- Remote instrumentation systems
- Factory data collection

In many of these applications induced noise, ground potential differences, high voltage, or extended distance, make twisted wire or coaxial data links difficult or impossible to use. Fiber optics can offer an alternative to expensive shielding, conduit, isolation transformers, or data error checking and retransmission circuitry.



## System Specifications*

DATA RATE:
DATA FORMAT:
LINK DISTANCE:
BIT ERROR RATE:
DATA INPUT:
DATA OUTPUT:
CABLE CONSTRUCTION:

POWER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS
TRANSMITTER:
RECEIVER:

DC to $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ NRZ
No restrictions 0 to 1000 metres $10^{-9}$ max. at $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ NRZ
TTL compatible (1 LSTTL load)
TTL compatible (up to 20 LSTTL loads)

Reinforced, polyurethane jacketed, single fiber, glass core and cladding.
$5 \mathrm{~V} \pm 5 \%$ at 125 mA $5 \mathrm{~V} \pm 5 \%$ at 100 mA

OPERATING TEMPER-
ATURE RANGE:
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* Detailed electrical and mechanical specifications are contained in the following data sheets: HFBR-1001, HFBR-1002, HFBR-2001, HFBR-3000.


## Systems and Components

| HP Part No. | Description | Page No. |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| HFBR-0010 | Complete 10 Metre Simplex System (Contains <br> one each HFBR-1001, -2001,-3001) | (Contact HP <br> Sales Office) |
| HFBR-1001 | 100 Metre Digital Transmitter | 28 |
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## FIBER OPTIC 100 METRE DIGITAL TRANSMITTER

## Features

- HIGH SPEED: dc to $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ NRZ*
- LONG DISTANCE: 100 metres*
- LOW PROFILE: Fits $\mathbf{1 2 . 7 m m}$ ( 0.5 ") spaced card rack
- NO HEAT SINK REQUIRED
- ARBITRARY DATA FORMAT*
- TTL INPUT LEVELS
- SCHMITT DATA INPUT
- OPTICAL PORT CONNECTOR

- SINGLE 5V SUPPLY
*When used with HFBR-2001 Receiver Module and HFBR-3000 Cable/Connector Assemblies.


## Description

The HFBR-1001 fiber optic transmitter is an integrated electrical to optical transducer designed for digital data transmission over single fiber channels. A bipolar integrated circuit and a GaAsP LED convert TTL. level inputs to optical pulses at data rates from dc to $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ NRZ. An integral optical connector on the module allows easy interfacing without problems of source/fiber alignment. The low profile package is designed for direct printed circuit board mounting without additional heat sinking.
The HFBR-1001 is intended for use with HFBR-3000 fiber optic cable/connector assemblies, and the HFBR-2001 fiber optic receiver for transmission distances up to 100 metres. The HFBR-1001 generates optical signals in either of two externally selectable modes. The internally-coded mode produces a 3-level coded optical signal for reception and decoding by the HFBR2001 receiver. This feature provides data format independence over the data rate range of dc to $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ NRZ while allowing for wide dynamic range and high sensitivity at the receiver. The externally-coded mode produces a 2 -level optical signal which is a digital replica of the data input waveform. Used in this mode with the HFBR-2001 receiver, the user must provide proper data formatting (explained in the HFBR-2001 data sheet) to insure proper receiver operation. In either mode, the radiant output is radiologically safe (per ANSI Z136.1-1976).

## Package Dimensions


caution:

1. LOCK NUT AND BARREL SHOULD NOT BE DISTURBED
2. SCREWS ENTEAING THE 2.56 THREADED MOUNTING HOLES MUST NGT TOUCH BOTTOM.
3. THE HFBR -3000 CONNECTOR SHOULO NOT BE TIGHTENED BEYOND THE LIMITS SPECIFIED IN THE HFBR- 3000 DATA SHEET.

| PIN | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | MODE SELECT |
| 2 | N.C. |
| 3 | GROUND |
| 4 | V $_{\text {CC }}$ |
| 5 | DATA INPUT |

NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONS IN mm (INCHES).
2. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPEGIFED

THE TOLERANCE ON ALL DIMENSIONS ${ }^{(S} \pm .38 \mathrm{~mm}( \pm .015)$

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter |  | Symbol | Min | Max | Units | Natas |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature |  | TS | －55 | \＄85 | K |  |
| Operating Temperature |  | TA | 0 | 30 | 8 C |  |
| Lead Soldering | Temperature |  | 管家 | 260 | \％${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |
|  | Time |  |  | 10 | － | \％－2．0 |
| Supply Vottage |  | Vec | －0．6 | 6 | $\mathrm{E}^{2}$ |  |
| Mode Select or <br> Data Input Voltage |  | Vios | －0．5 | 5.5 | V | 边 |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Para | Symbal | Min | Max | Units | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Anblant Temperature | ${ }_{\text {A }}$ | 0 | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| 2－3， $2+3$ | VCc | 4.75 | 5.25 | V | 4 |
| Wigh Lavel lippu Volteige． Mode Selict or Deia thput | $V 14$ | 20 | Pce | 4 |  |
| Low Level toput Voltaga； Mode Select or Date imput |  | 0 | 0.8 | V |  |
| Data input Voltage Pötso Duration theth or fowl | $14.1$ | 100 |  | s |  |

Electrical／Optical Characteristics $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter |  |  | Symbol | Min | Typ ${ }^{(6)}$ | Maxt | Units | Con | ions | Fig． | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| High Level Input Current |  | Made Select | 1 H |  |  | $\frac{100}{20}$ | HA | $V \mathrm{cc}-5.25 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}=24 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | Data Input |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Low Level Input Current |  | Mode Select | $1 L$ | $1 \mathbf{j}$ |  | $\frac{-16}{-0.6}$ | $\mathrm{mA}$ | $v \mathrm{cc} 525 v, v_{1}=04 v$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | Data Input． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Supply Current | Externally－Coded Mode |  |  |  <br> 40 <br> 40 <br> 68 |  | $170$ |  | $M o d e ~ S e l o c t ~$ Data <br> Min  | Input 4 igh $5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | Wom |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | mA |  | hbut Low $4,75 \mathrm{~V}$ | 1 | b |  |
|  | Internally－Coded Mode |  |  |  | $95$ | $125$ |  | Mode Seltent Dat6 | laput High or Low 5.25 V ． |  | 产 |
| Optical <br> Flux | High Level |  |  | ¢H |  | 67 |  |  |  | Data Input High |  |  |
|  | Low Level |  | $\phi_{L}$ |  | 3 |  |  |  | Date Input Low | 1. |  |
|  | Mid Level（average） |  | ¢M |  | 35 |  | $\mu \mathrm{W}$ | Moda＇Seloct Low＇ | Data input | 2 |  |
|  | Excursion $\left(\frac{\text { peak－topeak }}{2}\right)$ |  | $\Delta \emptyset$ | 22 | 32 | $15$ |  | Mode Setect IIGh | square Wive 6500 kHz | 3 | 9 |
| Amplitude Symmetry，Flux Excursion Ratio |  |  | $k$ | 0.8 |  | 1.2 | － | Mode Select Low |  | 1 | 7 |
| Exit Numerical Aperture： |  |  | N．A |  | 0.5 |  | － |  |  | \％ 3 | 㱍 |
| Optical Port（fiber optic core）Diam， |  |  | ${ }_{\text {D }}$ |  | 200 |  | 4 m |  | 等, |  |  |
| Coupling <br> Loss | ```from area mismatch from numerical aperture mismatch``` |  | $\alpha_{\text {A }}$ |  | 6.0 |  |  | With Lren 3000 C | able／Connector |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\alpha_{N, A}$ |  | 4.0 |  |  | Assembly |  | 愛 |  |
| Peak Emission Wavelength |  |  | $\lambda p$ |  | 700 |  | nm |  |  | 4 |  |

Dynamic Characteristics $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter |  |  | Symbol | Min | Typ ${ }^{(6)}$ | Max | Units | Conditions | Fig． | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Defay | High－to－Low Data Input Voltage Step |  | tPHL |  | 31 | 45 | ns |  |  |  |
|  | Low－to－High Data Input Voltage Step |  | PLH |  | 35 | 50 | ns |  |  |  |
| Refresh Pulse Internally－Coded Mode |  | Duration | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{p}}$ |  | 60 |  | ns | $\text { VCC } 5.00 \mathrm{~V} \text {, Mode Select Low }$ | 1 | 8 |
|  |  | Repetition Rate | ${ }^{\prime} \mathrm{f}$ |  | 300 |  | kHz |  |  |  |



Figure 1. Flux Coding and Timing Diagram.


Figure 2. Schematic Diagram.


Figure 3. Radiation Pattern.*


Figure 4. Emission Spectrum.
*The optical fiber is recessed within the barrel at a distance of approximately 7 mm . Solid line represents radiation pattern from fiber stub without obscuration by connector barrel. Dashed line represents radiation pattern as seen from outside of connector.

## Notes (cont'd):

3. Measured at a point 2 mm (. 079 in .) from where lead enters package.
4. A supply decoupling network of $2.2 \mu \mathrm{H}$ with $60 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ is recommended.
5. Average currents for steady-state conditions at Data Input.
6. For typical values, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.00 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
7. Flux excursion ratio, $k$, is the ratio of flux excursion above mid level to flux excursion below mid level. $k=\frac{\phi_{H}-\phi_{M}}{\phi_{M}-\phi_{L}}$.
8. The refresh pulse is interrupted (abbreviated) if Data input changes state during the refresh pulse. MAX propagation delay is for Data Input changing state during the maximum excursion of the refresh pulse.
9. Flux excursion
$\Delta \phi=0.5\left(\phi_{\mathrm{H}}-\phi_{\mathrm{L}}\right)$, or $\Delta \phi=0.5\left(\phi_{\mathrm{M}}-\phi_{\mathrm{L}}\right) \cdot(1+\mathrm{k})$.
Notice that under the conditions specified for $\Delta \phi$, the average flux is ( $\Delta \phi+\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ ).

## Electrical Description

The HFBR-1001 has two modes of operation: Internally-Coded mode and Externally-Coded mode. These are selected by making the Mode Select input "low" for Internally-Coded mode and "high" for Externally-Coded mode. With Mode Select "low," the optical signal generator in the HFBR-1001 produces a "mid-level" flux which has positive or negative excursions, depending on whether Data Input is "high" or "low." In this Internally-Coded mode, a train of positive excursions is initiated when Data Input goes "high;" when Data Input goes "low," a train of negative excursions is initiated. These excursions are pulses of approximately 60ns duration with a 300 kHz repetition rate. Each initiation of a pulse train starts with a full-duration pulse, but when Data Input changes state, the train is terminated-even at mid-pulse-as a new train of opposite-polarity pulses is initiated. With this coding scheme and the low duty factor, the average flux is always near the mid-level, regardless of the data rate or duration in either state. This coding scheme is designed to operate the HFBR2001 Fiber Optic Receiver most effectively; the mid-level flux operates the Receiver's dc-restorer and the "refresh" pulses of either polarity keep the Receiver's ALC voltage at the proper level, allowing low propagation delay for any change of state at Data Input. The Internally-Coded mode permits transmission of analog information, e.g., by means of Pulse Width Modulation. Another advantage of the 3-level Internally-Coded mode is that supply current is nearly the same for either logic state, thus reducing transients on the power supply line.
With Mode Select "high," the optical signal is at full maximum (~2 X mid level) when Data Input is "high," and nearly zero when Data Input is "low." This mode provides for these three applications:

1. Steady state turn-on of the photo-emitter at maximum flux level (e.g., for system diagnosis).
2. Stand-by mode (e.g., when the system is not in use).
3. Transmission of 2-level optical signals from externally generated code (e.g., Manchester) for receivers not configured for the 3-level code. With Mode Select "high," the output is either $\phi_{\mathrm{H}}$, or $\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$. Direct analog operation is not possible due to hysteresis in the response of the optical signal to the Data Input signal.

## Mechanical and Thermal Considerations

Typical power consumption is less than 500 mW so the transmitter can be mounted without consideration for external heat sinking. The optical port is an optical fiber stub centered in a metallic ferrule. This ferrule supports a split-wall cylindrical spring sleeve which aligns the ferrule in the Transmitter with the ferrule in the HFBR-3000 Fiber Optic Cable/Connector. The connection procedure is to FIRST start the Connector ferrule into the sleeve; THEN screw the coupling ring on the barrel. The barrel performs no alignment function; its purpose is to hold the ferrule faces together when the coupling ring is tightened as specified in the HFBR-3000 Fiber Optic Cable/Connector data sheet.
The HFBR-1001 should be mounted so that the lock nut at the optical port is not disturbed. Moving the lock nut can cause misalignment of the optical fiber stub inside the module resulting in a reduction of power output. Mounting at the edge of a printed circuit board with the lock nut overhanging the edge is recommended.

# FIBER OPTIC 1000 METRE DIGITAL TRANSMITTER 

## Features

- LONG DISTANCE TRANSMISSION: 1000 METRES*
- PIN COMPATIBLE WITH HFBR-1001 TRANSMITTER
- HIGH SPEED: DC TO 10 Mbaud*
- NO DATA ENCODING REQUIRED*
- FUNCTIONAL LINK MONITORING*
- TTL INPUT LEVELS
- BUILT-IN OPTICAL CONNECTOR
- LOW PROFILE: PCB MOUNTABLE
- SINGLE +5V SUPPLY
*When used with HFBR-2001 Receiver Module and any HewlettPackard HFBR-3000 Series Cable/Connector Assembly.


## Description



The HFBR-1002 fiber optic transmitter is an integrated electrical to optical transducer designed for digital data transmission over single optical fiber channels. A bipolar integrated circuit and a high efficiency GaAIAs LED convert TTL level inputs to optical pulses at data rates from dc to 10 Mbaud (see note 5). An integral optical connector on the module allows easy interfacing without problems of fiber alignment. The low profile rugged industrial package is designed for direct circuit board mounting without additional heat sinking on printed circuit boards with 12.7 mm ( $0.5^{\prime \prime}$ ) card rack spacing.
The HFBR-1002 is intended for use with Hewlett-Packard fiber optic cable/connector assemblies, and the HFBR-2001 fiber optic receiver for transmission distances to 1000 metres. It is a direct replacement for extending links currently using the HFBR-1001 ( 100 metre) transmitter to give 1000 metre capability. The HFBR-1002 generates optical signals in either of two externally selectable modes. True dc response (data high or low for arbitrary time interval) is available when using the Internally-Coded mode.
WARNING: OBSERVING THE TRANSMITTER OUTPUT FLUX UNDER MAGNIFICATION MAY CAUSE INJURY TO THE EYE. When viewed with the unaided eye, the near IR output flux is radiologically safe; however, when viewed under magnification, precaution should be taken to avoid exceeding the limits recommended in ANSI Z136.1-1976.

## Package Dimensions



CAUTION:

1. LOCK NUT AND BARREL. SHOULD NOT BE DISTURBED.
2. SCREWS ENTERING THE 2.56 THREADED MOUNTING HOLES MUST NOT TOUCH BOTTOM.
3. THE CONNECTOR SHOULD NOT BE TIGHTENED BEYOND THE LIMITS TIBHTENED BEYOND THE LT. SPECIFIED IN THE HEWLETTDATA SHEET (FINGER TIGHT).

| PIN | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | MODE SELECT |
| 2 | N.C. |
| 3 | GROUND |
| 4 | $V_{\text {CC }}$ |
| 5 | DATA INPUT |

## NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONS IN mm (INCHES)
2. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED THE TOLERANCE ON ALL. DIMENSIONS IS $\approx .38 \mathrm{~mm}\left(. .015^{n}\right)$

# Absolute Maximum Ratings 

| Parameter |  | Symbol | Min | Max | Units | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature |  | $T_{S}$ | -55 | +85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Operating Temperature |  | TA | 0 | $+70$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Lead Soldering | Temperature |  |  | 260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 3 |
|  | Time |  |  | 10 | \$ |  |
| Supply Voltage |  | VCC | -0.5 | 6 | $V$ |  |
| Mode Select or <br> Data Input Voltage |  | $V_{1}$ | -0.5 | 5.5 | V | , |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parametor | Symbol | Min | Max | Units | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ambient Temperature | TA | 0 | +70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Supply Voltage | VCc | 4.75 | 5,25 | $y$ | 4 |
| High Level Input Voftage, Mode Select or Data Input | $v_{1}$ | 20 | Vec | * |  |
| Low Level Input Vottage. Mode Select or Data fnput | $V_{1 L}$ | 0 | 0.8 | v |  |
| Data Input Voltage Pulse Duration (high or lowl | $x_{H}+$ | 100 |  | ns | 5 |
| Transmission Distance | 2 |  | 1000 | m | 6 |

## Electrical/Optical CharacteristicS $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified



## Dynamic Characteristics $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter |  |  | Symbol | Min | Typ ${ }^{(7)}$ | Max | Units | Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation <br> Delay | High-to-Low Data Input Voltage Step |  | tPHL |  | 34 | 42 | ns |  |  | 11 |
|  | Low-to-High Data Input Voltage Step |  | tPLH |  | 32 | 38 | ns | Data Input Square Wave at 500 kHz |  | 1 |
| Refresh Pulse Internally-Coded Mode |  | Duration | $t_{p}$ |  | 40 |  | ns | $V_{C C}=5.00 \mathrm{~V}$, Mode Select Low | 1 | 11 |
|  |  | Repetition Rate | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  | 300 |  | kHz. |  |  |  |



Figure 1. Flux Coding and Timing Diagram.



Figure 3. Radiation Pattern.*


Figure 4. Emission Spectrum.
*The optical fiber is recessed within the barrel at a distance of approximately 7 mm . Solid line represents radiation pattern from fiber stub without obscuration by connector barrel. Dashed line represents radiation pattern as seen from outside of connector.

Notes (cont'd):
3. Measured at a point 2 mm (. 079 in .) from where lead enters package.
4. A supply decoupling network of $2.2 \mu \mathrm{H}$ with $60 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ is recommended.
5. With NRZ data, 10 Mbaud corresponds to a data rate of 10 Mbits/second. With other codes, the data rate is the baud rate divided by the number of code intervals per bit interval. Selfclocking code (e.g., Manchester) usually has two code intervals per bit interval giving $5 \mathrm{Mbits} /$ second at 10 Mbaud .
6. With Hewlett-Packard HFBR-2001 and HFBR-3000 Series Cable/Connector Assembly.
7. For typical values, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.00 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
8. The transmitter output, $\phi T$, equals the flux excursion, $\Delta \phi=\left(\phi \mathrm{H}-\phi_{\mathrm{L}}\right) / 2$. Notice that under the conditions specified for $\Delta \phi$, the average flux is $(\phi H+\phi L) / 2$.
9. Flux excursion ratio, $k$, is the ratio of flux excursion above mid level to flux excursion below mid level.

$$
k=\frac{\phi_{H}-\phi_{M}}{\phi_{M}-\phi_{L}}
$$

10. Average currents for steady-state conditions at Data Input.
11. The refresh pulse is interrupted (abbreviated) if Data Input changes state during the refresh pulse. MAX propagation delay is for Data Input changing state during the maximum excursion of the refresh pulse.

## Electrical Description

The HFBR-1002 has two modes of operation: InternallyCoded mode and Externally-Coded mode. These are selected by making the Mode Select input "low" for Internally-Coded mode and "high" for Externally-Coded mode. With Mode Select "low," the optical signal generator in the HFBR-1002 produces a "mid-level" flux which has positive or negative excursions, depending on whether Data Input is "high" or "low". In this InternallyCoded mode, a train of positive excursions is initiated when Data Input goes "high;" when Data Input goes "low," a train of negative excursions is initiated. These excursions are pulses of approximately 40 ns duration with a 300 kHz repetition rate. Each initiation of a pulse train starts with a full-duration pulse, but when Data Input changes state, the train is terminated - even at mid-pulse - as a new train of opposite-polarity pulses is initiated. With this coding scheme and the low duty factor, the average flux is always near the mid-level, regardless of the data rate or duration in either state. This coding scheme, which is transparent to the user, is designed to operate the HFBR2001 Fiber Optic Receiver most effectively; the mid-level flux operates the Receiver's dc-restorer and the "refresh" pulses of either polarity keep the Receiver's ALC voltage at the proper level, providing data format independence (no data encoding required) over the data rate range of dc to 10 Mbaud . The Internally-Coded mode permits transmission of analog information, e.g., by means of Pulse Width Modulation. Another advantage of the 3 -level Internally-Coded mode is that supply current is nearly the same for either logic state, thus reducing transients on the power supply line.
With Mode Select "high," the optical signal is at full maximum ( $\sim 2 \mathrm{X}$ mid-level) when Data Input is "high," and nearly zero when Data Input is "low." Used in this mode with the HFBR-2001 Receiver, the user must provide proper data formatting (e.g., Manchester or Bi-Phase coding, explained in HFBR-2001 data sheet) to ensure proper receiver operation. This mode provides for these three applications:

1. Steady state turn-on of the photo-emitter at maximum flux level (e.g., for system diagnosis).
2. Stand-by mode (e.g., when the system is not in use).
3. Transmission of 2-level optical signals from externally generated code (e.g., Manchester) for receivers not configured for the 3 -level code. With Mode Select "high," the output is either $\phi \mathrm{H}$, or $\phi \mathrm{L}$. Direct analog operation is not possible due to hysteresis in the response of the optical signal to the Data Input signal.

## Mechanical and Thermal Considerations

Typical power consumption is less than 500 mW so the transmitter can be mounted without consideration for external heat sinking. The optical port is an optical fiber stub centered in a metallic ferrule. This ferrule supports a split-wall cylindrical spring sleeve which aligns the ferrule in the Transmitter with the ferrule in the Hewlett-Packard Fiber Optic Cable/Connector Assembly. The threaded barrel performs no alignment function; its purpose is to hold the ferrule faces together when the coupling ring is tightened finger-tight as specified in the Hewlett-Packard Fiber Optic Cable/Connector data sheet.
The HFBR-1002 should be mounted so that the lock nut at the optical port is not disturbed. Moving the lock nut can cause misalignment of the optical fiber stub inside the module resulting in a reduction of power output. Mounting at the edge of a printed circuit board with the lock nut overhanging the edge is recommended.
Good system performance requires clean ferrule faces to avoid obstructing the optical path. Clean compressed air often is sufficient to remove particles of dirt; methanol or Freon ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ on a cotton swab also works well. If it is absolutely necessary to remove the threaded barrel and lock nut to clean the transmitter ferrule face, refer to the section "Installation Measurement and Maintenance" in HewlettPackard Application Note 1000.


Figure 5. Normalized Transmitter Output Flux vs. Temperature.

## Features

- HIGH SPEED: dc to 10Mb/s NRZ*
- LOW NOISE: $10^{-9}$ BER with $0.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}$ Input*
- LOW PROFILE: Fits $\mathbf{1 2 . 7 m m}(\mathbf{0 . 5}$ ") spaced card rack
- SINGLE SUPPLY VOLTAGE
- WIDE OPTICAL DYNAMIC RANGE: 23dB
- OPTICAL PORT CONNECTOR
- ARBITRARY DATA FORMAT*
- TTL OUTPUT LEVELS

- LINK MONITOR: Shows Satisfactory Input Signal*
*When used with HFBR-1001/1002 Transmitters and HFBR-3000 Cable/Connector Assemblies.


## Description

HFBR-2001 fiber optic receiver is an integrated optical to electrical transducer designed for reception of digital data over single fiber channels. A silicon PIN photodetector and a bipolar integrated circuit convert optical pulses to TTL level outputs with an optical sensitivity of $.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}$, a dynamic range of 23 dB , and data rates to $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s} \mathrm{NRZ}$. An integral optical connector on the module allows easy interfacing without problems of fiber/detector alignment. The low profile package is designed for direct printed circuit board mounting without additional heat sinking.
The HFBR-2001 is intended for use with HFBR-3000 fiber optic cable/connector assemblies and the HFBR-1001/1002 fiber optic transmitters. In order to provide wide dynamic range, dc response, and high sensitivity, the receiver must periodically extract information from the optical waveform. When operating with a transmitter in the internally-coded mode, this information is automatically provided by the transmitter. When operating in the externally-coded mode, or with another transmission source, the user must provide proper data formatting to insure proper receiver operation.

An additional TTL output called Link Monitor (LM), provides a digital indication of link continuity independent of the presence of data. Link continuity is indicated by a logical high output state.

## Package Dimensions



CAUTION:

1. LOCK NUT AND BARREL SHOULD NOT BE DISTURBED
2. SCREWS ENTERING THE 2.56 THREADED MOUNTING. HOLES MUST NOT TOUCH BOTTOM.
3. THE HFRR-3000 CONNECTOR SHOULD NOT BE TIGHTENED BEYOND THE LIMITS SPECIFIED IN THE HFBR-3000 DATA SHEET.

| PIN | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :--- |
| 1 | TEST POINT |
| 2 | LINK MONITOR |
| 3 | GROUND |
| 4 | $V_{\text {CC }}$ |
| 5 | DATA OUTPUT |

NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONS IN mm IINCHES)
2. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED THE TOLERANCE ON ALL. DIMENSIONS IS $\pm .38 \mathrm{~mm}\left(*: 035^{* t}\right\}$

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter |  | Symbol | Min | Max | Unhin | Noters |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature |  | TS | -55 | 85 | ${ }^{4}$ |  |
| Operating Temperature |  | TA | 0 | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | , |
| Lead Soldering | Temperature |  |  | 260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | \% |
| Cycte s. | Time |  |  | -10 | 0 | 2ravaky |
| Supply Voltage |  | VCC | -0.5 | 6.0 | ${ }^{*}{ }^{*}{ }^{\text {c }}$ | - |
| Output Voltage (High State) |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ |  | 6.0 | $V$ | 2 |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parametar |  |  | Symbol | Min | Max | Unita | Noter ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amblent Temperature |  |  | $T_{\text {A }}$ | 0 | 70 | \% | 6, \% \% \%xa |
| Supply Voltage |  |  | $V_{\text {cc }}$ | 4.75 | 5.25 | \% C |  |
| Supply Ripple (Peak-to-Peak) |  |  | $\Delta V_{C C}$ |  | 250 | mV | W, 4 , |
| High tevel Output Current | Link Monitar |  |  |  | -100 | 2, |  |
|  | Data Output |  | OH |  | -400 |  | Waymax |
| Low Level Ouput Current |  |  | 10 L |  | 8 | mA. | 2 5 |
| Average Input Flux. |  |  | $\phi$ M | 0.8 | 100 | \% HW | - 6.6 |
| Peak-to-Peak Input Flux |  |  |  | 1.6 | 200 | - \%W | \%. ${ }^{\text {cket }}$ |
| Optical Input Pulse Duration and Timing | 2-Level <br> Code | High Level | ${ }_{\text {th }}$ | 100 | 5000 | \% | \% waval |
|  |  | Low Level | t |  |  |  | \%.an |
|  | Flux Excursion Ratio |  | k | 0.75 | 1.25 |  | \% \% \% ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
|  | 3-Level Code | High Level | th | 50 |  |  | Fx\%20 |
|  |  | Low Level | Li |  |  |  | \%ack |
|  |  | Mid Level | tM. | 0.05 | 6.7 | - H | \% 8 |
|  | Refresh Repetition Rate |  | $\mathrm{fR}^{\text {R }}$ | 150 |  | kHz |  |
|  | Refresh Duty Factor |  | frth, frat |  | 0,04 |  |  |

Electrical/Optical CharacteristicS $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter |  |  | Symbol | Min | Typ ${ }^{5}$ | Max | Units | Conditions |  | 6\%. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Output <br> Voltage | High <br> State | Data Output | VOH | 2.4 | 2.85 |  | $\checkmark$ | $\phi=\left(\phi_{M}+0.8 \mu W\right), ~=-400 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | VCO |  |  |
|  |  | Link Monitor |  |  |  |  |  | $\Delta \phi=0.8 \mathrm{HW}^{0} \mathrm{O}-100 \mathrm{HA}$ | 4.75 v | 12 | 7,0 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Low } \\ & \text { State } \end{aligned}$ | Data Output | VOL |  | 0.35 | 0.5 | V |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Link Monitor |  |  | 0.2 | 0.4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Test Point Voltage |  |  | $V_{T}$ |  | 0 |  | V | $\begin{aligned} & \phi_{M}=100 \mu W \\ & \phi_{M}=0 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 10 |
|  |  |  |  | 1.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Supply Current |  |  |  | ICC |  | 77. | 100 | mA | $v_{\text {cc }}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$$v_{C c}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 60 |  | 77 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Optical Port (fiber optic core) Diameter |  |  | $\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{c}}$ |  | 200 |  | $\mu \mathrm{m}$ | 4 |  |  |  |  |
| Numerical Aperture |  |  | N,A. |  | 0.5 |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |  |
| Peak Responsivity Wavelength |  |  | $\lambda_{p}$ |  | 770 |  | nm |  |  | 4 |  |  |

## Dynamic CharacteristicS $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter |  |  | Symbol | Min | Typ ${ }^{5}$ | Max | Units | Condition | Fig. | Noto |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation <br> Delay | High to Low | 3-Level Code | tPHL |  | 29 | 37 | ns | $V_{C C}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, k$ - L Link Montar H 1 ioh |  |  |
|  |  | 2-Level Code |  |  | 37 | 45 |  |  | 5 2 | 11* |
|  | Low to High | 3-Level Code | tPLH |  | 37 | 52 | ns |  |  |  |
|  |  | 2-Level Code |  |  | 45 | 60 |  |  | \% ${ }^{\text {堢2 }}$ | $\cdots$ |
| Link Monitor Response Time | Low-to-High |  | ${ }_{\text {t M }}$ |  | 20 |  | ms |  |  | 13.4 |
|  | High-to-Low |  | tML |  | 1000 |  |  | $1 \mathrm{OL}=8 \mathrm{~mA}$, Paktopegk |  | 14. |
| Bit Error Rate at 10 M baud |  |  | BER |  |  | $10^{-9}$ |  |  |  | 15 |



DATA INPUT TO TRANSMITTER, E.G. MANCHESTER (HFBR-1001 EXTERNALLY CODED) OMITTING TRANSMISSION DELAY


Figure 1. Optical Input Timing Requirements.

Notes (cont'd):
3. Measured at a point $2 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.079^{\prime \prime}\right)$ from where the lead enters the package.
4. If ripple exceeds the specified limit, the regulator shown in Figure 5 should be used. The LC filter shown in Figure 5 is recommended whether the reguiator is used or not.
5. For typical values, $\mathrm{V}_{C C}=5.00 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
6. Flux is averaged over an interval of at least $50 \mu \mathrm{~s}$. Flux values specified are for the equivalent of a monochromatic source between 700 nm and 820 nm
7. For either 2-level or 3-level code, $k=\left(\phi_{H^{-}} \phi_{M}\right) /\left(\phi_{M}-\phi_{\mathrm{L}}\right)$.
8. For the HFBR-2001, a 3-Level Code is defined as having a mid-level, with equal-amplitude and pulse width excursions to high-level or to low-level.
9. Link Monitor provides a check of link continuity. A low Link Monitor output indicates that the optical signal path has been interrupted. For example, it might indicate a broken cable or a loose, dirty, or damaged connector. The link may still be operational with Link Monitor low, but it should be checked to determine the cause of the low indication. When the source of flux is an Internally-Coded HFBR-1001/1002 Fiber Optic Transmitter, Link Monitor high will be a valid indication of link continuity whether or not data is being transmitted. An optical input with excursions ( $\Delta \phi$ ) greater than or equal to $0.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}$ is sufficient to hold Link Monitor high.
10. When observing $V_{T}$, use a voltmeter with at least $10 M \Omega$ input resistance. With zero input flux, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$ is at its maximum value, $V_{T, M A X}$. Then when flux is being received, whether modulated or not:

$$
\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}, \mathrm{MAX}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}\right)=(25 \mathrm{k} \Omega)\left(\left(_{\mathrm{p}}\right)=(25 \mathrm{k} \Omega)\left(\mathrm{R}_{\phi} \phi \mathrm{M}\right)\right.
$$

where $I_{p}=$ average photodiode photocurrent
$\mathrm{R}_{\phi} \approx 0.4 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{W}=$ photodiode responsivity
$\phi_{M}=$ average flux being received
11. Measured from the time at which optical input crosses the $25 \%$ level until DATA OUTPUT $=1.5 \mathrm{~V}$ in HL transition.
12. Measured from the time at which optical input crosses the $75 \%$ level until DATA OUTPUT $=1.5 \mathrm{~V}$ in LH transition.


Figure 2. Schematic Diagram.
13. Measured from the time at which optical input fluctuation begins until LINK MONITOR rises to 1.5 V .
14. Measured from the time at which optical input fluctuation ceases until LINK MONITOR falls to 1.5 V .
15. With NRZ data, 10Mbaud corresponds to a data rate of $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$. With other codes, the data rate is the baud rate divided by the number of code intervals per bit interval-self-clocking code (e.g., Manchester) usually has two code intervals per bit interval giving $5 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ at 10 Mbaud .

## Electrical Description

Flux enters the HFBR-2001 via an optical fiber stub where a PIN photodiode converts it to a photocurrent. This photocurrent goes to an I-V (current-to-voltage) amplifier which utilizes both dc feedback and ALC (automatic level control).
The function of dc feedback is to keep the average value of the signal centered in the linear range of the amplifier. The dc feedback amplifier has a high impedance output to establish a long time constant on a capacitor at its output. (The voltage on the capacitor is observable at the test point). As seen in the schematic diagram, the voltage on this capacitor extracts the average component of photocurrent from the input of the I-V amplifier so its average output is at a fixed level. Optical flux excursions above and below the average cause voltage excursion above and below the fixed level at the output of the I-V amplifier.
The voltage excursions operate a flip-flop whose output drives the Data Output amplifier; an excursion above the average level sets the data output high, where it remains until an excursion below the average level resets the flip-flop.

To prevent overdrive, an ALC circuit, responding to excursions either above or below the average level, controls the gain of the I-V amplifier. Gain is then determined by whichever polar-
ity of excursion is the greater. If these excursions are too far from being balanced, the gain limitation imposed by the larger excursion may cause the smaller (opposite polarity) excursion to be too small to operate the flip-flop.

The Link Monitor output is driven by an amplifier which responds to the ALC voltage. The Link Monitor is high when the flux excursions are greater than or equal to $0.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}$.

## Mechanical and Thermal Considerations

Typical power consumption is less than 500 mW so the Receiver can be mounted without consideration for additional heat sinking. The optical port is an optical fiber stub centered in a metallic ferrule. This ferrule supports a split-wall cylindrical spring sleeve which aligns the ferrule in the Receiver with the ferrule in the HFBR-3000 Fiber Optic Cable/Connector. The connection procedure is to FIRST start the Connector ferrule into the sleeve, THEN screw the coupling ring on the barrel. The barrel performs no alignment function; its purpose is to hold the ferrule faces together when the coupling ring is tightened as specified in the HFBR-3000 Fiber Optic Cable/Connector data sheet.


Figure 3. Reception Pattern.*
*The optical fiber is recessed within the barrel at a distance of approximately 7 mm . Solid line represents reception pattern at fiber stub without obscuration by connector barrel. Dashed line represents reception pattern as seen from outside of connector.


Figure 4. Spectral Response.


Figure 5. Power Supply Transient Filter Recommendation.

# FIBER OPTIC SINGLE CHANNEL CABLE/CONNECTOR ASSEMBLIES 

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## Features

- USER SPECIFIED CABLE LENGTHS
- CONNECTORS FACTORY INSTALLED AND TESTED
- PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED OVER TEMPERATURE AND HUMIDITY
- HIGH STRENGTH
- LIGHT WEIGHT
- SMALL BEND RADIUS


## Description

The HFBR-3000 Simplex Fiber Optic Cable/Connector Assemblies are intended for use with the HFBR-1001/-1002 Transmitters and HFBR-2001 Receiver for digital data transmission. The Connectors mate directly with the optical ports on the Transmitters and Receiver. The cable uses a single fused silica, partially graded index, glassclad fiber surrounded by silicone coating, buffer jacket, and tensile strength members. This combination is then covered by a scuff-resistant outer jacket. The cable resistance to mechanical abuse, safety in flammable environments, and inherent absence of electromagnetic interference effects may make the use of conduit unnecessary. However, the light weight and high strength of these assemblies allows them to be drawn through most electrical conduits. The HFBR-3099 Adapter, for interconnecting cables, consists of two parts: a sleeve to align the ferrules and barrel to join the connector couplings.

HFBR-3000 CABLE LENGTH TOLERANCE

| Cable Length (Metres) | Tolerance | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1-10$ | $\frac{+10}{-0}$ | $\%$ |
| $11-100$ | $\frac{ \pm 1}{-0}$ | Metre |
| $>100$ | $\frac{ \pm 1}{-0}$ | $\%$ |

Mechanical Dimensions


## Cable/Connector Ordering Guide

HFBR-3000 defines an optical cable of user specified length supplied with factory installed and tested connectors. Length must be specified in metres and can be any one metre increment from 1 to 1000 metres. Length information is shown as option 001 to the base product number with quantity equal to the number of cable assemblies ordered.

## Examples:

For a single length of 245 metres specify:
HFBR-3000 Optic Cable Assy Quantity 1
Option 001245 metres long Quantity 1
For seven lengths of 1000 metres specify:
HFBR-3000 Optic Cable Assy Quantity 7
Option 0011000 metres long Quantity 7
Systems intended to operate at distances greater than 1000 metres may require special component selection, depending upon operating conditions. For cable lengths greater than 1000 metres contact your local HewlettPackard sales office.


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

|  | Parameter | Symbol | Min． | Max． | Units | Note | Parameter | Symbol | Min． | Max．${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Unlts | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Relative Humidity at $T_{A}=70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  | 95 | \％ | 12 | Bend Radus | 友r | 7 |  | पm⿵冂 | 10 |
| Storage Temperature |  | S | －40 | ＋85 |  |  | Flexing |  |  | 50，000 | cycles | 4 |
| Operating Temperature |  | $T_{A}$ | 0 | $+70$ |  |  | Crush Load | FC |  | 200 | N |  |
| Tensile Force | on Cable |  |  | 3000 |  |  |  | m | 2\％ | ， 1 | kg |  |
|  | on Connector／Cable |  |  | 100 |  |  |  | \％ |  | 03 | $\cdots$ |  |

## Mechanical／Optical Characteristics $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameler | Symbol | Mn． | Jys． | Max | Units | Conditions | Fig． | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Exit Numerical Aperture | NA | \％ C | 03 |  | $\cdots$ | $x-820 \mathrm{~nm} \chi^{2} 300 \mathrm{~m}$ | 1 |  |
| Insertion Loss |  | 5\％ | 46 | 20. |  |  | 2 | 9，1 |
|  |  | \％ | \％ | 10. |  | $3 \mathrm{~A}=820 \mathrm{~nm} \ell>300 \mathrm{~m}$ | 2 | ， 1 |
|  | ${ }_{4}$ |  | 5.4 | 8.4 | d8 | $\lambda \leq 820 n m \quad \ell \leq 300 \mathrm{~m}$ |  | 13，44 |
| Fiber Dispersion | St1／2 |  | 14.5 |  | nsikim | $700<1<820 \mathrm{mP}$ | 3 |  |
| Fiber 3dB Bandwidth | Ste |  | 20 | 4 | ， $41+2 . \mathrm{km}$ |  |  |  |
| Optical Fiber Core Diameter | DC |  | 100 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cladding Outside Diameter | DCL |  | 140 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Optical Fiber Profile Index | $\alpha_{1}{ }_{\text {d }}$ |  | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Elongation Under Tensile Force | 312 |  | 0.5 |  | $\%$ | $F=300 \mathrm{~N}$ |  | 9 |
| Mass per Unit Length． | $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{L}$ |  | 6 |  | ． $\mathrm{kg} / \mathrm{km}$ | － |  |  |
| Cable Outside Diameter． | DCA | 4 | 2.5 |  | mm | －${ }^{2}$ |  |  |

Notes（cont＇d
4． $180^{\circ}$ bending at minimum bend radius，with 10 N tensile load
5．Force applied on 2.5 mm diameter mandrel laid across the cable on a flat surface，for 100 hours，followed by flexure test．
6．For mass $m$ dropped from height $h$ on 25 mm diameter mandrel laid across the cable on a flat surface．
7．Exit N．A．is defined as the sine of the angle at which the off－axis radiant intensity is $10 \%$ of the axial radiant intensity．
8．Fiber 3 dB Bandwidth－Length，$(\mathrm{MHz} \cdot \mathrm{km})$ is defined as $350 /$ fiber dispersion（ $\mathrm{ns} / \mathrm{km}$ ）．

9．Typical values are at $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
10．This applies for short term testing，less than one hour．
11．Fiber loss exclusive of connector loss．
12．This applies to cable only
13．When using HFBR－1002 transmitter with HFBR－3000 Cable／ Connector Assembly，Total Insertion Loss；$\left.\alpha_{T} \doteq \alpha_{F}+\alpha_{O} \underline{(l-300}\right)$ for $\ell>300 \mathrm{~m}$ ；for lengths $\ell \leq 300 \mathrm{~m}, \alpha_{T}=\alpha_{F}$ ．
$0.1 \mathrm{~N} \cdot \mathrm{~m}$ ．
14．Coupling Ring＂Finger Tight＂，torque $0.05<L<0.1$ N•m． Overtightening may cause excessive fiber misalignment or permanent damage．


Figure 1．Optical Fiber Output Radiation Pattern．


Figure 2．Spectral Transmission．

The actual fiber dispersion is determined from the RMS Pulse Spreading and can be approximated by：



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High Speed Optocouplers

| Device |  | Description | Application ${ }^{[1]}$ | Typical Data Rate <br> (NRZ) | Current <br> Transfer Ratio | Specified Input Current | Withstand Test Voltage | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $6 \text { N135 }$ | Transistor Output | Line Receiver, Analog Circuits, TTL/CMOS, TTL/LSTTL Ground Isolation | 1 $\mathrm{M} \mathrm{bit} / \mathrm{s}$ | 7\% Min. | 16 mA | $3000 \mathrm{Vdc}[3]$ | 46 |
| Cathode $\sqrt{3}$ | 6N136 |  |  |  | 19\% Min. |  |  |  |
|  | HCPL-2502 |  |  |  | 15-22\%[2] |  |  |  |
|  | HCPL-2530 | Dual Channel Transistor Output | Line Receiver, Analog Circuits, TTL/CMOS, TTL/LSTTL Ground Isolation | $1 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{bit} / \mathrm{s}$ | 7\% Min. | 16 mA | $3000 \mathrm{Vdc}[3]$ | 50 |
|  | 6N137 | Optically Coupled Logic Gate | Line Receiver, High Speed Logic Ground Isolation | 10M Bit/s | 700\% Typ. | 5.0 mA | $\left.3000 \mathrm{Vdc}^{3}\right]$ | 54 |
|  | HCPL-2601 | High Common Mode Rejection, Optically Coupled Logic Gate | Line Receiver, High Speed Logic Ground Isolation In High Ground or Induced Noise Environments | 10M bit/s | 700\% Typ. | 5.0 mA | $3000 \mathrm{Vdc}[3]$ | 58 |
|  | HCPL-2602 | Optically Coupled Line Receiver | Replace Conventional Line Receivers In High Ground or Induced Noise Environments | 10M bit/s | 700\% Typ. | 5.0 mA | $3000 \mathrm{Vdc}{ }^{[3]}$ | 62 |
|  | HCPL-2630 | Dual Channel Optically Coupled Gate | Line Receiver, High Speed Logic Ground Isolation | 10M bit/s | 700\% Typ. | 5.0 mA | $3000 \mathrm{Vdc}[3]$ | 68 |

## High Gain Optocouplers



## AC/DC to Logic Interface Optocoupler

| Device |  | Description | Application ${ }^{[1]}$ | Typical Data Rates | Input Threshold Current | Output Current | Withstand Test Voltage | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Page } \\ & \text { No. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | HCPL-3700 | AC/DC to Logic Threshold Sensing Interface Optocoupler $V_{C C}=20 \mathrm{~V}$ | Limit Switch <br> Sensing, Low Voltage <br> Detector, Relay <br> Contact Monitor | 4 KHz | $\begin{aligned} & 2.5 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{TH} \\ & 1.3 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{TH} \end{aligned}$ | 4.2 mA | $3000 \mathrm{Vdc}^{[3]}$ | 84 |

## Hermetic Optocouplers

| Device |  | Description | Application[1] | Typical Data Rate (NRZ) | Current Transfer Ratio | Specified Input Current | Withstand Test Voltage | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $6 N 134$ <br> $6 N 134$ <br> $6 N 134 T X V B$ | Dual Channel Hermetically Sealed Optically Coupled Logic Gate. <br> TXV - Screened TXVB - Screened with Group B Data | Line Receiver, Ground Isolation for High Reliability Systems | 10M bit/s | 400\% Typ. | 10 mA | 1500 Vdc | 90 |
|  | 6N140) ${ }^{\text {6N140TXV }}$ | Hermetically Sealed Package Containing 4 Low Input Current, High Gain Optocouplers TXV - Hi-Rel <br> Screened <br> TXVB - Hi-Rel <br> Screened with Group B Data | Line Receiver, Low Power Ground Isolation for High Reliability Systems | 300k bit/s | 300\% Min. | 0.5 mA | 1500 Vdc | 94 |
|  | 4N55 <br> 4N55TXV <br> 4N55TXVB | Dual Channel Hermetically Sealed Analog Optical Coupler TXV - Hi-Rel Screened $V C-20 \mathrm{~V}$ <br> TXVB - Hi-Rel Screened with Group B Data | Line Receiver, Analog Signal Ground Isolation, Switching Power Supply Feedback Element | 700k bit/s | 7\% Min. | 16 mA | 1500 Vdc | 98 |

Notes: 1: AN 948, AN 951-1, and AN 951-2 are located in Application Notes Section, beginning on page 311. For further information ask for AN 939 and AN 947.
2. The HCPL-2502 Current Transfer Ratio Specification is guaranteed to be $15 \%$ minimum and 22\% maximum.
3. Recognized under the Component Recognition Program of Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (File No. E55361), 220 VAC working voltage. This is guaranteed by a 3000 Vdc withstand voltage test for 5 seconds.

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## Features

- HIGH SPEED: 1 Mbit/s
- TTL COMPATIBLE
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)
- HIGH COMMON MODE TRANSIENT IMMUNITY: 1000V/us
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- 2 MHz BANDWIDTH
- OPEN COLLECTOR OUTPUT


## Description

These diode-transistor optocouplers use a light emitting diode and an integrated photon detector to provide 3000 V dc electrical insulation between input and output. Separate connection for the photodiode bias and output transistor collector improve the speed up to a hundred times that of a conventional photo-transistor coupler by reducing the basecollector capacitance.
The 6N135 is suitable for use in TTL/CMOS, TTL/LSTTL or wide bandwidth analog applications. Current transfer ratio (CTR) for the 6 N 135 is $7 \%$ minimum at $\mathrm{I}_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$.
The 6N136 is suitable for high speed TTL/TTL applications. A standard 16 mA TTL sink current through the input LED will provide enough output current for 1 TTL load and a $5.6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistor. CTR of the 6 N 136 is $19 \%$ minimum at $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=$ 16 mA .

The HCPL-2502 is suitable for use in applications where matched or known CTR is desired. CTR is 15 to $22 \%$ at $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=$ 16 mA .
*JEDEC Registered Data. (The HCPL-2502 is not registered.)

## Applications

- Line Receivers - High common mode transient immunity ( $>1000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ ) and low input-output capacitance ( 0.6 pF ).
- High Speed Logic Ground Isolation - TTL/TTL, TTL/ LTTL, TTL/CMOS, TTL/LSTTL.
- Replace Slow Phototransistor Isolators - Pins 2-7 of the 6N135/6 series conform to pins 1-6 of 6 pin phototransistor couplers. Pin 8 can be tied to any available bias voltage of 1.5 V to 15 V for high speed operation.
- Replace Pulse Transformers - Save board space and weight.
- Analog Signal Ground Isolation - Integrated photon detector provides improved linearity over phototransistor type.


## Absolute Maximum Ratings*



Electrical Specifications
Over recommended temperature $\left(T_{A}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) unless otherwise specified.

| Parameter | Sym. | Device | Min. | Typ.** | Max. | Units' | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Transfer Ratio | CTR* | 6N135. | 7 | 18 |  | \% | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{~V}_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | 1,2 | 5 |
|  |  | 6N136 | 19 | 24 |  | \% |  |  |  |
|  |  | HCPL-2502 | 15 |  | 22 | \% |  |  |  |
|  | CTR | 6 N 135 | 5 | 13. |  | \% | $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{VO}=0.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCC}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
|  |  | 6 N 136 | 15 | 21 |  | \% |  |  |  |
| Logic Low Output Voltage | Vol | 6N 135 |  | 0.1 | 0.4 | V | IF $=16 \mathrm{~mA}, 10=1.1 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { 6N136 } \\ \text { HCPL-2502 } \end{gathered}$ | . | 0.1 | 0.4 | V | $I F=16 \mathrm{~mA}, 1 \mathrm{O}=2.4 \mathrm{~mA}, V \mathrm{VC}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Logic High Output Current | 10:4* |  |  | 3 | 500 | nA | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=0 m A, V_{O}=V C C=5.5 V \\ & T_{A}=25^{\circ} C \end{aligned}$ | 6 |  |
|  |  |  |  | 0.1 | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=0 m A, V O=V C C=15 V \\ & T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | $\therefore$ |  |
|  | 1 OH |  |  |  | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $I_{F}=O m A, V_{O}=V_{C C}-15 V$ | $\because$ |  |
| Logic Low Supply Current | ICCL |  |  | 40 |  | 4 A | $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{O}}=$ Open, $V_{C C}=15 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Logic High | ${ }^{1} \mathrm{CCH}{ }^{\text {\% }}$ |  |  | 0.02 | 1 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA} A_{0}=O p e n, V_{C C}=15 V \\ & T_{A}=25^{\circ} C \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Supply Current | 1 CCH |  |  |  | 2 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=$ Open, $V_{C C}=15 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Input Forward Voltage | $\mathrm{VF}^{*}$ |  |  | 1.5 | 1.7 | V | $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 3 |  |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  |  | -1.6 |  | $m \mathrm{mf}$ | $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $B V_{R}{ }^{*}$ |  | 5 |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{~T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Input Capacitance | $\mathrm{CIN}^{\text {IN }}$ |  |  | 60 |  | pF | $\mathrm{f}=\mathrm{TMHz}, \mathrm{VF}_{\mathrm{F}}=0$ |  |  |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | $11-0$ * |  |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $45 \%$ Relative Humidity, $t=5 \mathrm{~s}$ $V_{1-0}=3000 \mathrm{Vdc}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 6 |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{R}_{1-0}$ | $\therefore$ |  | $10^{12}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $\mathrm{V}_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{Vdc} \ldots$ |  | 6 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-0}$ |  |  | 0.6 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 6 |
| Transistor DC Current Gain | hfe |  |  | 175 |  | - | $\mathrm{V}_{0}=5 \mathrm{~V}, 10=3 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  |

**All typicals at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Switching Specifications at $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} V_{C C}=5 V, I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$, unless otherwise specified.

| Parameter | Sym. | Device | Min. | Typ. | Max: | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay |  | 6N135 |  | 0.5 | 1.5 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 5.9 | 8,9 |
| Time Tu Logic Low at Output | tPHL* | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 6N136 } \\ & \text { HCPL-2502 } \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.2 | 0.8 | $\mu$ | $R_{L}=1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Propagation Delay |  | 6 N 135 |  | 0.4 | 1.5 | MS | $R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 5,9 | $8,9$ |
| Time To Logic High at Output | TPLH* | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \mathrm{~N} 136 \\ & \mathrm{HCPL}-2502 \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.3 | 0.8 | $\mu s$ | $R_{L}=1.9 k \Omega$ |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Level Output | $\mathrm{CMH}^{\text {H }}$ | 6N135 |  | 1000 |  | $\hat{V} / \mathrm{L} \mathrm{s}$ | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, V C M=10 V p-D_{1} R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | $10$ | $7,8,9$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \mathrm{~N} 136 \\ & \mathrm{HCPL}-2502 \end{aligned}$ |  | 1000 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$, |  |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Leval Output | $C M_{L}$ | 6N135 |  | $-1000$ |  | V/us | $V_{C M}=10 \mathrm{Vp}_{\text {- }}, \mathrm{RL}_{\mathrm{L}}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 10 | 7,8,9 |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \mathrm{~N} 136 \\ & \text { HCPL-2502 } \end{aligned}$ | ; | -1000 |  | V/ $/$ s ${ }^{\prime \prime}$ | $V_{C M}=10 \mathrm{~V}_{\text {pp }}, R_{L}=1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Bandwidth | BW | $\because \because$ |  | 2 |  | $\mathrm{MH}_{\mathbf{z}}$ | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=100 \Omega$ | 8 | 10 |

NOTES:

1. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.8 \mathrm{rnA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
2. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $1.6 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.9 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
4. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $2.0 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
5. CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO is defined as the ratio of output collector current, $I_{O}$, to the forward LED input current, $I_{F}$, times $100 \%$.
6. Device considered a two-terminal device: Pins 1, 2, 3, and 4 shorted together and Pins 5, 6, 7, and 8 shorted together.
7. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $d V_{C M} / d t$ on the leading edge of the common mode
pulse VCM, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic High state
(i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low
level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $\mathrm{dV} \mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the trailing
edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
8. The $1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ load represents 1 TTL unit load of 1.6 mA and the $5.6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistor.
9. The $4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ load represents 1 LSTTL unit load of 0.36 mA and $6.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistor.
10. The frequency at which the ac output voltage is 3 dB below the low frequency asymptote.
*JEDEC Registered Data.


Figure 1. DC and Pulsed Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 3. Input Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 5. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 2. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Input Current.


Figure 4. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Temperature.


Figure 6. Logic High Output Current vs. Temperature.


Figure 9. Switching Test Circuit. *

*JEDEC Registered Data
Figure 10. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.


SCHEMATIC


## Features

- HIGH SPEED: 1 Mbit/s
- TTL COMPATIBLE
- HIGH COMMON MODE TRANSIENT IMMUNITY: $>1000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$
- HIGH DENSITY PACKAGING
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- 3 MHz BANDWIDTH
- OPEN COLLECTOR OUTPUTS
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)


## Description

The HCPL-2530/31 dual couplers contain a pair of light emitting diodes and integrated photon detectors with 3000 V dc electrical insulation between input and output. Separate connection for the photodiode bias and output transistor collectors improve the speed up to a hundred times that of a conventional phototransistor coupler by reducing the base-collector capacitance.

The HCPL-2530 is suitable for use in TTL/CMOS, TTL/LSTTL or wide bandwidth analog applications. Current transfer ratio (CTR) for the -2530 is $7 \%$ minimum at $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$.

The HCPL-2531 is suitable for high speed TTL/TTL applications. A standard 16 mA TTL sink current through the input LED will provide enough output current for 1 TTL load and a $5.6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistor. CTR of the -2531 is $19 \%$ minimum at $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$.

## Applications

- Line Receivers - High common mode transient immunity $(>1000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s})$ and low input-output capacitance ( 0.6 pF ).
- High Speed Logic Ground Isolation - TTL/TTL, TTL/ LTTL, TTL/CMOS, TTL/LSTTL.
- Replace Pulse Transformers - Save board space and weight.
- Analog Signal Ground Isolation - Integrated photon detector provides improved linearity over phototransistor type.
- Polarity Sensing.
- Isolated Analog Amplifier - Dual channel packaging enhances thermal tracking.


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Storage Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Operating Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Lead Solder Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s ( 1.6 mm below seating plane)

Average Input Current - $I_{F}$ (each channel) . . . . . . 25mA [1]
Peak Input Current - $I_{F}$ (each channel) . . . . . . . . . 50mA [2]
(50\% duty cycle, 1 ms pulse width)
Peak Transient Input Current $-I_{F}$ (each channel) . . . . 1.0A
( $\leqslant 1 \mu$ s pulse width, 300pps)
Reverse Input Voltage $-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ (each channel) . . . . . . . . . 5V
Input Power Dissipation (each channel) . . . . . . . . 45mW[3]
Average Output Current - $I_{0}$ (each channel) . . . . . . . 8 mA
Peak Output Current - $I_{O}$ (each channel). . . . . . . . . . 16mA
Supply and Output Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}\left(\right.$ Pin 8-5), $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}($ Pin 7,6-5)
............................. 15 V
Output Power Dissipation (each channel) . . . . . . 35mW[4]

Electrical Specifications
Over recommended temperature ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) unless otherwise specified.

|  | sym. | Davica HCPL | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Max. | Units | Tost Condition | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Transter Ratio Whay 4 | CTH | 2530 | 7 | 18 |  | \% | $\left.\begin{array}{\|c\|} 1 f=16 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{0}-0.5 V, V C C=45 V \\ T A-25^{\circ} C \\ 1 F-16 m A, V o=0.5 V, V_{C C}=4.5 V \end{array} \right\rvert\,$ | 1,2 | $5,6$ |
|  |  | 2631 | - 19 | \% 24 |  | 4 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 2530 | - 5 | 13 |  | \% |  |  |  |
|  |  | 2531 | 16 | 21 | Cax \% \% | Cis\% |  |  |  |
| Logle Lew Output Voltade |  | $2530$ |  | K 0,1 | $0.5$ | v |  |  | 5 |
|  |  | $2531$ |  |  | $0.5$ | $V$ | $\mid \text { If }=16 m A, 10=24 m A, V C C=4.5 V,$ |  |  |
| Low CMID |  |  |  | 3 | 500 | nA | $\begin{aligned} & T K-25^{\circ} C T V=1 F 2=0 \\ & 101-v 02-y c c=5.5 V \end{aligned}$ | 6 | 5 |
| Oumput Current |  | $\square$ |  |  | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Y} 1-1 \mathrm{~F}_{2}-0 \\ & \mathrm{Vol} \mathrm{~V}_{02}-\mathrm{Vcc}=5.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 5 |
| Logictaw Supply Current | ccl: | ary |  | 80 |  | HA | $\begin{aligned} & T_{1}-1 F_{2}=16 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{O 1}-V_{O 2}-O_{\text {pen, }} V_{C C}=15 V \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Logic High Supply Current | CCCH: |  | - | 0.05 | 4 - | HA |  | - |  |
| Inpar Forward Yoltage | VF |  |  | 1.5 | 1.7 | V | IF 16 mA , IA $-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 3 | 5 |
| Temperature Coefficient of Formard Voltage | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T A}$ |  |  | -1.6 |  | mvec | $15=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 5 |
| Trput Reverse Breokdowh Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  | 5 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{TF}^{\prime}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A} \mathrm{~T}^{\prime}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 5 |
| Input Capsacitence | CIN |  |  | 60 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0$ |  | 5 |
| input - Output Ingulation Leakage Current | $4-0$ |  |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu A$ | 45\% Ralative Humidity, $t=5 \mathrm{~s}$ $V_{1-0}=3000 V d c, T A=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 7 |
| Resistance (imput-Output) | $\mathrm{R}_{1-0}$ |  |  | $10^{12}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 7 |
| Capacitance (Input-Ouzput) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  |  | 0.6 |  | pF | $f=1 M H 2$ |  | 7 |
| Input-Input Insulation Leakage Current | 1/-1 |  |  | 0.005 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | 45\% Relative Humidity, $\mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}$ $V_{1-1}=500 \mathrm{Vdo}$ |  | 8 |
| Resistance (Input-Input) | ${ }^{\mathrm{R}_{1-1}}$ |  |  | $10^{11}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{1-1}-500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 8 |
| Capacitance (InputInput) | CI-1 |  |  | 0.25 |  | pF | $t=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 8 |

**All typicals at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Switching Specifications at $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}, I_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$, unless otherwise specified

| ¢ | Sym. | Device HCPL. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | $\therefore$ Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time To Logic Low at Output | tPHL | 2530 |  | 0.3 | 1.5 | Ms | $R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 5,9 | 10,11 |
|  |  | 2531 | $\therefore$ | 0.2 | 0.8 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $R_{L}=1,9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Propagation Delay Time to Logic Migh at Qutput | tPLH | 2530 |  | 0.4 | 1.5 | $\mu$ | $R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 5.9 | 10,11 |
|  |  | 2531 |  | 0.3 | 0.8 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Level Output | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{H}}$ | 2530 | $\because \quad$. | 1000 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{us}$ | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{ks} \Omega_{*} V_{C M}=10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p}}$ | 10 | 9,10,11 |
|  |  | 2531 |  | 1000 |  | V/us | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega, \mathrm{VCM}^{\prime}=10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{D}-\mathrm{p}}$ |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Lovel Output | $\mathrm{CM}_{L}$ | 2530 |  | -1000 | , | $V / \mu s$ | $V_{C M}=10 V_{p-p}, R_{L}=4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 10 | 9,10,11 |
|  |  | 2531 |  | $-1000$ |  | V/us | $V_{C M}=10 V_{p-p} ; R_{L}=1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Bandwidth | BW |  |  | 3 |  | MHz | $R_{L}=100 \Omega$ | 8 | 12 |

NOTES:

1. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.8 \mathrm{~mA} \rho^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
2. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $1.6 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.9 \mathrm{~mW} / /^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
4. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $1.0 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
5. Each channel.
6. CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO is defined as the ratio of output collector current, IO, to the forward LED input current, I $I_{F}$, times $100 \%$
7. Device considered a two-terminal device: Pins $1,2,3$, and 4 shorted together and Pins 5, 6, 7, and 8 shorted together.
8. Measured between pins 1 and 2 shorted together, and pins 3 and 4 shorted together.
9. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the leading edge of the common mode pulse $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic High state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $V_{C M}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
10. The $1.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ load represents 1 TTL unit load of 1.6 mA and the $5.6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$
pull-up resistor.
11. The $4.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ load represents 1 LSTTL unit load of 0.36 mA and $6.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistor.
12. The frequency at which the ac output voltage is 3 dB below the low frequency asymptote.


Figure 1. DC and Pulsed Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 3. Input Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 5. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 2. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Input Current.


Figure 4. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Temperature.


Figure 6. Logic High Output Current vs. Temperature.


Figure 7. Small-Signal Current Transfer Ratio vs. Quiescent Input Current.



Figure 8. Frequency Response.


Figure 9. Switching Test Circuit.


Figure 10. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.



Figure 1.

## Features

- LSTTL/TTL COMPATIBLE: 5V SUPPLY
- ULTRA HIGH SPEED
- LOW INPUT CURRENT REQUIRED
- HIGH COMMON MODE REJECTION
- GUARANTEED PERFORMANCE OVER TEMPERATURE
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE


## Description Applications

The 6N137 consists of a GaAsP photon emitting diode and a unique integrated detector. The photons are collected in the detector by a photodiode and then amplified by a high gain linear amplifier that drives a Schottky clamped open collector output transistor. The circuit is temperature, current and voltage compensated.
This unique isolator design provides maximum DC and AC circuit isolation between input and output while achieving LSTTL/TTL circuit compatibility. The isolator operational parameters are guaranteed from $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, such that a minimum input current of 5 mA will sink an eight gate fan-out ( 13 mA ) at the output with 5 volt $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ applied to the detector. This isolation and coupling is achieved with a typical propagation delay of 45 ns . The enable input provides gating of the detector with input sinking and sourcing requirements compatible with LSTTL/TTL interfacing and a propagation delay of 25 ns typical.
The 6N137 can be used in high speed digital interfacing applications where common mode signals must be rejected, such as for a line receiver and digital programming of floating power supplies, motors, and other machine control systems. The elimination of ground loops can be accomplished in system interfaces such as between a computer and a peripheral memory, printer, controller, etc.
The open collector output provides capability for bussing, OR'ing and strobing.


Recommended Operating Conditions

|  | Sym. | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current, Low Level Each Channel | $\mathrm{IFL}^{\text {L }}$ | 0 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$. |
| Input Current, High Level Each Channel | IFH | $6.3^{* *}$ | 15 | mA |
| High Level Enable Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}: \mathrm{H}}$ | 2.0 | Vcc | $V$ |
| Low Level Enable Voltage (Output High) | $V_{\text {EI }}$. | 0 | 0.8 | V |
| Supply Voltage, Output | VCC | 4.5 | 5.5 | V |
| Fan Out (TTL Load) | N |  | 8 |  |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | 0 | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

(No derating required up to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Storage Temperature ........................... $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Operating Temperature .............................. $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Solder Temperature .................... $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s
( 1.6 mm below seating plane)
Peak Forward Input
Current $\qquad$ $40 \mathrm{~mA}(1 \leq 1 \mathrm{msec}$ Duration)
Average Forward Input Current ..... 20 mA
Reverse Input Voltage ..... 5 V
Enable Input Voltage ..... 5.5V
(Not to exceed $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$ by more than 500 mV ) Supply Voltage - VCC ................. 7V (1 Minute Maximum)
$\qquad$
Output Collector Power Dissipation ..... 85 mW
Output Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{0}$ ..... 7 V

[^3]Electrical Characteristics
OVER RECOMMENDED TEMPERATURE ( $T_{A}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ.** | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| High Level Output Current | $\mathrm{IOH}^{*}$ |  | 50 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, V_{O}=5.5 V^{2} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~F}=250 \mu \mathrm{~A}, V_{\mathrm{E}}=2.0 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | $6$ |  |
| Low Level Output Voltage | $\mathrm{VOL}^{*}$ |  | 0.5 | 0.6 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}=5 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{E H}=20 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { OL }^{(\text {Sinking) }}=13 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | $3,5$ |  |
| High Level Enable Current | IEH |  | $-1.0$ |  | mA | VCC $V^{-5} .5 \mathrm{~V}, V_{E}=2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ | 髙, \% |  |
| Low Level Enable Current | $\mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{EL}}{ }^{*}$ |  | -1.6 | $-2.0$ | - mA | $V_{C C}=5.5 V_{0} V_{E}=0.5 V$ | \% |  |
| High Level Supply Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{CCH}}{ }^{*}$ |  | 7 | 15 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 V, I_{F}=0 \\ & V_{\mathrm{E}}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Low Level Supply | ${ }^{1} \mathrm{CCL}{ }^{*}$ |  | ${ }^{1} 13$ | 18 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{c c}=5.5 V \operatorname{IF}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{E}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | 11.0 * |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | Relative Humidity $=45 \%$ $\begin{aligned} & T_{A}=25^{\circ} C_{1}=5 s \\ & V_{H O}=3000 \mathrm{Vdc} \end{aligned}$ |  | 5 |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{R}_{\text {t-O }}$ |  | 1012 |  | Q $\Omega$ | $V_{1-Q}=500 V T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 5 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1} \mathrm{O}$ |  | 0.6 |  | DF | $\underline{\sim}=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 5 |
| Input Forward Voltage | $V_{F}{ }^{*}$ |  | 1.5 | 1.75 | $V$ | $T=10 \mathrm{~mA}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 4 | 8 |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $B V_{R}{ }^{*}$ | 5 |  |  | $V$ | $I_{R}=10 \mu A_{i} T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Input Capacitance | $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{iN}}$ |  | 60 |  | pF | $\because \quad V_{F}=0, f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  |
| Current Transfer Ratio | CTR |  | 700 |  | \% | $I_{F}=5.0 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=100 \Omega$ | 2 | 7 |

**All typical values are at $V_{C C}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Switching Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time to High Output Level | $\mathrm{tpLH}^{*}$ | * | 45 | 75 | ns. | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=350 \Omega, C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & I_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 7.9 | 1 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Low Output Level | $\mathrm{tPHL}^{*}$ |  | 45 | 75 | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=350 \Omega, C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & I_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 7,9 | 2 |
| Output Rise-Fall Time (10.90\%) | $\mathrm{tr}_{\mathrm{r}}, \mathrm{tf}_{f}$ |  | 25 | , | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=350 \Omega, \quad C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF} \\ & l_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  | - |
| Propagation Delay Time of Enable from $V_{E H}$ to $V_{E L}$ | teLH |  | 25 |  | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=350 \Omega, C_{L}=15 \rho F \\ & I_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{E H}=3.0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{E L}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 3 |
| Propagation Delay Time of Enable from $V_{E L}$ to $V_{E H}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{EHL}}$ |  | 15 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=350 \Omega, C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF} \\ & I_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} V_{E H}=3.0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{E L}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 8 | 4 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Output Level | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{H}}$ |  | 50 |  | $v / \mu s$ | $V_{C M}=10 V R_{L}=350 \Omega$, <br> $V_{O}(\min )=.2 V, t_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 11 | 6 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Output Level | CM $\mathrm{L}^{\text {L }}$ |  | $-150$ |  | $\mathrm{v} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=10 \vee R_{L}=350 \Omega, \\ & V_{O}(\max .)=0.8 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 11 | 6 |

## Operating Procedures and Definitions

## Logic Convention. The 6N137 is defined in terms of positive

 logic.Bypassing. A ceramic capacitor (. 01 to $0.1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ ) should be connected from pin 8 to pin 5 (Figure 12). Its purpose is to stabilize the operation of the high gain linear amplifier. Failure to provide the bypassing may impair the switching properties. The total lead length between capacitor and coupler should not exceed 20 mm .
Polarities. All voltages are referenced to network ground (pin 5). Current flowing toward a terminal is considered positive. Enable Input. No external pull-up required for a logic (1), i.e., can be open circuit.


Note: Dashed characteristics - denote pulsed operation only.


Figure 2. Optocoupler Collector Characteristics.



Figure 3. Input-Output Characteristics.
notes:

1. The $t_{\text {PLH }}$ propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the trailing edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
2. The $t_{\text {PhL }}$ propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the leading edge of the input pulse to 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
3. The $t_{\text {ELH }}$ enable propagation delay is measured from the 1.5 V point of the trailing edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
4. The teHL enable propagation delay is measured from the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
5. Device considered a two terminal device: pins 2 and 3 shorted together, and pins $5,6,7$, and 8 shorted together.
6. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic High state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>\mathbf{2 . 0 \mathrm { V }}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
7. DC Current Transfer Ratio is defined as the ratio of the output collector current to the forward bias input current times 100\%.
8. At $10 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ decreases with increasing temperature at the rate of $1.6 \mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure 4. Input Diode Forward Characteristic.


Figure 5. Output Voltage, $V_{O L}$ vs. Temperature and Fan-Out.


Figure 6. Output Current, $I_{\mathrm{OH}}$ vs. Temperature ( $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=\mathbf{2 5 0} \mu \mathrm{A}$ ).


Figure 7. Test Circuit for tPHL and tPLH.**


Figure 9. Propagation Delay, tPHL and tPLH vs. Pulse Input Current, IFH.



Figure 8. Test Circuit for $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{ELH}}$ and t EHL.


Figure 10. Response Delay Between TTL Gates.


Figure 12. Recommended Printed Circuit Board Layout.


## Features

- INTERNAL SHIELD FOR HIGH COMMON MODE REJECTION (CMR)
- HIGH SPEED
- GUARANTEED MINIMUM COMMON MODE TRANSIENT IMMUNITY: 1000V/ $\mu \mathrm{s}$
- LSTTL/TTL COMPATIBLE
- LOW INPUT CURRENT REQUIRED: 5mA
- GUARANTEED PERFORMANCE OVER TEMPERATURE: $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- STROBABLE OUTPUT
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE


## Description

The HCPL-2601 optically coupled gate combines a GaAsP light emitting diode and an integrated high gain photon detector. An enable input allows the detector to be strobed. The output of the detector I.C. is an open collector Schottky clamped transistor. The internal shield provides a guaranteed common mode transient immunity specification of 1000 volts $/ \mu \mathrm{sec}$., equivalent to rejecting a 300 volt P-P sinusoid at 1 MHz .
This unique design provides maximum D.C. and A.C. circuit isolation while achieving TTL compatibility. The isolator D.C. operational parameters are guaranteed from $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ allowing troublefree system performance. This isolation is achieved with a typical propagation delay of 35 nsec .

The HCPL-2601's are suitable for high speed logic interfacing, input/output buffering, as line receivers in environments that conventional line receivers cannot tolerate and are recommended for use in extremely high ground or induced noise environments.


## Applications

- Isolated Line Receiver
- Simplex/Multiplex Data Transmission
- Computer-Peripheral Interface
- Microprocessor System Interface
- Digital Isolation for A/D, D/A Conversion
- Switching Power Supply
- Instrument Input/Output Isolation
- Ground Loop Elimination
- Pulse Transformer Replacement


## Recommended Operating

 Conditions| Input Current, Low Level | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FL}}$ | 0 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current, High Level | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FH}}$ | 6.3 | 15 | mA |
| Supply Voltage, Output | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | 4.5 | 5.5 | V |
| High Level Enable Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EH}}$ | 2.0 | $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | V |
| Low Level Enable Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EL}}$ | 0 | 0.8 | V |
| Fan Out (TTL Load) | N |  | 8 |  |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | 0 | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

(No Derating Required up to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Storage Temperature
$-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Operating Temperature ................... $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Solder Temperature ............. $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s
(1.6mm below seating plane)

Forward Input Current - $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (see Note 2) ........ 20 mA
Reverse Input Voltage .................................. 5 V
Supply Voltage - VCC $\ldots . . .$. . 7V (1 Minute Maximum)
Enable Input Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}} \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .$.
(Not to exceed $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ by more than 500 mV )
Output Collector Current-lo ..................... 25 mA
Output Collector Power Dissipation ............. 40 mW
Output Collector Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$......................... 7 V

## Electrical Characteristics

(Over Recommended Temperature, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Unless Otherwise Noted)

| \% Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Unlts | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hightevel Output Current | lOH |  | 7 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, V_{0}=5.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{F}=250 \mu \mathrm{~A}_{\mathrm{i}} V_{\mathrm{E}}=2.0 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | $2$ |  |
| Low Level Output Voltage | VOL |  | 0.4 | 0.6 | $V$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, 5 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{E}}=2,0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & l_{\mathrm{OL}}(\text { Sinking })=13 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | $3.5$ |  |
| High Level Supply Current | 1 CCH |  | 10 | 15 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 V_{1} \mathrm{IF}=0 \\ & V_{\mathrm{E}}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | \% |
| Low Level Supply Curren | Icce |  | 15 | 18 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 V_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{E}=0.5 V \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Low Level Enable Current | 1 EL |  | $-1.6$ | -2.0 | mA | $V_{C C}=5.5 V_{1} V_{E}=0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Highlevel Enable Current | $\mathrm{IEH}^{\text {+ }}$ |  | $-1.0$ | : | mA | $V_{C C}=5.5 V_{*} V_{E}=2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| High Level Enable Valtage | VEH | 2.0 |  |  | V |  |  | 11 |
| Low Level Enabile Voltage | VEL |  |  | 0.8 | $V$ |  |  |  |
| Input Forward Voltage | $V_{F}$ |  | 1.5 | 1.75 | V | $\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 4 |  |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $B V_{R}$ | 5 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{R}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | $*$ |
| Input Gapacitance | CIN |  | 60 |  | pF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0, \mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  |
| Inpú Diode Temperature Coeflicient | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  | -1.6 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | $\mathrm{I}_{1-0}$ |  |  | 1 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Relative Humidity }=45 \% \\ & T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}, \\ & V_{I-\mathrm{o}}=3000 \mathrm{Vdc} \end{aligned}$ |  | 3 |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | R $1-0$ |  | $10^{12}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 3 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{C}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  | 0.6 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 3 |

*All typical values are at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Switching CharacteristicS $\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}=5 \mathrm{~V}\right)$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time to High Output level | $\mathbf{t}_{\mathrm{PLH}}$ |  | 35 | 75 | ns |  | 6 | 4 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Low Output Level | $\mathrm{tPHL}^{\text {P }}$ |  | 35 | 75 | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=350 \Omega \\ & C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF} \end{aligned}$ | 6 | 5 |
| Output Rise Time ( $10-90 \%$ ) | $t_{\text {r }}$ |  | 25 |  | ns | mA |  |  |
| Output Fall Time (90-10\%) | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{f}}$ |  | 15 |  | ns |  |  |  |
| Propagation Delay Time of Enable from $V_{E H}$ to $V_{E L}$ | telh |  | 25 |  | ns | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=350 \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{EH}}=3 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{EL}}=0 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 6 |
| Propagation Delay Time of Enable from VEL to VEH | tehl | $\cdots$ | 15 |  | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{\mathrm{L}}=350 \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{\mathrm{EH}}=3 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & V_{E L}=0 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 7 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at High Output Level | $C M_{H}$ | 1000 | 10,000 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{\mathrm{CM}}=50 \mathrm{~V} \text { (peak), } \\ & V_{\mathrm{O}}(\text { min. })=2 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & R_{\mathrm{L}}=350 \Omega, I_{\mathrm{F}}=0 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 12 | 8,10 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Low Output Level | CML | $-1000$ | $-10,000$ |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=50 \mathrm{~V} \text { (peak) } \\ & V_{O}(\text { max })=0.8 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & R_{L}=350 \Omega, I_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 12 | 9,10 |

NOTES:

1. Bypassing of the power supply line is required, with a $0.01 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ ceramic disc capacitor adjacent to each isolator as illustrated in Figure 15. The power supply bus for the isolator(s) should be separate from the bus for any active loads, otherwise a larger value of bypass capacitor (up to 0.1 $\mu \mathrm{F}$ ) may be needed to suppress regenerative feedback via the power supply.
2. Peaking circuits may produce transient input currents up to $50 \mathrm{~mA}, 50$ ns maximum pulse width, provided average current does not exceed 20 mA .
3. Device considered a two terminal device: pins 1, 2, 3 and 4 shorted together, and pins 5, 6, 7 and 8 shorted together.
4. The tple propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the trailing edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
5. The tpHL propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the leading edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
6. The $t_{E L H}$ enable propagation delay is measured from the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the enable input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
7. The tehl enable propagation delay is measured from the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the enable input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
8. $C M_{H}$ is the maximum tolerable rate of rise of the common mode voltage to assure that the output will remain in a high logic state (i.e., Vour $>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
9. $C M_{\mathrm{L}}$ is the maximum tolerable rate of fall of the common mode voltage to assure that the output will remain in a low logic state (i.e., VouT $<0.8$ V).
10. For sinusoidal voltages, $\left(\frac{\left|d v_{C M}\right|}{d t}\right)_{\max }=\pi f_{C M} V_{C M}(p-p)$
11. No external pull up is required for a high logic state on the enable input.


Figure 2. High Level Output Current vs. Temperature.


Figure 5. Output Voltage vs. Forward Input Current.


Figure 3. Low Level Output Voltage vs. Temperature.


Figure 6. Test Circuit for $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PHL}}$ and $\mathrm{t}_{\text {PLH }}$.


Figure 4. Input Diode Forward Characteristic.

$T_{A}=$ TEMPERATURE $-{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Figure 7. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 8. Propagation Delay vs. Pulse Input Current.

$T_{A}$ - TEMPERATURE - ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Figure 11. Rise, Fall Time vs. Temperature.


Figure 9. Test Circuit for $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{EHL}}$ and $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{ELH}}$.


Figure 12. Test Circuit for Common Mode Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.


Figure 10. Enable Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 13. Common Mode Transient Immunity vs. Common Mode Transient Amplitude.


Figure 15. Recommended Printed Circuit Board Layout.


## Features

- LINE TERMINATION INCLUDED - NO EXTRA CIRCUITRY REQUIRED
- ACCEPTS A BROAD RANGE OF DRIVE CONDITIONS
- GUARDBANDED FOR LED DEGRADATION
- LED PROTECTION MINIMIZES LED EFFICIENCY DEGRADATION
- HIGH SPEED - 10Mbs (LIMITED BY TRANSMISSION LINE IN MANY APPLICATIONS)
- INTERNAL SHIELD PROVIDES EXCELLENT COMMON MODE REJECTION
- EXTERNAL BASE LEAD ALLOWS "LED PEAKING" AND LED CURRENT ADJUSTMENT
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)



## Applications

- Isolated Line Receiver
- Simplex/Multiplex Data Transmission
- Computer-Peripheral Interface
- Microprocessor System Interface
- Digital Isolation for A/D, D/A Conversion
- Current Sensing
- Instrument Input/Output Isolation
- Ground Loop Elimination
- Pulse Transformer Replacement


## Description

The HCPL-2602 optically coupled line receiver combines a GaAsP light emitting diode, an input current regulator and an integrated high gain photon detector. The input regulator serves as a line termination for line receiver applications. It clamps the line voltage and regulates the LED current so line reflections do not interfere with circuit performance.
The regulator allows a typical LED current of 8.5 mA before it starts to shunt excess current. The output of the detector IC is an open collector Schottky clamped transistor. An enable input gates the detector. The internal detector shield provides a guaranteed common mode transient immunity specification of $1000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{sec}$, equivalent to rejecting a 300 V P-P sinusoid at 1 MHz .

DC specifications are defined similar to TTL logic and are guaranteed from $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ allowing trouble free interfacing with digital logic circuits. An input current of 5 mA will sink an eight gate fan-out (TTL) at the output with a typical propagation delay from input to output of only 45 nsec.

The HCPL-2602's are useful as line receivers in high noise environments that conventional line receivers cannot tolerate. The higher LED threshold voltage provides improved immunity to differential noise and the internally shielded detector provides orders of magnitude improvement in common mode rejection with little or no sacrifice in speed.

## Electrical Characteristics

(Over Recommended Temperature, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Unless Otherwise Noted)

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| High Level Output Current | IOH |  | $7$ | $250$ | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{0}=5.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & 1=250 \mu \mathrm{VE}=20 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | $4$ |  |
| Low Level Output Voltage | VOL |  | $0.4$ | $0.6$ | v | $\begin{aligned} & V_{c c}=5.5 v \mid=5 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V=2.0 V \\ & (1 / 2 i n k i n g) / 13 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | $2,5$ | $2$ |
| Input Voltage | $V_{1}$ |  | 2.0 | 2.4 |  | 1/mban | 3 | \% |
|  |  | \% | 2,3 | 2.7.3 |  | 1-60 m / | ${ }^{2} 3$ |  |
| Input Reverse Voltage | $V_{R}$ |  | 0.75 | 0.05 | W V |  | K, \% |  |
| Low Level Enable Current | $\mathrm{IEL}^{\text {L }}$ |  | -1.6 | -2.0 | ma |  | \% |  |
| High Level Enable Current | $\mathrm{leH}^{\text {H }}$ |  | -1.0 |  | mA | VCC $55 V$ | 人 ${ }^{2}$, ${ }^{2}$ | , |
| High Level Enable Voltage | VEH | 2.0 | \% | \% | L $\mathrm{V}^{\text {ckex }}$ | $x^{2} \times \cos$ | Kiver | 11 |
| Low Level Enable Voltage | $V_{E L}$ |  |  | 0.8 | V | Cरry |  | ${ }^{5}$ |
| High Level Supply Current | ICCH |  | $10$ | $16$ | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V \cos -5,5,1=0 . \\ & V_{E}=0.5 V \end{aligned}$ |  | , |
| Low Level Supply Current | ICCL |  | 16 | $19$ | $\mathrm{ma}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{c c}=5.5 V, 1=60 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{E}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Input Capacitance | $G_{1 N}$ |  | 90 |  | $\rho F$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0, f=1 \mathrm{MHz} \text {. }$ <br> (PIN 2-3) |  |  |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current |  | $\therefore$ | - | $1$ | M | Relative Humidity $=45 \%$ $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{TA}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}, \\ & \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{o}=3000 \mathrm{Vdc} \end{aligned}$ |  | 3 |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{R}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  | 1012 |  | $\Omega$ | $V \mathrm{CO}=500 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 3 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  | 0.6 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 3 |

*All typical values are at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{C}}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

## Switching Characteristics

$\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}\right.$ )

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max: | Units: | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time to High Output Level | tple |  | 45 | 75 | ns |  | 6 | 4 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Low Output Level | ${ }^{\text {tPHL }}$ |  | 45 | 75 | ns | $\begin{gathered} R_{L}=350 \Omega \\ C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF} \end{gathered}$ | 6 | 5 |
| Output Rise Time (10-90\%) | $t_{r}$ |  | 25 |  | ns |  |  |  |
| Output Fall Time ( $90-10 \%$ ) | $t_{f}$ |  | 15 |  | ns |  |  |  |
| Propagation Delay Time of Enable from $V_{E H}$ to $V_{E L}$ | ${ }^{\text {t ELH }}$ |  | 25 |  | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{C}=350 \Omega, C_{L}=15 \rho F \\ & Y_{1}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{E H}=3 V \\ & V_{E L}=0 V \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 6 |
| Propagation Delay Time of Enable from $V_{E L}$ to $V_{E H}$ | ${ }^{\text {teht }}$ |  | 15 |  | ns | C | 10 | 7 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at High Output Level | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{H}}$ | 1000 | 10,000 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=50 V \text { (peak) } \\ & V_{O}(\text { min })=2 V \\ & R_{L}=350 \Omega, 1=0 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 12 | 8 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Low Output Level | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{L}}$ | -1000 | $-10,000$ |  | $\mathrm{v} / \mathrm{m} \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=50 \mathrm{~V} \text { (peak) } \\ & V_{0}(\text { max. })=0.8 \mathrm{~V} \\ & R_{L}=350 \Omega, 1_{1}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 12 | 9 |

## Using the HCPL-2602 Line Receiver Optocoupler

The primary objectives to fulfill when connecting an optocoupler to a transmission line are to provide a minimum, but not excessive, LED current and to properly terminate the line. The internal regulator in the HCPL2602 simplifies this task. Excess current from variable drive conditions such as line length variations, line driver differences and power supply fluctuations are shunted by the regulator. In fact, with the LED current regulated, the line current can be increased to improve the immunity of the system to differential-mode-noise and to enhance the data rate capability. The designer must keep in mind the 60 mA input current maximum rating of the HCPL-2602, in such cases, and may need to use series limiting or shunting to prevent overstress.
Design of the termination circuit is also simplified; in most cases the transmission line can simply be connected directly to the input terminals of the HCPL-2602 without the need for additional series or shunt resistors. If reversing line drive is used it may be desirable to use two HCPL-2602's, or an external Schottky diode to optimize data rate.

## Polarity Non-Reversing Drive

High data rates can be obtained with the HCPL-2602 with polarity non-reversing drive. Figure (a) illustrates how a 74S140 line driver can be used with the HCPL-2602 and shielded, twisted pair or coax cable without any additional components. There are some reflections due to the "active termination" but they do not interfere with circuit performance because the regulator clamps the line voltage. At longer line lengths $t_{\text {PLH }}$ increases faster than $t_{\text {PHL }}$ since the switching threshold is not exactly halfway between asymptotic line conditions. If optimum data rate is desired, a series resistor and peaking capacitor can be used to equalize $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PLH}}$ and $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PHL}}$. In general, the peaking capacitance should be as large as possible; however, if it is too large it may keep the regulator from achieving turn-off during the negative (or zero) excursions of the input signal. A safe rule:
make $C \leqslant 16 t$
where $C=$ peaking capacitance in picofarads
$t=$ data bit interval in nanoseconds

## Polarity Reversing Drive

A single HCPL-2602 can also be used with polarity reversing drive (Figure b). Current reversal is obtained by way of the substrate isolation diode (substrate to collector). Some reduction of data rate occurs, however, because the substrate diode stores charge, which must be removed when the current changes to the forward
direction. The effect of this is a longer $t_{\mathrm{PHL}}$. This effect can be eliminated and data rate improved considerably by use of a Schottky diode on the input of the HCPL-2602.

For optimum noise rejection as well as balanced delays a split-phase termination should be used along with a flipflop at the output (Figure c). The result of current reversal in split-phase operation is seen in Figure (c) with switches $A$ and B both OPEN. The coupler inputs are then connected in ANTI-SERIES; however, because of the higher steady-state termination voltage, in comparison to the single HCPL-2602 termination, the forward current in the substrate diode is lower and consequently there is less junction charge to deal with when switching.
Closing switch B with A open is done mainly to enhance common mode rejection, but also reduces propagation delay slightly because line-to-line capacitance offers a slight peaking effect. With switches A and B both CLOSED, the shield acts as a current return path which prevents either input substrate diode from becoming reversed biased. Thus the data rate is optimized as shown in Figure (c).

## Improved Noise Rejection

Use of additional logic at the output of two HCPL-2602's operated in the split phase termination, will greatly improve system noise rejection in addition to balancing propagation delays as discussed earlier.
A NAND flip-flop offers infinite common mode rejection (CMR) for NEGATIVELY sloped common mode transients but requires $t_{P H L}>t_{P L H}$ for proper operation. A NOR flipflop has infinite CMR for POSITIVELY sloped transients but requires $t_{P H L}<t_{P L H}$ for proper operation. An exclusive-OR flip-flop has infinite CMR for common mode transients of EITHER polarity and operates with either $t_{\text {PHL }}>t_{\text {PLH }}$ or $t_{\text {PHL }}<t_{\text {PLH }}$.
With the line driver and transmission line shown in Figure (c), $t_{P H L}>t_{P L H}$, so NAND gates are preferred in the R-S flip-flop. A higher drive amplitude or different circuit configuration could make $t_{\text {PHL }}<t_{\text {PLH }}$, in which case NOR gates would be preferred. If it is not known whether $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PHL}}>$ $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PLH}}$ or $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PHL}}<\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PLH}}$, or if the drive conditions may vary over the boundary for these conditions, the exclusive-OR flipflop of Figure (d) should be used.

## RS-422 and RS-423

Line drivers designed for RS-422 and RS-423 generally provide adequate voltage and current for operating the HCPL-2602. Most drivers also have characteristics allowing the HCPL-2602 to be connected directly to the driver terminals. Worst case drive conditions, however, would require current shunting to prevent overstress of the HCPL-2602.


Figure a. Polarity Non-Reversing.


Figure b. Polarity Reversing, Single Ended.


Figure c. Polarity Reversing, Split Phase.


Figure d. Flip Flop Configurations.

## Recommended Operating Conditions

|  | Sym. | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current Low Level | ${ }_{1 L}$ | 0 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Input Current, High Level | LH | 5 | 60 | mA |
| Supply Voltage, Output | VEC | 4.5 | 5.5 | na |
| Hign Level Enable Voltage | VEh | 2.0 | Vec | $v$ |
| Love Level Enable Voltage | $V_{\text {et }}$ | 0 | 0.8 | V |
| Fan Out (TTL Load) | N |  | 8 |  |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{TA}^{\text {a }}$ | 0 | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Storage Temperature ............... $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operating Temperature |  |
| Lead Solder Temperature |  |
|  |  |
| Supply Voltage - VCC $\ldots . . .$. . 7V (1 Minute Maximum) |  |
|  |  |
| able Input Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}}$............................. 5.5 V <br> (Not to exceed $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$ by more than 500 mV ) |  |
| (1) Collector Current -o .................... 25 mA |  |
| utput Collector Power Dissipation |  |
| utput Collector Voltage - Vo ......................... 7 V nput Current, Pin 4 ............................. $\pm 10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |
|  |  |

## NOTES:

1. Bypassing of the power supply line is required, with a $0.01 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ ceramic disc capacitor adjacent to each isolator as illustrated in Figure 15. The power supply bus for the isolator(s) should be separate from the bus for any active loads, otherwise a larger value of bypass capacitor (up to 0.1 $\mu \mathrm{F}$ ) may be needed to suppress regenerative feedback via the power supply.
2. The HCPL-2602 is tested such that operation at $I_{1}$ minimum of 5 mA will provide the user a minimum of $20 \%$ guardband for LED light output degradation.
3. Device considered a two terminal device: pins 1, 2, 3 and 4 shorted together, and pins $5,6,7$ and 8 shorted together.
4. The $t_{\text {PI. }}$ propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the trailing edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
5. The $t_{\text {PHL }}$ propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the leading edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
6. The $t_{\text {fil } \mathrm{H}}$ enable propagation delay is measured from the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the enable input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
7. The $t_{\text {:HI }}$. enable propagation delay is measured from the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the enable input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
8. $C M_{H}$ is the maximum tolerable rate of rise of the common mode voltage to assure that the output will remain in a high logic state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}{ }^{\mathrm{T}}$ $>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
9. $C M_{1}$. is the maximum tolerable rate of fall of the common mode voltage to assure that the output will remain in a low logic state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}} \mathrm{T}<0.8$ V).
10. For sinusoidal voltages. $\left(\frac{\left|d \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{CM}}\right|}{d t}\right)_{\max }=\pi f_{\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{M}}} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}(\mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p})$
11. No external pull up is required for a high logic state on the enable input.


Figure 2. Output Voltage vs. Forward Input Current.

$\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ - TEMPERATURE - ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Figure 5. Low Level Output Voltage vs. Temperature.


Figure 3. Input Characteristics.


Figure 6. Test Circuit for $\mathbf{t}_{\mathbf{P H L}}$ and $\mathbf{t}_{\text {PLH }}$ -


Figure 4. High Level Output Current vs. Temperature.


Figure 7. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 8. Propagation Delay vs. Pulse Input Current.


Figure 11. Enable Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 14. Relative Common Mode Transient Immunity vs. Temperature.


Figure 9. Rise, Fall Time vs. Temperature.


Figure 12. Test Circuit for Common Mode Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.


Figure 10. Test Circuit for $t_{E H L}$ and $t_{E L H}$ -


Figure 13. Common Mode Transient Immunity vs. Common Mode Transient Amplitude.


Figure 15. Recommended Printed Circuit Board Layout.


## Features

- HIGH DENSITY PACKAGING
- DTL/TTL COMPATIBLE: 5V SUPPLY
- ULTRA HIGH SPEED
- LOW INPUT CURRENT REQUIRED
- HIGH COMMON MODE REJECTION
- GUARANTEED PERFORMANCE OVER TEMPERATURE
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361) - 3000Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE


## Description/ Applications

The HCPL-2630 consists of a pair of inverting optically coupled gates each with a GaAsP photon emitting diode and a unique integrated detector. The photons are collected in the detector by a photodiode and then amplified by a high gain linear amplifier that drives a Schottky clamped open collector output transistor. Each circuit is temperature, current and voltage compensated.
This unique dual coupler design provides maximum DC and AC circuit isolation between each input and output while achieving DTL/TTL circuit compatibility. The coupler operational parameters are guaranteed from $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, such that a minimum input current of 5 mA in each channel will sink an eight gate fan-out ( 13 mA ) at the output with 5 volt $V_{C C}$ applied to the detector. This isolation and coupling is achieved with a typical propagation delay of 50 nsec.
The HCPL-2630 can be used in high speed digital interface applications where common mode signals must be rejected such as for a line receiver and digital programming of floating power supplies, motors, and other machine control systems. The elimination of ground loops can be accomplished between system interfaces such as between a computer and a peripheral memory, printer, controller, etc.
The open collector output provides capability for bussing, strobing and "WIRED-OR" connection. In all applications, the dual channel configuration allows for high density packaging, increased convenience and more usable board space.

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## Recommended Operating Conditions

|  | Sym. | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current, Low Level <br> Each Channel | IFL $^{\prime 2}$ | 0 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| Input Current, High Level <br> Each Channel | IFH $^{\text {FH }}$ | $6.3^{*}$ | 15 | mA |
| Supply Voltage, Output | V CC | 4.5 | 5.5 | V |
| Fan Out (TTL Load) <br> Each Channel | N |  | 8 |  |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{TA}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | 0 | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

(No derating required up to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Storage Temperature $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Operating Temperature $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Solder Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s

## Peak Forward Input

Current (each channel) ...... $30 \mathrm{~mA}(\leqslant 1 \mathrm{msec}$ Duration) Average Forward Input Current (each channel) ..... 15 mA Reverse Input Voltage (each channel) .................... . 5V Supply Voltage - VCC . . . . . . . . . 7V (1 Minute Maximum) Output Current - $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (each channel) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16 mA
Output Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (each channel) ................... 7V Output Collector Power Dissipation .............. . 60 mW
*6.3mA condition permits at least $20 \%$ CTR degradation guardband. Initial switching threshold is 5 mA or less.

## Electrical Characteristics

## OVER RECOMMENDED TEMPERATURE ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=\mathbf{0}^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED


*All typical values are at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Switching Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$

ACH CHANNEL

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time to High Output Level | tPLH |  | 55 | 75 | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{\mathrm{L}}=350 \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 6,7 | 1 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Low Output Level | ${ }^{\text {t PHL }}$ |  | 40 | 75 | ns | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=350 \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 6,7 | 2 |
| Output Rise-Fall Time (10-90\%) | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r}}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathbf{f}}$ |  | 25 |  | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{\mathrm{L}}=350 \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=15 \mathrm{pF}, \\ & I_{\mathrm{F}}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at High Output Level | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{H}}$ | , | 50 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=10 V_{p-p}, \\ & R_{L}=350 \Omega, \\ & V_{O}(\min .)=2 \mathrm{~V}, I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 5 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Low Output Level | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{L}}$ | . | $-150$ |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=10 V_{p-p}, \\ & R_{L}=350 \Omega \\ & V_{O}(\max .)=0.8 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=7.5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 5 |

NOTE: It is essential that a bypass capacitor ( $.01 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ to $0.1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$, ceramic) be connected from pin 8 to pin 5 . Total lead length between both ends of the capacitor and the isolator pins should not exceed 20 mm . Failure to provide the bypass may impair the switching properties (Figure 5).

## NOTES:

1. The $t^{\prime}$ PLH propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the trailing edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
2. The tPHL. propagation delay is measured from the 3.75 mA point on the leading edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
3. Each channel.
4. Measured between pins $1,2,3$, and 4 shorted together, and pins 5, 6, 7, and 8 shorted together.
5. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $d V_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic High state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) dV CM/dt on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
6. DC Current Transfer Ratio is defined as the ratio of the output collector current to the forward bias input current times $100 \%$.
7. At $10 \mathrm{~mA} V F$ decreases with increasing temperature at the rate of $1.9 \mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
8. Measured between pins 1 and 2 shorted together, and pins 3 and 4 shorted together.


NOTE: Dashed characteristics indicate pulsed operation.


Figure 2. Optocoupler Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 3. Input-Output Characteristics.


Figure 4. Input Diode Forward Characteristic


Figure 5. Recommended Printed Circuit Board Layout.


Figure 6. Test Circuit for tphL and tpLH-


Figure 7. Propagation Delay, tPHL and tPLH vs. Pulse Input Current, I FH.


Figure 8. Response Delay Between TTL Gates.


Figure 9. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.

## LOW INPUT CURRENT, HIGH GAIN OPTOCOUPLERS

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## Features

- HIGH CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO - 800\% TYPICAL
- LOW INPUT CURRENT REQUIREMENT - 0.5mA
- TTL COMPATIBLE OUTPUT - 0.1 V VOL
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- HIGH COMMON MODE REJECTION - 500V/us
- PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED OVER TEMPERATURE $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- BASE ACCESS ALLOWS GAIN BANDWIDTH ADJUSTMENT
- HIGH OUTPUT CURRENT - 60 mA
- DC TO 1 M bit/s OPERATION
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)


## Description

These high gain series couplers use a Light Emitting Diode and an integrated high gain photon detector to provide 3000 V dc electrical insulation, $500 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ common mode transient immunity and extremely high current transfer ratio between input and output. Separate pins for the photodiode and output stage result in TTL compatible saturation voltages and high speed operation. Where desired the $V_{C C}$ and $V_{O}$ terminals may be tied together to achieve conventional photodarlington operation. A base access terminal allows a gain bandwidth adjustment to be made.
The 6N139 is suitable for use in CMOS, LTTL or other low power applications. A $400 \%$ minimum current transfer ratio is guaranteed over a $0-70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ operating range for only 0.5 mA of LED current.

The 6N138 is suitable for use mainly in TTL applications. Current Transfer Ratio is $300 \%$ minimum over $0-70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for an LED current of 1.6 mA [1 TTL unit load (U.L.)]. A 300\% minimum CTR enables operation with 1 U.L. in, 1 U.L. out with a $2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistor.

## Applications

- Ground Isolate Most Logic Families - TTL/TTL, CMOS/ TTL, CMOS/CMOS, LTTL/TTL, CMOS/LTTL
- Low Input Current Line Receiver - Long Line or Partyline
- EIA RS-232C Line Receiver
- Telephone Ring Detector
- 117 V ac Line Voltage Status Indicator - Low Input Power Dissipation
- Low Power Systems - Ground Isolation


## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

| Storage Temperature | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operating Temperature | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Lead Solder Temperature | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s |

( 1.6 mm below seating plane)

Peak Input Current - IF . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 40 mA
(50\% duty cycle, 1 ms pulse width)
Peak Transient Input Current - $I_{F}$. . . . . . . . . . . . . 1.0A
( $\leqslant 1 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ pulse width, 300 pps )
Reverse Input Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}} \ldots$. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5V
Input Power Dissipation . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 35 mW [2]
Output Current - $I_{0}$ (Pin 6) . . . . . . . . . . . . . 60mA [3]
Emitter-Base Reverse Voltage (Pin 5-7) . . . . . . . . . . . 0.5V
Supply and Output Voltage - VCC $(\operatorname{Pin} 8-5), V_{O}(\operatorname{Pin} 6-5)$
6N138 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . -0.5 to 7V
6N139 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . -0.5 to 18V
Output Power Dissipation . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $100 \mathrm{~mW}{ }^{\text {[4] }}$
See notes, following page.

## Electrical Specifications

## OVER RECOMMENDED TEMPERATURE ( $T_{A}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

| Parameter | Sym. | Device | Min. | Typ.** | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Transfer Ratio | CTR* | 6N139 | $\begin{array}{r} 400 \\ 500 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 800 \\ & 900 \end{aligned}$ |  | \% | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 3 | 5,6 |
|  |  | 6N138 | 300 | 600 |  | \% | $I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Logic Low Output Voltage | VOL | 6N139 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.1 \\ & 0.1 \\ & 0.2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.4 \\ & 0.4 \\ & 0.4 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | V | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, I_{O}=6.4 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}, I_{O}=15 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=12 \mathrm{~mA}, I_{O}=24 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 1.2 | 6 |
|  |  | 6N138 |  | 0.1 | 0.4 | V | $I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{I}_{0}=4.8 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Logic High Output Current | $1 \mathrm{OH}^{*}$ | 6N139 |  | 0.05 | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 6 |
|  |  | 6N138 |  | 0.1 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=V_{C C}=7 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Logic Low <br> Supply Current | ' CCL |  |  | 0.2 |  | mA | $I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{O}}=$ Open, $\mathrm{V}_{C C}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 6 |
| Logic High Supply Current | 1 CCH |  |  | 10 |  | nA | $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{O}}=$ Open, $\mathrm{V}_{C C}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 6 |
| Input Forward Voltage | $V_{F}{ }^{*}$ |  |  | 1.4 | 1.7 | V | $I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 4 |  |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $8 V_{R}{ }^{*}$ |  | 5 |  | V |  | $I_{R}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  |  | -1.8 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  |
| Input Capacitance | CIN |  |  | 60 |  | pF | $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{VF}_{\mathrm{F}}=0$ |  |  |
| Input - Output Insulation Leakage Current | 1.-0* |  |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $45 \%$ Relative Humidity, $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ $t=5 \mathrm{~s}, V_{1-0}=3000 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 7 |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | R1.0 |  |  | $10^{12}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 7 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{C}_{1-0}$ |  |  | 0.6 |  | pF | $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 7 |

**All typicals at $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $V_{C C}=5 \mathrm{~V}$, unless otherwise noted.

## Switching Specifications

## AT $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Sym. | Device | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time To Logic Low at Output | tPHL* | 6N139 |  | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 0.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 25 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=4.7 \mathrm{kS} \\ & I_{F}=12 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=270 \Omega \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 6,8 |
|  |  | 6N138 |  | 1 | 10 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $T_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Propagation Delay Time To Logic High at Output | tPLH* | 6N139 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \\ \hline 60 \\ 7 \end{gathered}$ | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & I_{F}=12 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=270 \Omega \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 6,8 |
|  |  | 6N138 |  | 4 | 35 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Level Output | CMH |  |  | 500 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega, R_{\mathrm{CC}}=0 \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{cm}} \mid=10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p}} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 9,10 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Level Output | CML |  |  | $-500$ |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \left.\right\|_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{CC}}=0 \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{cm}} \mid=10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p}} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 9,10 |

## NOTES:

1. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
2. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.7 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Derate linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.7 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
4. Derate linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $2.0 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
5. DC CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO is defined as the ratio of output collector current, $I_{O}$, to the forward LED input current, $I_{F}$, times $100 \%$.
6. Pin 7 Open.
7. Device considered a two-terminal device: Pins 1, 2, 3, and 4 shorted together and Pins 5, 6, 7, and 8 shorted together.
8. Use of a resistor between pin 5 and 7 will decrease gain and delay time. See Application Note 951-1 for more details.
9. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{cm}}$ / dt on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cm}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic High state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $\mathrm{d} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cm}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cm}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
10. In applications where $\mathrm{dV} / \mathrm{dt}$ may exceed $50,000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ (such as static discharge) a series resistor, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{CC}}$, should be included to protect the detector IC from destructively high surge currents. The recommended value is $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{CC}} \approx \frac{1 \mathrm{~V}}{0.15 \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}(\mathrm{mA})} \mathrm{k} \Omega$.

$V_{0}$ - OUTPUT VOLTAGE - $V$
Figure 1. 6N139 DC Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 3. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Forward Current.


Figure 5. 6N139 Output Current vs. Input Diode Forward Current.

$V_{0}$ - OUTPUT VOLTAGE - V
Figure 2. 6N138 DC Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 4. Input Diode Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 6. $\mathbf{6 N 1 3 8}$ Output Current vs. Input Diode Forward Current.


Figure 7. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 8. Non Saturated Rise and Fall Times vs. Load Resistance.


Figure 9. Switching Test Circuit.*


Figure 10. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.

# DUAL LOW INPUT OPTOCOUPLERS 





## Features

- HIGH CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO - 1000\% TYPICAL
- LOW INPUT CURRENT REQUIREMENT - 0.5 mA
- LOW OUTPUT SATURATION VOLTAGE - 1.0V TYPICAL
- HIGH DENSITY PACKAGING
- 3000 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED OVER $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TEMPERATURE RANGE
- HIGH COMMON MODE REJECTION
- DATA RATES UP TO 200K BIT/s
- HIGH FANOUT
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361).


## Applications

- Digital Logic Ground Isolation
- Telephone Ring Detector
- EIA RS-232C Line Receiver
- Low Input Current Line Receiver - Long Line or Partyline
- Microprocessor Bus Isolation
- Current Loop Receiver
- Polarity Sensing
- Level Shifting
- Line Voltage Status Indicator - Low input Power Dissipation


## Description

The HCPL-2730/31 dual channel couplers contain a separated pair of GaAsP light emitting diodes optically coupled to a pair of integrated high gain photon detectors. They provide extremely high current transfer ratio, 3000V dc electrical insulation and excellent input-output common mode transient immunity. A separate pin for the photodiodes and first gain stages ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ ) permits lower output saturation voltage and higher speed operation than possible with conventional photodarlington type isolators. The separate $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ pin can be strobed low as an output disable. In addition $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$ may be as low as 1.6 V without adversely affecting the parametric performance.
Guaranteed operation at low input currents and the high current transfer ratio (CTR) reduce the magnitude and effects of CTR degradation.
The outstanding high temperature performance of this split Darlington type output amplifier results from the inclusion of an integrated emitter-base bypass resistor which shunts photodiode and first stage leakage currents to ground.
The HCPL-2731 has a $400 \%$ minimum CTR at an input current of only 0.5 mA making it ideal for use in low input current applications such as MOS, CMOS and low power logic interfacing or RS232C data transmission systems. In addition, the high CTR and high output current capability make this device extremely useful in applications where a high fanout is required. Compatibility with high voltage CMOS logic systems is guaranteed by the $18 \mathrm{~V} \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$ specifications and by testing output high leakage $\left(\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}\right)$ at 18 V .
The HCPL-2730 is specified at an input current of 1.6 mA and has a $7 \mathrm{~V} \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$ rating. The $300 \%$ minimum CTR allows TTL to TTL interfacing with an input current of only 1.6 mA .
Important specifications such as CTR, leakage current and output saturation voltage are guaranteed over the $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ temperature range to allow trouble-free system operation.

## Electrical Specifications

(Over Recommended Temperature $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Unless Otherwise Specified)

*All typicals at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Switching Specifications at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=\mathbf{2 5}{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Sym. | Device HCPL. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time |  | 2731 |  | 25 | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| To Logic Low at Output | tprym | 2730/1 |  | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 0.5 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 20 \\ 2 \end{gathered}$ | $\mu s$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & I_{F}=12 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=270 \Omega 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |  |
| Propagation Delay Time |  | 2731 |  | 20 | 60 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $I_{F}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |
| To Logic High at Output | tPL.H | 2730/1 |  | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \\ & 10 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & I_{F}=12 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{\mathrm{L}}=270 \Omega \end{aligned}$ | 9 |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Level Output | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{H}}$ |  |  | 500 |  | V/us | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=2.2 \mathrm{kS} \Omega \\ & \left\|V_{C M}\right\|=10 V_{p-p} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 10.11 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Level Output | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{L}}$ |  |  | -500 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=2.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & \left\|V_{C M}\right\|=10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{D}-\mathrm{D}} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 10,11 |

NOTES: 1. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.5 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
2. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.9 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Derate linearly above $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.6 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
4. Pin 5 should be the most negative voltage at the detector side.
5. Derate linearly above $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $1.7 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Output power is collector output power plus supply power.
6. Each channel.
7. CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO is defined as the ratio of output collector current, $I_{O}$, to the forward LED input current, $I_{F}$, times $100 \%$.
8. Device considered a two-terminal device: Pins 1, 2, 3, and 4 shorted together and Pins 5, 6, 7, and 8 shorted together.
9. Measured between pins 1 and 2 shorted together, and pins 3 and 4 shorted together.
10. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the leading edge of the common mode pulse $V_{C M}$, to assure that the output will remain in Logic High state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $d V_{C M} d t$ on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
11. In applications where $\mathrm{dV} / \mathrm{dt}$ may exceed $50,000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ (such as a static discharge) a series resistor, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{CC}}$, should be included to protect the detector $I C$ from destructively high surge curreilts. The recommended value is ${ }_{R_{C C}} \approx \frac{1 \mathrm{~V}}{0.3 I_{F}(m A)} \mathrm{k} \Omega$.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Storage Temperature $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Operating Temperature ........... $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Solder Temperature ........ $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 sec ( 1.6 mm below seating plane)

(50\% duty cycle, 1 ms pulse width)
Reverse Input Voltage $-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ (each channel)

5 V

Input Power Dissipation
(each channel) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $35 \mathrm{~mW}{ }^{[2]}$
Output Current - $I_{0}$
(each channel)
$60 \mathrm{~mA}^{[3]}$
Supply and Output Voltage $-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}(\operatorname{Pin} 8-5), \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}(\operatorname{Pin}$ 7,6-5) ${ }^{[4]}$
HCPL-2730 ................. . . . . . . . . . . -0.5 to 7V
HCPL-2731 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . -0.5 to 18V
Output Power Dissipation
(each channel) ........................ $100 \mathrm{~mW}^{[5]}$


Figure 1. DC Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 4. Input Diode Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 2. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Forward Current.


Figure 5. Supply Current Per Channel vs. Input Diode Forward Current.


Figure 3. Output Current vs. Input Diode Forward Current.


Figure 6. Propagation Delay To Logic Low vs. Pulse Period.


Figure 7. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 8. Propagation Delay vs. Input Diode Forward Current.

Figure 9: Switching Test Circuit.


Figure 10. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.


The 4N45/46 optocouplers contain a GaAsP light emitting diode optically coupled to a high gain photodetector IC. The excellent performance over temperature results from the inclusion of an integrated emitter-base bypass resistor which shunts photodiode and first stage leakage currents to ground. External access to the second stage base provides better noise rejection than a conventional photodarlington detector. An external resistor or capacitor at the base can be added to make a gain-bandwidth or input current threshold adjustment. The base lead can also be used for feedback.
The high current transfer ratio at very low input currents permits circuit designs in which adequate margin can be allowed for the effects of CTR degradation over time.
The 4 N 46 has a $350 \%$ minimum CTR at an input current of only 0.5 mA making it ideal for use in low input current applications such as MOS, CMOS and low power logic interfacing. Compatibility with high voltage CMOS logic systems is assured by the 20 V minimum breakdown voltage of the output transistor and by the guaranteed maximum output leakage ( $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ ) at 18 V .
The 4 N 45 has a $250 \%$ minimum CTR at 1.0 mA input current and a 7 V minimum breakdown voltage rating. *JEDEC Registered Data.


## Applications

- Telephone Ring Detector
- Digital Logic Ground Isolation
- Low Input Current Line Receiver
- Line Voltage Status Indicator - Low Input Power Dissipation
- Logic to Reed Relay Interface
- Level Shifting
- Interface Between Logic Families


## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

| Storage Temperature ................ $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operating Temperature ............. $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| ead Solder Temperature .... | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s . seating plane) |
| $\mathrm{l}_{F}$ | 20 mA [1] |
| (50\% duty cycl | ........ 40 mA <br> ms pulse width) |
| $\begin{array}{r} \text { eak Transient Input Current }-i_{F} . . \\ \qquad 1 \leqslant 1 \mu \mathrm{p} \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text {.......... } 1.0 \mathrm{~A} \\ & \text { width, } 300 \mathrm{pps}) \end{aligned}$ |
| verse Input Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  |
| put Power Dissipation | $35 \mathrm{~mW}{ }^{[2]}$ |
| utput Current - $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}(\operatorname{Pin} 5)$ | $60 \mathrm{~mA}^{[3]}$ |
| mitter-Base Reverse Voltage (Pins 4-6) | 0.5 V |
| Output Voltage - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}(\operatorname{Pin} 5-4)$ |  |
| 4N45 | -0.5 to 7V |
| 4N46 | -0.5 to 20V |
| tput | 100 mW [4] |

## Electrical Specifications

OVER RECOMMENDED TEMPERATURE ( $T_{A}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ), UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

| Parameter | Sym. | Device | Min. | Typ,** | Max. | Units | Tast Conditions | Fig. | Note <br>  <br> 5,6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Transfer Ratio | CTR* | 4N46 | $\begin{aligned} & 350 \\ & 500 \\ & 230 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1500 \\ & 1500 \\ & 600 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\%$ | $\begin{aligned} & I F=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=1.0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I F=10 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=1,0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I F=10 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=1.2 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 4 |  |
|  |  | 4N45 | $250$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1200 \\ 500 \end{array}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & f=1,0 \mathrm{~mA}, V O=1.0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & 1=10 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{0}=1.2 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Logic Low Output Voltage | VOL | 4N46 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ 92 \\ \hline 95 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.0 \\ & 1.2 \\ & 1.2 \end{aligned}$ | $V$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~F}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, 10 \mathrm{~L} \\ & \text { If }=1.05 \mathrm{~mA}, 10 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { if }=10 \mathrm{~mA}, 10 \mathrm{~mA}-20 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 2 |  |
|  |  | 4N45 |  | $90$ | $1.0$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { F }=10 \mathrm{~mA}, 10 \mathrm{~L}=2.5 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { F }=10 \mathrm{~mA}, 10 L=20 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Logic Migh Output Curtent | 10\%* | 4N46 |  | 0001 | 100 | $4{ }^{4}$ | IF= OmA, Vo- 18 V |  | 6 |
|  |  | 4N45: |  | 0001 | 250 | MA | If $0 \mathrm{ma}, \mathrm{V}_{0}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Input Forward Voltage | $V_{F}{ }^{*}$ |  |  | 1.4 | 1.7 | , v* | TF $-1,0 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{TA}^{2} 25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 1. |  |
| Temperature Coefficient of Fonward Voltage | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  |  | -1.8 |  | $\mathrm{mv/c}$ | 1f-1.0mA |  |  |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $B V_{R}{ }^{*}$ |  | 5 |  |  | $v$ | If $=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{TA}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| - Input Capacitance | $\mathrm{CIN}_{1}$ |  |  | 60 |  | PFE | f-1 MHz, $V_{F}=0$ |  |  |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | 110* |  |  |  | 1 1.0 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \% \text { Relative Hurnidity, } T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \\ & T=5 \mathrm{~s}, \mathrm{~V}_{1} \mathrm{O} \text { m } 3000 \mathrm{VDC} \end{aligned}$ |  | 7 |
| - Resistance (Input-Output) | $R_{1-0}$ |  |  | ${ }^{10^{12}}$ |  | 䇾 $\boldsymbol{\Omega}$ | $V_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{VDCL}$ |  | 7 |
| Capacitance | $\mathrm{c}_{1-0}$ | -... | , | 0.6 |  |  | $t=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  |

## Switching Specifications

AT $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Partmetar | Symbol | Min. | Typ:** | Max. | Untas | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagition Dolay Time To Logic Low ar Ouphit | + $\mathrm{P}^{\text {HL }}$ | 5\%** | 80 |  | us | 1F, 10nA, $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{L}}-10 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  | $6.8$ |
|  | ${ }_{\text {TPH }} \mathrm{L}^{*}$ |  | 5 | 50 | H2 |  |  |  |
| Propsgation Détay Time To Togic Michas Output | SPLH | \% | 1500 |  |  |  | $8$ | $68$ |
|  | $\mathrm{PRCH}^{*}$ |  | 150 | 5000 | H5. | 1-10mA $n_{L}$ - 220 n |  |  |
| Common Méde Transient Immanity at Logie High Lever Outpur | CMH |  | $500$ |  | $\square$ |  | 9 | 9 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Level Output | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{L}}$ |  | $-500$ |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{us}$ |  | 9 |  |

*JEDEC Registered Data.
**All typicals at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise noted.

## NOTES:

1. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
2. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.7 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Derate linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.8 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
4. Derate linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $1.5 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
5. DC CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO is defined as the ratio of output collector current, IO, to the forward LED input current, IF, times 100\%.
6. Pin 6 Open.
7. Device considered a two-terminal device: Pins 1, 2, 3 shorted together and Pins 4, 5, and 6 shorted together.
8. Use of a resistor between pin 4 and 6 will decrease gain and delay time. (See Figures 10 and 12).
9. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{cm}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cm}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic High state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>2.5 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $\mathrm{dV}_{\mathrm{cm}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cm}}$, to assure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<2.5 \mathrm{~V}$ ).


Figure 1. Input Diode Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 4. Current Transfer Ratio vs. Input Current.


Figure 2. Typical DC Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 5. Propagation Delay vs. Forward Current.


Figure 3. Output Current vs. Input Current.


Figure 6. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 7. Propagation Delay vs Load Resistor.


Figure 8. Switching Test Circuit


Figure 9. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.


Figure 10. External Base
Resistor, $\mathbf{R X}_{\mathbf{X}}$


If - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 11. Eftect of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{X}}$ On
Current Transfer Ratio


R X - EXTERNAL RESISTOR - $\mathrm{k} \Omega$
Figure 12. Effect of $\mathbf{R}_{X}$ On Propagation Delay

Applications


Line Voltage Monitor


Analog Signal Isolation


NOTE: AN INTEGRATOR MAY BE REQUIRED AT THE OUTPUT TO ELIMINATE DIALING PULSES AND LINE TRANSIENTS.

Telephone Ring Detector


CMOS Interface

CHARACTERISTICS
$R_{\text {IN }} \approx 30 \mathrm{M} \Omega, R_{\text {OUT }} \approx 50 \Omega$
$\left.\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }(\text { MAX. }}\right)=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}^{1}-1 \mathrm{~V}$, LINEARITY BETTER THAN $5 \%$
DESIGN COMMENTS
$R_{1}$ - NOT CRITICAL $\left(\ll \frac{V_{I N} \text { (MAX.) }-\left(-V_{C C}\right)-V_{B E}}{I_{F} \text { (MAX.) }}\right)_{h_{F E}} Q_{3}$
$\mathbf{R}_{2}$ - NOT CRITICAL (OMIT IF 0.2 TO O.3V OFFSET IS TOLERABLE)
$R_{4}>\frac{V_{\text {IN (MAX.) }}+V_{B E}}{1 \mathrm{~mA}}$
$R_{5}>\frac{V_{\text {IN (MAX.) }}}{2.5 \mathrm{~mA}}$
NOTE: ADJUST $R_{3}$ SO $V_{O U T}=V_{I N} A T V_{I N}=\frac{V_{I N}(M A X .)}{2}$

# AC/DC TO LOGIC INTERFACE OPTOCOUPLER 



## Features

- AC OR DC INPUT
- PROGRAMMABLE SENSE VOLTAGE
- HYSTERESIS
- LOGIC COMPATIBLE OUTPUT
- SMALL SIZE: STANDARD 8 PIN DIP
- THRESHOLDS GUARANTEED OVER TEMPERATURE
- THRESHOLDS INDEPENDENT OF LED DEGRADATION
- 3000V WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- RECOGNIZED UNDER THE COMPONENT PROGRAM OF UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC. (FILE NO. E55361)


## Description

The HCPL-3700 is a voltage/current threshold detection optocoupler. This optocoupler uses an internal Light Emitting Diode (LED), a threshold sensing input buffer IC, and a high gain photon detector to provide an optocoupler which permits adjustable external threshold levels. The input buffer circuit has a nominal turn on threshold of $2.5 \mathrm{~mA}\left(\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{H}+}\right)$ and 3.8 volts ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}+$ ). The addition of one or more external attenuation resistors permits the use of this device over a wide range of input voltages and currents. Threshold sensing prior to the LED and detector elements minimizes effects of different optical gain and LED variations over operating life (CTR degradation). Hysteresis is also provided in the buffer for extra noise immunity and switching stability.

## OUTLINE DRAWING



## Applications

- LIMIT SWITCH SENSING
- LOW VOLTAGE DETECTOR
- 5V-240V AC/DC VOLTAGE SENSING
- RELAY CONTACT MONITOR
- RELAY COIL VOLTAGE MONITOR
- CURRENT SENSING
- MICROPROCESSOR INTERFACING


The buffer circuit is designed with internal clamping diodes to protect the circuitry and LED from a wide range of over-voltage and over-current transients while the diode bridge enables easy use with ac voltage input.

The high gain output stage features an open collector output providing both TTL compatible saturation voltages and CMOS compatible breakdown voltages.

The HCPL-3700, by combining several unique functions in a single package, provides the user with an ideal component for industrial control computer input boards and other applications where a predetermined input threshold optocoupler level is desirable.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings (No derating required up to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )



## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | \% Max | $\therefore$ Unita | Noter: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | Vcc | 4.5 | \% 18 | - $\mathrm{S}_{2}$ |  |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {A }}$ | 0 | \% 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | - **. |
| Operating Frequency | f | 0 | 268, 4 | KHz | 8 |

## Switching Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{cc}}=5.0 \mathrm{v}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{9}$ | Max. | Units | Condlions | FIg. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Propagation Delay Time to Logic Low Output Level | tphl. | $\because$ | 4.0 | 15 | Hes | $R_{L}=47 \mathrm{kn}, \mathrm{CL}^{2}=30 \mathrm{pF}$ | 6,10 | 10 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Logic High Output Level | tPLH | $\because$ | -10.0 | 40 | $\mu s$ | $\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{L}}=47 \mathrm{k}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=30 \mathrm{pF}$ | 为 | 111 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Output Level | CML | $\because$ | 600 |  | $\forall / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~N}=3.11 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{\mathrm{L}}=47 \mathrm{kR} \\ & V \mathrm{O} \text { max }=0.8 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCM}=140 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | \| 8 \% 6 | $12.13$ |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Output Level | CMH | \% | 4000 |  | V/us | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~N}=0 \mathrm{~mA} R \mathrm{R}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{0} \min =2.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCMH}=1400 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | \% |  |
| Output Rise Time (10-90\%) | tr |  | 20 | $\because$ | - $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=4.7 \mathrm{kn}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{E}}=30 \mathrm{pF}$ | 710 |  |
| Output Fall Time (90-10\%) | tf |  | 0.3 | $\cdots$ |  | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=30 \mathrm{pF}$ | 7,10 |  |

## Electrical Characteristics

Over Recommended Temperature ( $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \leq \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}} \leq 70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{9}$ | Max. | Units | Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Threshold Current | ITH+ | 1.96 | 2.5 | 3.11 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I N}=V_{T H}+; V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V} ; \mathrm{IO} \geq 4.2 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 2,3 | 14 |
|  | Ith- | 1.00 | 1.3 | 1.62 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I N}=V_{T H} ; V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{\mathrm{O}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} ; \mathrm{IOH} \leq 100 \mu \mathrm{~A} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| DC | $V_{\text {TH }}+$ | 3.35 | 3.8 | 4.05 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I N}=V_{2}-V_{3} ; \text { Pins } 1 \& 4 \text { Open } \\ & V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} ; V_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V} ; \\ & l_{0} \geq 4.2 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  (Pins 2, 3) <br>   <br>   <br>   <br>   <br>   <br>   | VTH- | 2.01 | 2.6 | 2.86 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I N}=V_{2}-V_{3} ; \text { Pins } 1 \& 4 \text { Open } \\ & V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} ; V_{O}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} ; \\ & l_{\mathrm{O}} \leq 100 \mu \mathrm{~A} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {TH }}+$ | 4.23 | 5.1 | 5.50 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I N}=\left\|V_{1}-V_{4}\right\| ; \text { Pins 2 \& 3Open } \\ & V_{C C}=4.5 V ; V_{O}=0.4 V ; \\ & 10 \geq 4.2 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  | 14,15 |
| (Pins 1, 4) | VTH- | 2.87 | 3.8 | 4.24 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{i N}=\mid V_{1}-V_{4} ; \text { Pins 2 \& 3 Open } \\ & V_{C C}=4.5 V ; V_{O}=2.4 V \\ & 10 \leq 100 \mu \mathrm{~A} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Hysteresis | Ihys |  | 1.2 |  | mA | $I_{\text {HYS }}=I_{\text {TH }}{ }^{+}-I_{\text {TH- }}$ | 2 |  |
|  | $V_{\text {HYS }}$ |  | 1.2 |  | V | $V_{\text {HYS }}=V_{\text {TH }}+-V_{\text {TH- }}$ |  |  |
| Input Clamp Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{HCC}}$ | 5.4 | 6.0 | 6.6 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{1 H C 1}=V_{2}-V_{3} ; V_{3}=G N D ; \\ & I_{N}=10 \mathrm{~mA} ; \operatorname{Pin} 1 \& 4 \\ & \text { Connecied to Pin } 3 \end{aligned}$ | 1 |  |
|  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IHC2 }}$ | 6.1 | 6.7 | 7.3 | $V$ | $V_{1 H C 2}=\left\|V_{1}-V_{4}\right\| ;\|\|\mathbb{N}\|=$ 10 mA ; Pins 2 \& 3 Open |  |  |
|  | VIHC3 |  | 12.0 | 13.4 | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I H C 3}=V_{2}-V_{3}=G N D ; \\ & I_{I N}=15 \mathrm{~mA} \text {; Pins } 1 \& 4 \text { Open } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | VILC |  | -0.76 |  | V | $\begin{aligned} & V_{\mathrm{ILC}}=\mathrm{V}_{2}-\mathrm{V}_{3} ; \mathrm{V}_{3}=\mathrm{GND} ; \\ & \mathrm{IN}=-10 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Input Current | IIN | 3.0 | 3.7 | 4.4 | mA | $V_{I N}=V_{2}-V_{3}=5.0 V$ <br> Pins $1 \& 4$ Open | 5 |  |
| Bridge Diode Forward Voltage | V01, 2 |  | 0.59 |  |  | $\mathrm{IN}=3 \mathrm{~mA}$ (see schematic) |  |  |
|  | VD3,4 |  | 0.74 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Logic Low Output Voltage | Vol |  | 0.1 | 0.4 | V | $\mathrm{VCC}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} ; 1 \mathrm{IOL}=4.2 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 5 | 14 |
| Logic High Output Current | IOH |  |  | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{VOH}_{\text {O }}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=18 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |
| Logic Low Supply Current | ICCL |  | 1.0 | 4 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & V_{2}-V_{3}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} ; V_{O}=\text { Open } \\ & V_{c c}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | , |
| Logic High Supply Current | ICCH |  | 2 |  | nA | $V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V} ; V_{0}=$ Open | 4 | 14 |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | 11-0 |  |  | 1 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Relative Humidity }=45 \% \\ & T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, V_{1-O}=3000 \mathrm{Vdc} \\ & t=5 \text { sec. } \end{aligned}$ |  | 16 |
| Input-Output Resistance | RI-O |  | 1012 |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  |  |
| Input-Output Capacitance | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  | 0.6 |  | pF | $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{V}_{1-0}=0 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  |  |
| Input Capacitance | CIN |  | 50 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz} ; \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}=0 \mathrm{~V}, \text { Pins } 2 \& 3$ <br> Pins $1 \& 4$ Open |  |  |

Notes:

1. Measured at a point 1.6 mm below seating plane.
2. Current into/out of any single lead.
3. Surge input current duration is 3 ms at 120 Hz pulse repetition rate. Transient input current duration is $10 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ at 120 Hz pulse repetition rate. Note that maximum input power, $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{IN}}$, must be observed.
4. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $4.1 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Maximum input power dissipation of 230 mW allows an input IC junction temperature of $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at an ambient temperature of $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ with a typical thermal resistance from junction to ambient of $\theta \mathrm{JA} A_{i}=$ $240^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$. Excessive PiN and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}$ may result in IC chip degradation.
5. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $5.4 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
6. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $3.9 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Maximum output power dissipation of 210 mW allows an output IC junction temperature of $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at an ambient temperature of $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ with a typical thermal resistance from junction to ambient of $\theta_{J A_{0}}=$ $265^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$.
7. Derate linearly above $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free-air temperature at a rate of $0.6 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
8. Maximum operating frequency is defined when output waveform (Pin 6) obtains only $90 \%$ of $V_{C c}$ with $R_{L}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega, C_{L}=30 \mathrm{pF}$ using a 5 V square wave input signal.
9. All typical values are at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ unless otherwise stated.
10. The IPHL $^{2}$ propagation delay is measured from the 2.5 V level of the leading edge of a 5.0 V input pulse ( $1 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ rise time) to the 1.5 V level on the leading edge of the output pulse (see Figure 9).
11. The tple propagation delay is measured from the 2.5 V level of the trailing edge of a 5.0 V input pulse ( $1 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ fall time) to the 1.5 V level on the trailing edge of the output pulse (see Figure 9).
12. Common mode transient immunity in Logic High level is the maximum tolerable (positive) $\mathrm{dV} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}} / \mathrm{dt}$ on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to insure that the output will remain in a Logic High state (i.e., $V_{O}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ). Common mode transient immunity in Logic Low level is the maximum tolerable (negative) $\mathrm{dV} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM} / \mathrm{dt}}$ on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, to insure that the output will remain in a Logic Low state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ). See Figure 10.


Figure 1. Typical Input Characteristics, $I_{I N}$ vs. $V_{I N}$.


Figure 3. Typical DC Threshold Levels vs. Temperature.
13. In applications where dV CM/dt may exceed $50,000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ (such as static discharge), a series resistor, Rcc, should be included to protect the detector IC from destructively high surge currents. The recommended value for Rcc is $240 \Omega$ per volt of allowable drop in VCc (between Pin 8 and $V_{c c}$ ) with a minimum value of $240 \Omega$.
14. Logic low output level at Pin 6 occurs under the conditions of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{I}} \geq$ $V_{T H}+$ as well as the range of $V_{I N}>V_{T H}$ - once $V_{I N}$ has exceeded $V_{T H}$. Logic high output level at Pin 6 occurs under the conditions of ViN $\leq$ $V_{T H}$ - as well as the range of $V_{I N}<V_{T H}+$ once $V_{\text {IN }}$ has decreased below $V_{\text {TH }}$.
15. $A C$ voltage is instantaneous voltage.
16. Device considered a two terminal device: pins 1, 2, 3, 4 connected together, and Pins 5, 6, 7, 8 connected together.


Figure 2. Typical Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 4. Typical High Level Supply Current, $\mathbf{I C C H}^{\mathbf{C C H}}$ vs. Temperature.


Figure 5. Typical Input Current, $I_{I N}$, and Low Level Output Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$, vs. Temperature.


Figure 7. Typical Rise, Fall Times vs. Temperature.


Figure 9. Switching Test Circuit.


Figure 6. Typical Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.

$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$ - COMMON MODE TRANSIENT AMPLITUDE - V
Figure 8. Common Mode Transient Immunity vs. Common Mode Transient Amplitude.


* $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}$ IS 30 pF , WHICH INCLUDES PROBE AND STRAY WIRING CAPACITANCE.


Figure 10. Test Circuit for Common Mode Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.

## Electrical Considerations

The HCPL-3700 optocoupler has internal temperature compensated, predictable voltage and current threshold points which allow selection of an external resistor, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$, to determine larger external threshold voltage levels. For a desired external threshold voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{ \pm}$, a corresponding typical value of $R_{x}$ can be obtained from Figure 11. Specific calculation of $R_{x}$ can be obtained from Equation (1) of Figure 12. Specification of both $\mathrm{V}_{+}$and $\mathrm{V}_{-}$voltage threshold levels simultaneously can be obtained by the use of $R_{x}$ and $R_{p}$ as shown in Figure 12 and determined by Equations (2) and (3).
$R_{x}$ can provide over-current transient protection by limiting input current during a transient condition. For monitoring contacts of a relay or switch, the HCPL-3700 in combination with $R_{x}$ and $R_{p}$ can be used to allow a specific current to be conducted through the contacts for cleaning purposes (wetting current).
The choice of which input voltage clamp level to choose depends upon the application of this device (see Figure 1). It is recommended that the low clamp condition be used when possible to lower the input power dissipation as well as the LED current, which minimizes LED degradation over time.
In applications where $d V_{C M} / d t$ may be extremely large (such as static discharge), a series resistor, Rcc, should be connected in series with Vcc and Pin 8 to protect the detector IC from destructively high surge currents. See note 13 for determination of Rcc. In addition, it is recommended that a ceramic disc bypass capacitor of $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f}$ be placed between Pins 8 and 5 to reduce the effect of power supply noise.
For interfacing AC signals to TTL systems, output low pass filtering can be performed with a pullup resistor of $1.5 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ and $20 \mu \mathrm{f}$ capacitor. This application requires a Schmitt trigger gate to avoid slow rise time chatter problems. For AC input applications, a filter capacitor can be placed across the DC input terminals for either signal or transient filtering.


Figure 11. Typical External Threshold Characteristic, $\mathbf{V}_{ \pm}$vs. $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{X}}$.


Figure 12. External Threshold Voltage Level Selection.

Either AC (Pins 1, 4) or DC (Pins 2, 3) input can be used to determine external threshold levels.
For one specifically selected external threshold voltage level $V_{+}$or $V_{-}$, $R_{x}$ can be determined without use of $R_{p}$ via

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}=\frac{\mathrm{V}_{+(-)}-\mathrm{V}_{T H_{+}}}{\mathrm{ITH}_{(-)}} \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

For two specifically selected external threshold voltage levels, $V_{+}$and $V_{-}$, the use of $R_{x}$ and $R_{p}$ will permit this selection via equations (2), (3) provided the following conditions are met. If the denominator of equation (2) is positive, then

$$
\frac{V_{+}}{V_{-}} \geq \frac{V_{T H_{+}}}{V_{T H_{-}}} \quad \text { and } \quad \frac{V_{+}-V_{T H_{+}}}{V_{-}-V_{T H_{-}}}<\frac{I_{T H_{+}}}{I_{T H_{-}}}
$$

Conversely, if the denominator of equation (2) is negative, then

$$
\begin{gather*}
\frac{V_{+}}{V_{-}} \leq \frac{V_{T H_{+}}}{V_{T H_{-}}} \text {and } \frac{V_{+}-V_{T H_{+}}}{V_{-}-V_{T H_{-}}}>\frac{I_{T H_{+}}}{I_{T H_{-}}} \\
R_{\mathrm{x}}=\frac{V_{T H_{-}}\left(V_{+}\right)-V_{T H_{+}}\left(V_{-}\right)}{I_{T H_{+}}\left(V_{T H_{-}}\right)-I_{T H_{-}}\left(V_{T H_{+}}\right)} \tag{2}
\end{gather*}
$$

$$
\begin{equation*}
R_{p}=\frac{V_{T H_{-}}\left(V_{+}\right) \cdot-V_{T H_{+}}\left(V_{-}\right)}{I_{T H_{+}}\left(V_{-}-V_{T H_{-}}\right)+I_{T H_{-}}\left(V_{T H_{+}}-V_{+}\right)} \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$



$$
V_{n}=\ldots \cdot \quad 13 R
$$

$$
r=1,6, v_{4}=4,00
$$




## Features

- HERMETICALLY SEALED
- HIGH SPEED
- PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED OVER -55 ${ }^{\circ}$ C TO $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ AMBIENT TEMPERATURE RANGE
- STANDARD HIGH RELIABILITY SCREENED PARTS AVAILABLE
- TTL COMPATIBLE INPUT AND OUTPUT
- HIGH COMMON MODE REJECTION
- DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE
- 1500 VDC WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- EIA REGISTRATION
- HIGH RADIATION IMMUNITY


## Applications

- Logic Ground Isolation
- Line Receiver
- Computer - Peripheral Interface
- Vehicle Command/Control Isolation
- High Reliability Systems
- System Test Equipment Isolation


## Description

The 6N134 consists of a pair of inverting optically coupled gates, each with a light emitting diode and a unique high gain integrated photon detector in a hermetically sealed ceramic package. The output of the detector is an open collector Schottky clamped transistor.

This unique dual coupler design provides maximum DC and AC circuit isolation between each input and output while achieving TTL circuit compatibility. The isolator operational parameters are guaranteed from $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, such that a minimum input current of 10 mA in each channel will sink a six gate fanout ( 10 mA ) at the output with 4.5 to $5.5 \mathrm{~V} \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ applied to the detector. This isolation and coupling is achieved with a typical propagation delay of 55 nsec .


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## Recommended Operating Conditions

## TABLE I

|  | Sym. | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current, Low Level Each Channel | IFL | 0 | $250$ |  |
| Input Current, High Level Each Channel | IFH. | 12.5** | $20$ | mA |
| Supply Voltage | VCC | 4.5 | \% 5.5 | V |
| Fan Out (TTL Load) Each Channel | N |  | 6 | " \% |
| Operating Temperature | $\mathrm{TA}_{\text {A }}$ | $-55$ | 125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

(No derating required up to $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Storage Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Operating Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Solder Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s
(1.6mm below seating plane)

Peak Forward Input 40 mA ( $\leqslant 1 \mathrm{~ms}$ Duration)
Current (each channel) $\qquad$ Average Input Forward Current (each channel) ..... 20 mA Input Power Dissipation (each channel) . . . . . . . . . . . 35 mW Reverse Input Voltage (each channel) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5V Supply Voltage - VCC ........... 7V (1 minute maximum) Output Current - IO (each channel) . . . . . . . . . . . . . 25 mA Output Power Dissipation (each channel) . . . . . . . . . . 40 mW Output Voltage - V (each channel) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7V Total Power Dissipation (both channels) . . . . . . . . . 350 mW
**12.5mA condition permits at least $20 \%$ CTR degradation guardband. Initial switching threshold is 10 mA or less.

TABLE II
Electrical Characteristics
OVER RECOMMENDED TEMPERATURE ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

| SParameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ.** | Max, | Units | Testconditons | Figure | Note: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| High Leve? Output Current | $1 \mathrm{OH}$ |  | 6 | $250$ |  | $\text { Yco } 5$ |  | $1$ |
| Low Levet Output Voltage | $\mathrm{VoL}^{2}$ | - | $0.5$ | 0.6 | $\square$ |  | $4$ | 1.9 |
| High Level Supply Current | Hoch |  | $18$ | $28$ | $\max$ |  |  |  |
| Low Level Supply Current | $\mathrm{lcct}$ |  | 26 | . 36 | mA | $\text { Vce } 55 V \text { I }=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> Bonh Channels |  |  |
| Input Forward Voltage | $V_{F}$ | - | 1.5 | -1.75 | V | - 1 ¢ $20 \mathrm{~mA} T^{2}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | - 1 | 1 |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $B V_{R}^{*}$ |  |  |  |  | $1 \mathrm{R}=10 / \mathrm{AA} \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | 11-0** |  |  | $10$ | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{1} 0=1500 \mathrm{Vdc},$ <br> Retative Humidity $=45 \%$ $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 1,5 \mathrm{~s}$ |  | 2 |
| Propagation Delay Time to High Output Level | $\mathrm{tPLH}^{*}$ |  | 65 | 90 | $\mathrm{ns}^{2}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{L}}=510 \mathrm{~N}, \mathrm{CL}=15 \rho F \\ & 1 \mathrm{~F}=13 \mathrm{~mA}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | 2,3 | 5 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Low Output Level | $\mathrm{tpHL}^{*}$ |  | 55 | 90 | ns | $\begin{aligned} & n_{L}-510 \Omega_{C} C_{C}-15 p F \\ & H_{F}=13 m A_{A}-25^{\circ} C \end{aligned}$ | 2,3 | 6 |

**All typical values are at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## TABLE III

Typical Characteristics at $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$
EACH CHANNEL

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | - . ${ }^{\text {c/ }}$ Test Conditions | Figure | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Capacitance | $\mathrm{CiN}^{\text {IN }}$ |  | 60 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0, f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 1 |
| Input Diode Temperature Coefficient | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  | $-1.9$ |  | $\mathrm{mv} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $H_{f}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | $1$ |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | R1-O |  | 1012 |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{40}=500 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 3 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{C}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  | 1.7 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 3 |
| Input-Input Insulation Leakage Current | $I_{1-1}$ |  | 0.5 |  | $\mathrm{nA}$ | Relative Humidity $=45 \%$ $V_{H}=500 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}$ |  | 4 |
| Resistance (Input-Input) | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{i}}+$ |  | $10^{12}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $V_{H}=500 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 4 |
| Capacitance (Input-Input) | $\mathrm{C}_{1-1}$ |  | 0.55 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 4 |
| Output Rise-Fall Time (10-90\%) | $\mathrm{tr}_{4} \mathrm{tff}^{\text {f }}$ |  | 35 | ; | ns | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=510 \Omega, C_{L}=15 p F \\ & 1=13 m A \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at High Output Level | $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{H}}$ |  | 100 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=10 \mathrm{~V}(\text { peak }) \\ & V_{O}(\min )=2 \mathrm{~V} \\ & R_{L}=510 \Omega, I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 6 | 7 |
| Common Mode Transient Immúnity at Low Output Level | $C M_{\mathrm{L}}$ |  | -400 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C M}=10 \mathrm{~V}(\text { peak }), \\ & V_{O}(\text { max. })=0.8 \mathrm{~V} \\ & R_{\mathrm{L}}=510 \Omega_{\mathrm{r}} I_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 6 | 8 |

## NOTES:

1. Each channel.
2. Measured between pins 1 through 8 shorted together and pins 9 through 16 shorted together
3. Measured between pins 1 and 2 or 5 and 6 shorted together, and pins 9 through 16 shorted together.
4. Measured between pins 1 and 2 shorted together, and pins 5 and 6 shorted together.
5. The tPLH propagation delay is measured from the 6.5 mA point on the trailing edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the trailing edge of the output pulse.
6. The tpH propagation delay is measured from the 6.5 mA point on the leading edge of the input pulse to the 1.5 V point on the leading edge of the output pulse.
7. $C M_{H}$ is the max. tolerable common mode transient to assure that the output will remain in a high logic state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}>\mathbf{2 . 0 \mathrm { V }}$ ).
8. $C M_{L}$ is the max. tolerable common mode transient to assure that the output will remain in a low logic state (i.e., $\mathrm{V}_{0}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
9. It is essential that a bypass capacitor ( .01 to $0.1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$, ceramic) be connected from oin 10 to pin 15. Total lead length between both ends of the capacitor and the isolator pins should not exceed 20mm (Fig. 7).


Figure 1. Input Diode Forward Characteristic


Figure 3. Propagation Delay, tPHL and tPLH vs. Pulse Input Current, IFH


Figure 5. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature


Figure 2. Test Circuit for tPHL and $\mathrm{tPLH}^{*}$


Figure 4. Input-Output Characteristics


Figure 6. Typical Common Mode Rejection Characteristics/Circuit


Figure 7. Recommended Circuit Board Layout.

## High Reliability Test Program

Hewlett Packard provides standard high reliability test programs, patterned after MIL-M-38510.

- The TXV suffix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table IV.
- The TXVB suffix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table IV, and comes from a lot which has been subjected to the Group B tests detailed in Table V.

Part Number System

| Conmercial bioduct | With TX <br> Screening | With TX Screening Plus Group B |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6 W134 | 6N134TXV | 6N134 TXVB |

TABLE IV TXV Preconditioning and Screening - $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$


TABLE V, GROUP B


# HERMETICALLY SEALED, FOUR CHANNEL, LOW INPUT CURRENT OPTOCOUPLER 



## Features

- HERMETICALLY SEALED
- HIGH DENSITY PACKAGING
- HIGH CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO: 500\% TYPICAL
- CTR AND Іон GUARANTEED OVER -55 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ AMBIENT TEMPERATURE RANGE
- STANDARD HIGH RELIABILITY SCREENED PARTS AVAILABLE
- 1500 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- LOW INPUT CURRENT REQUIREMENT: 0.5 mA
- LOW OUTPUT SATURATION VOLTAGE: 0.1V TYPICAL
- LOW POWER CONSUMPTION
- HIGH RADIATION IMMUNITY


## Applications

- Isolated Input Line Receiver
- System Test Equipment Isolation
- Digital Logic Ground Isolation
- Vehicle Command/Control Isolation
- EIA RS-232C Line Receiver
- Microprocessor System Interface
- Current Loop Receiver
- Level Shifting
- Process Control Input/Output Isolation


Outline Drawing*

## Description

The 6N140 contains four GaAsP light emitting diodes, each of which is optically coupled to a corresponding integrated high gain photon detector. A common pin for the photodiodes and first stage of each detector IC (Vcc) permits lower output saturation voltage and higher speed operation than possible with conventional photodarlington type optocouplers. Also, the separate $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ pin can be strobed low as an output disable or operated with supply voltages as low as 2.0 V without adversely affecting the parametric performance.
The outstanding high temperature performance of this split Darlington type output amplifier results from the inclusion of an integrated emitter-base bypass resistor which shunts photodiode and first stage leakage currents to ground.
The high current transfer ratio at very low input currents permits circuit designs in which adequate margin can be allowed for the effects of CTR degradation over time.

The 6N140 has a 300\% minimum CTR at an input current of only 0.5 mA making it ideal for use in low input current applications such as MOS, CMOS and low power logic interfacing or RS-232C data transmission systems. Compatibility with high voltage CMOS logic systems is assured by the 18 V Vcc and by the guaranteed maximum output leakage (IOH) at 18 V .
Important specifications such as CTR, leakage current, supply current and output saturation voltage are guaranteed over the $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ temperature range to allow trouble free system operation.

TABLE I

## Recommended Operating Conditions

|  | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current, Low Level <br> (Each Channel) | IFL |  | 2 | $\mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| Input Current, High Level <br> (Each Channel) | IFH | 0.5 | 5 | mA |
| Supply Voltage |  |  |  |  |

TABLE II.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

Storage Temperature .................. $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Operating Temperature ............... $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Lead Solder Temperature ................. $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s . ( 1.6 mm below seating plane)
Output Current, IO (each channel) ............... 40 mA
Output Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (each channel) ....... -0.5 to $20 \mathrm{~V}[1]$
Supply Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$........................ -0.5 to $20 \mathrm{~V}[1]$
Output Power Dissipation (each channel) ... 50 mW [2]
Peak Input Current (each channel,
$\leqslant 1 \mathrm{~ms}$ duration)
20 mA
Average Input Current, $I_{F}$ (each channel) $\ldots . .10 \mathrm{~mA}^{[3]}$
Reverse Input Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ (each channel) .......... 5V

Electrical Characteristics $T_{A}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Unless Otherwise Specified

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Transfer Ratio | CTR* | $\begin{aligned} & 300 \\ & 300 \\ & 200 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 1000 \\ 750 \\ 400 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \% \\ & \% \\ & \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{O}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCC}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{~F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{0}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, V C C=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{0}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, V C C=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 3 | 4,5 |
| Logic Low Output Voltage | Vol |  | $\begin{aligned} & .1 \\ & .2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & .4 \\ & .4 \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{V}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{IOL}^{2}=1.5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{VCC}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}, 10 L=10 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{VCC}=4.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 2 | 4 |
| Logic High Output Current | ІОト* |  | . 005 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=2 \mu A \\ & V_{O}=V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 4,6 |
| Logic Low Supply Current | ICCL** |  | 2 | 4 | mA | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F_{1}=I_{F 2}=I_{F 3}=I_{F 4}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}} \\ & V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Logic High Supply Current | IGCH* |  | . 010 | 40 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 1}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 2}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 3}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 4}=0 \\ & \mathrm{VCC}=18 \mathrm{l} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Input Forward Voltage | $\mathrm{VF}^{*}{ }^{*}$ |  | 1.4 | 1.7 | $\checkmark$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 1 | 4 |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | $B V_{R}{ }^{*}$ | 5 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 4 |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | 11-0* |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $45 \%$ Relative Humidity, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, <br> $t=5 \mathrm{~s} ., V_{l}-\mathrm{O}=1500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 7 |
| Propagation Delay Time To Logic High At Output | tPLH* |  | 25 | 60 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega, \mathrm{V}_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 8 |  |
|  |  |  | 10 | 20 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{L}=680 \Omega, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 8 |  |
| Propagation Delay Time To Logic Low At Output | tP ${ }^{\text {che }}$ * |  | 35 | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{L}=4.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega, \mathrm{V}_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 8 |  |
|  |  |  | 2 | 5 | $\mu \mathrm{S}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{R}_{L}=680 \Omega, V_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 8 |  |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity At Logic High Level Output | $\mathrm{CMH}^{\text {H}}$ | 500 | 1000 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mid \mathrm{F}=0, R_{L}=1.5 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & \left\|V_{C M}\right\|=50 V_{p-p}, V_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 10,12 |
| Common Mode Transient immunity At Logic Low Level Output | CML | -500 | -1000 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=1.5 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & \left\|V_{C M}\right\|=50 V_{p-p} . V_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 11,12 |

TABLE III.
Typical Characteristics $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ Each Channel

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | R1-O |  | $10^{12}$ |  | $\Omega$ | $\mathrm{V}_{1}-\mathrm{O}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}, \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 4,8 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-\mathrm{O}}$ |  | 1.5 |  | pF | $\left\{=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ |  | 4,8 |
| Input-Input insulation Leakage Current | H1 |  | 0.5 |  | nA | $45 \%$ Relative Humidity, $\mathrm{V}_{1-1}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}$, $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}$. |  | 9 |
| Resistance (Input-Input) | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{t}-1}$ |  | 1012 |  | $\Omega$ | $\mathrm{V}_{1-1}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}, \mathrm{T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 9 |
| Capacitance (Input-Input) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-1}$ |  | 1 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 9 |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  | -1.8 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{mV} / \\ & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 4 |
| Input Capacitance | CIN |  | 60 |  | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}, V_{F}=0, T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 4 |

NOTES: 1. Pin 10 should be the most negative voltage at the detector side. Keeping Vcc as low as possible, but greater than 2.0 volts, will provide lowest total IOH over temperature.
2. Output power is collector output power plus one fourth of total supply power. Derate at $1.25 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
3. Derate $I_{F}$ at $0.25 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
4. Each channel.
5. CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO is defined as the ratio of output collector current, Io, to the forward LED input current, IF, times $100 \%$.
6. If $=2 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ for channel under test. For all other channels, $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$.
7. Device considered a two-terminal device: Pins 1 through 8 are shorted together and pins 9 through 16 are shorted together.
8. Measured between each input pair shorted together and all output pins.
9. Measured between adjacent input pairs shorted together, i.e. between pins 1 and 2 shorted together and pins 3 and 4 shorted together, etc.
0. $\mathrm{CM}_{H}$ is the maximum tolerable common mode transient to assure that the output will remain in a high logic state (i.e. Vo $>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
11. $\mathrm{CM}_{\mathrm{L}}$ is the maximum tolerable common mode transient to assure that the output will remain in a low logic state (i.e. $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}<0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ )
12. In applications where $\mathrm{dV} / \mathrm{dt}$ may exceed $50,000 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ (such as a static discharge) a series resistor, Rcc, should be included to protect the detector IC's from destructively high surge currents. The recommended value is $R_{C C} \approx \frac{1 \mathrm{~V}}{0.6 \mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}(\mathrm{mA})} \mathrm{k} \Omega$.

$V_{F}$ - FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 1. Input Diode Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 4. Normalized Supply Current vs. Input Diode Forward Current.


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I_{F} \text { - INPUT DIODE FORWARD CURRENT - mA }
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Figure 7. Propagation Delay vs. Input Diode Forward Current.

$V_{0}$ - OUTPUT VOLTAGE-V
Figure 2. Normalized DC Transfer Characteristics.


Figure 5. Propagation Delay to Logic Low vs. Input Pulse Period.


Figure 8. Switching Test Circuit.*
( $f, t_{p}$ not JEDEC registered)



Figure 10. Recommended drive circuitry using TTL logic.

## High Reliability Test Program

Hewlett Packard provides standard high reliability test programs, patterned after MIL-M-38510 in order to facilitate the use of HP products in military programs.
HP offers two levels of high reliability testing:

- The TXV suffix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table IV.
- The TXVB suffix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table IV, and comes from a lot which has been subjected to the Group B tests detailed in Table V.

Part Number System


TABLE IV TXV Preconditioning and Screening - 100\%


TABLE V, Group B


DUAL CHANNEL HERMETICALIY

SEALED OPTOCOUPLER


## Features

- HERMETICALLY SEALED
- HIGH SPEED: TYPICALLY 400k bit/s
- PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED OVER -55 ${ }^{\circ}$ C TO $+125^{\circ}$ C AMBIENT TEMPERATURE RANGE
- STANDARD HIGH RELIABILITY SCREENED PARTS AVAILABLE
- 2 MHz BANDWIDTH
- OPEN COLLECTOR OUTPUTS
- 18 VOLT VCC
- DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE
- 1500 Vdc WITHSTAND TEST VOLTAGE
- HIGH RADIATION IMMUNITY


## Description

The 4N55 consists of two completely isolated optocouplers in a hermetically sealed ceramic package. Each channel has a light emitting diode and an integrated photon detector providing 1500 Vdc electrical isolation between input and output. Separate connections for the photodiodes and output transistor collectors improve the speed up to a hundred times that of a conventional phototransistor optocoupler by reducing the base-collector capacitance.

## Applications

## - HIGH RELIABILITY SYSTEMS

- LINE RECEIVERS
- DIGITAL LOGIC GROUND ISOLATION
- ANALOG SIGNAL GROUND ISOLATION
- SWITCHING POWER SUPPLY FEEDBACK ELEMENT
- VEHICLE COMMAND/CONTROL
- SYSTEM TEST EQUIPMENT
- LEVEL SHIFTING

The 4 N 55 is suitable for wide bandwidth analog applications, as well as for interfacing TTL to LSTTL or CMOS. Current Transfer Ratio (CTR) is 9\% minimum at IF $=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ over the full military operating temperature range, $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The 18 V Vcc capability will enable the designer to interface any TTL family to CMOS. The availability of the base lead allows optimized gain/ bandwidth adjustment in analog applications. The shallow depth of the IC photodiode provides better radiation immunity than conventional phototransistor couplers.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Storage Temperature $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Operating Temperature $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Solder Temperature $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 10 s
( 1.6 mm below seating plane)
Average Input Current, IF (each channel) ....... 20 mA
Peak Input Current, IF (each
channel, $\leq 1 \mathrm{~ms}$ duration)
40 mA
Reverse Input Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ (each channel) .......... 5V
Input Power Dissipation (each channel) ...... 36 mW
Average Output Current, Io (each channel) ..... 8mA
Peak Output Current, lo (each channel) ........ 16mA
Supply Voltage, Vcc (each channel) ..... -0.5V to 20V
Output Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (each channel) $\ldots . .-0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ to 20 V )

Emitter Base Reverse Voltage, Vebo
3.0 V

Base Current, IB (each channel) 5 mA
Output Power Dissipation (each channel) ..... 50 mW Derate linearly above $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ free air temperature at a rate of $1.4 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

## TABLE I.

## Recommended Operating Conditions (each channel)

|  | Symbol | MIn | Max | Unils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Current, Low Level | IFL |  | 250 | $\mu A$ |
| Supply Voltage | Vcc | 2 | 18 | $V$ |

## TABLE II.

Electrical CharacteristicS $T_{A}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise specified

| 2\% \% Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ:* | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | F9. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Transfer Ratio | CTR | 9 | 20 |  | \% | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{0}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, V_{C C}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ | 2,3 | 1,2 |
| Logic High Output Current | 10 H |  | 20 | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \left.I_{F}=0, I_{F} \text { (other channel }\right)=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{O}=V C C=18 V \end{aligned}$ | 4 | 1 |
| Output Leakage Current | OH 1 |  | 70 | 250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I F=250 \mu A, \text { If (other channel) }=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{O}=V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 4 | 1 |
| Logic Low Supply Current | ICCL |  | 35 | 200 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $I_{F 1}=I_{F 2}=20 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V}$ | 5 | 1 |
| Logic High Supply Current | ICCH |  | 0.2 | 10 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F=}=0 \mathrm{~mA}, I_{F} \text { (other channel }=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & V_{C C}=18 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 1 |
| Input Forward Voltage | $V_{F}$ |  | 1.5 | 1.8 | V | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 1 | 1 |
| Input Reverse Breakdown Voltage | Bva | 3 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  | 1. |
| Input-Output Insulation Leakage Current | 11-0 |  |  | 1.0 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | 45\% Relative Humidity, $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}, \mathrm{~V}_{1-\mathrm{O}}=1500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 3 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Logic High at Output | tPLH |  | 2.0 | 6.0 | $\mu \mathrm{S}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=8.2 \mathrm{~K} \Omega, C_{L}=50 \mathrm{pF} \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, V_{C C}=5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 6,9 | 1 |
| Propagation Delay Time to Logic Low at Output | tphi. |  | 0.4 | 2.0 | $\mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{L}=8.2 \mathrm{~K} \Omega, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=50 \mathrm{pF} \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{VCC}=5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 6,9 | 1 |

Notes:
*All typicals at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

1. Each channel.
2. Current Transfer Ratio is defined as the ratio of output collector current, lo, to the forward LED input current, IF, times $100 \%$. CTR is known to degrade slightly over the unit's lifetime as a function of input current, temperature, signal duty cycle and system on time Refer to Application Note 1002 for more detail. In short it is recommended that designers allow at least 20-25\% guardband for CTR degradation.
3. Measured between pins 1 through 8 shorted together and pins 9 through 16 shorted together.

$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ - INPUT FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 1. Input Diode Forward Characteristic.

$V_{o}$ - OUTPUT VOLTAGE - $V$
Figure 2. DC and Pulsed Transfer Characteristic

TABLE III.
Typical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Typ. | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. | Note |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\frac{\Delta V_{F}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ | -1.9 | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=18 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1 |
| Input Capacitance | Cin | 120 | pF | $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0$ |  | 1 |
| Resistance (Input-Output) | R1-0 | 1012 | $\Omega$ | $V_{1-0}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |  | 1 |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1}$ | 1.0 | pF | $f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 1,4 |
| Input-Input Insulation Leakage Current | 1,1 | 1 | pA | 45\% Relative Humidity, $V_{1-1}=500 \mathrm{Vdc}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{~s}$ |  | 5 |
| Capacitance (Input-Input) | $\mathrm{Cl}_{1-1}$ | . 55 | pF | $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 5 |
| Transistor DC Current Gain | hfe | 250 | - | $\mathrm{V}_{0}=5 \mathrm{~V}, 10=3 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1 |
| Small Signal Current Transfer Ratio | $\frac{\Delta l_{\mathrm{O}}}{\Delta \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}}$ | 21 | \% | $V_{C C}=5 \mathrm{~V}, V_{O}=2 \mathrm{~V}$ | 7 | 1 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic High Level Output | CMH | 1000 | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=0, R_{L}=8.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & V_{C M}=10 V_{p-p} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 1,6 |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Level Output | CML | -1000 | $\mathrm{V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}, R_{L}=8.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\ & V_{C M}=10 V_{p-p} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 1,7 |
| Bandwidth | BW | 2 | MHz | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=100 \Omega$ | 8 | 8 |

Notes (cont.):
4. Measured between each input pair shorted together and the output pins for that channel shorted together.
5. Measured between pins 3 and 4 shorted together and pins 7 and 8 shorted together.
6. $C M_{H}$ is the steepest slope ( $\mathrm{dV} / \mathrm{dt}$ ) on the leading edge of the common mode pulse, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CM}}$, for which the output will remain in the logic high state.
7. $C M_{L}$ is the steepest slope ( $d V / d t$ ) on the trailing edge of the common mode pulse, $V_{C M}$, for which the output will remain in the logic low state.
8. Bandwidth is the frequency at which the ac output voltage is 3 dB below the low frequency asymptote.


Figure 3. Normalized Current Transfer Ratio vs. Input Diode Forward Current.


Figure 4. Logic High Output Current vs. Temperature.

Figure 6. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature.


Figure 7. Normalized Small Signal Current Transfer Ratio vs. Quiescent Input Current.


Figure 5. Logic Low Supply Current vs. Input Diode Forward Current.



Figure 8. Frequency Response.


10\% DUTY CYCLE $1 / \mathrm{f} \leqslant 100 \mu \mathrm{~s}$

Figure 9. Switching Test Circuit.

$v_{0}$


SWITCH AT A: $I_{F}=0 \mathrm{~mA}$


SWITCH AT B: $I_{F}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$


Figure 10. Test Circuit for Transient Immunity and Typical Waveforms.


| LOGIC FAMILY | LSTTL | CMOS |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DEVICE NO. | $54 L . S 14$ | CD40106BM |  |
| VCC | $5 V$ | $5 V$ | 15 V |
| R $_{\text {L }} 5 \%$ |  | $18 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | B.2k $\Omega$ |
| TOLERANCE | $22 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |  |  |

*THE EQUIVALENT OUTPUT LOAD RESISTANCE IS AFFECTED BY THE LSTTL INPUT CURRENT AND IS APPROXIMATELY $8.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$.

This is a worst case design which takes into account $25 \%$ degradation of CTR. See App. Note 1002 to assess actual degradation and lifetime.

Figure 11. Recommended Logic Interface.

## High Reliability Test Program

Hewlett-Packard provides standard high reliability test programs, patterned after MIL-M-38510.

- The TXV suffix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table IV.
- The TVXB suffix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table IV, and comes from a lot which has been subjected to the Group B tests detailed in Table V.

Part Number System

| Commercial <br> Product | With TXV <br> Screening | With TXV <br> Screening <br> Plus Group B |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $4 N 55$ | 4 N55TXV | 4 N55TXVB |



Burn-in-Circuit

TABLE IV. TXV PRECONDITIONING AND SCREENING - 100\%

| Examination or Test | MIL-STD-883 Methods | Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Pre-Cap Visual Inspection | 2010 | Condition B |
| 2. High Temperature | 1008 | 24 Hrs @ $150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 3. Temperature Cycling | 1010 | $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 4. Acceleration | 2001 | $5 \mathrm{kG}, \mathrm{Y}_{1}$ |
| 5. Helium Leak Test | 1014 | Test Condition A |
| 6. Gross Leak Test | 1014 | Test Condition C |
| 7. Electrical Test: CTR |  | Per Table II, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 8. Burn-In | 1015 | 168 Hrs ., $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}_{;}, V_{O C}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & R_{\mathrm{L}}=270 \Omega \end{aligned}$ |
| 9. Electrical Test: <br> CTR, IOH , ICCL, ICCH, VF, BVR, II-O |  | Per Table II, $\mathrm{TA}_{\text {A }}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 10. Evaluate Drift |  | Max. $\triangle C T R= \pm 20 \%$ |
| 11. Sample Electrical Test: $\mathrm{IOH}, \mathrm{ICCH}, \mathrm{ICCL}, \mathrm{CTR}, \mathrm{VF}_{\mathrm{F}}, \mathrm{BV}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  | Per Table II, LTPD $=5, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 12. Sample Electrical Test: <br> ІОн, Іссн, IcCl, CTR, Vf, BVR |  | Per Table II, LTPD $=5, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 13. Sample Electrical Test: tphL, tpLH |  | Per Table II, $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{LTPD}=5$ |
| 14. External Visual | 2009 |  |

TABLE V. GROUP B



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## Solid State Lamps

- Selection Guide . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 106
- Red, High Efficiency Red, Yellow and Green Lamps
- Integrated Lamps
- Hermetically Sealed Lamps
- Panel Mounting Kit

High Efficiency Red, Yellow, Green LED Lamps

| Device |  | Description |  |  | Typical Luminous Intensity | $2 \Theta 1 /{ }^{[1]}$ | Typical Forward Voltage | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Package Outline Drawing | Part No. | Color ${ }^{[2]}$ | Package | Lens |  |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4550 | Yellow (538 nm) | T-13/4 ${ }^{[3]}$ | Yellow Diffused | 1.8 mcd @ 10 mA | $90^{\circ}$ | 2.2 Volts <br> @ 10mA | 113 |
|  | 5082-4555 |  |  |  | 3.0 mcd @ 10mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4557 |  |  | Yellow <br> Non-Diffused | 9.0 mcd @ 10mA | $35^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4558 |  |  |  | 16.0 mcd @ 10 mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4650 | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red <br> ( 635 nm ) |  | Red Diffused | 2.0 mcd @ 10mA | $90^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4655 |  |  |  | 4.0 mcd @ 10 mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4657 |  |  | Red <br> Non-Diffused | 12.0 mcd @ 10mA | $35^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4658 |  |  |  | 24.0 mcd @ 10 mA |  |  |  |
| - | 5082-4950 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Green } \\ & (565 \mathrm{~nm}) \end{aligned}$ |  | Green Diffused | 1.8 mcd @ 20 mA | $90^{\circ}$ | 2.4 Volts <br> @ 20 mA |  |
|  | 5082-4955 |  |  |  | 3.0 mcd @ 20mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4957 |  |  | Green Non-Diffused | 9.0 mcd @ 20 mA | $30^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4958 |  |  |  | 16.0 mcd @ 20 mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4590 | Yellow$(538 \mathrm{~nm})$ | $\mathrm{T}-13 / 4$ <br> Low Profile | Yellow Diffused | $3.5 \mathrm{mcd} @ 10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | $50^{\circ}$ | 2.2 Volts <br> @ 10 mA | 117 |
|  | 5082-4592 |  |  |  | $6.0 \mathrm{mcd} @ 10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4595 |  |  | Yellow Non-Diffused | 6.5 mcd @ 10mA | $45^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4597 |  |  |  | 11.0 mcd @ 10mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4690 | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red <br> ( 635 nm ) |  | Red Diffused | 3.5 mcd @ 10 mA | $50^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4693 |  |  |  | 7.0 mcd @ 10mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4694 |  |  | Red <br> Non-Diffused | 8.0 mcd @ 10mA | $45^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4695 |  |  |  | 11.0 mcd @ 10 mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4990 | Green ( 565 nm ) |  | Green Diffused | 4.5 mcd @ 20 mA | $50^{\circ}$ | 2.4 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
|  | 5082-4992 |  |  |  | 7.5 mcd @ 20 mA |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4995 |  |  | Green Non-Diffused | 6.5 mcd @ 20 mA | $40^{\circ}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-4997 |  |  |  | 11.0 mcd @ 20 mA |  |  |  |

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High Efficiency Red, Yellow, Green LED Lamps (continued)


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High Efficiency Red, Yellow, Green Light Bar Modules

| Device |  | Description |  |  | Typical Luminous Intensity | $2 \Theta^{1 / 2}{ }^{[1]}$ | Typical Forward Voltage | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Page } \\ & \text { No. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Package Outline Drawing | Part No. | Color ${ }^{[2]}$ | Package | Lens |  |  |  |  |
|  | HLMP-2300 | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red $(635 \mathrm{~nm})$ | 4 Pin In-Line; $100^{\prime \prime}$ Centers: . $400^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{L} \times$ .195'W x . $240^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ | Red Diffused | $7 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ | (Not Applicable) | 1.9 Volts <br> @ 20 mA | 135 |
|  | HLMP-2400 | Yellow <br> ( 538 nm ) |  | Yellow Diffused | 5 mcd @ 20 mA |  | 2.0 Volts <br> @ 20 mA |  |
|  | HLMP-2500 | Green <br> ( 565 nm ) |  | Green Diffused | $3.5 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.1 Volts $@ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |
| $\begin{array}{\|r\|r\|} \hline+++++++ \\ \hline \end{array}$ | HLMP-2350 | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red <br> ( 635 nm ) | 8 Pin In-Line;. $100^{\prime \prime}$ <br> Centers; . $800^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{L} \times$ <br> 195'W x . $240^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ | Red Diffused | $15 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1.9 Volts } \\ & @ 20 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | HLMP-2450 | Yellow <br> ( 538 nm ) |  | Yellow Diffused | 11 mcd @ 20 mA |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2.0 \text { Volts } \\ & @ 20 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | HLMP-2550 | Green <br> ( 565 nm ) |  | Green Diffused | 7.5 mcd @ 20 mA |  | 2.1 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
|  | HLMP-2600 | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red <br> ( 635 nm ) | 8 Pin DIP; . $100^{\prime \prime}$ <br> Centers; . $400 \mathrm{~L} x$ <br> .400'W x . $240^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$; <br> Dual Arrangement | Red Diffused | $7 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  | 139 |
|  | HLMP-2700 | Yellow <br> (538 nm) |  | Yellow <br> Diffused | 5 mcd @ 20 mA |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2.2 Volts } \\ & @ 20 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | HLMP-2800 | Green ( 565 nm ) |  | Green Diffused | 3.5 mcd @ 20 mA |  |  |  |
|  | HLMP-2620 | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red <br> ( 635 nm ) | 16 Pin DIP; . $100^{\prime \prime}$ Centers; $800{ }^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{L} \times$ . $400^{\prime} \mathrm{W} \times .240^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$; Quad Arrangement | Red Diffused | 7 mcd @ 20 mA |  | 2.1 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
| $\longrightarrow$ | HLMP-2720 | Yellow ( 538 nm ) |  | Yellow Diffused | $5 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.2 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
|  | HLMP-2820 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Green } \\ & (565 \mathrm{~nm}) \end{aligned}$ |  | Green Diffused | 3.5 mcd @ 20 mA |  |  |  |

See Page 111 for Notes.

High Efficiency Red, Yellow, Green Light Bar Modules (continued)


See Page 111 for Notes.

Red LED Lamps


Red LED Lamps (continued)


## Integrated LED Lamps



NOTES: 1. $\Theta 1 / 2$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. Peak Wavelength
3. Panel Mountable. For Panel Mounting Kit, see page 171.
4. PC Board Mountable
5. Military Approved and qualified for High Reliability Applications.

Hermetically Sealed and High Reliability LED Lamps

| Device |  | Description |  |  | Minimum <br> Luminous <br> Intensity | $2 \Theta 1 / 2[1]$ | Typical Forward Voltage | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Package Outline Drawing | Part No. | Color ${ }^{[2]}$ | Package | Lens |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1N 5765 <br> JAN 1 N5765 ${ }^{[5]}$ <br> JANTX 1N5765 [5] | Red (655 nm) | Hermetic/T0-46 ${ }^{\text {[4] }}$ | Red Diffused | 0.5 mcd @ 20 mA | $70^{\circ}$ | 1.6 Volts <br> @ 20 mA | 165 |
|  | 1N6092 <br> JAN 1N6092 ${ }^{[5]}$ <br> JANTX 1N6092[5] | High Efficiency Red ( 635 nm ) |  |  | $1.0 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.0 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
|  | 1N6093 <br> JAN 1N6093 ${ }^{[5]}$ <br> JANTX 1N6093 [5] | Yellow ( 583 nm ) |  | Yellow <br> Diffused |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1N6094 <br> JAN 1N6094 ${ }^{\text {[5] }}$ <br> JANTX 1N6094 ${ }^{[5]}$ | Green (565 nm) |  | Green Diffused | 0.8 mcd @ 25 mA |  | 2.1 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
|  | 5082-4787 <br> HLMP-0930 [5] <br> HLMP-0931 [5] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Red } \\ & (655 \mathrm{~nm}) \end{aligned}$ | Panel Mount Version | Red <br> Diffused | $0.5 \mathrm{mcd} @ 20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 Volts @ 20 mA |  |
|  | 5082-4687 <br> M 19500/519-01 ${ }^{[5]}$ <br> M 19500/519-02 [5] | High <br> Efficiency <br> Red (635 nm) |  |  | 1.0 mcd @ 20 mA |  | 2.0 Volts <br> @ 20mA |  |
|  | 5082-4587 <br> M 19500/520-01 ${ }^{[5]}$ <br> M 19500/520-02 ${ }^{[5]}$ | Yellow $(583 \mathrm{~nm})$ |  | Yellow <br> Diffused |  |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-4987 <br> M 19500/521-01 ${ }^{[5]}$ <br> M 19500/521-02 ${ }^{[5]}$ | Green (565 nm) |  | Green Diffused | 0.8 mcd @ 25 mA |  | 2.1 Volts @ 20 mA |  |

## SOLID STATE LAMPS

## HIGH EFFICIENCY RED - 5082-4650 Series <br> YELLOW • 5082-4550 Series GREEN • 5082-4950 Series

## Features

- HIGH INTENSITY
- CHOICE OF 3 BRIGHT COLORS High Efficiency Red
Yellow
Green
- POPULAR T-13/4 DIAMETER PACKAGE
- LIGHT OUTPUT CATEGORIES
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE AND NARROW VIEWING ANGLE TYPES
- GENERAL PURPOSE LEADS
- IC COMPATIBLE/LOW CURRENT REQUIREMENTS
- RELIABLE AND RUGGED


## Description

The 5082-4650 and the 5082-4550 Series lamps are Gallium Arsenide Phosphide on Gallium Phosphide diodes emitting red and yellow light respectively. The 5082-4950 Series lamps are green light emitting Gallium Phosphide diodes.

General purpose and selected brightness versions of both the diffused and non-diffused lens type are available in each family.

## Package Dimensions




Electrical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Device } \\ & 5082 \text { - } \end{aligned}$ | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| IV | Luminous Intensity | $\begin{aligned} & 4650 \\ & 4655 \\ & 4657 \\ & 4658 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.0 \\ 3.0 \\ 9.0 \\ 15.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2.0 \\ 4.0 \\ 12.0 \\ 24.0 \end{array}$ |  | med. | $1=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> (Fig. 3) |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4550 \\ & 4555 \\ & 4557 \\ & 4558 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.0 \\ 2.2 \\ 6.0 \\ 12.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.8 \\ 3.0 \\ 9.0 \\ 16.0 \end{array}$ |  | mad. | $1=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> (Fig. 8) |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4950 \\ & 4955 \\ & 4957 \\ & 4958 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.0 \\ 2.2 \\ 6.0 \\ 12.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.8 \\ 3.0 \\ 9.0 \\ 16.0 \end{array}$ |  | mcd | $\mathrm{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> (Fig. 13) |
| $2 \Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points | $\begin{aligned} & 4650 \\ & 4655 \\ & 4657 \\ & 4658 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | 90 90 35 35 |  | Deg. | $\begin{aligned} & M_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { See Note } 1 \text { (Fig. } 61 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4550 \\ & 4555 \\ & 4557 \\ & 4558 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 90 \\ & 35 \\ & 35 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | Deg. | $l_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> See Nôte 1 (Fig. 11 |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4950 \\ & 4955 \\ & 4957 \\ & 4958 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 90 \\ & 30 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ |  | Deg. $\because$ | $I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> See Note 1 (Fig. 161 |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength | 4650s 4550s 4950 s |  | $\begin{aligned} & 635 \\ & 583 \\ & 565 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | nm | Measurement at Peak (Fig. 1) |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength | 4650s 4550s 4950s |  | $\begin{aligned} & 626 \\ & 585 \\ & 572 \end{aligned}$ | - . | nm | See Note 2 (Fig.1) |
| ${ }^{T}$ S | Speed of Response | $\begin{aligned} & 4650 \mathrm{~s} \\ & 4550 \mathrm{~s} \\ & 4950 \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ 90 \\ 200 \end{array}$ | . | ns | $\cdots$ |
| C | Capacitance | 4650s 4550s 4950s |  | 16 18 18 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0, f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{JC}}$ | Thermal Resistance | 4650s 4550s 4950s |  | $\begin{aligned} & 135 \\ & 135 \\ & 145 \end{aligned}$ |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{N}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead at Seating Plane |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage | $\begin{aligned} & 4650 \mathrm{~s} \\ & 4550 \mathrm{~s} \\ & 4950 \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2.2 \\ & 2.2 \\ & 2.4 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 3.0 \\ & 3.0 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | V | $\begin{aligned} & I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \text { (Fig. } 2, \\ & I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \text { Fig. } \\ & I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \text { Fig. } 12 \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Volt. | All | 5.0 |  |  | $V$ | $\mathrm{If}_{\text {R }}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\eta_{V}$ | Luminous Efficacy | $\begin{aligned} & 4650 \mathrm{~s} \\ & 4550 \mathrm{~s} \\ & 4950 \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 570 \\ & 665 \end{aligned}$ | $\because$ | lumens/watt | See Note 3 |

## NOTES:

1. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $I_{e}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $I_{\mathrm{e}}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}} / \eta_{\mathrm{V}}$, where $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| $\therefore \quad$ Parameter | High Efficiency Red 4650 Series | Yellow 4550 Series | $\begin{gathered} \text { Green } \\ 4950 \text { Series } \end{gathered}$ | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Dissipation | 120 | 120 | 120 | mW |
| DC Forward Current | $20[1]$ | $20[1]$ | $30[2]$ | mA |
| Peak Operating Forward Current | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ (\text { Fig. } 5) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { (Fig. 10) } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { (Fig. 15) } \end{gathered}$ | mA |
| Operating and Storage Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| Lead Solder Temperature ( 1.6 mm [ 0.063 inch] below package base) | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 seconds |  |  |  |

1. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
2. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Figure 1. Relative Intensity vs. Wavelength.

## High Efficiency Red 5082-4650 Series



Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage

$t_{p}$ - PULSE DURATION - $\mu \mathbf{s}$
Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings.)


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

Yellow 5082-4550 Series


Figure 7. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 10. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Figure 8. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 9. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 11. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## Green 5082-4950 Series


$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ - FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 12. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 15. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)

$I_{F}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 13. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


IPEAK - PEAK CURRENT -mA
Figure 14. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 16. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

LOW PROFILE SOLID STATE LAMPS RED - $5082-4790$ SERIES HIGH EFFICIENCY RED - 5082.4690 SERILS YELLOW - 5082 -4590 SERIES GREEN - 5082-4990 SERIIES

## Features

- HIGH INTENSITY
- LOW PROFILE: 5.8 mm ( 0.23 in ) NOMINAL
- T-13/4 DIAMETER PACKAGE
- LIGHT OUTPUT CATEGORIES
- DIFFUSED AND NON-DIFFUSED TYPES
- GENERAL PURPOSE LEADS
- IC COMPATIBLE/LOW CURRENT REQUIREMENTS
- RELIABLE AND RUGGED
- CHOICE OF 4 BRIGHT COLORS

Red High Efficiency Red
Yellow Green

## Description

The 5082-4790/4791 are Gallium Arsenide Phosphide Red Light Emitting Diodes packaged in a Low Profile T-13/4 outline with a red diffused lens.
The 5082-4690 Series are Gallium Arsenide Phosphide on Gallium Phosphide High Efficiency Red Light Emitting Diodes packaged in a Low Profile T-13/4 outline.
The 5082-4590 Series are Gallium Arsenide Phosphide on Gallium Phosphide Yellow Light Emitting Diodes packaged in a Low Profile T-1 $1 / 4$ outline.

## Package Dimensions




The 5082-4990 Series are Gallium Phosphide Green Light Emitting Diodes packaged in a Low Profile T-13/4 outline.
The Low Profile T-1 $3 / 4$ package provides space savings and is excellent for backlighting applications.

| Part <br> Number <br> 5082. | Application | Lens | Color |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4690 | Indicator General Purpose | Diffused | High Efficiency Red |
| 4693 | Indicator High Brightness | Wide Angle |  |
| 4694 | General Purpose Point Source | Non-diffused Narrow Angle |  |
| 4695 | High Brightness Annunciator |  |  |
| 4590 | Indicator General Purpose | Diffused | Yellow |
| 4592 | Indicator High Brightness | Wide Angle |  |
| 4595 | General Purpose Point Source | Non-diffused Narrow Angle |  |
| 4597 | High Brightness Annunciator |  |  |
| 4990 | Indicator General Purpose | Diffused Wide Angle | Green |
| 4992 | Indicator High Brightness |  |  |
| 4995 | General Purpose Point Source | Non-diffused Narrow Angle |  |
| 4997 | High Brightness Annunicator |  |  |
| 4790 | Indicator General Purpose | Diffused Wide Angle | Red |
| 4791 | Indicator High Brightness |  |  |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Red 4790 Series | Hi-Eff, Red 4690 Series | Yellow 4590 Series | Green 4990 Series | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Dissipation | $\bigcirc 100$ | 120 | 120 | 120 | mW |
| DC Forward Current | $\therefore 50{ }^{[1]}$ | $20^{[1]}$ | $20^{[1]}$ | $30^{[2]}$ | mA |
| Peak Forward Current | $\begin{gathered} 1000 \\ \text { See Fig. } 5 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { See Fig. } 10 \end{gathered}$ | $60$ <br> See Fig. 15 | 60 <br> See Fig. 20 | mA |
| Operating and Storage Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Lead Solder Temperature $(1.6 \mathrm{~mm}$ [0.63 inch] from body) | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ For 5 Seconds |  |  |  |  |

1. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
2. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Figure 1. Relative Intensity versus Wavelength.

RED 5082-4790 SERIES
Electrical Specifications at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | Device $5082$ | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Iv | Axial Luminous Intensity | 4790 | 0.8 | 1.2 | - | mod | $I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}(\text { Fig. } 3)$ |
|  |  | 4791 | 1.6 | 2.5 |  |  |  |
| $2 \theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points |  |  | 60 |  | deg. | Note 1 (Fig. 6) |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement @Peak (Fig. 1) |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  |  | 648 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| $\tau_{s}$ | Speed of Response |  |  | 15 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  |  | 100 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}^{\prime}$ |
| $\theta_{\mathrm{Jc}}$ | Thermal Resistance |  |  | 125 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{CN}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead 1.6 mm $(0.063 \mathrm{in}$.) from Body |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | $V$ | $I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ (Fig. 2) |
| $B V_{\text {R }}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage |  | 3 | 10 |  | $V$ | $I_{R}=100 \mu A$ |
| $\eta_{V}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  |  | 55 |  | $\operatorname{Im} N$ | Note 3 |

Notes: 1. $\theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-ax is angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity. 2. Dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device. 3 . Radiant Intensity $l_{e}$, in watts/steradian may be found from the equation $I_{e}=I_{V} / \eta_{V}$, where $I_{V}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{\mathrm{V}}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.

$V_{F}-F O R W A R D$ VOLTAGE - V
Figure 2. Forward Current versus Forward Voltage.


Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current versus Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Ipeak - peak current - ma
Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current.


Figure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Angular Displacement.

## HIGH EFFICIENCY RED 5082-4690 SERIES <br> Electrical Specifications at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | , Description | Device $5082$ | Min. | Typ: | Max. | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Iv | Axial Luminous Intensity | $\begin{aligned} & 4690 \\ & 4693 \\ & 4694 \\ & 4695 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.5 \\ & 5.0 \\ & 4.0 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 3.5 \\ 7.0 \\ 8.0 \\ 11.0 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | " | micd | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}(\text { Fig. } 8)$ |
| $2 \theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points | $\begin{aligned} & 4690 \\ & 4693 \\ & 4694 \\ & 4695 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 50 \\ & 45 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ |  | deg. | Note 1 (Fig. 11) |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength | " |  | 635 |  | nm | Measurement @ Peak (Fig. 1) |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength | $\therefore$ |  | 626 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| $\tau_{\text {s }}$ | Speed of Response |  |  | 90 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  |  | 16 | " | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\theta_{\mathrm{Jc}}$ | Thermal Resistance |  |  | 130 | . | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead 1.6 mm ( 0.063 in.) from Body |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  |  | 2.2 | 3.0 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ (Fig. 7 ) |
| $\mathrm{BV}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage |  | 5.0 |  |  | V | $I_{R}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\eta_{v}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  |  | 147 |  | $\operatorname{lm} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 3 |

Notes: 1. $\theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-ax is angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity. 2 . Dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device. 3. Radiant Intensity $l_{e}$, in watts/steradian may be found from the equation $I_{e}=I_{v} / \eta_{v}$, where $I_{v}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{v}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 7. Forward Current versus Forward Voltage.

$I_{F}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - MA
Figure 8. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Forward Current.


Figure 9. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current.

$t_{\mathrm{p}}$ - PULSE DURATION - $\mu \mathrm{s}$

Figure 10. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current versus Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)

Figure 11. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Angular Displacement.

## YELLOW 5082-4590 SERIES <br> Electrical Specifications at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbel | Bescription | Device 5082 | Min. | Typ. | Max | Units | Tost Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1$ | Axial Luminous Intensity | $\begin{aligned} & 4590 \\ & 4592 \\ & 4595 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.5 \\ 4.5 \\ 4.0 \\ 8.0 \end{array}$ | 3.5 6.0 6.5 11.0 |  | med | $15=10 \mathrm{~mA}($ Fig 13$)$ |
| $201 / 2$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points | $\begin{aligned} & 4590 \\ & 4592 \\ & 4595 \\ & 4597 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 50 \\ & 45 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ |  | deg. | Note 1 (Fig. 16) |
| - $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  |  | 583 |  | nm | Measurement @ Peak (Fig. 1) |
| 动d | Dominant Wavelength |  |  | 585 | , | nm | Note 2 |
| T $\mathrm{T}^{\text {c }}$ | Speed of Response |  |  | 90 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  |  | 18 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  | Thermal Resistance | $\because$ ', |  | 100 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{CWN}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead 1.6 mm (0.063 in.) from Body |
| $V^{*}$ | Forward Voltage |  |  | 2.2 | 3.0 | V | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ (Fig. 12) |
| - $\mathrm{BV}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage |  | 5.0 |  |  | $V$ | $\mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\mathrm{H}_{v}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  |  | 570 |  | $\operatorname{Im} / \mathrm{N}$ | Note 3 |

Notes: 1. $\theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity. 2 . Dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device. 3. Radiant Intensity $I_{e}$, in watts/steradian may be found from the equation $I_{e}=I_{v} / \eta_{v}$, where $I_{v}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{v}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 12. Forward Current versus Forward Voltage.

$I_{F}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 13. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Forward Current.

'peak - PEAK CURRENT - mA
Figure 14. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current.

$t_{\mathrm{p}}$ - PULSE DURATION $-\mu_{\mathrm{s}}$
Figure 15. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current versus Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings).

Figure 16. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Angular Displacement

## GREEN 5082-4990 SERIES

Electrical Specifications at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Device } \\ & 5082 \text {. } \end{aligned}$ | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Iv | Axial Luminous Intensity | $\begin{aligned} & 4990 \\ & 4992 \\ & 4995 \\ & 4997 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.0 \\ & 6.0 \\ & 3.5 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | 4.5 <br> 7.5 <br> 6.5 <br> 11.0 |  | mod | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ (Fig.18) |
| 201/2 | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points | $\begin{aligned} & 4990 \\ & 4992 \\ & 4995 \\ & 4997 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 50 \\ & 40 \\ & 40 \end{aligned}$ |  | deg. | Note 1 (Fig.21) |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  |  | 565 |  | nm | Measurement @ Peak (Fig. 1) |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  |  | 570 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| $\tau_{s}$ | Speed of Response |  |  | 200 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  |  | 12 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\theta_{\mathrm{JC}}$ | Thermal Resistance |  |  | 90 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead $1,6 \mathrm{~mm}$ ( 0.063 in .) from Body |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  |  | 2.4 | 3.0 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ (Fig. 17) |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage |  | 5.0 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\eta_{v}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  |  | 665 |  | $\operatorname{lm} N W$ | Note 3 |

Notes: $1 . \theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity. 2. Dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the $C I E$ chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device. 3. Radiant Intensity $l_{e}$, in watts/steradian may be found from the equation $I_{e}=I_{V} / \eta_{V}$, where $I_{V}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{V}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 17. Forward Current versus Forward Voltage.


Figure 18. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Forward Current.


Figure 19. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current.

$t_{p}$ - PULSE DURATION - $\mu \mathrm{s}$
Figure 20. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current versus Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX ratings).

Figure 21. Relative Luminous Intensity versus Angular Displacement.

## SOLID STATE LAMPS

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED • HLIMP-1300,-1301,-1302 YELLOW • HLMPP-1400,-1401,-1402 GREEN • HLMP-1500, - $1501,-1502$

TECHNICAL DATA MARCH 1980

## Features

- HIGH INTENSITY
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- SMALL SIZE T-1 DIAMETER 3.18 mm ( 0.125 inch)
- IC COMPATIBLE
- RELIABLE AND RUGGED
- CHOICE OF 3 BRIGHT COLORS HIGH EFFICIENCY RED YELLOW GREEN



## Description

The HLMP-1300, -1301, and -1302 have a Gallium Arsenide Phosphide on Gallium Phosphide High Efficiency Red Light Emitting Diode packaged in a T-1 outline with a red diffused lens, which provides excellent on-off contrast ratio, high axial luminous intensity and a wide viewing angle.

The HLMP-1400, -1401, and -1402 have a Gallium Arsenide Phosphide on Gallium Phosphide Yellow Light Emitting Diode packaged in a T-1 outline with a yellow diffused lens, which provides good on-off contrast ratio, high axial luminous intensity and a wide viewing angle.
The HLMP-1500, -1501, and -1502 have a Gallium Phosphide Green Light Emitting Diode packaged in a T-1 outline with a green diffused lens, which provides good on-off contrast ratio, high axial luminous intensity, and a wide viewing angle.

Iv - Axial Luminous Intensity at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
(Figures 3,8,15)

| IV (med) |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |
| Min. |  |  |  |
| Typ. | Test Conditions |  |  |
| High Efficiency Red |  |  |  |
| HLMP-1300 | 0.5 | 1.5 |  |
| HLMP-1301 (-4684) | 1.0 | 2.0 | IF $=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| HLMP-1302 | 2.0 | 2.5 |  |
| Yellow |  |  |  |
| HLMP-1400 | 0.5 | 1.5 |  |
| HLMP-1401 (-4584) | 1.0 | 2.5 | IF $=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| HLMP-1402 | 2.5 | 4.0 |  |
| Green |  |  |  |
| HLMP-1500 | 0.5 | 1.2 |  |
| HLMP-1501 (-4984) | 0.8 | 2.0 | IF $=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| HLMP-1502 | 2.0 | 3.0 |  |

Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | High Efficiency Red HLMP-1300,1301,1302 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Yellow } \\ \text { HLMP-1400,1401,1402 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Green } \\ \text { HLMP-1500,1501,1502 } \end{gathered}$ | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Dissipation | 120 | 120 | 120 | mW |
| DC Forward Current | $20^{[1]}$ | $20^{[1]}$ | $30^{[2]}$ | mA |
| Peak Forward Current | 60 <br> See Figure 5 | See Figure 10 | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { See Figure } 15 \end{gathered}$ | mA |
| Operating and Storage Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| Lead Soldering Temperature [ 1.6 mm ( 0.063 in .) from Body] | $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 7 Seconds |  |  |  |

1. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
2. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

|  | Description | $\begin{gathered} \text { HLMP-1300, }-1301, \\ -1302 \end{gathered}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { HLMP-1400, }-1401, \\ -1402 \end{gathered}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { HLMP-1500, }-1501, \\ -1502 \end{gathered}$ |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Symbol |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| $2 \Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points |  | 70 |  |  | 60 |  |  | 60 |  | Deg. | Note 1 (Figs. 6, $(11,16)$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  | 635 |  |  | 583 |  |  | 565 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda d$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 628 |  |  | 585 |  |  | 572 |  | $n \mathrm{~m}$ | Note 2 |
| ${ }_{4}$ | Speed of Response |  | 90 |  |  | 90 |  |  | 200 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 20 |  |  | 15 |  |  | 8 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\Theta_{\text {Jc }}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 95 |  |  | 95 |  |  | 95 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead at 0.79 mm (0.031 in.) From Body |
| $\mathrm{V}_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 2.2 | 3.0 |  | 2.2 | 3.0 |  | $\begin{gathered} 2.4 \\ F=20 \end{gathered}$ | $3.0$ | $V$ | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> (Figs. 2,7,12) |
| BVR | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | $V$ | $\mathrm{IR}^{2}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\eta{ }_{v}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 147 |  |  | 570 |  |  | 665 |  | $1 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 3 |

1. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $l_{e}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $l_{e}=I_{v} / \eta_{v}$, where $l_{v}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{v}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 1. Relative Intensity vs. Wavelength.

## High Efficiency Red HLMP-1300,-1301,-1302



Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.

tp - pulse duration - $\mu \mathrm{s}$
Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDCMAX as per MAX Ratings).


If - FORWARD CURRENT - MA
Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.

lpeak - PEAK current -ma
Figure 4. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Fijure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

Yellow HLMP-1400,-1401,-1402

$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ - FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 7. Forward Current vs.
Forward Voltage.


If - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 8. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


I PEAK - PEAK CURRENT - mA
Figure 9. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 11. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## Green HLMP-1500,-1501,-1502



Figure 12. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 15. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings.)


IF - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 13. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 14. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 16. Relative Luminious Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

# RECTANGULAR SOLID STATE LAMPS 

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED HLMP-0300/0301
YELLOW HLMP-0400/0401
GREEN HLMP-0500/0501

TECHNICAL DATA MARCH 1980

## Features

- RECTANGULAR LIGHT EMITTING SURFACE
- FLAT HIGH STERANCE EMITTING SURFACE
- STACKABLE ON 2.54 MM (0.100 INCH) CENTERS
- IDEAL AS FLUSH MOUNTED PANEL INDICATORS
- IDEAL FOR BACKLIGHTING LEGENDS
- LONG LIFE: SOLID STATE RELIABILITY
- CHOICE OF 3 BRIGHT COLORS HIGH EFFICIENCY RED
YELLOW GREEN
- IC COMPATIBLE/LOW CURRENT REQUIREMENTS



## Description

The HLMP-03XX, -04XX, -05XX are solid state lamps encapsulated in an axial lead rectangular epoxy package. They utilize a tinted, diffused epoxy to provide high on-off contrast and a flat high intensity emitting surface. Borderless package design allows creation of uninterrupted light emitting areas.

The HLMP-0300 and -0301 have a high-efficiency red GaAsP on GaP LED chip in a light red epoxy package. This lamp's efficiency is comparable to that of the Gap red, but extends to higher current levels.
The HLMP-0400 and -0401 provide a yellow GaAsP on GaP LED chip in a yellow epoxy package.
The HLMP-0500 and -0501 provide a green GaP LED chip in a green epoxy package.

## Package Dimensions



## Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | High-Efficiency Red HLMP-0300/0301 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Yellow } \\ \text { HLMP-0400/0401 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Green } \\ \text { HLMP-0500/0501 } \end{gathered}$ | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Dissipation | 120 | 120 | 120 | mW |
| DC Forward Current | $30^{[1]}$ | $30^{[1]}$ | $30^{[1]}$ | mA |
| Peak Forward Current | $60$ <br> See Figure 5 | $60$ <br> See Figure 10 | $60$ <br> See Figure 15 | mA |
| Operating and Storage Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| Lead Soldering Temperature [ 1.6 mm ( 0.063 in .) from body] | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 seconds |  |  |  |

1. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | HLMP-0300/0301 |  |  | HLMP-0400/0401 |  |  | HLMP-0500/0501 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| $2 \Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intenșity Points, Both Axes |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  | deg. | Note 1. Figures $6,11,16$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  | 635 |  |  | 583 |  |  | 565 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 626 |  |  | 585 |  |  | 571 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| Ts | Speed of Response |  | 90 |  |  | 90 |  |  | 200 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 17 |  |  | 17 |  |  | 17 |  | pF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0 ; f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{Jc}}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 130 |  |  | 130 |  |  | 130 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead at 1.6 mm (0.063 in.) from Body |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 2.5 | 3.0 |  | 2.5 | 3.0 |  | 2.5 | 3.0 | V | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=25 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { Figures } 2,7,12 \end{aligned}$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\eta_{\nu}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 147 |  |  | 570 |  |  | 665 |  | Im/W | Note 3 |

## NOTES:

1. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.

The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the
2. color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}} / \eta_{\mathrm{V}}$, where $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta \mathrm{v}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 1. Relative Intensity vs. Wavelength.

## HIGH EFFICIENCY RED HLMP-0300/0301



Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings.)


Figure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## YELLOW HLMP-0400/0401


$V_{F}$ - FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 7. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 10. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings.)



Figure 11. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## GREEN HLMP-0500/0501



Figure 12. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.
 Ip - PULSE DURATION - $\mu \mathrm{s}$
Figure 15. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings.)


Figure 13. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 14. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 16. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## SUBMINIATURE SOLID STATE LAMPS

## Features

- SUBMINIATURE PACKAGE STYLE
- END STACKABLE ON 2.21 mm (0.087 in. ) CENTERS
- LOW PACKAGE PROFILE
- RADIAL LEADS
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- LONG LIFE - SOLID STATE RELIABILITY
- CHOICE OF 4 BRIGHT COLORS

Red
High Efficiency Red


Yellow
Green

## Description

The 5082-4100/4101, 4150, 4160 and 4190 are solid state lamps encapsulated in a radial lead subminiature package of molded epoxy. They utilize a tinted, diffused lens providing high on-off contrast and wide-angle viewing.
The $-4100 / 4101$ utilizes a GaAsP LED chip in a deep red molded package.
The -4160 has a high-efficiency red GaAsP on GaP LED chip in a light red molded package. This lamp's efficiency is comparable to that of the GaP red but does not saturate at low current levels.

The -4150 provides a yellow GaAsP on GaP LED chip in a yellow molded package.
The -4190 provides a green GaP LED chip in a green molded package.
Tape-and-reel mounting is available on request.

## Package Dimensions



TOP VIEW

NOTES:

1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETRES (INCHES).
2. SILVER-PLATED LEADS. SEE APPLICATION BULLETIN 3.
3. USER MAY BEND LEADS AS SHOWN.

side view

## Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Red <br> $4100 / 4101$ | High Eff. Red <br> 4160 | Yellow <br> 4150 | Green <br> 4190 | Units |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Dissipation | 100 | 120 | 120 | 120 | mW |
| DC Forward Current | $50[1]$ | $20[1]$ | $20[1]$ | $30[2]$ | mA |
| Peak Forward Current | 1000 <br> See Fig. 5 | 60 <br> See Fig. 10 | 60 <br> See Fig. 15 | 60 <br> See Fig. 20 | mA |
| Operating and Storage <br> Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Lead Soldering Temperature <br> (0.063 in.) from body] | $245^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 seconds |  |  |  |  |

1. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
2. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | 5082-4100/4101 |  |  | 5082-4160 |  |  | 5082-4150 |  |  | 5082-4190 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| 1 l | Axial Luminous Intensity | -10.5 | . $7 / 1.0$ |  | 1.0 | 3.0 |  | 1.0 | 2.0 |  | $0.8$ | $\begin{gathered} 1.5 \\ \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{F}}=2 \end{gathered}$ | $\mathrm{mA}$ | mcd | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}, \\ & \text { Figs. } 3,8,13,18 \end{aligned}$ |
| $2 \Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Lumínous Intensity Points |  | 45 |  |  | 80 |  |  | 90 |  |  | 70 |  | deg. | Note 1. Figures $6,11,16,21$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  | 655 |  |  | 635 |  |  | 583 |  |  | 565 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 640 |  |  | 628 |  |  | 585 |  |  | 572 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| ${ }^{r_{S}}$ | Speed of Response |  | 15 |  |  | 90 |  |  | 90 |  |  | 200 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 100 |  |  | 11 |  |  | 15 |  |  | 13 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0 ; 1 \pm 1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\theta_{\text {Jc }}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 125 |  |  | 120 |  |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead at 0.79 mm (. 031 in ) from Body |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.6 | 2.0 |  | 2.2 | 3.0 |  | 2.2 | 3.0 |  | $\begin{gathered} 2.4 \\ I_{F}=2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3.0 \\ \mathrm{~mA} \end{gathered}$ | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA},$ <br> Figures 2, 7, $12,17$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 3.0 | 10 |  | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\eta \mathrm{V}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 55 |  |  | 147 |  |  | 570 |  |  | 665 |  | Im/W | Note 3 |

NOTES:

1. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}=I_{\mathrm{v}} / \eta_{\mathrm{v}}$, where $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 1. Relative Intensity vs. Wavelength.


Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


I peak - PEAK CURRENT - mA
Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

High Efficiency Red 5082-4160


Figure 7. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 10. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Figure 8. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 9. Relative Efficlency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 11. Relative Luminous Intensity vs.AngularDisplacement.

## Yellow 5082-4150



Figure 12. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 15. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)

#  <br> IF - FORWARD CURRENT - mA 

Figure 13. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


I Peak - PEAK CURRENT - mA
Figure 14. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 16. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. AngularDisplacement.

## Green 5082-4190



Figure 17. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 20. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Figure 18. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 21. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## Features

- LARGE, BRIGHT, UNIFORM LIGHT EMITTING SURFACE
Typical Luminous Stearance $\mathbf{2 6 0} \mathbf{c d} / \mathbf{m}^{\mathbf{2}}$ at 100 mA Peak, 20 mA Average
Approximately Lambertian Radiation Pattern
- SUITABLE FOR MULTIPLEX OPERATION

LED's in Either Parallel, Series or Parallel/
Series Connection

- CHOICE OF THREE COLORS

High Efficiency Red
Yellow
Green

- CATEGORIZED FOR LIGHT OUTPUT


Use of Like Chip Categories Yields a Uniform Display

- EASILY MOUNTED ON P.C. BOARDS OR SOCKETS
Single In-Line Package, Leads on Industry Standard 2.54 mm ( 0.1 in .) Centers
I.C. Compatible

Mechanically Rugged

- X-Y STACKABLE


## Applications

- ILLUMINATED LEGENDS
- FLUSH MOUNTABLE
- INDICATORS
- EASY ALIGNMENT
- EXCELLENT ON-OFF CONTRAST
- BAR GRAPHS
- LIGHTED SWITCHES


## Description

The HLMP-2300/-2400/-2500 series light bar modules are 9 mm (. 35 inch ) and 19 mm ( .75 inch ) rectangular light sources designed for a variety of applications where a large, bright source of light is required. The -2300 and -2400 series devices utilize LED chips which are made from GaAsP on a transparent GaP substrate. The- 2500 series devices utilize chips made from GaP on a transparent GaP substrate.

## Devices

| Part No. HLMP. | Color | $\therefore$ Size of Emitting Area | Package Drawing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2300 | High Efficiency Red | $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}(.350 \mathrm{in} \times .150 \mathrm{in}$.) | A |
| 2350 |  | $19.05 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}(.750 \mathrm{in} . \times .150 \mathrm{in}$. | B |
| 2400 | Yellow | $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}(.350 \mathrm{in} . \times .150 \mathrm{in}$.) | A |
| 2450 |  | $19.05 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}(750 \mathrm{in} . \times .150 \mathrm{in}$.) | B |
| 2500 | Green | $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}(.350 \mathrm{in} . \times .150 \mathrm{in}$. | A |
| 2550 |  | $19.05 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}$ ( $.750 \mathrm{in} . \times .150 \mathrm{in}$.) | B |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Average Power Dissipation Per LED Chip ( $\mathrm{T} A=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 90 mW
Operating Temperature Range ................................. $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Peak Forward Current Per LED Chip (TA=50 $\left.{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{(2,3)} \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . .120 \mathrm{~mA}$
(Maximum Pulse Width $=1.25 \mathrm{~ms}$ )

Reverse Voltage Per LED Chip . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6.0V
Lead Soldering Temperature [ 1.6 mm ( $1 / 16 \mathrm{inch}$ ) below
seating plane]
. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 Seconds

NOTES: 1. Derate maximum DC current above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.51 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per LED chip, see Figure 2.
2. See Figure 1 to establish pulsed operating conditions.
3. For operation above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, see the allowed deratings for higher temperatures shown in Figure 2.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## Package Dimensions



## Internal Circuit Diagram



B

| FUNCTION |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PIN | $\begin{gathered} A \\ -2300 /-2400 \\ -2500 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} B \\ -2350 /-2450 \\ -2550 \end{gathered}$ |
| 1 | Cathode - a | $\therefore$ Cathode - a |
| 2 | Anode - - | Anode - a |
| 3 | Cathode - b | Cathode - b |
| 4 | Anode - b | Anode - b |
| 5 |  | Cathode - c |
| 6 |  | Anode - $\mathbf{c}$ |
| 7 |  | Cathode - d |
| 8 |  | Anode - d |

NOTES: 1. Dimensions in millimetres and (inches).
2. Tolerances $\pm .25 \mathrm{~mm}$ unless otherwise indicated.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED HLMP-2300/-2350

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity ${ }^{(4)}$ with All LED's Illuminated | Iv | $100 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 5 Duty Factor |  | 10 |  | mod |
|  |  | 20 mA DC | 3 | 7 |  | mcd |
|  | lv | 100 mA Pk: 1 of 5 Duty Factor |  | 21 |  | mod |
|  |  | 20 mA DC | 7 | 15 |  | mod |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda$ peak |  |  | 635 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(5)}$ | $\lambda d$ |  |  | 626 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage Per LED | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{F}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.5 | 3.5 | V |
|  |  | $1 \mathrm{~F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.9 | 2.6 |  |
| Reverse Current Per LED | IR | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Temperature Coefficient of VF Per LED | $\triangle V_{F} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $\mathrm{IF}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | -1.1 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | $R \mathrm{OJ}_{\text {-PIN }}$ |  |  | 150 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / W / \\ & \text { LED } \end{aligned}$ |

YELLOW HLMP-2400/-2450

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity ${ }^{(4)}$ with All LED's Illuminated | Iv | $100 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 5 Duty Factor |  | 8 |  | mcd |
|  |  | 20 mA DC | 2 | 5 |  | mcd |
|  | lv | 100 mA Pk: 1 of 5 Duty Factor |  | 18 |  | mcd |
|  |  | 20 mA DC | 5 | 11 |  | mod |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ |  |  | 583 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(5)}$ | $\lambda d$ |  |  | 585 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage Per LED | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{F}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.6 | 3.5 | V |
|  |  | $1 \mathrm{~F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.0 | 2.6 |  |
| Reverse Current Per LED | IR | $V_{R}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Temperature Coefficient of VF Per LED | $\Delta V_{F /} /{ }^{\text {c }}$ | IF $=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | -1.1 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | ROJ-PIN |  |  | 150 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ & \text { LED } \end{aligned}$ |

GREEN HLMP-2500/-2550

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity ${ }^{(4)}$ with All LED's llluminated | lv | 100 mA Pk : 1 of 5 Duty Factor |  | 6 |  | mod |
|  |  | 20 mA DC | 1.5 | 3.5 |  | mcd |
|  | Iv | $100 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 5 Duty Factor |  | 13 |  | mod |
|  |  | 20 mA DC | 3.5 | 7.5 |  | mcd |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda$ peak |  |  | 565 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(5)}$ | $\lambda d$ |  |  | 572 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage Per LED | $V_{F}$ | $T \mathrm{~F}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.7 | 3.6 | V |
|  |  | $\mathrm{IF}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.1 | 2.6 |  |
| Reverse Current Per LED | IR | $V_{R}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Temperature Coefficient of VF Per LED | $\triangle \mathrm{VF} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $1 F=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | -1.1 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | R $\theta_{J}$-PIN |  |  | 150 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ <br> LED |

NOTES: 4. Each device is categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package. 5. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.

## Electrical

The HLMP-2300/-2400/-2500 series of light bar devices are composed of two or four light emitting diodes, with the light from each LED optically scattered to form an evenly illuminated light emitting surface. The LED's have a large area $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ junction diffused into the epitaxial layer on a GaP transparent substrate.

The anode and cathode of each LED is brought out by separate pins. This universal pinout arrangement allows for the wiring of the LED's within a device in any of three possible configurations: parallel, series, or series/parallel.

These light bar devices are designed for strobed operation at high peak currents. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum VF values for the purpose of driver circuit design and maximum power dissipation may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ models:

## Optical

The radiation pattern for these light bar devices is approximately Lambertian. The luminous sterance may be calculated using one of the two following formulas:

$$
\begin{gathered}
\mathrm{LV}\left(\mathrm{~cd} / \mathrm{m}^{2}\right)=\frac{\mathrm{Iv}(\mathrm{~cd})}{\mathrm{A}\left(\mathrm{~m}^{2}\right)} \\
\mathrm{LV}(\text { footlamberts })=\frac{\pi \mathrm{IV}(\mathrm{~cd})}{\mathrm{A}\left(\mathrm{ft}^{2}\right)}
\end{gathered}
$$

| SIZE OF | AREA |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EMITTING SURFACE | SQ. METRES | SQ. FEET |
| $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $33.87 \times 10^{-6}$ | $364.58 \times 10^{-6}$ |
| $19.05 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $72.58 \times 10^{-6}$ | $781.25 \times 10^{-6}$ |

$V_{F}=2.2 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(13 \Omega) \quad V_{F}=1.9 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IDC}(23.3 \Omega)$
For IPEAK $\geq 30 \mathrm{~mA} \quad$ For $10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \operatorname{IDC}<30 \mathrm{~mA}$


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current per LED vs. Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowable Thermal Resistance Values, LED Junction-toAmbient on a per LED Basis. TJMAX $=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current.

## LED LIGHT BAR MODULES SINGLE TWIN \& QUAD ARRANGEMENTS HIGH EFFICIENCY RED -HLMP-2600 SERIES YELLOW -HLMP -2700 SERIES GREEN -HLMP-2800 SERIES

## Features

- LARGE, BRIGHT, UNIFORM LIGHT EMITTING SURFACE

Typical Luminous Sterance $160 \mathrm{~cd} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ at 60 mA Peak, 20 mA Average
Approximately Lambertian Radiation Pattern

- SUITABLE FOR MULTIPLEX OPERATION

LED's in Either Parallel, Series or Parallel/ Series Connection

- CHOICE OF THREE COLORS

High Efficiency Red
Yellow
Green

- CATEGORIZED FOR LIGHT OUTPUT Use of Like Chip Categories Yields a Uniform Display
- EASILY MOUNTED ON P.C. BOARDS OR SOCKETS

Industry Standard 7.62 mm ( 0.3 in .) DIP
Leads on 2.54 mm ( 0.100 in.) Centers
I.C. Compatible

Mechanically Rugged

## Applications

- ANNUNCIATORS WITH ILLUMINATED LEGENDS
- BACKLIGHTED FRONT PANELS
- X — Y Stackable
- FRONT PANEL INDICATORS
- BAR GRAPHS
- LIGHTED SWITCHES
- EASY ALIGNMENT
- EDGE LIGHT PANELS



## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Average Power Dissipation Per LED Chip ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) .......... 93 mW
Operating Temperature Range ........................... $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature Range ............................. $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Peak Forward Current Per LED Chip $\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{[3,5]} \ldots \ldots \ldots .60 \mathrm{~mA}$
(Maximum Pulse Width $=2.0 \mathrm{~ms}$ )
Time Average Forward Current Per LED Chip
Pulsed Conditions ${ }^{[4]}$
20 mA
DC Forward Current Per LED Chip (HLMP-2700 Series)
$\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{|2|}$
25 mA
DC Forward Current Per LED Chip (HLMP-2600/-2800
Series) $\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{[1]}$ $\qquad$ 30 mA
Reverse Voltage Per LED Chip .......................................... 6. 0 V
Lead Soldering Temperature [1.6 mm (1/16 inch) below
seating plane]
$260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 seconds

NOTES:

1. Derate maximum DC current above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.57 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per LED chip, see Figure 2.
2. Derate maximum DC current above $58^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.56 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per LED chip, see Figure 2.
3. See Figure 1 to establish pulsed operating conditions.
4. Derate maximum lavg current above $T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at 0.40 mA average $/{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per LED chip, see Figure 2.
5. For operation above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, see the allowed deratings for higher temperatures shown in Figures 2 and 3.

## Package Dimensions



NOTES: OUTSIDE WALL THICKNESS 0.508 ( 0.020 ) TYPICAL ALL PACKAGES. DIMENSIONS IN INCHES AND (MILLIMETRES).

Internal Circuit Diagrams

A,B


C,D,E,F


| PIN | FUNCTION |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A, B | C, D, E, F |
| 1 | CATHODE a | CATHODE a |
| 2 | ANODE a | ANODE a |
| 3 | ANODE b | ANODE b |
| 4 | CATHODE b | CATHODE b |
| 5 | CATHODE | CATHODE |
| 6 | ANODE C | ANODE c |
| 7 | ANODE d | ANODE d |
| 8 | CATHODE d | CATHODE d |
| 9 |  | CATHODE E |
| 10 |  | ANODE |
| 11. |  | ANODE $\dagger$ |
| 12 |  | CATHODEf |
| 13 |  | CATHODEg |
| 14 |  | ANODEg |
| 15 |  | ANODE $h$ |
| 16 |  | CATHODE h |

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
HIGH EFFICIENCY RED HLMP-2600 SERIES

| Parameter |  | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Condlitions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity ${ }^{\mid 6]}$ <br> Per Light Emitting <br> Surface Area | -2655 | Iv |  | 16 |  | mcd | 60 mA Pk : 1 of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 6 | 14 |  | mod | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2600 | lv |  | 8 |  | mod | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 3 | 7 |  | med | 20 mADC |
|  | -2685 | Iv |  | 32 |  | mod | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 12 | 28 |  | med | 20 mADC |
|  | $-2670$ | Iv |  | 16 |  | med | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 6 | 14 |  | med | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2620 | IV |  | 8 |  | mcd | 60 mA Pk : 1 of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 3 | 7 |  | mod | 20 mADC |
|  | -2635 | Iv |  | 16 |  | mod | 60 mA Pk 1 of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 6 | 14 |  | mod | 20 mA DC |
| Peak Wavelength |  | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ |  | 635 |  | nm |  |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{[7]}$ |  | $\lambda_{d}$ |  | 626 |  | nm | $\cdots$ |
| Forward Voltage Per LED |  | $V_{F}$ |  | 2.1 | 2.6 | V | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| Reverse Current Per LED |  | IR |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{R}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin |  | $R \theta_{j-P I N}$ |  | 150 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / W / \\ & \text { LED } \\ & \text { Chip } \end{aligned}$ | - ${ }^{\text {, }}$ : |

## YELLOW HLMP-2700 SERIES

| Parameter |  | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity ${ }^{\text {'6\| }}$ Per Light Emitting Surface Area | -2755 | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}}$ |  | 12 |  | mcd | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 5.4 | 10 |  | med | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2700 | Iv |  | 6 |  | med | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 2.7 | 5 |  | mcd | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2785 | Iv |  | 24 |  | mod | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 10.8 | 20 |  | med | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2770 | Iv |  | 12 |  | med | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 5.4 | 10 |  | mcd | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2720 | IV |  | 6 |  | med | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 2.7 | 5 |  | mcd | 20 mA DC |
|  | -2735 | Iv |  | 12 |  | mcd | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 3 Duty Factor |
|  |  |  | 5.4 | 10 |  | mcd | 20 mA DC |
| Peak Wavelength |  | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ |  | 583 |  | nm |  |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{[7]}$ |  | $\lambda d$ |  | 585 |  | nm |  |
| Forward Voltage Per LED |  | $V_{F}$ |  | 2.2 | 2.6 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| Reverse Current Per LED |  | IR |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin |  | $R \theta_{J}-\mathrm{PIN}$ |  | 150 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ & \text { LED } \\ & \text { Chip } \end{aligned}$ |  |

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## GREEN HLMP-2800 SERIES



Notes:
6. These devices are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package.
7. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.

## Electrical

The HLMP-2600/-2700/-2800 series of light bar devices are composed of four or eight light emitting diodes, with the light from each LED optically scattered to form an evenly illuminated light emitting surface. The LED's have a P-N junction diffused into the epitaxial layer on a GaP transparent substrate.
The anode and cathode of each LED is brought out by separate pins. This universal pinout arrangement allows for the wiring of the LED's within a device in any of three possible configurations: parallel, series, or series/parallel.
The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design and maximum power dissipation may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ models:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V_{F}=1.8 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(40 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } \operatorname{IPEAK} \geq 20 \mathrm{~mA} \\
& V_{F}=1.6 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IDC}(50 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } 5 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \operatorname{IDC} \leq 20 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Optical

The radiation pattern for these light bar devices, is approximately Lambertian. The luminous sterance may be calculated using one of the two following formulas:

$$
\begin{gathered}
L_{v}\left(c d / m^{2}\right)=\frac{I_{v}(c d)}{A\left(m^{2}\right)} \\
L_{v}(\text { footlamberts })=\frac{\pi I_{v}(c d)}{A\left(f^{2}\right)}
\end{gathered}
$$

| Size of Light <br> Emitting Surface <br> Area | Area |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Sq. Metres | Sq. Feet |
| $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 8.89 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $67.74 \times 10^{-6}$ | $729.16 \times 10^{-6}$ |
| $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3.81 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $33.87 \times 10^{-6}$ | $364.58 \times 10^{-6}$ |
| $8.89 \mathrm{~mm} \times 19.05 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $135.48 \times 10^{-6}$ | $1458.32 \times 10^{-6}$ |
| $3.81 \mathrm{~mm} \times 19.05 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $72.58 \times 10^{-6}$ | $781.25 \times 10^{-6}$ |

Refresh rates of 1 kHz or faster provide the most efficient operation resulting in the maximum possible time average luminous intensity.
The time average luminous intensity may be calculated using the relative efficiency characteristic of Figure 3, $\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}$, and adjusted for operating ambient temperature. The time average luminous intensity at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ is calculated as follows:
$I_{\text {v TIME AVG }}=\left[\frac{I_{\text {AVG }}}{20 \mathrm{~mA}}\right]\left(\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}\right)\left(I_{V}\right.$ Data Sheet $)$
Example: For HLMP-2735 series

$$
\begin{gathered}
\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}=1.18 \text { at IPEAK }=48 \mathrm{~mA} \\
I_{V} \text { TIME AVG }=\left[\frac{12 \mathrm{~mA}}{20 \mathrm{~mA}}\right](1.18)(10 \mathrm{mcd})=7 \mathrm{mcd}
\end{gathered}
$$

The time average luminous intensity may be adjusted for operating ambient temperature by the following exponential equation:
$\operatorname{lv}\left(T_{A}\right)=\operatorname{lv}\left(25^{\circ} C\right) e^{\left[K\left(T_{A}-25^{\circ} C\right)\right]}$

| Device | $\mathbf{K}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| -2600 Series | $-0.0131 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| -2700 Series | $-0.0112 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| -2800 Series | $-0.0104 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

Example: $I_{v}\left(80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(7 \mathrm{mcd}) \mathrm{e}^{[-0.0112(80-25)]}=3.8 \mathrm{mcd}$

These light bar devices may be operated in ambient temperatures above $+60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ without derating when installed in a PC board configuration that provides a thermal resistance to ambient value less than $250^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ LED. See Figure 6 to determine the maximum allowed thermal resistance for the PC board, R $\theta$ PC-A, which will permit nonderated operation in a given ambient temperature.

To optimize device optical performance, specially developed plastics are used which restrict the solvents that may be used for cleaning. It is recommended that only mixtures of Freon (F113) and alcohol be used for vapor cleaning processes, with an immersion time in the vapors of less than two (2) minutes maximum. Some suggested vapor cleaning solvents are Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15, Arklone A or K. A $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(140^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$ water cleaning process may also be used, which includes a neutralizer rinse ( $3 \%$ ammonia solution or equivalent), a surfactant rinse ( $1 \%$ detergent solution or equivalent), a hot water rinse and a thorough air dry. Room temperature cleaning may be accomplished with Freon T-E35 or T-P35, Ethanol, Isopropanol or water with a mild detergent.

## Mechanical

These devices are constructed utilizing a lead frame in a DIP package. The LED dice are attached directly to the lead frame. Therefore, the cathode leads are the direct thermal and mechanical stress paths to the LED dice. The absolute maximum allowed junction temperature, TJMAX, is $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The maximum power ratings have been established so that the worst case $V_{F}$ device does not exceed this limit. For most reliable operation, it is recommended that the device pin-to-ambient thermal resistance through the PC board be less than $250^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ LED. This will then establish a maximum thermal resistance LED junction-to-ambient of $400^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \mathrm{LED}$.


Figure 1. Maximum Allowed Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration.


Figure 3. Maximum Allowable DC Current per LED vs.
Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on
Maximum Allowable Thermal Resistance Values,
LED Junction-to-Ambient on a Per LED Basis.
$T_{J} \mathrm{MAX}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

$V_{F}$ - FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 5. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage Characteristics.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable Average Current per LED vs. Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowable Thermal Resistance Values, LED Junction-to-Ambient on a Per LED Basis. $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}} \mathrm{MAX}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure 4. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak LED Current.


IDC - DC CURRENT PER LED - mA
Figure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## Features

- LOW COST: BROAD APPLICATION
- LONG LIFE: SOLID STATE RELIABILITY
- LOW POWER REQUIREMENTS: 20mA @.1.6V
- HIGH LIGHT OUTPUT
0.8 mcd TYPICAL FOR 5082-4850/4484
1.4 mcd TYPICAL FOR 5082-4855/4494
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- RED DIFFUSED LENS


## Description

The 5082-4850/4855 and 5082-4484/4494 are Gallium Arsenide Phosphide Light Emitting Diodes intended for High Volume/Low Cost applications such as indicators for appliances, automobile instrument panels and many other commercial uses.

The 5082-4850/4855 are T-13/4 lamp size, have red diffused lenses and can be panel mounted using mounting clip 5082-4707.

The 5082-4484/4494 are T-1 lamp size, have red diffused leneos and are ideal where space is at a premium, such as high density arrays.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Power Dissipation . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 100mW
DC Forward Current (Derate linearly from
$50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 50 mA
Peak Forward Current. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1Amp
( $1 \mu \mathrm{sec}$ pulse width, 300 pps )
Operating and Storage
Temperature Range . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

1. ALL. DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETRES (INCHES).
2. SILVER PLATED LEADS. SEE APPLICATIONS BULLETIN 3.
3. AN EPOXY MENISCUS MAY EXTEND ABOUT 1 mm (. $040^{\prime \prime}$ ) DOWN THE LEADS.

## Electrical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=\mathbf{2 5}{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameters | 5082-4850 |  |  | 5082-4855 |  |  | 5082.4484 |  |  | 5082-4494 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| Iv | Luminous Intensity |  | 0.8 |  | 0.8 | 1.4 |  |  | 0.8 |  | 0.8 | 1.4 |  | mcd | ${ }^{1} \mathrm{~F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Wavelength |  | 655 |  |  | 655 |  |  | 655 |  |  | 655 |  | $n m$ | Measurement at Peak |
| $\tau_{\text {s }}$ | Speed of Response |  | 10 |  |  | 10 |  |  | 10 |  |  | 10 |  | ns |  |
| c | Capacitance |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  | pF | $\begin{aligned} & V_{F}=0, \\ & f=1 \mathrm{MHz} \end{aligned}$ |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.6 | 2.0 |  | 1.6 | 2.0 |  | 1.6 | 2.0 |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V | $I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse <br> Breakdown <br> Voltage | 3 | 10 |  | 3 | 10 |  | 3 | 10 |  | 3 | 10 |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| ${ }^{\theta} \mathrm{JC}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  |  | 100 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead |



Figure 1. Forward Current Versus Forward Voltage Characteristic For 5082-4850/ 4855/4484/4494.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity Versus Angular Displacement For 5082-4484/4494


Figure 2. Relative Luminous Intensity Versus Angular Displacement For 5082-4850/4855.


Figure 4. Relative Luminous Intensity Versus Forward Current For 5082-4850/ 4855/4484/4494

## Features

- EASILY PANEL MOUNTABLE
- HIGH BRIGHTNESS OVER A WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- RUGGED CONSTRUCTION FOR EASE OF HANDLING
- STURDY LEADS ON 2.54 mm ( 0.10 in .) CENTERS
- IC COMPATIBLE/LOW POWER CONSUMPTION
- LONG LIFE


## Description

The 5082-4403, $-4415,-4440,-4444$ and the -4880 series are plastic encapsulated Gallium Arsenide Phosphide Light Emitting Diodes. They radiate light in the 655 nanometer (red light) region.
The 5082-4403 and -4440 are LEDs with a red diffused plastic lens, providing high visibility for circuit board or panel mounting with a clip.
The 5082-4415 and -4444 have the added feature of a $90^{\circ}$ lead bend for edge mounting on circuit boards.
The 5082-4880 series is available in three different lens configurations. These are Red Diffused, Clear Diffused, and Clear Non-Diffused.
The Red Diffused lens provides an excellent off/on contrast ratio. The Clear Non-Diffused lens is designed for applications where a point source is desired. It is particularly useful where the light must be focused or diffused with external optics. The Clear Diffused lens is useful in masking the red color in the off condition.

## LED SELECTION GUIDE

| MINIMUM LIGHT OUTPUT (mcd) | LONG LEAD (UNBENT) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Red Diffused Lens | Clear NonDiffused Lens | Clear Diffused Lens |
| 0.5 | 5082-4880 | 5082-4883 | 5082-4886 |
| 1.0 | 5082-4881 | 5082-4884 | 5082-4887 |
| 1.6 | 5082-4882 | 5082-4885 | 5082-4888 |
|  | SHORT LEAD |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 0.3 \\ & 0.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5082-4440 \\ & 5082-4403 \end{aligned}$ | UNBENT |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 0.3 \\ & 0.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 5082-4444 \\ & 5082-4415 \end{aligned}$ | BENT |  |



## Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

DC Power Dissipation ............................. 100 mW
DC Forward Current ............................. 50 mA (Derate linearly from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Peak Transient Forward Current . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 Amp
( $1 \mu \mathrm{sec}$ pulse width, 300 pps )
Isolation Voltage (between lead and base) . . . . . . . . . 300 V
Operating and Storage
Temperature Range
.$-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Soldering Temperature . . . . . . . . . . . $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 7 sec

Electrical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parametar | $\begin{aligned} & 5082.4403 \\ & 5082.4415 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 5082-4440 \\ 5082 \cdot 4444 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5082-4880 \\ & 5082-4883 \\ & 5082-4886 \end{aligned}$ |  | 5082-4881 <br> 5082.4884 <br> 5082-4887 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5082-4882 \\ & 5082-4885 \\ & 5082-4888 \end{aligned}$ |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. Max. | Min. | Typ. Max. | Min. | Typ. Max. | Min. 1 | Typ. Max. | Min. T | Typ. Max. |  |  |
| IV | Luminous Intensity |  | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 1.8 | med | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| 入PEAK | Wavelength |  | 655 |  | 655 |  | 655 |  | 655 |  | 655 | nm | Measurernent at Peak |
| ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | Speed of Response |  | 15 |  | 15 |  | 15 |  | 15 |  | 15 | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 100 |  | 100 |  | 100 |  | 100 |  | 100 | pF |  |
| $\theta \mathrm{Jc}$ | Tnermal <br> Resistance |  | 87 |  | 87 |  | 100 |  | 100 |  | 100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.62 .0 |  | 1.62 .0 |  | 1.62 .0 |  | 1.62 .0 |  | $1.6 \quad 2.0$ | $\checkmark$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 3 | 10 |  | 10 |  | 10 |  | 10 | 3 | 10 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |

TYPICAL RELATIVE LUMINOUS INTENSITY VERSUS ANGULAR DISPLACEMENT
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4883, 4884, 4885


4880, 4881, 4882


FORWARD CURRENT VS. VOLTAGE CHARACTERISTICS


CURRENT ( $I_{F}$ )


## Features

- HIGH INTENSITY: 0.8mcd TYPICAL
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- SMALL SIZE T-1 DIAMETER 3.18mm (0.125")
- IC COMPATIBLE
- RELIABLE AND RUGGED


## Description

The 5082-4480 is a series of Gallium Arsenide Phosphide Light Emitting Diodes designed for applications where space is at a premium, such as in high density arrays.
The 5082-4480 series is available in three lens configurations.
5082-4480 - Red Diffused lens provides excellent on-off contrast ratio, high axial luminous intensity, and wide viewing angle.
5082-4483 - Same as 5082-4480, but Clear Diffused to mask red color in the "off" condition.
5082-4486 - Clear Non-Diffused plastic lens provides a point source. Useful when illuminating external lens, annunciators, or photo-detectors.

## Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

DC Power Dissipation . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 100mW
DC Forward Current . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 50mA (Derate linearly from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Peak Forward Current . . . . . . . . . . . pulse width, 1 Amp Operating and Storage
Temperature Range ( $1 \mu \mathrm{sec}$ pulse width, 300 pps )

Lead Soldering Temperature $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Electrical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameters | $5082-4480$$\therefore \quad$$5082-4483$ <br> $5082-4486$ |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| Iv | Luminous Intensity | 0.3 | 0.8 |  | med | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Wavelength |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\tau_{s}$ | Speed of Response |  | 15 | - | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 100 |  | pF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0, \mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\theta_{\text {JC }}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 270 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{CM}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\mathrm{BV}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 3 | 10 |  | $V$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=10 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |



Figure 1. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.


FORWARD CURRENT - VOLTAGE CHARACTERISTICS

Figure 3. Forward Current vs. Voltage Characteristic.


Figure 2. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

Figure 4. Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current (IF).

## Features

- LOW COST: BROAD APPLICATION
- LOW PROFILE: 4.57mm (0.18") LENS HEIGHT TYPICAL
- HIGH DENSITY PACKAGING
- LONG LIFE: SOLID STATE RELIABILITY
- LOW POWER REQUIREMENTS: 20mA @ 1.6V
- HIGH LIGHT OUTPUT: 0.8mcd TYPICAL


NOTES: 1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETRES (INCHES)
2. SILVER PLATED LEADS. SEE APPLICATIONS BULLETIN 3.
3. AN EPOXY MENISCUS MAY EXTEND ABOUT 1 mm (.040") DOWN THE LEADS.

## Description

The 5082-4487 and 5082-4488 are Gallium Arsenide Phosphide Light Emitting Diodes for High Volume/Low Cost Applications such as indicators for calculators, cameras, appliances, automobile instrument panels, and many other commercial uses.

The 5082-4487 is an untinted non-diffused, low profile T-1 LED lamp, and has a typical light output of 0.8 mcd at 20 mA .

The 5082-4488 is an untinted non-diffused, low profile T-1 LED lamp, and has a guaranteed minimum light output of 0.3 mcd at 20 mA .Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$DC Power Dissipation100 mW
DC Forward Current [Derate linearly from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ] ..... 50 mW
Peak Forward Current [ $1 \mu \mathrm{sec}$ pulse width, 300 pps ] 1 Amp
Operating and Storage Temperature Range $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Soldering Temperature ..... $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 7 sec .

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameters | 5082-4487 |  |  | 5082-4488 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| $I_{V}$ | Luminous Intensity |  | 0.8 |  | 0.3 | 0.8 |  | mcd | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Wavelength |  | 655 |  |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\tau_{\text {s }}$ | Speed of Response |  | 10 |  |  | 10 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 100 | . |  | 100 |  | pF | $V_{F}=0, f=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage | : | 1.6 | 2.0 |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V | $I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $B V_{\text {R }}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 3 | 10 |  | 3 | 10 |  | V | $I_{R}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |



Figure 1. Typical Forward Current Versus Voltage Characteristic.


Figure 2. Typical Luminous Intensity Versus Forward Current.


Figure 3. Typical Relative Luminous Intensity Versus Angular Displacement.

# MATCHED ARRAYS OF SUBMINIATURE RED SOLID STATE LAMPS 

## Features

- EXCELLENT UNIFORMITY BETWEEN ELEMENTS AND BETWEEN ARRAYS
- EASY INSERTION AND ALIGNMENT
- VERSATILE LENGTHS - 3,4,5 ELEMENTS
- END STACKABLE FOR LONGER ARRAYS
- COMPACT SUBMINIATURE PACKAGE STYLE
- NO CROSSTALK BETWEEN ELEMENTS


## Description

The HLMP-62XX Series arrays are comprised of several Gallium Arsenide Phosphide Red Solid State Lamps molded as a single bar. Arrays are tested to assure uniformity between elements and matching between arrays. Each element has separately accessible leads and a red diffused lens which provides a wide viewing angle and a high on/off contrast ratio. Center-to-center spacing is 2.54 mm (. 100 in .) between elements and arrays are end stackable on 2.54 mm (. 100 in .) centers.

## Package Dimensions



## Electrical Specifications/Element at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions | Figure |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}}$ | Axial Luminous Intensity | .5 | 1.0 |  | mcd | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA} ;$ Note 1 | 2 |
| $2 \theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half <br> Luminous Intensity Points |  | 45 |  | Deg. | Note 2 | 5 |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement @ Peak |  |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 640 |  | nm | Note 3 |  |
| $\tau_{s}$ | Speed of Response |  | 15 |  | ns |  |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 100 |  | pF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=0 ; \mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |
| $\theta_{\mathrm{JC}}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 125 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{CN}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead at <br> $.79 \mathrm{~mm}(.031 \mathrm{in})$ from the body |  |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |
| $\mathrm{BV} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 3 | 10 |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 1 |
| $\eta_{V}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 55 |  | $\mathrm{Im} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 4 |  |

Notes:

1. Arrays categorized for luminous intensity.
2. $\theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
3. Dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE Chromaticity Diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
4. Radiant intensity, $I_{e}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $I_{e}=I_{V} / \eta_{V}$, where $I_{V}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


Figure 1. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 3. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 4. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings).


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## 5 VOLT LED RESISTOR LAMPS

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED • HLMP-3600

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## Features

- INTEGRAL CURRENT LIMITING RESISTOR
- INTEGRAL REVERSE PROTECTION DIODE
- TTL COMPATIBLE: REQUIRES NO EXTERNAL CURRENT LIMITER WITH 5 VOLT SUPPLY
- COST EFFECTIVE: SPACE SAVING
- PANEL MOUNTABLE T-1³/4 PACKAGE
- WIRE WRAPPABLE LEADS
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE


## Description

The HLMP-3600 series lamps contain an integral current limiting resistor and reverse current protection diode in series with the LED. This allows the lamp to be driven from a 5 volt source without the need for an external current limiter. The - 3600 and -3650 lamps utilize LED chips which are made from GaAsP on a transparent GaP substrate. The - 3680 lamp utilizes an LED chip made from GaP on a transparent GaP substrate. These T-13/4 lamps are diffused to provide wide off-axis viewing and may be front panel mounted using the 5082-4707 clip and ring. The leads are wire wrappable.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise specified)
DC Forward Voltage $\left(T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{|1|} \ldots \ldots . . . . .$.
Reverse Voltage .......................................... 20 V
Operating Temperature Range ........ $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature Range .......... $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Lead Soldering Temperature ......... $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 sec .
[ 1.6 mm ( 0.063 inch ) from body]

## Notes:

1. Derate from $T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.071 \mathrm{~V} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. See Figure 3 .


## Package Dimensions



Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameter | Device HLMP. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Iv | Axial Luminous Intensity ${ }^{[4]}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3600 \\ & 3650 \\ & 3680 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.0 \\ & 1.0 \\ & 0.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.4 \\ & 2.4 \\ & 1.8 \end{aligned}$ |  | med | $V_{F}=5$ Volts |
| $2 \theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points | All |  | 90 |  |  | Note 1 (See Figure 4) |
| $\lambda$ Peak | Peak Wavelength | $\begin{aligned} & 3600 \\ & 3650 \\ & 3680 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 635 \\ & 585 \\ & 565 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda d$ | Dominant Wavelength | $\begin{aligned} & 3600 \\ & 3650 \\ & 3680 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 626 \\ & 585 \\ & 572 \end{aligned}$ |  | nm | Note 2 |
| $R \theta_{J-P I N}$ | Thermal Resistance | All |  | 90 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Lead at 3 mm from Body |
| If | Forward Current | $\begin{aligned} & 3600 \\ & 3650 \\ & 3680 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 10 \\ & 12 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 15 \\ & 15 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | mA | $V_{F}=5$ Volts |
| $\mathrm{I}_{8}$ | Reverse Current | All |  |  | 10 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{R}=12$ Volts |
| $\eta v$ | Luminous Efficacy | $\begin{aligned} & 3600 \\ & 3650 \\ & 3680 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 570 \\ & 665 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 3 |

Notes:

1. $\theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $l_{e}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $l_{e}=I_{V} / \eta_{v}$, where $I_{V}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{v}$ is the $l_{\text {uminous }}$ efficacy in lumens/watt.
4. The luminous intensity may be adjusted for operating ambient temperature

| Device | $\frac{k}{-3600}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| -3650 | $-0.01112 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| -3680 | $-0.0104 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
|  |  |



Figure 1. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Applied Forward Voltage


Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Applied Forward Voltage


Figure 3. Max. Allowed Applied Forward Voltage vs. Ambient Temp.


Figure 4. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Dispiacement

## Features

- INTEGRAL CURRENT LIMITING RESISTOR
- INTEGRAL REVERSE DIODE PROTECTION
- TTL COMPATIBLE: REQUIRES NO EXTERNAL CURRENT LIMITER WITH 5 VOLT/12 VOLT SUPPLY
- COST EFFECTIVE: SPACE SAVING
- PANEL MOUNTABLE T-1 $3 / 4$ PACKAGE
- WIRE WRAPPABLE LEADS
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE


## Description

The HLMP-3105 and -3112 lamps contain an integral current limiting resistor and reverse current protection diode in series with the LED. This allows the lamp to be driven from a 5 volt/ 12 volt source without the need for an external current limiter. Both lamps utilize LED chips which are made from GaAsP on a GaAsP substrate. The color is standard red. These T-1 $3 / 4$ lamps are diffused to provide wide off-axis viewing and may be front panel mounted using the 5082-4707 clip and ring. The leads are wire wrappable.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise specified)

|  | HLMP-3105 | HLMP-3112 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| DC Forward Voltage $1 \mathrm{TA}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, | 7.5 Volts ${ }^{\circ}$ | 15 Volts ${ }^{21}$ |
| Reverse Voltage | 20 Volts | 20 Volts |
| Operating Temperature Fiange | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature Range | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Lead Soldering Temperature <br> 11.6 mm 10.063 inch from body | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 seconds |  |

## Notes:

1. Derate from $T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.071 \mathrm{~V} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. See Figure 3.
2. Derate from $T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.086 \mathrm{~V} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. See Figure 3 .


## Package Dimensions



DIMENSIONS IN MHLLIMETRES INCHES).

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameter | HLMP-3105 |  |  | HLMP-3112 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| Iv | Axial Luminous Intensity ${ }^{141}$ | 0.8 | 1.5 |  | 0.8 | 1.5 |  | mcd mcd | $\begin{aligned} & V_{F}=5 \text { Volts } \\ & V_{F}=12 \text { Volts } \end{aligned}$ |
| $2 \theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points |  | 90 |  |  | 90 |  |  | Note 1 (See Figure 2) |
| $\lambda_{\text {Peak }}$ | Peak Wavelength |  | 655 |  |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 640 |  |  | 640 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| R $\theta_{J}$-PIN | Thermal Resistance |  | 90 |  |  | 90 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Lead at 3 mm from Body |
| If | Forward Current |  | 13 | 20 |  | 14 | 20 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{mA} \\ & \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{F}=5 \text { Volts } \\ & V_{F}=12 \text { Volts } \end{aligned}$ |
| In | Reverse Current |  |  | 10 |  |  | 10 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{R}=12$ Volts |
| $\eta_{V}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 55 |  |  | 55 |  | $\mathrm{lm} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 3 |

Notes:

1. $\theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the $C I E$ chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $l_{e}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $l_{\mathrm{e}}=I_{\mathrm{V}} / \eta_{\mathrm{v}}$, where $I_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{\mathrm{v}}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.
4. The lumınous intensity may be adjusted for operating ambient temperature by the following exponential equation: $\operatorname{lv}\left(T_{A}\right)=\operatorname{IV}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \mathrm{e}^{\mid-0.188\left(\mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)}$


Figure 1. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Applied Forward Voltage

$V_{C C}$ - APPLIED FORWARD VOLTAGE - V
Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Applied Forward Voltage


Figure 3. Maximum Allowed Applied Forward Voltage vs. Ambient Temperature $R_{\theta J A}=175^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$


Figure 4. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement


NOTE: AN EPOXY MENISCUS MAY EXTEND ABOUT $1 \mathrm{~mm}\left(0.040^{\prime \prime}\right)$ OOWN THE LEADS.


1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETRES (INCHES)
2. SILVER PLATED LEADS. SEE APPLICATIONS BULLETIN 3.
3. AN EPOXY MENISCUS MAY EXTEND ABOUT 1 mm (.040") DOWN THE LEADS.

5082-4468

## Features

- TTL COMPATIBLE: 16mA @ 5 VOLTS TYPICAL
- INTEGRAL CURRENT LIMITING RESISTOR
- T-1 DIAMETER PACKAGE, 3.18 mm (. 125 in. ) T-13/4 DIAMETER PACKAGE, 5.08 mm (. 200 in .)
- RUGGED AND RELIABLE


## Description

The HP Resistor-LED series provides an integral current limiting resistor in series with the LED. Applications include panel mounted indicators, cartridge indicators, and lighted switches.
The $5082-4860$ is a standard red diffused $5.08 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.200^{\prime \prime}\right)$ diameter ( $\mathrm{T}-13 / 4$ size) LED, with long wire wrappable leads.
The $5082-4468$ is a clear diffused $3.18 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.125^{\prime \prime}\right)$ diameter (T-1 size) LED.
Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$DC Forward Voltage [Derate linearly to 5 V @ $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ]7.5 V
Reverse Voltage ..... 7V
Isolation Voltage [between lead and base of the 5082-4860] ..... 300 V
Operating and Storage Temperature Range ..... $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$Lead Soldering Temperature$230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 7 sec.

Electrical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameters | 5082-4860/-4468 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| IV | Luminous Intensity | 0.3 | 0.8 |  | mcd | $V_{F}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | Wavelength |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\tau_{\text {s }}$ | Speed of Response |  | 15 |  | ns |  |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | Forward Current |  | 16 | 20 | mA | $V_{F}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 3 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |

TYPICAL RELATIVE LUMINOUS INTENSITY VERSUS ANGULAR DISPLACEMENT


4468



Figure 1. Typical DC Forward Current Voltage Characteristic


Figure 2. Relative Luminosity vs. Case Temperature


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Voltage


NOTES:

1. ALL Dimensions are in millimetres (inches).
2. SILVER PLATED LEADS. SEE APPLICATIONS BULLETIN 3
3. AN EPOXY MENISCUS MAY EXTEND ABOUT Iman 1.040'1 DOWN THE LEAOS

## Features

- HIGH SENSITIVITY: $\mathbf{1 0 m V}$ ON TO OFF
- BUILT IN LED CURRENT LIMITING
- TEMPERATURE COMPENSATED THRESHOLD VOLTAGE
- COMPACT: PACKAGE INCLUDES INTEGRATED CIRCUIT AND LED
- GUARANTEED MINIMUM LUMINOUS INTENSITY
- THRESHOLD VOLTAGE CAN BE INCREASED WITH EXTERNAL COMPONENT


## Applications

- Push-to-test battery voltage tester (pagers, cameras, appliances, radios, test equipment. . .)
- Logic level indicator
- Power supply voltage monitor
- V-U meter
- Analog level sense
- Voltage indicating arrays - use several with different thresholds
- Current monitor



## Description

The HP voltage sensing LEDs use an integrated circuit and a red GaAsP LED to provide a complete voltage sensing function in a standard red diffused T-1 LED package. When the input voltage ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$ ) exceeds the threshold voltage ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}$ ) the LED turns "on". The high gain of the comparator provides unambiguous indication by the LED of the input voltage with respect to the threshold voltage. The V-I characteristics are resistive above and below the threshold voltage. This allows battery testing under simulated load conditions. Use of a resistor, diode or zener in series allows the threshold voltage to be increased to any desired voltage. A resistor in parallel allows the sensing LED to be used as a current threshold indicator.
The 5082-4732 has a nominal threshold voltage of 2.7V .

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Storage Temperature |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operating Temperature. | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Lead Solder Temperature . | $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 7 Sec |
| Input Voltage - VIN ${ }^{\text {[1] }}$ | $+5 \mathrm{Vdc}$ |
| Reverse Input Voltage - V | -0.5 |
| notes: |  |
| 1. Derate linearly above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | of 37 mV |

Electro-Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Sym. | 5082-4732 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions | Fig. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |  |
| Threshold Voltage | $V_{\text {TH }}$ | 2.5 | 2.7 | 2.9 | V |  | 1,2 |
| Temperature Coefficient of Threshold | $\frac{\Delta V_{T H}}{\Delta T_{A}}$ |  | -1 |  | $m V /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |
| Input Current | IIN |  | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 33 \end{aligned}$ | 50 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{mA} \\ & \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{I N}=2.75 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{I N}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| Luminous Intensity | Iv | 0.3 | 0.7 |  | med | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=2.75 \mathrm{~V}$ | 1 |
| Wavelength | $\lambda$ PEAK |  | 655 |  | nm | Measurement at peak |  |
| Dominant Wavelength | $\lambda_{d}$ |  | 639 |  | nm | Note 1 |  |



Figure 1. Luminous Intensity vs. Input Voltage.


Figure 2. Input Current vs. Input Voltage.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## Techniques For Increasing The Threshold Voltage

|  | External Component | V'TH | $T C=\frac{\Delta V^{\prime} T H}{\Delta T_{A}}\left(\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\stackrel{v_{T H}^{\prime}}{\circ}-\int \underset{v_{T H}}{\substack{\text { Schottky Diode }}}$ | $V_{T H}+0.45 \mathrm{~V}$ | -2 |
|  | $\underset{V_{T H}^{\prime}}{\circ} \mathrm{CH}$ | $V_{T H}+0.75 \mathrm{~V}$ | -2.5 |
|  | LED | $V_{T H}+1.6 \mathrm{~V}$ | -2.9 |
|  |  | $V_{T H}+V_{Z}$ | -1 + Zener TC |

Notes: 1. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
2. $I_{T H}$ is the maximum current just below the threshold, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}$. Since both $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}$ are variable, a precise value of $\mathrm{V}^{\prime} \mathrm{TH}$ is obtainable only by selecting R to fit the measured characteristics of the individual devices (e.g., with curve tracer).
3. The temperature coefficient (TC) will be a function of the resistor TC and the value of the resistor.

## SUBMINIATURE RESISTOR LAMPS HIGH EFFICIENCY RED <br> 5 VOLT, 4mA • HLMP-6620 5 VOLT, 10mA • HLMP-6600

## Features

- IDEAL FOR TTL AND LSTTL GATE STATUS INDICATION
- REQUIRES NO EXTERNAL RESISTORS WITH 5 VOLT SUPPLY
- SPACE SAVING SUBMINIATURE PACKAGE
- TWO CHOICES OF CURRENT LEVEL
- RUGGED INTEGRAL RESISTOR AND REVERSE PROTECTION DIODE
- EXCELLENT VIEWING ANGLE


## Description

The HLMP-6600 and HLMP-6620 provide a Red Gallium Arsenide Phosphide on Gallium Phosphide Light Emitting Diode together with an integral biasing resistor and reverse protection diode. The package has a red diffused lens and radial leads. Tape-and-reel mounting is available on request.


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

|  | HLMP-6600 | HLMP-6620 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| DC Forward Voltage | 6 Volts | 6 Volts |
| Reverse Voltage | 15 Volts | 15 Volts |
| Operating Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Storage Temperature Range | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Lead Soldering Temperature |  |  |
| (0.063 in.) from body] | $245^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 sec. |  |

## Package Dimensions



Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Parameter | HL.MP-6600 |  |  | HLMP-6620 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| IV | Axial Luminous Intensity | 1.0 | 2.4 | - | 0,2 | 0.6 | - | mcd | $V_{F}=5$ Volts (See Figure 1) |
| 2 $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Intensity Points |  | $90^{\circ}$ |  |  | $90^{\circ}$ |  |  | Note 1 (See Figure 2) |
| $\lambda$ PEAK | Peak Wavelength |  | 635 |  |  | 635 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda_{d}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 628 |  |  | 628 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| $\Theta_{i}$ | Thermal Resistance |  | 120 |  |  | 120 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Junction to Cathode Lead at $0.79 \mathrm{~mm}(0.031 \mathrm{in}$.) From Body |
| If | Forward Current |  | 9.6 | 13 |  | 3.5 | 5 | mA | $V_{F}=5$ Volts (See Figure 3) |
| In | Reverse Current |  |  | 10 |  |  | 10 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{R}=15$ Volts |
| $\eta_{V}$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 147 |  |  | 147 |  | Im/W | Note 3 |

NOTES:

1. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Radiant intensity, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{e}}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $\mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{e}}=\mathrm{IV} / \eta_{V}$, where lv is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{V}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.


VF - FORWARD VOLTAGE - VOLTS
Figure 1. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 3. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 2. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.


Figure 4. Relative Intensity vs. Wavelength.

## HERMETIC SOLID STATE LAMPS

## Features

- CHOICE OF 4 COLORS

Red
High Efficiency Red
Yellow
Green

- DESIGNED FOR HIGH-RELIABILITY APPLICATIONS
- HERMETICALLY SEALED
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- LOW POWER OPERATION
- IC COMPATIBLE
- LONG LIFE
- PANEL MOUNT OPTION HAS WIRE WRAPPABLE LEADS AND AN ELECTRICALLY ISOLATED CASE


## Description

The 1N5765, 1N6092, 1N6093, and 1N6094 are hermetically sealed solid state lamps encapsulated in a TO-46 package with a tinted diffused plastic lens over a glass window. These hermetic lamps provide good on-off contrast, high axial luminous intensity and a wide viewing angle.
All of these devices are available in a panel mountable fixture. The semiconductor chips are packaged in a hermetically sealed TO-46 package with a tinted diffused plastic lens over glass window. This TO-46 package is then encapsulated in a panel mountable fixture designed for high reliability applications. The encapsulated LED lamp assembly provides a high on-off contrast, a high axial luminous intensity and a wide viewing angle.


TO-46


The 1N5765 utilizes a GaAsP LED chip with a red diffused plastic lens over glass window.

The 1N6092 has a high efficiency red GaAsP on GaP LED chip with a red diffused plastic lens over glass window. This lamp's efficiency is comparable to that of a GaP red but extends to higher current levels.
The 1N6093 provides a yellow GaAsP on GaP LED chip with a yellow diffused plastic lens over glass window.
The 1 N6094 provides a green GaP LED chip with a green diffused plastic lens over glass window.

| Cotor - Part Number- Panel Mount Matrix |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Description | Red, ${ }^{\text {derax }}$ | High Efticiency Red | Yellow | Green |
| Base Hermetic Part | 1N5765 | 2-1N6092 | 1N6093 | 1N6094 |
| Base Hermetic Part in Panel-Mount | $5082-4787$ | $5082-4687$ | 5082-4587 | 5082-4987 |
| JAN Part | JAN1N5765 | TJANIN6092 | JAN1N6093 | JAN1N6094 |
| JAN Part in Panel-Mount | HLMP-0930 | M19500/519-01 | M19500/520-01 | M19500/521-01 |
| JANTX Part | JANTX1N5765 | JANTX1N6092 | JANTX1N6093 | JANTX1N6094 |
| JANTX Part in Panel-Mount | HLMP-0931 | M19500/519-02 | M19500/520-02 | M19500/521-02 |

[^4]JAN 1N5765: Samples of each lot are subjected to Group A inspection for parameters listed in Table I, and to Group $B$ and Group C tests listed below. All tests are to the conditions and limits specified by MIL-S-19500/467. A summary of the data gathered in Groups A, B, and C lot acceptance testing is supplied with each shipment.

JAN TX 1N5765: Devices undergo $100 \%$ screening tests as listed below to the conditions and limits specified by MIL-S-19500/467. The JAN TX lot is then subjected to Group A, Group B and Group C tests as for the JAN 1N5765 above. A summary of the data gathered in Groups A, B and C acceptance testing can be provided upon request. Serialized data can be gathered, but lead times will be increased accordingly.

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Group B Sample Acceptance Tests \& $$
\begin{gathered}
\text { Method } \\
\text { MIL-STD-750 }
\end{gathered}
$$ \& Group C Sample Acceptance Tests \& $$
\begin{gathered}
\text { Method } \\
\text { MIL-STD-750 }
\end{gathered}
$$ <br>
\hline Physical Dimensions \& 2066

2026 \& Low Temp. Operation ( $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) Breakdown Voltage \& $$
4021
$$ <br>

\hline Solderability \& 2026 \& Resistance to Solvents \&  <br>
\hline Thermal Shock \& 1056A \& Temp. Storage ( $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ hours) Operating Life ( $50 \mathrm{mAdc}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ hours) \& 1031
1026 <br>
\hline Temperature Cycling \& 1051A \& Peak Forward Pulse Current \& <br>
\hline Fine Leak Test \& 1071H \& TX Screening (100\%) \& <br>
\hline Gross Leak Test \& 1071C \& \& <br>
\hline Moisture Resistance \& 1021 \& Temp. Storage ( $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 72$ hours) \& <br>
\hline Mechanical Shock \& 2016 \& Temperature Cycling \& 1051A <br>
\hline Vibration \& 2056 \& Constant Acceleration \& 2006 <br>
\hline Constant Acceleration \& 2006 \& Fine Leak Test \& 1071H <br>
\hline Terminal Strength \& 2036E \& Gross Leak Test \& 1071C <br>
\hline Salt Atmosphere \& 1041 \& Burn-in (50mAdc, 168 hours) \& <br>
\hline Temp. Storage ( $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 340$ hours) \& 1032 \& Evaluation of Drift

$$
\left(I_{V_{1}}, V_{F}, I_{R}\right)
$$ \& <br>

\hline Operating Life ( $50 \mathrm{mAdc}, 340$ hours) \& 1027 \& \& <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

*MIL-STD-202 Method 215

## Electrical / Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

(Per Table I, Group A Testing of MIL-S 19500/467)

| Specification | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units | Test Conditions |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity (Axial) | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V} 1}$ | 0.5 | 3.0 | mcd | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{mAdc}, \theta=0^{\circ}$ |
| Luminous Intensity (off Axis) | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v} 2}$ | 0.3 |  | mcd | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{mAdc}, \theta=30^{\circ}$ [see Note 1] |
| Wavelength | $\lambda_{V}$ | 630 | 700 | nM | Design Parameter |
| Capacitance | C |  | 300 | pF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=0, \mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| Forward Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ |  | 2.0 | Vdc | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{mAdc}$ |
| Reverse Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  | 1 | $\mu \mathrm{Adc}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=3 \mathrm{Vdc}$ [see Note 1] |

NOTES:

1. These specifications apply only to JAN/JAN TX levels.

Absolute Maximum Ratings at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | $\begin{array}{c\|} \text { Red } \\ \text { 1N5765/4787 } \end{array}$ | High Eff. Red 1N6092/4687 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Yellow } \\ \text { 1N6093/4587 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Green } \\ \text { 1N6094/4987 } \end{gathered}$ | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Dissipation (derate linearly from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $1.6 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | 100 | 120 | 120 | 120 | mW |
| DC Forward Current | $50{ }^{[1]}$ | $35^{[2]}$ | $35^{[2]}$ | $35^{[2]}$ | mA |
| Peak Forward Current | $\begin{gathered} 1000 \\ \text { See Fig. } 5 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { See Fig. } 10 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { See Fig. } 15 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \\ \text { See Fig. } 20 \end{gathered}$ | mA |
| Operating and Storage Temperature Range | $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Lead Soldering Temperature [ 1.6 mm ( 0.063 in :) from body] | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 7 seconds. |  |  |  |  |

1. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.2 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
2. Derate from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.5 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Symbol | Description | 1N5765/5082-4787 |  |  | 1N6092/5082-4687 |  |  | 1N6093/5082-4587 |  |  | 1N6094/5082-4987 |  |  | Units | Test Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |  |
| 1. | Axial Luminous Intensity | 0.5 | 1.0 |  | 1.0 | 2.5 |  | 1.0 | 2.5 |  | $0.8$ | $\begin{gathered} 1.6 \\ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=2 \end{gathered}$ |  | med | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { Figs. } 3,8,13,18 \end{aligned}$ |
| $2 \Theta_{1,2}$ | Included Angle Between Half Luminous Interisity Points |  | 60 |  |  | 70 |  |  | 70 |  |  | 70 |  | deg. | Note 1. Figures 6. 11, 16, 21 |
| Apeat | Peak Wavelength |  | 655 |  |  | 635 |  |  | 583 |  |  | 565 |  | nm | Measurement at Peak |
| $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ | Dominant Wavelength |  | 640 |  |  | 626 |  |  | 585 |  |  | 570 |  | nm | Note 2 |
| 75 | Speed of Response |  | 10 |  |  | 200 |  |  | 200 |  |  | 200 |  | ns |  |
| C | Capacitance |  | 200 |  |  | 35 |  |  | 35 |  |  | 35 |  | pF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{r}}=0: 1=1 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| $\theta_{16}$ | Thermal Resistance* |  | 425 |  |  | 425 |  |  | 425 |  |  | 425 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 3 |
| Oric | Thermal Resistance** |  | 550 |  |  | 550 |  |  | 550 |  |  | 550 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | Note 3 |
| $V_{\text {F }}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.6 | 2.0 |  | 2.0 | 3.0 |  | 2.0 | 3.0 |  | $\begin{gathered} 2.1 \\ I_{F}=2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3.0 \\ 5 \mathrm{~mA} \end{gathered}$ | $v$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { Figures } 2,7, \\ & 12,17 \end{aligned}$ |
| $B V_{R}$ | Reverse Breakdown Voltage | 4 | 5 |  | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | 5.0 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{R}}=100_{\mu} \mathrm{A}$ |
| $\eta$ | Luminous Efficacy |  | 56 |  |  | 140 |  |  | 455 |  |  | 600 |  | Im/W | Note 4 |

NOTES:

1. $\Theta_{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axia! iuminous intensity.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Junction to Cathode Lead with $3.18 \mathrm{~mm}(0.125 \mathrm{inch})$ of leads exposed between base of flange and heat sink.
4. Radiant intensity, $I_{e}$, in watts/steradian, may be found from the equation $I_{e}=I_{v} / \eta_{v}$, where $I_{v}$ is the luminous intensity in candelas and $\eta_{v}$ is the luminous efficacy in lumens/watt.
*Panel mount.
**T0-46


Figure 1. Relative Intensity vs. Wavelength.

## Package Dimensions

5082-4787, 4687, 4587, 4987


1N5765, 1N6092, 1N6093, 1N6094



Notes:

1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETRES (INCHES
2. GOLDPLATED LEADS.

## RED 1N5765/5082-4787



Figure 2. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.

$I_{F}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.

$\mathrm{I}_{\text {PEAK - PEAK CURRENT - mA }}$
Figure 4. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 5. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration.


Figure 6. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)

## HIGH EFFICIENCY RED 1N6092/5082-4687



Figure 7. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 10. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)

$I_{\text {F }}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - MA
Figure 8. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.

Figure 11. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

## YELLOW 1N6093/5082-4587



Figure 12. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 15. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (IDC MAX as per MAX Ratings)

$I_{F}$ - FORWARD CURRENT - mA
Figure 13. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 14. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.


Figure 16. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.


Figure 17. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 20. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. (Inc MAX as per MAX Ratings)


Figure 18. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Forward Current.


Figure 19. Relative Efficiency
(Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Current.

Figure 21. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Angular Displacement.

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## Description

The 5082-4707 is a black plastic mounting clip and retaining ring. It is designed to panel mount Hewlett Packard Solid State high profile T-13/4 size lamps. This clip and ring combination is intended for installation in instrument panels up to 3.18 mm (.125') thick. For panels greater than $3.18 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.125^{\prime \prime}\right)$, counterboring is required to the $3.18 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.125^{\prime \prime}\right)$ thickness.

## Mounting Instructions

1. Drill an ASA C size 6.15 mm (.242') dia. hole in the panel. Deburr but do not chamfer the edges of the hole.
2. Press the panel clip into the hole from the front of the panel.
3. Press the LED into the clip from the back. Use blunt long nose pliers to push on the LED. Do not use force on the LED leads. A tool such as a nut driver may be used to press on the clip.
4. Slip a plastic retaining ring onto the back of the clip and press tight using tools such as two nut drivers.



# Solid State Displays 

- Red, High Efficiency Red, Yellow and Green Seven Segment Displays
- Red Seven Segment Displays
- Integrated Displays
- Hermetically Sealed Integrated Displays
- Alphanumeric Displays

Red, High Efficiency Red, Yellow and Green Seven Segment LED Displays

| Package | Device | Description | Application | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 5082-7610 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, LHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) | General Purpose Market <br> - Test Equipment <br> - Digital Clocks <br> - Clock Radios <br> - TV Channel Indicators <br> - Business Machines <br> - Digital Instruments <br> - Automobiles <br> For further information see Application Notes 941 and 964 beginning on page 332 . | 180 |
|  | 5082-7611 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7613 | High Efficiency Red, Common Cathode, RHDP (10 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7616 | 7.11 mm (.29") High Efficiency Red, Universal Polarity Overflow Indicator RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7620 | Yellow, Common Anode LHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7621 | Yellow, Common Anode RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7623 | Yellow, Common Cathode, RHDP (10 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7626 | 7.11 mm (.29") Yellow, Universal Polarity and Overflow Indicator RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7630 | Green, Common Anode LHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7631 | Green, Common Anode RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
| $7.62 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.3^{\prime \prime}\right)$ <br> Dual-In-Line <br> .75"H x $.4^{\prime \prime}$ W x $.18^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{D}$ | 5082-7633 | Green, Common Cathode RHDP (10 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7636 | 7.11 mm (.29") Green, Universal Polarity and Overflow Indicator RH DP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7650 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, LHDP |  | 185 |
|  | 5082-7651 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7653 | High Efficiency Red, Common Cathode RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7656 | 10.36 (.4") High Efficiency Red Universal Polarity and Overflow Indicator RHDP |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{ccc} \hline+ & & + \\ + & & \Pi+ \\ + & 0 & + \\ + & \square & 0 \\ + & 0 & 0 \\ + & 0 & 0 \\ + & & \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 5082-7660 | Yellow Common Anode LHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7661 | Yellow Common Anode RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7663 | Yellow Common Cathode RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7666 | 10.36 (.4") Yellow Universal Polarity and Overflow Indicator RHDP |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 10.92 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.43^{\prime \prime}\right) \\ & \text { Dual-In-Line } \\ & .75^{\prime \prime H} \times .5^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W} \times .25^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{D} \\ & \text { (14 Pin Epoxy) } \end{aligned}$ | 5082-7670 | Green Common Anode LHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082.7671 | Green Common Anode RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7673 | Green Common Cathode RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7676 | 10.36 (.4") Green Universal Polarity and Overflow Indicator RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3530 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, LHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  | 190 |
|  | HDSP-3531 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3533 | High Efficiency Red, Common Cath ode RHDP (10 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3536 | 7.11 mm (.29") High Efficiency Red, Universal Polarity Overflow Indicator RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | HDSP-4030 | Yellow, Common Anode, LHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
| 7.62 mm (. $3^{\prime \prime}$ ) <br> Dual-In-Line <br> .75"H x $.4^{\prime \prime}$ W x .18 "D | HDSP-4031 | Yellow, Common Anode, RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-4033 | Yellow, Common Cathode, RHDP (10 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | HDSP-4036 | 7.11 mm (.29́) Yellow, Universal Polarity Overflow Indicator RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |

Red, High Efficiency Red, Yellow and Green Seven Segment LED Displays (Cont.)

| Package | Device | Description | Application | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | HDSP-3730 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, LHDP | General Purpose Market <br> - Test Equipment <br> - Digital Clocks <br> - Clock Radios <br> - TV Channel Indicators <br> - Business Machines <br> - Digital Instruments <br> - Automobiles <br> For further information see Application Notes 941 and 964 beginning on page 332. | 190 |
|  | HDSP-3731 | High Efficiency Red, Common Anode, RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3733 | High Efficiency Red, Common Cathode, RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3736 | $10.36 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.4^{\prime \prime}\right)$ High Efficiency Red, Universal Polarity Overflow Indicator RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-4130 | Yellow, Common Anode LHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-4131 | Yellow, Common Anode RHDP |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 10.92 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.43^{\prime \prime}\right) \\ & \text { Dual-In-Line } \\ & .75^{\prime \prime \mathrm{H}} \times .5^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W} \times .25 .{ }^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{D} \\ & \text { (14 Pin Epoxy) } \end{aligned}$ | HDSP-4133 | Yellow, Common Cathode RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-4136 | 10.36 mm (.4") Yellow, Universal Polarity Overflow Indicator RHDP |  |  |
| 7.62 mm (.3") <br> Dual-In-Line $\text { .75"H x .4"W x . } 18 \text { "D }$ | 5082-7730 | Red, Common Anode, LHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  | 196 |
|  | 5082-7731 | Red, Common Anode, RHDP (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7736 | $7.11 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right)$ Red, Common Anode, Polarity and Overflow Indicator (14 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7740 | Red, Common Cathode, RHDP (10 Pin Epoxy) |  |  |
|  | 5082-7750 | Red, Common Anode, LHDP |  | 200 |
|  | 5082-7751 | Red, Common Anode, RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7756 | 10.36 mm (. 4 ") Red, Universal Polarity and Overflow Indicator, RHDP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7760 | Red, Common Cathode, RHDP |  |  |
| $20.32 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.8^{\prime \prime}\right)$ <br> Dual-In-Line <br> $1.09{ }^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ x $.78^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ x $.33^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{D}$ <br> (18 Pin Epoxy) | HDSP-3400 | Red, Common Anode LHDP |  | 204 |
|  | HDSP-3401 | Red, Common Anode RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3403 | Red, Common Cathode RHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3405 | Red, Common Cathode LHDP |  |  |
|  | HDSP-3406 | 18.87mm (.74') Red, Universal Polarity Overflow Indicator RHDP |  |  |

Red Seven Segment LED Displays


## Integrated LED Displays

| Device |  | Description | Package | Application | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 5082-7300 | 7.4 mm (.29") $4 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, RHDP, Built-In Decover/Driver/Memory | 8 Pin Epoxy, $15.2 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.6^{\prime \prime}\right)$ DIP | General Purpose Market <br> - Test Equipment <br> - Business Machines <br> - Computer Peripherals <br> - Avionics <br> For further information ask for Application Note 934 on LED Display Installation Techniques | 232 |
|  | 5082-7302 | 7.4 mm (.29") $4 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, LHDP, Built-In Decover/Driver/Memory |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7340 | 7.4 mm (.29") $4 \times 7$ Single Digit Hexadecimal, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7304 | 7.4 mm (.29") Overrange Character Plus/Minus Sign |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7356 | 7.4 mm (.29") $4 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, RHDP, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory | 8 Pin Glass Ceramic $15.2 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.6^{\prime \prime}\right)$ DIP | - Medical Equipment <br> - Industrial and Process Control Equipment | 236 |
|  | 5082-7357 | $7.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right) 4 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, LHDP, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory |  | - Computers <br> - Where Ceramic Package IC's are required. |  |
|  | 5082-7359 | 7.4 mm (.29') $4 \times 7$ Single Digit Hexadecimal, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7358 | $7.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right)$ Overrange Character Plus/Minus Sign |  |  |  |

## Hermetically Sealed Integrated LED Displays



## Alphanumeric LED Displays

| Device |  | Description | Package | Application | Page <br> No. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Alphanumeric LED Displays (Cont.)

| Device |  | Description | Package | Application | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | HDSP-2001 | 3.7 mm (.15") $5 \times 7$ Four Character Alphanumeric Built-In Shift Register, Drivers | 12 Pin Ceramic 7.62 mm (.3") DIP Integral Untinted Glass Lens | - Programmable Calculators <br> - Computer Terminals <br> - Business Machines <br> - Medical Instruments <br> - Portable, Hand-held or mobile data entry, readout or communication <br> For further information see Application Notes 966 and 1001, starting on page 368. | 257 |
|  | HDSP-2010 |  | 12 Pin Ceramic 7.62 mm (. $3^{\prime \prime}$ ) DIP Integral Red Glass Contrast Filter. | - Extended temperature applications requiring high reliability. <br> - I/O Terminals <br> - Avionics | 261 |
| ARONl | HDSP-2416 | Single-Line 16 Character Display Panel Utilizing the HDSP-2000 Display | $\begin{aligned} & 162.56 \mathrm{~mm}\left(6.4^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{Lx} \\ & 58.42 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{Hx} \\ & 7.11 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.28^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ | - Data Entry Terminals <br> - Instrumentation <br> - Electronic Typewriters <br> For further information see Application Note 1001 beginning on page 398. | 265 |
|  | HDSP-2424 | Single-Line 24 Character Display Panel Utilizing the HDSP-2000 Display. |  |  |  |
|  | HDSP-2432 | Single-Line 32 Character Display Panel Utilizing the HDSP-2000 Display |  |  |  |
|  | HDSP-2440 | Single-Line 40 Character Display Panel Utilizing the HDSP-2000 Display | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 177.80mm (7.0") Lx } \\ & 58.42 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{H} \mathrm{x} \\ & 7.11 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.28^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | H DSP-2470 | HDSP-2000 Display Interface Incorporating a 64 Character ASCII Decoder | $\begin{aligned} & 171.22 \mathrm{~mm}\left(6.74^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{Lx} \\ & 58.42 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{Hx} \\ & 16.51 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.65^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | HDSP-2471 | HDSP-2000 Display Interface Incorporating a 128 Character ASCII Decoder |  |  |  |
|  | HDSP-2472 | H DSP-2000 Display Interface with out ASCII Decoder. Instead, a 24 Pin Socket is Provided to Accept a Custom 128 Character Set from a User Programmed 1 K x 8 PROM |  |  |  |
| $5$ | HDSP-630́0 | 3.56 mm (.14') Eighteen Segment Eight Character Alphanumeric | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \text { Pin } 15.2 \mathrm{~mm} \\ & \text { (. } 6^{\prime \prime} \text { ) DIP } \end{aligned}$ | - Computer Peripherals and Terminals <br> - Computer Base Emergency Mobile Units <br> - Automotive Instrument Panels <br> - Desk Top Calculators <br> - Hand-held Instruments <br> For further information ask for Application Note 931. | 277 |
|  | HDSP-6504 | 3.8mm (.15") Sixteen Segment Four Character Alph anumeric | 22 Pin 15.2 mm (. $6^{\prime \prime}$ ) DIP |  | 282 |
|  | HDSP-6508 | 3.8mm (.15") Sixteen Segment Eight Character Al phanumeric | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \text { Pin } 15.2 \mathrm{~mm} \\ & \text { (. } 6^{\prime \prime} \text { ) DIP } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |

Alphanumeric LED Displays (Cont.)

| Device |  | Description | Package | Application | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Page } \\ & \text { No. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | HDSP-8716 | Single-line 16 Character Alphanumeric Display System Utilizing the HDSP-6508 Display | $\begin{aligned} & 167.64 \mathrm{~mm}\left(6.6^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{L} \\ & \times 58.42 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{H} \\ & \times 33 \mathrm{~mm}\left(1.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ | - Data Entry Terminals <br> - Instrumentation <br> - Electronic Typewriters | 288 |
|  | HDSP-8724 | Single-line 24 Character Alphanumeric Display System Utilizing the HDSP-6508 Display |  |  |  |
|  | HDSP-8732 | Single-line 32 Character Alphanumeric Display System Utilizing the HDSP-6508 Display | $\begin{aligned} & 218.44 \mathrm{~mm}\left(8.6^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{L} \\ & \times 58.42 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{H} \\ & \times 33 \mathrm{~mm}\left(1.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | HDSP-8740 | Single-line 40 Character Alphanumeric Display System Utilizing the HDSP-6508 Display | $\begin{aligned} & 269.24 \mathrm{~mm}\left(10.6^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{L} \\ & \times 58.42 \mathrm{~mm}\left(2.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{H} \\ & \times 33 \mathrm{~mm}\left(1.3^{\prime \prime}\right) \mathrm{D} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | 5082-7100 | $7.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right) 5 \times 7$ Three Digit Alphanumeric | 22 Pin Hermetic <br> 15.2 mm (. $6^{\prime \prime}$ ) DIP | General Purpose Market <br> - Business Machines <br> - Calculators <br> - Solid State CRT <br> - High Reliability Applications <br> For further information ask for Application Note 931 on Alphanumeric Displays. | 300 |
|  | 5082-7101 | 7.4 mm (.29") 5x7 Four Digit Alphanumeric | 28 Pin Hermetic $15.2 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.6^{\prime \prime}\right)$ DIP |  |  |
|  | 5082-7102 | 7.4 mm (.29") $5 \times 7$ Five Digit Alphanumeric | 36 Pin Hermetic <br> $15.2 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.6^{\prime \prime}\right)$ DIP |  |  |

## Features

- COMPACT SIZE
- ChOICE OF 3 bRIGHT COLORS High Efficiency Red Yellow
Green
- LOW CURRENT OPERATION

As Low as 3mA per Segment
Designed for Multiplex Operation

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE

Evenly Lighted Segments
Wide Viewing Angle
Body Color Improves "Off" Segment Contrast

- EASY MOUNTING ON PC BOARD OR SOCKETS

Industry Standard 7.62 mm (. 3 in.) DIP Leads on 2.54mm (. 1 in .) Centers

- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY; YELLOW AND GREEN CATEGORIZED FOR COLOR

Use of Like Categories Yields a Uniform Display

- IC COMPATIBLE
- MECHANICALLY RUGGED



## Description

The 5082-7610, -7620 , and -7630 series are 7.62 mm (. 3 in.) High Efficiency Red, Yellow, and Green seven segment displays. These displays are designed for use in instruments, point of sale terminals, clocks, and appliances.

The -7610, and $\mathbf{- 7 6 2 0}$ series devices utilize high efficiency LED chips which are made from GaAsP on a transparent GaP substrate.

The -7630 series devices utilize chips made from GaP on a transparent GaP substrate.

## Devices

| Part No. 5082- | Color | Description | Package <br> Drawing |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| -7610 | High Efficiency Red | Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | A |
| -7611 | High Efficiency Red | Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| -7613 | High Efficiency Red | Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | C |
| -7616 | High Efficiency Red | Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal |  |
| -7620 | Yellow | Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | D |
| -7621 | Yellow | Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | A |
| -7623 | Yellow | Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal |  |
| -7626 | Yellow | Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | C |
| -7630 | Green | Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | A |
| -7631 | Green | Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| -7633 | Green | C |  |
| -7636 | Green |  | Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal |

[^5]Package Dimensions


A,B,C


D



Internal Circuit Diagram


A


B


C


D

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

 [1.59mm (1/16 inch) below seating plane ${ }^{(4)}$ ]

Notes: 1. See power derating curve (Fig. 2). 2. Derate DC current from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per segment. 3. See Fig. 1 to establish pulsed operating conditions. 4. Clean only in water, isopropanol, ethanol, Freon TF or TE (or equivalent) and Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15 (or equivalent).

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED 5082-7610/-7611/-7613/-7616

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment ${ }^{(5,8)}$ | IN | $5 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{D.C}$. | 70 | 250 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | $20 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{D.C}$. |  | 1430 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| (Digit Average) |  | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk}: 1$ of 6 Duty Factor |  | 810 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  | 635 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(6)}$ | $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ |  |  | 626 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or D.P. | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.7 | $\cdots$ |  |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.0 | 2.5 | v |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=60 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.8 |  |  |
| Reverse Current/Segment or D.P. | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Response Time ${ }^{(8)}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{t},} \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{f}}$ |  |  | 90 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} /$ Segment or D.P. | $\Delta V_{\mathrm{F}} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | -2.0 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | R $\boldsymbol{J J J M I N}^{\text {P/ }}$ |  |  | 282 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Seg |

YELLOW 5082-7620/-7621/-7623/-7626

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment ${ }^{(5,8)}$ (Digit Average) | 1. | $5 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{D.C}$. | 90 | 200 |  | $\mu \mathrm{Cd}$ |
|  |  | $20 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{D.C}$. |  | 1200 | . | $\mu \mathrm{Cd}$. |
|  |  | $60 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{Pk:} 1$ of 6 Duty Factor |  | 740 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  | 583 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{6,7 \%}$ | $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ |  |  | 585 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or D.P. | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.8 |  | V. |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.2 | 2.5 |  |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=60 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 3.1 | : |  |
| Reverse Current/Segment or D.P. | $I_{k}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Response Time ${ }^{\text {:81 }}$ | $t_{\text {r }}, t_{1}$ |  |  | 90 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of $\mathrm{V}_{\text {F }} /$ Segment or D.P. | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | -2.0 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | RoJ-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ & \mathrm{Seg} \end{aligned}$ |

GREEN 5082-7630/-7631/-7633/-7636

| Parameter : | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment <br> (Digit Average) | $\therefore 1$ | $10 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{D.C}$. | 150 | 300 | 边 | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 20 mA D.C. |  | 765 | . | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 60 mA Pk: 1 of 6 Duty Factor | 3. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 540 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  | 565 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{16,71}$ | $\lambda_{d}$ |  |  | 572 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or D.P. | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.9 |  | V " |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.2 | 2.5 |  |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{H}}=60 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.9 |  |  |
| Reverse Current/Segment or D.P. | IF | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | ${ }_{\mu} \mathbf{A}$ |
| Response Time ${ }^{(8)}$ | $t_{\text {c }} t_{\text {t }}$ | $\cdots$ | \% | 90 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} /$ Segment or D.P. | $\triangle \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | -2.0 |  | mV/\% |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin * | $\mathrm{R} \theta_{1}$-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | $\begin{gathered} { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ \mathrm{Seg} \end{gathered}$ |

NOTES: 5. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package. 6. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the C.I.E. Chromaticity Diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
7. The 5082-7620/-7630 series yellow/green displays are categorized as to dominant wavelength with the category designated by a number adjacent to the intensity category letter.
8. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.


Figure 1. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current and DC Power Dissipation per Segment as a Function of Ambient Temperature.


Figure 4. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage Characteristic.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current.


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## ELECTRICAL

The 5082-7600 series of display products are arrays of eight light emitting diodes which are optically magnified to form seven individual segments plus a decimal point.

The diodes in these displays utilize a Gallium Arsenide Phosphide junction on a Gallium Phosphide substrate to produce high efficiency red and yellow emission spectra and a Gallium Phosphide junction for the green.

These display devices are designed for strobed operation. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design and
maximum power dissipation may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ models.

$$
\begin{gathered}
V_{F}=1.75 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(38 \Omega) \\
\text { For IPEAK } \geq 20 \mathrm{~mA} \\
V_{F}=1.60 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IDC}(45 \Omega)
\end{gathered}
$$

For $5 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \mathrm{IDC} \leq 20 \mathrm{~mA}$
All of the colored display products should be used in conjunction with contrast enhancing filters. Some suggested contrast filters: for red displays, Panelgraphic Scarlet Red 65 or Homalite 1670; for yellow displays, Panelgraphic Yellow 27 or Homalite (100-1720, 100-1726); for green, Panelgraphic Green 48 or Homalite (100-1440, 100-1425). Another excellent contrast enhancement material for all colors is the 3 M light control film.

## Features

- LARGE DIGIT

Viewing up to 6 meters ( 19.7 feet)

- CHOICE OF 3 BRIGHT COLORS

High Efficiency Red
Yellow
Green

- LOW CURRENT OPERATION

As Low as 3mA per Segment Designed for Multiplex Operation

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE

Evenly Lighted Segments
Wide Viewing Angle
Body Color Improves "Off" Segment Contrast

- EASY MOUNTING ON PC BOARD OR SOCKETS

Industry Standard 7.62mm (.3") DIP Leads on 2.54 mm (.1") Centers

- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY; YELLOW AND GREEN CATEGORIZED FOR COLOR


## Use of Like Categories Yields a Uniform Display

- IC COMPATIBLE
- MECHANICALLY RUGGED



## Description

The 5082-7650, -7660 , and -7670 series are large $10.92 \mathrm{~mm}(.43$ in.) Red, Yellow, and Green seven segment displays. These displays are designed for use in instruments, point of sale terminals, clocks, and appliances.
The -7650 and -7660 series devices utilize high efficiency LED chips which are made from GaAsP on a transparent GaP substrate.
The -7670 series devices utilize chips made from. GaP on a transparent GaP substrate.

## Devices

| Part No. 5082- | Color | Dencription | Package Drawing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| -7650 | High Efficiency Red | Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | A |
| -7651 | High Efficiency Red | Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| -7653 | High Efficiency Red | Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | C |
| -7656 | High Efficiency Red | Universal Overflow 41 Right Hand Decimal | D |
| -7660 | Yellow | Common Anode Left Hand Decinal | A |
| -7661 | Yellow | Comon Anode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| -7663 | Yellow | Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | $\bigcirc$ |
| -7666 | Yellow | Universal Overtlow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal | D |
| -7670 | Green | Common Anode Left Hand Decimal . | A |
| -7671 | Green | Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| -7673 | Green | Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | $\bigcirc C$ |
| -7676 | Green | Universal Overflow 41 Right tand Decimal | D |

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## Package Dimensions




B,C
FRONT VIEW

note ${ }^{14]}$

D


END VIEW


NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimeters and (inches).
2. All untoleranced dimensions are for reference only.
3. Redundant anodes.
4. Unused dp position
5. See Internal Circuit Diagram.
6. Redundant cathode.

## Internal Circuit Diagram



## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Average Power Dissipation Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{[1]}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) Operating Temperature Range | $\begin{array}{lr}  & 81 \mathrm{~mW} \\ -40^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \text { to }+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature Range | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Peak Forward Current Per Segment or D. $P^{(3)}$ ( $\mathrm{T}_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | 60 mA |
| DC Forward Current Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{(1,2)}$ ( $\mathrm{TA}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | 20 mA |
| Reverse Voltage Per Segment or D.P. | 6.0V |
| Lead Soldering Temperature | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 Sec |

Average Power Dissipation Per Segment or D.P. $\left.{ }^{[1]}\left(T_{A}\right)=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \ldots \ldots . . \quad 81 \mathrm{~mW}$
Operating Temperature Range ........................................ $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature Range ......................................... $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Peak Forward Current Per Segment or D.P ${ }^{(3)}\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$

Reverse Voltage Per Segment or D.P. . ...................................................... 6. . . .
Lead Soldering Temperature
[1.59mm (1/16 inch) below seating plane ${ }^{(4)}$ ]

Notes: 1. See power derating curve (Fig.2). 2. Derate average current from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.4 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per segment. 3. See Maximum Tolerable Segment Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration curve, (Fig. 1). 4. Clean only in water, isopropanol, ethanol, Freon TF or TE (or equivalent) and Genesolv $\mathrm{DI}-15$ or DE-15 (or equivalent).

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED 5082-7650/-7651/-7653/-7656

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment ${ }^{\text {IS }}$ <br> (Digit Average) | Iv | 5 mAD D.C. | 135 | 300 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 20 mAD D. |  | 1720 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 60mAPk 1 of 6 Duty Factor |  | 970 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | 人pEAK |  |  | 635 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength [6] . | $\mathrm{Ad}_{\text {d }}$ |  |  | 626 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or D.P. | $V_{e}$ | $A_{8}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.7 |  | V |
|  |  | 18-20mA |  | 2.0 | 2.5 |  |
|  |  | $L_{5}=60 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.8 |  |  |
| Reverse Current/segment or $\mathbf{0}$. P | 1/2 | $V_{R}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Response Time ${ }^{\text {dra }}$ |  | \% |  | 90 |  | ns |
| Temperature coeticient of $V_{\text {P }}$ Segment or D P | AVE ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | -2.0 |  | mV/ |
| Thermal Resistance LED JUMction-to-Pin | ROSSPIN |  |  | 282 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{CH} / \mathrm{I} / \\ & \mathrm{Seg} \end{aligned}$ |

## YELLOW 5082-7660/-7661/-7663/-7666

| Perameter wow | Symbol | Test Condlion | Min: | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Thtensify/Segment <br> (Digit Average) | $\mathrm{H}^{2}$ | $5 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{D.C}$. | 100 | 250 | ", | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | $20 \mathrm{mADD.C}$. | - ${ }^{2}$ | 1500 |  | ucd |
|  |  | 60mA Pk 1 of 6 Duty Factor |  | 925 |  | HCO |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {Peak }}$ |  |  | 583 |  | nm |
|  | $\lambda_{d}$ |  |  | 585 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment orD. | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.8 |  | V |
|  |  | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.2 | 2.5 |  |
|  |  | $1 \mathrm{~F}=60 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 3.1 |  |  |
| Reverse Current/Segment or DP | $1{ }_{8}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  |  | A |
| Response Time ${ }^{180}$ | $t_{1}, t$ |  | \% | 90 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of Ve/segment or DP | $V_{F}+0$ |  |  | -20 |  | mV/ ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-pin | ROJ-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{CW} / \\ & \mathrm{Seg} \end{aligned}$ |

GREEN 5082-7670/-7671/-7673/-7676

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condtion | Min: | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous intensity/Segment ${ }^{51}$ <br> (Digit Average) | I. | $10 \mathrm{mAD} . \mathrm{C}$. | 125 | 250 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 20 mA D.C. |  | 640 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 60mA Pk: 1 of 6 Duty Factor |  | 450 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  | 565 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{[67}$, | ${ }^{-} \lambda_{\text {d }}$ |  |  | 572 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or D.P | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | $I_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}^{2}$ |  | 1.9 |  | V |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.2 | 2.5 |  |
|  |  | $I_{F}=60 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.9 |  |  |
| Reverse Current/Segment or D.R. | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Pesponse Time ${ }^{\text {P1/w}}$, ${ }^{\text {a }}$, | $t_{1}, t_{f}$ |  |  | 90 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of V/FSegment or D.P: | $\triangle V_{F} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | -2.0 |  | $m V /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | R $\theta$ J-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ & \mathrm{Seg} \end{aligned}$ |

## NOTES

5. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package.
6. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the C.I.E. Chromaticity Diagram and is the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
7. The 5082-7660/-7670 series yellow/green displays are categorized as to dominant wavelength with the category designated by a number adjacent to the intensity category letter.
8. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.


Figure 1. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs, Pulse Duration.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current per Segment vs. Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowed
Thermal Resistance Values, LED
Junction-to-Ambient on a per Segment
Basis. TJMAX $=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

$V_{F}$-FORWARD VOLTAGE - V

Figure 4. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage Characteristic.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current.


IF - SEGMENT DC CURRENT - mA
Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## ELECTRICAL

The 5082-7600 series of display products are arrays of eight light emitting diodes which are optically magnified to form seven individual segments plus a decimal point. The diodes in these displays utilize a Gallium Arsenide Phosphide junction on a Gallium Phosphide substrate to produce high efficiency red and yellow emission spectra and a Gallium Phosphide junction for the green.
These display devices are designed for strobed operation. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design and maximum power dissipation may be calculated using the
following $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ models:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V_{F}=1.75 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(38 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } 1 \text { PEAK } \geq 20 \mathrm{~mA} \\
& V_{F}=1.60 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IDC}(45 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } 5 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \operatorname{IDC} \leq 20 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

All of the colored display products should be used in conjunction with contrast enhancing filters. Some suggested contrast filters: for red displays, Panelgraphic Scarlet Red 65 or Homalite 1670; for yellow displays, Panelgraphic Amber 23 or Homalite (100-1720, 100-1726); for green, Panelgraphic Green 48 or Homalite (100-1440, 100-1425). Another excellent contrast enhancement material for all colors is the 3 M light control film.

# $7.6 / 10.9 \mathrm{~mm}$ ( $0.3 / 0.43$ INCH) SEVEN SEGMENT DISPLAYS FOR HIGH LIGHT AMBIENT CONDITIONS HIGH EFFICIENCY RED -HDSP-3530/3730 SERIES YELLOW-HDSP-4030/4130 SERIES 

## Features

- HIGH LIGHT OUTPUT

Typically $2300 \mu \mathrm{~cd} /$ Segment at 100 mA Peak, 20 mA Average
Designed for Multiplex Operation

- CHOICE OF TWO COLORS

High Efficiency Red
Yellow

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE

Evenly Lighted Segments
Wide Viewing Angle
Gray Body Color for Optimum Contrast

- EASY MOUNTING ON PC BOARD OR SOCKETS Industry Standard 7.62 mm ( 0.3 in .) DIP Leads on 2.54 mm ( 0.1 in .) Centers
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY; YELLOW CATEGORIZED FOR COLOR
Use of Like Categories Yields a Uniform Display
- IC COMPATIBLE
- MECHANICALLY RUGGED


## Devices



## Description

The HDSP-3530/4030 and -3730/4130 series are 7.62/ 10.92 mm ( $0.3 / 0.43 \mathrm{in}$.) high efficiency red and yellow displays designed for use in high light ambient conditions. These displays are designed for use in instruments, airplane cockpits, weighing scales, and point of sale terminals.

The HDSP-3530/4030 and $-3730 / 4130$ series devices utilize high efficiency LED chips, which are made from GaAsP on a transparent GaP substrate. The active junction area is larger than that used in the 50827610/7620/7650/7660 series to permit higher peak currents.

| Part No. HDSP. | Color | Description | Package Drawing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3530 | High Efficiency Red | 7.6 mm Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | A |
| 3531 | High Efficiency Red | 7.6 mm Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| 3533 | High Efficiency Red | 7.6 mm Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | C |
| 3536 | High Efficiency Red | 7.6 mm Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal | D |
| 4030 | Yellow | 7.6 mm Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | A |
| 4031 | Yellow | 7.6 mm Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | B |
| 4033 | Yellow | 7.6 mm Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | C |
| 4036 | Yellow | 7.6 mm Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal | D |
| 3730 | High Efficiency Red | 10.9 mm Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | E |
| 3731 | High Efficiency Red | 10.9 mm Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | F |
| 3733 | High Efficiency Red | 10.9 mm Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | G |
| 3736 | High Efficiency Red | 10.9 mm Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal | H |
| 4130 | Yellow | 10.9 mm Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | E |
| 4131 | Yellow | 10.9 mm Common Anode Right Hand Decimal | F |
| 4133 | Yellow | 10.9 mm Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | G |
| 4136 | Yellow | 10.9 mm Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal | H |

Note: Universal pinout brings the anode and cathode of each segment's LED out to separate pins. See internal diagrams D and H.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings (All Products)

| Average Power Dissipation Per Segment or DP (TA $=50$ | ...... 85 mW |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operating Temperature Range | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature Range | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Peak Forward Current Per Segment or $\mathrm{DP}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{(2)}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .120 \mathrm{~mA} \\ \text { (Pulse Width }=1.25 \mathrm{~ms} \text { ) } \end{array}$ |
| DC Forward Current Per Segment or $\mathrm{DP}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)^{(1)}$ | 30 mA |
| Reverse Voltage Per Segment or DP | 6.0 V |
| Lead Soldering Temperature (1.6mm [1/16 inch] below seating plane) | $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 Seconds |

Notes: 1. Derate maximum DC current above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at 0.51 $\mathrm{mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per segment, see Figure 2. 2. See Figure 1 to establish pulsed operating conditions.

## Package Dimensions (HDSP-3530/4030 Series)

|  | FUNCTION |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PIN | $\begin{gathered} A \\ .3530 / 4030 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ .3531 / .4031 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} C \\ .3533 / .4033 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} D \\ -3536 /-4036 \end{gathered}$ |
| 1 | CATHODE-A | CATHODE-a | CATHODE[6] | ANODE-d |
| 2 | CATHODE | CATHODE 4 | ANODEA | NO PIN |
| 3 | ANODE(3) | ANODE(3) | ANODEg | CATHODE-d |
| 4 | NO PIN | NO PIN | ANODE | CATHODE-C |
| 5 | NO PIN | NO PIN | ANODE-d | CATHODE |
| 6 | CATHODE-dp | NO CONN, 51 | CATHODEI6] | ANODE- |
| 7 | CATHODE-e | CATHODE- | ANODE-dp | ANODE-c |
| $B$ | CATHODE.d | CATHODE-d | ANODE-c | ANODE dp |
| 9 | NO CONN, ${ }^{\text {[ }}$ | CATHODE-dp | ANODE-b | NO PIN |
| 10 | CATHODE-C | CATHODE-C | ANODE-a | CATHUUE-dp |
| 11 | CATHODE-g | CATHODE-g |  | CATHODE-b |
| 12 | NO PIN | NO PIN |  | CATHODE: |
| 13 | CATHODE-b | CATHODE-b |  | ANODE:a |
| 14 | ANODEI31 | ANODE ${ }^{\text {3] }}$ |  | ANODE-b |



NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimeters and (inches).
2. All untoleranced dimensions are
for reference only
3. Redundant anodes.
4. Unused dp position.
5. See Internal Circuit Diagram
6. Redundant cathode.
7. See part number table for L.H.D.P. and R.H.D.P. designation
8. For HDSP-4030 series product only


A,B,C,D END

## Internal Circuit Diagram (HDSP-3530/4030 Series)





E, F, G, H END VIEW


E, F, G, H SIDE VIEW

|  | FUNCTION |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PIN | $\underset{.3730 / 4130}{E}$ | $\begin{gathered} F \\ .3731 /-4131 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} G \\ -3733 / 4133 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} H \\ -3736 / .4136 \end{gathered}$ |
| 1 | CATHODE-a | CATHODE:a | ANODE-a | CATHODE d |
| 2 | CATHODE-f | CATHODE. | ANODE | ANODE-d |
| 3 | ANODEI3 | ANODE 3 3. | CATHODE 6 ) | NO PIN |
| 4 | NO PIN | NO PIN | NO PIN | CATHODE-C |
| 5 | NOP PIN | NO PIN | NO PIN | CATHODE |
| 6 | CATHODE.dp | NO CONN. ${ }^{51}$ | NO CONN, 15: | ANODEE |
| 7 | CATHODE-e | CATHODE* | ANODEE | ANODE C |
| 8 | CATHODE-d | CATHODE-d | ANODE d | ANODE-dp |
| 9 | NO CONN. [5] | CATHODE dp | ANODE-dp | CATHODE-dp |
| 10 | CATHODE-C | CATHODE | ANODE-C | CATHODE.b |
| 11 | CATHODE-g | CATHODE.g | ANODE. 9 | CATHODE-a |
| 12 | NO PIN | NO PIN | NO PIN | NO PIN |
| 13 | CATHODE-b | CATHODES | ANODE-b | ANODE: |
| 14 | ANODE(3) | ANODE [3] | CATHOOEI6! | ANODE-b |

## NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimeters and (inches).
2. All untoleranced dimensions are for
reference only.
3. Redundant anodes.
4. Unused dp position.
5. See Internal Circuit Diagram
6. Redundant cathode.
7. For HDSP- 4130 series product only.

## Internal Circuit Diagram (HDSP-3730/4130 Series)



E


F


G


H

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

HIGH EFFICIENCY RED HDSP-3530/-3531/-3533/-3536/-3730/-3731/-3733/-3736

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment ${ }^{(3)}$ |  | 100 mA Pk: 1 of 5 Duty Factor | 1000 | 2300 | \% | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| (Digit Average) |  | 20 mADC |  | 1800 | - 3 | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | XPEAK |  | \% | 635 | \% | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(4)}$ | $\lambda d$ |  | \% | 626 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or DPP. | VF\% | $1 \mathrm{~F}-100 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 2\% | 255 | 3.3 | $V$ |
| Reverse Current/Segment or D.P. | In | $V_{\text {A }}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ | +2\% | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Response Time, Rise and FaH ${ }^{(6)}$ | $\mathrm{trect}^{\text {t }}$ |  |  | 300 | \% | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of $V_{F / S} /$ Segment or D.P. | $\Delta V_{F}{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $I F F=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ | \% | -111 | \%, | $\mathrm{mv} / 0 \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermat Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | POJ-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Seg |

YELLOW HDSP-4030/-4031/-4033/-4036/-4130/-4131/-4133/-4136

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous intensity/Segment ${ }^{(3)}$ <br> (Digit Average) |  | 100 mA Pk: 1 of 5 Duty Factor | 1000 | 2700 | $\because$ | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | $\because 20 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{DC}$ |  | 2100 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | 入PEAK | \%" |  | 583 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(4,5)}$ | Ad | , | ** | 585 |  | nm. |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or D.P. | $V_{F}$ | $1 \mathrm{~F}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 2.6 | 3.3 | V |
| Reverse Current/Segment or D.P. | In | $\therefore V_{R}=6 \mathrm{~V}$. |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Response Time, Rise and Fall ${ }^{(6)}$ | t, tf | . . . |  | 200 |  | ns. |
| Temperature Coefficient of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} /$ Segment or D.P. | $\triangle V_{F} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $\mathrm{J}_{\mathrm{F}}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | -1.1. |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | ROJ-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Seg Seg |

NOTES:
3. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package.
4. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
5. The HDSP-4030/-4130 series yellow displays are categorized as to dominant wavelength with the category designated by a number adjacent to the intensity category letter.
6. The rise and fall times are for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity to a step change in current.

## ELECTRICAL

The HDSP-3530/3730/4030/4130 series of display devices are composed of eight light emitting diodes, with the light from each LED optically stretched to form individual segments and a decimal point. The LEDs have a large area P-N junction diffused into a GaAsP epitaxial layer on a GaP transparent substrate.

These display devices are designed for strobed operation at high peak currents. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the
current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design and maximum power dissipation may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ models:
$V_{F}=2.15 V+\operatorname{IPEAK}(11.5 \Omega)$
For IPEAK $\geq 30 \mathrm{~mA}$
$V_{F}=1.9 V+\operatorname{lDC}(19.8 \Omega)$
For $10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \mathrm{IDC} \leq 30 \mathrm{~mA}$

Temperature derated strobed operating conditions are obtained from Figures 1 and 2. Figure 1 relates pulse duration ( $t_{p}$ ), refresh rate ( $f$ ), and the ratio of maximum peak current to maximum dc current (IpEAK MAX/IDC MAX). Figure 2 presents the maximum allowed dc current vs. ambient temperature. To most effectively use Figures 1 and 2, perform the following steps:

1. Determine desired duty factor, DF.

Example: Five digits, DF $=1 / 5$
2. Determine desired refresh rate, f. Use duty factor to calculate pulse duration, $t_{p}$. Note: $D F=f \cdot t_{p}$.
Example: $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{kHz}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{p}}=200 \mu \mathrm{~s}$
3. Enter Figure 1 at the calculated $t_{p}$. Move vertically to the refresh rate line and record the corresponding value of IPEAK MAX/IDC MAX.
Example: At $t_{p}=200 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ and $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{kHz}$, IPEAK MAX/IDC MAX $=4.0$
4. From Figure 2, determine IDC MAX. Note: IDC MAX is derated above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Example: At $T_{A}=60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, IDC $M A X=25 \mathrm{~mA}$
5. Calculate Ipeak MAX from Ipeak MAX/Idc MAX ratio and calculate I IAVg from Ipeak MAX and DF.
Example: IPEAK MAX $=(4.0)(25 \mathrm{~mA})=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ peak. IAVG $=(1 / 5)(100 \mathrm{~mA})=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ average.

The above calculations determine the maximum allowed strobing conditions. Operation at a reduced peak current and/or pulse width may be desirable to adjust display light output to match ambient light level or to reduce power dissipation to insure even more reliable operation.
Refresh rates of 1 kHz or faster provide the most efficient operation resulting in the maximum possible time average luminous intensity.
The time average luminous intensity may be calculated using the relative efficiency characteristic of Figure 3, $\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}$, and adjusted for operating ambient temperature. The time average luminous intensity at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ is calculated as follows:

IV time avg $=\left[\frac{l_{\text {IVG }}}{20 \mathrm{~mA}}\right]\left[\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}\right][$ IV DATA SHEET $]$
Example: For HDSP-4030 series
$\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}=1.00$ at $\mathrm{IPEAK}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$
IV time AVG $=\left[\frac{20 \mathrm{~mA}}{20 \mathrm{~mA}}\right][1.00][2.7 \mathrm{mcd}]=\begin{gathered}2.7 \mathrm{mcd} / \\ \text { segment }\end{gathered}$
The time average luminous intensity may be adjusted for operating ambient temperature by the following exponential equation:
$\operatorname{lv}\left(T_{A}\right)=\operatorname{lv}\left(25^{\circ} C\right) e^{\left[K\left(T_{A}-25^{\circ} C\right)\right]}$

| Device | K |
| :---: | :---: |
| $-3530 / 3730$ Series | $-0.0131 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $-4030 / 4130$ Series | $-0.0112 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

Example: Iv $\left(70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(2.7 \mathrm{mcd}) \mathrm{e}^{[-0.0112(70-25)]}=1.63 \mathrm{mcd} /$ segment

## MECHANICAL

These devices are constructed utilizing a lead frame in a standard DIP package. The LED dice are attached directly to the lead frame. Therefore, the cathode leads are the direct thermal and mechanical stress paths to the LED dice. The absolute maximum allowed junction temperature, $T_{J} M A X$, is $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The maximum power ratings have been established so that the worst case $V_{F}$ device does not exceed this limit. For most reliable operation, it is recommended that the device pin-to-ambient thermal resistance through the PC board be less than $320^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ per segment. This will then establish a maximum thermal resistance LED junction-to-ambient of $602^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ per segment.

These display devices may be operated in ambient temperatures above $+50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ without derating when installed in a PC board configuration that provides a thermal resistance to ambient value less than $602^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment. See Figure 6 to determine the maximum allowed thermal resistance for the PC board, $\mathrm{R}_{\theta_{P C-A}}$, which will permit nonderated operation in a given ambient temperature.

To optimize device optical performance, specially developed plastics are used which restrict the solvents that may be used for cleaning. It is recommended that only mixtures of Freon (F113) and alcohol be used for vapor cleaning processes, with an immersion time in the vapors of less than two (2) minutes maximum. Some suggested vapor cleaning solvents are Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15, Arklone A or K. A $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(140^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$ water cleaning process may also be used, which includes a neutralizer rinse (3\% ammonia solution or equivalent), a surfactant rinse ( $1 \%$ detergent solution or equivalent), a hot water rinse and a thorough air dry. Room temperature cleaning may be accomplished with Freon T-E35 or T-P35, Ethanol, Isopropanol or water with a mild detergent.

## CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

The objective of contrast enhancement is to provide good display readability in the end use ambient light. The concept is to employ chrominance contrast techniques to enhance readability by having the OFF-segments blend into the display background and have the ON-segments stand out vividly against this same background. Therefore,
these display devices are assembled with a gray package and untinted encapsulating epoxy in the segments.

Contrast enhancement in bright ambients may be achieved by using a neutral density gray filter such as Panelgraphic Chromafilter Gray 10. Additional contrast enhancement may be achieved by using the neutral density 3M Light Control Film (louvered filter).


Figure 1. Maximum Allowable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current per Segment vs. Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowable Thermal Resistance Values, LED Junction-to-Ambient on a per Segment Basis. $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}} \mathrm{MAX}-100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure 3. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current.


Figure 4. Peak Forward Segment Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage.


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## Features

- 5082-7730

Common Anode Left Hand D.P.

- 5082-7731

Common Anode
Right Hand D.P.

- 5082-7736

Polarity and Overflow Indicator
Universal Pinout
Right Hand D.P.

- 5082-7740

Common Cathode
Right Hand D.P.

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE

Continuous Uniform Segments
Wide Viewing Angle
High Contrast

- IC COMPATIBLE
1.6V dc per Segment
- STANDARD 0.3" DIP LEAD CONFIGURATION PC Board or Standard Socket Mountable
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY

Assures Uniformity of Light Output from Unit to Unit within a Single Category


## Description

The HP 5082-7730/7740 series devices are common anode LED displays. The series includes a left hand and a right hand decimal point numeric display as well as a polarity and overflow indicator. The large 7.62 mm ( 0.3 in .) high character size generates a bright, continuously uniform seven segment display. Designed for viewing distances of up to 3 meters ( 9.9 feet), these single digit displays provide a high contrast ratio and a wide viewing angle.
The 5082-7730 series devices utilize a standard 7.62 mm ( 0.3 in .) dual-in-line package configuration that permits mounting on PC boards or in standard IC sockets. Requiring a low forward voltage, these displays are inherently IC compatible, allowing for easy integration into electronic instrumentation, point of sale terminals, TVs, radios, and digital clocks.

## Devices



[^7]
## Package Dimensions



## Internal Circuit Diagram



A


B


C


D

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Average Power Dissipation Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{(1)}\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \ldots \ldots . . \ldots . .65 \mathrm{~mW}$
Operating Temperature Range ........................................... $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature Range .......................................... $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Peak Forward Current Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{(3)}\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 150mA
Average Forward Current Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{(1,2)}\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \ldots . . . . . . . .$. . . 25mA
Reverse Voltage Per Segment or D.P. ................................................... . . . . . . . .
Lead Soldering Temperature ........................................... $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 Sec
[ 1.59 mm ( $1 / 16$ inch) below seating plane ${ }^{(4)}$ ]

Notes: 1. See power derating curve (Fig.2). 2. Derate DC current from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.43 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per segment. 3. See Fig. 1 to establish pulsed operating conditions. 4. Clean only in water, isopropanol, ethanol, Freon TF or TE (or equivalent) and Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15 (or equivalent).

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Description $\quad 0$, | Symbol | - Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max* | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lúminous Intensity/Segment ${ }^{(2)}$ <br> (Digit Average) | IV | $I_{\text {PEAK }}=100 \mathrm{~mA}$ 10\% Duty Cycle |  | 200 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 100 | 350 |  |  |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PPEAK }}$ |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(2)}$ | $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ |  |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage, any Segment or D.P. | VF\%. | $1 \mathrm{~F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V |
| Reverse Current, any Segment or D.P | $\mathrm{TR}^{\text {\% }}$ | $V_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Rise and Fall Time ${ }^{(3)}$ | $t_{r}, t_{0}$ |  |  | 10 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\triangle \mathrm{VFF}^{\prime} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | -2.0 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | Roj-PiN |  |  | 282 |  | $\mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ $\mathrm{Seg}$ |

Notes:

1. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package. 2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE Chromaticity Diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
2. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.

## ELECTRICAL

The HDSP-7730/7740 series of display devices are composed of eight light emitting diodes, with the light from each LED optically stretched to form individual segments and a decimal point. The LEDs have the P-N junction diffused into a GaAsP epitaxial layer on a GaAs substrate.
These display devices are designed for strobed operation at high peak currents. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose
of driver circuit design may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ model:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V_{F}=1.55 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(7 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } 5 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \operatorname{IPEAK} \leq 150 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

## CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

The 5082-7730/7740 series display may be effectively filtered using one of the following filter products: Homalite H100-1605: H 100-1804 (purple); Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60: Dark Red 63: Purple 90; Plexiglas 2423; 3M Brand Light Control Film for daylight viewing.


Figure 1. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current Dissipation per Segment as a Function of Ambient Temperature.


Figure 4. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage.


Figure 3. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current per Segment.


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## Features

- 5082-7750

Common Anode
Left Hand D.P.

- 5082-7751

Common Anode
Right Hand D.P.

- 5082-7756

Polarity and Overflow Indicator
Universal Pinout
Right Hand D.P.

- 5082-7760

Common Cathode
Right Hand D.P.

- LARGE DIGIT

Viewing Up to 6 Meters (19.7 Feet)

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE

Continuous Uniform Segments
Wide Viewing Angle
High Contrast

- IC COMPATIBLE
- STANDARD 7.62mm (. 3 in.) DIP

LEAD CONFIGURATION
PC Board or Standard Socket Mountable

- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY

Assures Uniformity of Light Output from Unit to Unit within a Single Category

## Description

The 5082-7750/7760 series are large 10.92 mm (. 43 in .) GaAsP LED seven segment displays. Designed for viewing distances up to 6 meters ( 19.7 feet), these single digit displays provide a high contrast ratio and a wide viewing angle.
These devices utilize a standard 7.62 mm (. 3 in .) dual-inline package configuration that permits mounting on PC boards or in standard IC sockets. Requiring a low forward voltage, these displays are inherently IC compatible, allowing for easy integration into electronic instrumentation, point of sale terminals, TVs, radios, and digital clocks.

## Devices

| Part No. 5082- | Description | Package Drawing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| -7750 | Common Anode Left Hand Decimal | A |
| -7751 | Common Anode Right Hand Decimal |  |
| -7756 | Universal Overflow $\pm 1$ Right Hand Decimal | B |
| -7760 | Common Cathode Right Hand Decimal | C |

[^8]
## Package Dimensions



A


B,D
FRONT VIEW

## NOTES:

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \& \multicolumn{4}{|c|}{FUnCTION} <br>
\hline PIN \& A

$\square 7750$ \& \[
$$
\begin{gathered}
B \\
.7751
\end{gathered}
$$

\] \& \[

\stackrel{\mathrm{c}}{7756}
\] \& D <br>

\hline 1 \& CATHODE-3 \& CATHODE-A \& CATMODE.d \& ANODE- <br>
\hline 2 \& CATHODEA \& CATHODE-f \& AMODE-d \& ANODE + <br>
\hline 3 \& ANODE 3 [ \& ANODE[3] \& NO PIN \& CATHODE $\{6\}$ <br>
\hline 4. \& NO PIN \& NO PIN \& CATHODE $\times$ \& NO PIN <br>
\hline 5 \& NO PIN \& NOP PIN \& CATHODE \& NO PIN <br>
\hline 6 \& CATHODEdp \& NO CONN. 51 \& ANODE - \& NO CONN, [5] <br>
\hline 7 \& CATHODE \& CATHODE-E \& ANODE- $\%$ \& ANODE E <br>
\hline 8 \& CATHODE d \& CATHODE d \& ANODE-dp \& ANODE.d <br>
\hline 9 \& NO CONN. ${ }^{61}$ \& CATHODE-dp \& CATHODE-dp \& ANODE-d\% <br>
\hline 10 \& CATHODE E \& CATHODE-C \& CATHODE-b \& ANODE C <br>
\hline 11. \& CATHODEG \& CATHODE-g, \& CATHODE-a \& ANODES <br>
\hline 12 \& NO PIN \& NO PIN \& NO PIN \& NO PIN <br>
\hline 13. \& CATHODEH \& CATHODE-W \& ANODE-a \& ANODE. ${ }^{\text {d }}$ <br>
\hline 14 \& ANODE [3] \& ANODEl31 \& ANODE-b \& CATHODE㬉 <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}



1. Dimensions in millimeters and (inches)
2. All untoleranced dimensions are for
reference only.
3. Redundant anodes
4. Unused dp position.
5. See Internal Circuit Diagram
6. Redundant cathodes.

## Internal Circuit Diagram



A

C


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Average Power Dissipation Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{(1)}\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \ldots \ldots . \ldots . . .65 \mathrm{~mW}$
Operating Temperature Range $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature Range $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

DC Forward Current Per Segment or D.P. ${ }^{(1,2)}\left(T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 25mA
Reverse Voltage Per Segment or D.P.
6.0 V
Lead Soldering Temperature

B



D

Notes: 1. See power derating curve (Fig.2). 2. Derate average current from $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $0.43 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per segment. 3. See Maximum Tolerable Segment Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration curve, (Fig. 1). 4. Clean only in water, isopropanol, ethanol, Freon TF or TE (or equivalent) and Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15 (or equivalent).

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Description | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment (Digit Average) | Iv | $\begin{aligned} & I_{\text {PEAK }}=100 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & 12.5 \% \text { Duty Cycle } \end{aligned}$ |  | 350 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 150 | 400 |  |  |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  | 655 |  | $n \mathrm{~m}$ |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(2)}$ | $\lambda_{d}$ |  |  | 645 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage, any Segment or D.P. | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | $\checkmark$ |
| Reverse Current, any Segment or D.P. | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Rise and Fall Time ${ }^{(3)}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{t}}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{f}}$ |  |  | 10 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\triangle V_{F} 7^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | $-2.0$ |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | R $\theta$ J-PIN |  |  | 282 |  | $\begin{gathered} { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ \mathrm{Seg} \end{gathered}$ |

## Notes:

1. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE Chromaticity Diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.

## ELECTRICAL

The HDSP-7750/-7760 series of display devices are composed of eight light emitting diodes, with the light from each LED optically stretched to form individual segments and a decimal point. The LEDs have the P-N junction diffused into a GaAsP epitaxial layer on a GaAs substrate.
These display devices are designed for strobed operation at high peak currents. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose
of driver circuit design may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ model:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V_{F}=1.55 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(7 \Omega) \\
& \quad \text { For } 5 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \operatorname{IPEAK} \leq 150 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

## CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

The 5082-7750/7760 series display may be effectively filtered using one of the following filter products: Homalite H 100-1605 or H 100-1804 Purple; Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60, Dark Red 63 or Purple 90; Plexiglas 2423; 3M Brand Light Control Film for daylight viewing.


Figure 1. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current per Segment vs. Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowed Thermal Resistance Values, LED
Junction-to-Ambient on a per Segment Basis. $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J} M A X}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Figure 4. Forward Current versus Forward Voltage.


Figure 3. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current per Segment.


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. D.C. Forward Current.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## 20 mm (0.8") RED SEVEN SEGMENT

## Features

- 20 mm ( 0.8 ") DIGIT HEIGHT Vlewing Up to 10 Metres (33 Feet)
- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE

Excellent Readablity in Bright Amblents Through Superior Contrast Enhancement

- Gray Body Color
- Untinted Segments

Wide Vlewing Angle
Evenly Lighted Segments Mitered Corners on Segments

- LOW POWER REQUIREMENTS Single GaAsP Chip per Segment
- EASY MOUNTING ON PC BOARD OR SOCKETS Industry Standard 15.24 mm ( $0.6^{\prime \prime}$ ) DIP with Lead Spacing on 2.54 mm ( $0.11^{\prime \prime}$ ) Centers Industry Standard Package Dimensions and Pinouts
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY Assures Uniformity of Light Output from Unit to Unit Within a Single Category
- IC COMPATIBLE
- MECHANICALLY RUGGED



## Description

The HDSP-3400 Series are very large 20.32 mm ( 0.8 in. ) GaAsP LED seven segment displays. Designed for viewing distances up to 10 metres ( 33 feet), these single digit displays provide excellent readability in bright ambients.
These devices utilize a standard $15.24 \mathrm{~mm}(0.6 \mathrm{in}$.) dual in line package configuration that permits mounting on PC boards or in standard IC sockets. Requiring a low forward voltage, these displays are inherently IC compatible, allowing for easy integration into electronic instrumentation, point-of-sale terminals, TVs, weighing scales, and digital clocks.

## Devices



[^9]Package Dimensions


NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimetres and (inches).
2. All untoleranced dimensions are for reference only.
3. Redundant anodes.
4. Unused dp position.
5. See Internal Circuit Diagram.
6. Redundant cathodes.

## Internal Circuit Diagram



## Absolute Maximum Ratings



Storage Temperature Range . ................................................................................ $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Reverse Voltage per Segment or DP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6.0V
Lead Soldering Temperature ( 1.6 mm [1/16 inch] Below Seating Plane) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 3 sec.

## Notes:

1. Derate maximum $D C$ current above $T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $1 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ per segment, see Figure 2.
2. See Figure 1 to establish pulsed operating conditions.

Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Description | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment (Digit Average) [1] | Iv | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ | 500 | 900 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda$ PEAK |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{[2]}$ | $\lambda_{d}$ |  |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage, any Segment or DP | $V_{F}$ | $I_{F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V |
| Reverse Current, any Segment or DP | IR | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 10 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Rise and Fall Time ${ }^{[3]}$ | $t_{\text {r }}, \mathrm{tf}_{f}$ |  |  | 10 |  | ns |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\Delta V_{F} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $1 \mathrm{~F}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | -1.5 |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Resistance LED Junction-to-Pin | ROJ-PIN |  |  | 375 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \\ & \mathrm{Seg} \end{aligned}$ |

Notes:

1. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package.
2. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE Chromaticity Diagram and is that single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
3. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.

## Electrical

The HDSP-3400 series of display devices are composed of eight light emitting diodes, with the light from each LED optically stretched to form individual segments and a decimal point. The LEDs have the P-N junction diffused into a GaAsP epitaxial layer on a GaAs substrate.
These display devices are designed for strobed operation at high peak currents. The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ model:

$$
V_{F}=1.78 V+\operatorname{IPEAK}(3.7 \Omega)
$$

For: $30 \mathrm{~mA} \leq 1$ PEAK $\leq 200 \mathrm{~mA}$

## Contrast Enhancement

The objective of contrast enhancement is to provide good display readability in the end use ambient light. The concept is to have the OFF-segments blend into the display background and to have the ON-segments stand out vividly against this same background. To achieve this goal the HDSP-3400 displays use a gray package and untinted segments to maximize readability in bright ambients.

Contrast enhancement is achieved by using one of the following filter products: SGL Homalite H100-1605 RED or H100-1804 PURPLE: Panelgraphic RUBY RED 60, DARK RED 63 or PURPLE 90; Plexiglass 2423; 3M Light Control Film (louvered filters) in 80\% Neutral Density, RED 655, VIOLET or PURPLE colors.


Figure 1. Maximum Allowable Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current per Segment vs. Amblent Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowed Thermal
Resistance Values, LED Junction-to-Ambient on a per Segment Basis. TJMAX $=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure 4. Peak Forward Segment Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage.


Figure 3. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current.


Figure 5. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. DC Forward Current.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.

## Features

－ULTRA LOW POWER
Excellent Readability at Only $500 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ Average per Segment
－CONSTRUCTED FOR STROBED OPERATION Minimizes Lead Connections
－STANDARD DIP PACKAGE End Stackable Integral Red Contrast Filter Rugged Construction
－CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY
Assures Uniformity of Light Output from Unit to Unit within a Single Category
－IC COMPATIBLE

## Description

The HP 5082－7400 series are 2.79 mm （．11＂），seven segment GaAsP numeric indicators packaged in 3， 4，and 5 digit end－stackable clusters．An integral magnification technique increases the luminous in－ tensity，thereby making ultra－low power consump－ tion possible．Options include either the standard lower right hand decimal point or a centered deci－ mal point for increased legibility in multi－cluster applications．
Applications include hand－held calculators，port－ able instruments，digital thermometers，or any other product requiring low power，low cost，minimum space，and long lifetime indicators．

## Device Selection Guide

|  | Configuration |  | Part Number |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Digits per Cluster | Qre Device | － | Center Decimal Point | Right Decimal Point |
| 3 （right） | ，$\quad$ $日$ $日$ $日$ | $\because$ | 5082－7402 | 5082－7412 |
| 3 （left） |  |  | 5082－7403 | 5082－7413 |
| 4 | ＊＊＊ 日 日 $日$ |  | 5082－7404 | 5082－7414 |
| 5 | $\theta$ $\theta$ $\theta$ $\theta$ $\theta$ |  | 5082－7405 | 5082－7415 |

Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Paramatar | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current per Segment (Duration $<1 \mathrm{msec}$ ) | $I_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  | 110 | mA |
| Average Current per Segment | IAVG |  | 5 | mA |
| Power Dissipation per Digit ${ }^{\text {[1] }}$ | $P_{\text {D }}$ |  | 80 | mW |
| Operating Temperature, Ambient | $T_{A}$ | $-40$ | 75 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature | $T_{S}$ | -40 | 100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Reverse Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  | 5 | V |

NOTES: 1. At $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; derate $1 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient. 2. See Mechanical Section for recommended flux removal solvents.

## Electrical /Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment or dp ${ }^{[3,4]}$ (Time Averaged) | Iv | $\begin{aligned} & I_{A V G}=1 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \left(I_{\text {PK }}=10 \mathrm{~mA}\right. \\ & \text { duty cycle }=10 \%) \end{aligned}$ | 5 | 20 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or dp | $V_{F}$ | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | $V$ |
| Reverse Current/Segment or dp | $I_{R}$ | $V_{\text {R }}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Rise and Fall Time ${ }^{[5]}$ | $t_{r}, t_{f}$ |  | . | 10 |  | ns |

NOTES: 3. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity. Intensity categories are designated by a letter located on the back side of the package. 4. Operation at Peak Currents less than 5 mA is not recommended. 5. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.



Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Case Temperature at Fixed Current Level.


Figure 2. Typical Time Averaged Luminous Intensity per Segment (Digit Average) vs. Average Current per Segment.


Figure 4. Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per Segment.

Package Description
NOTES: 1. Dimensions in millimeters and (inches).
2. Tolerances on all dimensions are $\pm 0.038 \mathrm{~mm}( \pm .015 \mathrm{in}$.) unless otherwise noted.


## Magnified Character Font Description



Figure 7. Center Decimal Point Configuration.


## Device Pin Description

| PIN NO. | 5082-7402/7412 <br> FUNCTION | 5082.7403/7413 FUNCTION | $5082.7404 / 7414$ <br> FUNCTION | $5082.7405 / 7416$ FUNCTION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | SEE NOTE 1. . | CATHODE 1 | CATHODE1 | CATHODE 1 |
| 2 | ANODE | ANODE E | A ANODE | ANODE |
| 3 | ANODE C | ANODE c | ANOOEC | \%- ANODE C . |
| 4 | CATHODE 3 | CATHODE 3 | CATHODE 3 | CATHODE3 |
| 5 | ANODE dp | ANODE dp | ANOOE dp | ANODE dp |
| 6 | CATHODE 4 | SEE NOTE 1. | CATHODE 4 | ANODE |
| 7 | ANODE g | ANODE $\mathrm{g}^{\prime}$ | ANODE g , | CATHODE5 |
| 8 | ANODE d | ANODE d | ANODE d | ANODE 9 |
| 9 | ANODEf | ANODEf | ANODE1 | CATHODE 4 |
| 10 | CATHODE 2 | CATHODE 2 | CATHODE2 | ANODEf |
| 11 | ANODE b | ANODE 6 | ANODE ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | (See Note 1 |
| 12 | ANODE a. | ANODE a | ANODE | ANODE b |
| 13 | - | - | - | CATHODE2 |
| 14 | " - | $\cdots$ - | "紗 | ANODE a |

[^10]
## Electrical/Optical

The 5082-7400/-7410 series devices utilize a monolithic GaAsP chip of 8 common cathode segments for each display digit. The segment anodes of each digit are interconnected, forming an 8 by $N$ line array, where $N$ is the number of characters in the display. Each chip is positioned under an integrally molded lens giving a magnified character height of 2.79 mm ( 0.11 ) inches. Satisfactory viewing will be realized within an angle of approximately $\pm 30^{\circ}$ from the center-line of the digit.

The decimal point in the 7412, 7413, 7414, and 7415 displays is located at the lower right of the digit for conventional driving schemes.

The 7402, 7403, 7404 and 7405 displays contain a centrally located decimal point which is activated in place of a digit. In long registers, this technique of setting off the decimal point significantly improves the display's readability. With respect to timing, the decimal point is treated as a separate character with its own unique time frame.

## Mechanical

The 5082-7400 series package is a standard 12 or 14 Pin DIP consisting of a plastic encapsulated lead frame with integral molded lenses. It is designed for plugging into DIP sockets or soldering into PC boards. The lead frame
construction allows use of standard DIP insertion tools and techniques. Alignment problems are simplified due to the clustering of digits in a single package. The shoulders of the lead frame pins are intentionally raised above the bottom of the package to allow tilt mounting of up to $20^{\circ}$ from the PC board.

To improve display contrast, the plastic incorporates a red dye that absorbs strongly at all visible wavelengths except the 655 nm emitted by the LED. In addition, the lead frames are selectively darkened to reduce reflectance. An additional filter, such as Plexiglass 2423, Panelgraphic 60 or 63, and SGL Homalite 100-1605, will further lower the ambient reflectance and improve display contrast.

To optimize device optical performance, specially developed plastics are used which restrict the solvents that may be used for cleaning. It is recommended that only mixtures of Freon (F113) and alcohol be used for vapor cleaning processes, with an immersion time in the vapors of less than two (2) minutes maximum. Some suggested vapor cleaning solvents are Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15, Arklone A or K. A $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(140^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ water cleaning process may also be used, which includes a neutralizer rinse ( $3 \%$ ammonia solution or equivalent), a surfactant rinse ( $1 \%$ detergent solution or equivalent), a hot water rinse and a thorough air dry. Room temperature cleaning may be accomplished with Freon T-E35 or T-P35, Ethanol, Isopropanol or water with a mild detergent.

## Features

- MOS COMPATIBLE

Can be Driven Directly from many MOS Circuits

- LOW POWER

Excellent Readability at Only $250 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ Average per Segment

- CONSTRUCTED FOR STROBED OPERATION Minimizes Lead Connections
- STANDARD DIP PACKAGE

End Stackable
Integral Red Contrast Filter
Rugged Construction

- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY

Assures Uniformity of Light Output from
Unit to Unit within a Single Category

## Description

The HP 5082-7430 series displays are 2.79 mm (. 11 inch, seven segment GaAsP numeric indicators packaged in 2 or 3 digit end-stackable clusters on 200 mil centers. An integral magnification technique increases the luminous intensity, thereby making ul-tra-low power consumption possible. These clusters

have the standard lower right hand decimal points. Applications include hand-held calculators, portable instruments, digital thermometers, or any other product requiring low power, low cost, minimum space, and long lifetime indicators.

## Device Selection Guide

| Digits per Cluster | Configuration |  |  | Part Number |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Device |  | Package |  |
| 2 (right) |  | $\theta$ 日 | (Figure 5) | 5082-7432 |
| 3 | $\theta$ | $\theta$ 日 | (Figure 5) | 5082.7433 |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current per Segment or dp (Duration < $500 \mu$ s) | IPEAK |  | 50 | mA |
| Average Current per Segment or dp | lavg |  | 5 | mA |
| Power Dissipation per Digit [1] | PD | S | 80 | mW |
| Operating Temperature, Ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | -40 | 75 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature | Ts | $-40$ | 100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Reverse Voltage | $V_{\text {F }}$ |  | 5 | V |
| Solder Temperature $1 / 16^{\prime \prime}$ below seating plane (t $\leqslant 3$ sec.) ${ }^{[2]}$ |  |  | 230 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

NOTES: 1. Derate linearly @ $1 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient. 2. See Mechanical section for recommended flux removal solvents.
Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment or dp ${ }^{[3,4]}$ | Iv | $\begin{aligned} & l_{\text {avG }}=500 \mu \mathrm{~A} \\ & \text { IPK }=5 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { duty cycle }=10 \% \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 40 | $\cdots$ : | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {Peak }}$ | - |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or dp | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.55 | 2.0 | $V$ |
| Reverse Current/Segment or dp | $I_{R}$ | $V_{R}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Rise and Fall Time ${ }^{\text {[5] }}$ | $t_{r}, t_{f}$ | , |  | 10 |  | ns |

NOTES: 3. The digits are categorized for luminous intensity. Intensity categories are designated by a letter located on the back side of the package. 4. Operation at Peak Currents less than 3.5 mA is not recommended. 5. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.


Figure 1. Peak Forward Current vs.
Peak Forward Voltage


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Ambient Temperature at Fixed Current Level


I avg - average current per segment - ma
Figure 2. Typical Time Averaged Luminous Intensity per Segment vs. A verage Current per Segment


IPEAK - PEAK CURRENT PER SEGMENT - mA
Figure 4. Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per Segment

## Package Description



Figure 5.
Magnified Character Font Description


Figure 6.
Device Pin Description

| PIN <br> NUMBER | 5082-7432 <br> FUNCTION | 5082-7433 <br> FUNCTION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | SEE NOTE 1. | CATHODE 1 |
| 2 | ANODE e | ANODE e |
| 3 | ANODE d | ANODE d |
| 4 | CATHODE 2 | CATHODE 2 |
| 5 | ANODE c | ANODE c |
| 6 | ANODE dp | ANODE dp |
| 7 | CATHODE 3 | CATHODE 3 |
| 8 | ANODE b | ANODE b |
| 9 | ANODE g | ANODE g |
| 10 | ANODE a | ANODE a |
| 11 | ANODE f | ANODE f |
| 12 | SEE NOTE 1. | SEE NOTE 1. |

NOTE 1. Leave Pin unconnected.

## Electrical/Optical

The 5082-7430 series devices utilize a monolithic GaAsP chip of 8 common cathode segments for each display digit. The segment anodes of each digit are interconnected, forming an 8 by N line array, where N is the number of characters in the display. Each chip is positioned under an integrally molded lens giving a magnified character height of 2.79 mm ( 0.11 ) inches. Satisfactory viewing will be realized within an angle of approximately $\pm 20^{\circ}$ from the center-line of the digit.

To improve display contrast, the plastic encapsulant contains a red dye to reduce the reflected ambient light. An additional filter, such as Plexiglass 2423, Panelgraphic 60 or 63, and SGL Homalite 100-1605, will further lower the ambient reflectance and improve display contrast.

Character encoding on the 5082-7430 series devices is performed by standard 7 segment decoder/driver circuits. Through the use of strobing techniques only one decoder/driver is required for very long multidigit displays.

## Mechanical

The 5082-7430 series package is a standard 12 Pin DIP consisting of a plastic encapsulated lead frame with integral molded lenses. It is designed for plugging into DIP sockets or soldering into PC boards. The lead frame construction allows use of standard DIP insertion tools and techniques. Alignment problems are simplified due to the clustering of digits in a single package.

To optimize device optical performance, specially developed plastics are used which restrict the solvents that may be used for cleaning. It is recommended that only mixtures of Freon (F113) and alcohol be used for vapor cleaning processes, with an immersion time in the vapors of less than two (2) minutes maximum. Some suggested vapor cleaning solvents are Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15, Arklone A or K. A $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(140^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ water cleaning process may also be used, which includes a neutralizer rinse ( $3 \%$ ammonia solution or equivalent), a surfactant rinse ( $1 \%$ detergent solution or equivalent), a hot water rinse and a thorough air dry. Room temperature cleaning may be accomplished with Freon T-E35 or T-P35, Ethanol, Isopropanol or water with a mild detergent.


Figure 7. Block Diagram for Calculator Display

## SPECIAL PARTS FOR CALCULATORS

## Features

- MOS COMPATIBLE

Can be driven directly from MOS circuits.

- LOW POWER

Excellent readability at only $250 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ average per segment.


- UNIFORM ALIGNMENT

Excellent alignment is assured by design.

- MATCHED BRIGHTNESS

Uniformity of light output from digit to digit on a single PC Board.

- AVAILABLE IN 50.8 mm ( 2.0 inch ) AND 60.325 mm ( $\mathbf{2 . 3 7 5}$ inch) BOARD LENGTHS


## Description

The HP 5082-7440 series displays are 2.67 mm (.105") high, seven segment GaAsP Numeric Indicators mounted in an eight or nine digit configuration on a P.C. Board. These special parts, designed specifically for calculators, have right hand decimal points and are mounted on
5.08 mm ( 200 mil ) centers. The plastic lens magnifies the digits and includes an integral protective bezel.
Applications are primarily portable, hand-held calculators and other products requiring low power, low cost and long lifetime indicators which occupy a minimum of space.

## Device Selection Guide



Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current per Segment or dp (Duration < 500 ${ }^{\text {s }}$ ) | IPEAK |  | 50 | mA |
| Average Current per Segment or dp ${ }^{[1]}$ | lavg |  | 3 | mA |
| Power Dissipation per Digit | PD |  | 50 | mW |
| Operating Temperature, Ambient | $T_{A}$ | -20 | $+85$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{5}$ | -20 | +85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Reverse Voltage | $V_{R}$ |  | 5 | $\checkmark$ |
| Solder Temperature at connector edge ( $\mathrm{t} \leqslant 3 \mathrm{sec}$.) ${ }^{\text {[2] }}$ | $\cdots$ |  | 230 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

NOTES: 1. Derate linearly @ $0.1 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient.
2. See Mechanical section for recommended soldering techniques and flux removal solvents.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment or dp ${ }^{[3,4]}$ | lv | $\begin{aligned} & l_{\text {AVG }}=500 \mu \mathrm{~A} \\ & \text { I PK }=5 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \text { duty cycle }=10 \% \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 40 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ | , |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or dp | $V_{F}$ | $I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.55 |  | V |

NOTES: 3. See Figure 7 for test circuit.
4. Operation at Peak Currents of less than 3.5 mA is not recommended.


Figure 1. Peak Forward Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Ambient Temperature at Fixed Current Level

iavg - average current per segment - ma
Figure 2. Typical Time Averaged Luminous Intensity per Segment vs. Average Current per Segment


Ipeak - PEAK CURRENT PER SEGMENT - mA
Figure 4. Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per Segment

## Package Description



Figure 5.

## Magnified Character Font Description



Figure 6.

| Part No. | Dim. A | Dim, B | Dim. C |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 50827440 | $50.800(2.000)$ | $0.760(.030)$ | $5.08(.200)$ |
| 50827441 | $50.800(2.000)$ | $0.760(.030)$ | $5.081 .200)$ |
| 50827448 | $60.325(2.375)$ | $5.512(.217)$ | $9.830(.387)$ |
| 50827449 | $60.325(2.375)$ | $5.512(.217)$ | $9.830(.387)$ |

Tolerances: $\pm .381$ (.015)

Table 1.

## Device Pin Description

| Pin No. | $\begin{aligned} & 5082.7440 \\ & 5082.7448 \\ & \text { Function } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 50827441 \\ 50827449 \\ \text { Function } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Pin No. | $\begin{aligned} & 5022.7440 \\ & 5082.7448 \\ & \text { Function } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5082.7441 \\ & 5082.7449 \\ & \text { Function } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | N/C | Dig 1 Cathode | - 610 | Segid Anode | Seg. d Anode |
| 2 | Seg c Anode | Seg. c Anode | \% 11 | Dig. 6 Cathode | Dig, 6 Cathode |
| 3 | Dig. 2 Cathode | - Dig 2 Cathode ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -12 | Seg. g Anode | Seg.g Anode |
| 4 | . | Anode | - ${ }^{2}$ | Oig, 7 Cathode | Dig. 7 Cathode |
| 5 | Dig. 3 Cathode | Dig 3 Cathode | 14 | Seg b Anode | Seg b Anode |
| 6 | Seg. a Anode | eg. a Anode | Wat 15 | Dig. B Cathode | ig. 8 Cathode |
| 7 | Dig. 4 Cathode | Dig. 4 Cathode ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | \% 16 | Seg. f Anode | Seg. $f$ Anode |
| 8 | Seg. Anode | Sege Anode |  | Dig. 9 Cathode | Dig. 9 Cathode |
| 9 | Dig. 5 Cathode | Dig. 5 Cathode |  |  |  |

## Electrical/Optical

The HP 5082-7440 series devices utilize a monolithic GaAsP chip containing 7 segments and a decimal point for each display digit. The segments of each digit are interconnected, forming an 8 by $N$ line array, where $N$ is the number of characters in the display. Each chip is positioned under a separate element of a plastic magnifying lens, producing a magnified character height of 0.105 " $(2,67 \mathrm{~mm})$. Satisfactory viewing will be realized within an angle of approximately $\pm 20^{\circ}$ from the centerline of the digit. The secondary lens magnifier that will increase character height from $2.67 \mathrm{~mm}\left(0.105^{\prime \prime}\right)$ to $3.33 \mathrm{~mm}\left(0.131^{\prime \prime}\right)$ and reduce viewing angle in the vertical plane only from $\pm 20^{\circ}$ to approximately $\pm 18^{\circ}$ is available as a special product. A filter, such as Plexiglass 2423, Panelgraphic 60 or 63 , and Homalite 100 1600, will lower ambient reflectance and improve display contrast. Character encoding of the -7440 series devices is performed by standard 7 segment decoder driver circuits.

The 5082-7440 series devices are tested for digit to digit luminous intensity matching using the circuit depicted in Figure 7. Component values are chosen to give an $I_{F}$ of 5 mA per segment at a segment $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ of 1.55 volts. This test method is preferred in order to provide the best possible simulation of the end product drive circuit, thereby insuring excellent digit to digit matching. If the device is to be driven from $V_{\text {cc }}$ potentials of less than 3.5 volts, it is recommended that the factory be contacted.

## Mechanical

The 5082-7440 series devices are constructed on a standard printed circuit board substrate. A separately molded plastic lens containing 9 individual magnifying elements is attached to the PC board over the digits. The device may be mounted either by use of pins which may be soldered into the plate
through holes at the connector edge of the board or by insertion into a standard PC board connector.

The devices may be soldered for up to 3 seconds per tab at a maximum soldering temperature of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Heat should be applied only to the edge connector tab areas of the PC board. Heating other areas of the board to temperatures in excess of $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ can result in permanent damage to the display. It is recommended that a rosin core wire solder or a low temperature deactivating flux and solid core wire solder be used in soldering operations.

## Special Cleaning Instructions

For bulk cleaning after a hand solder operation, the following process is recommended: Wash display in clean liquid Freon TP- 35 or Freon TE- 35 solvent for a time period up to 2 minutes maximum. Air dry for a sufficient length of time to allow solvent to evaporate from beneath display lens. Maintain solvent temperature below $30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(86^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$. Methanol, isopropanol, or ethanol may be used for hand cleaning at room temperature. Water may be used for hand cleaning if it is not permitted to collect under display lens.
Solvent vapor cleaning at elevated temperatures is not recommended as such processes will damage display lens. Ketones, esters, aromatic and chlorinated hydrocarbon solvents will also damage display lens. Alcohol base active rosin flux mixtures should be prevented from coming in contact with display lens.

These devices are constructed on a silver plated printed circuit board. To prevent the formation of a tarnish $\left(\mathrm{Ag}_{2} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ which could impair solderability, the boards should be stored in the unopened shipping packages until they are used. Further information on the storage, handling and cleaning of sil-ver-plated components is contained in Hewlett-Packard Application Bulletin No. 3.


Figure 7. Circuit Diagram used for Testing the Luminous Intensity of the HP 5082-7440

# SPECIAL PARTS FOR SCIENTIFIC AND BUSINESS CALCULATORS 

## Features

- 12, 14, AND 16 DIGIT CONFIGURATIONS
- MOS COMPATIBLE

Can be driven directly from most MOS circuits.

- LOW POWER Excellent readability at only $250 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ average per segment.
- UNIFORM ALIGNMENT

Excellent Alignment is assured by design.

- MATCHED BRIGHTNESS Uniformity of light output from digit to digit on a single PC board.



## Description

The HP 5082-7442, 7444, 7446, and 7447 are seven segment GaAsP Numeric indicators mounted in 12, 14 , or 16 digit configurations on a P.C. board. These special parts, designed specifically for scientific and business calculators, have right hand decimal points and are mounted on $175 \mathrm{mil}(4.45 \mathrm{~mm})$ centers in the 12 digit configurations and 150 mil $(3.81 \mathrm{~mm})$ centers in the 14 and 16 digit configurations. The plastic lens magnifies the digits and includes an integral protective bezel.
Applications are primarily portable, hand held calculators, digital telephone peripherals, data entry terminals and other products requiring low power, low cost, and long lifetime indicators which occupy a minimum of space.

## Device Selection Guide

| Digits <br> Per PC <br> Board |  | Configuration | Package | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Part } \\ & \text { No. } \\ & 5082 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DEVICE |  |  |
| 12 | $\frac{2.54}{(.100)}$ |  | Figure 4 | 7442 and 7445 |
| 14 | $\frac{2.54}{(.100)}$ |  | Figure 5 | 7444 |
| 14 | $\frac{2.84}{(.112)}$ |  | Figure 5 | 7447 |
| 16 | $\frac{2.92}{(.115)}$ | E.E.E.E.E.E.EI.E.E.E.E.E.E.E.E.E. | Figure 6 | 7446 |

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## Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Min: | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current per Segment or dp (Duration $\leqslant 500 \mu s$ ) | lpeak |  | 50. | mA |
| Average Current per Segment or dp ${ }^{(9)}$ | vo等等 | , | $3{ }^{3} \times$ | A |
| Power Dissipation per Digit | Cospar | $1$ | \% 50.8 | \% ${ }^{2} \mathrm{~m}$ mW |
| Operating Temperature, Ambient | TA ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | \% 50.20 ch | $85 \times 7$ | 0 |
| Storage Temperature |  |  |  | \% |
| Reverse Voltage | Vi |  | 5 . | V |
| Solder Temperature at connector edge ( $t \leqslant 3$ see. $)^{(2)}$, \%/2 2 |  |  | $230$ | - $\quad 0$ |

NOTES: 1. Derate linearly at $0.1 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient.
2. See Mechanical section for recommended soldering techniques and flux removal solvents.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$



NOTE: 3. Operation at Peak Currents of less than 3.5 mA is not recommended.


Figure 1. Peak Forward Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage


Figure 2. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Ambient Temperature at Fixed Current Level.


IPEAK - PEAK CURRENT PER SEGMENT - mA
Figure 3. Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per Segment.

## Electrical/Optical

The HP 5082-7442, 7444, 7445, 7446 and 7447 devices utilize a monolithic GaAsP chip containing 7 segments and a decimal point for each display digit. The segments of each digit are interconnected, forming an 8 by $N$ line array, where N is the number of digits in the display. Each chip is positioned under a separate element of a plastic magnifying lens, producing a magnified character. Satisfactory viewing will be realized within an angle of approximately $\pm 20^{\circ}$ from the centerline of the digit. A filter, such as plexiglass 2423, Panelgraphic 60 or 63, and

Homalite 100-1600, will lower the ambient reflectance and improve display contrast. Digit encoding of these devices is performed by standard 7 segment decoder driver circuits.
These devices are tested for digit-to-digit luminous intensity matching. This test is performed with a power supply of 5 V and component values selected to supply $5 \mathrm{~mA} \mathrm{I}_{\text {PEAK }}$ at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.55 \mathrm{~V}$. If the device is to be driven from $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ potentials of less than 3.5 volts, it is recommended that the factory be contacted.

## Mechanical Specifications

The 5082-7442, 7444, 7445, 7446, and 7447 devices are constructed on a silver plated printed circuit board substrate. A molded plastic lens array is attached to the PC board over the digits to provide magnification.
These devices may be mounted using any one of several different techniques. The most straightforward is the use of standard PC board edge connectors. A less expensive approach can be implemented through the use of stamped or etched metal mounting clips such as those available from Burndy (Series LED-B) or JAV Manufacturing (Series 022-002). Some of these devices will also serve as an integral display support. A third approach would be the use of a row of wire stakes which would first be soldered to the PC mother-board and the display board then inserted over the wire stakes and soldered in place.
The devices may be soldered for up to 3 seconds per tab at a maximum soldering temperature of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Heat should be applied only to the edge connector tab areas of the PC board. Heating other areas of the board to temperatures in excess of $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ can result in permanent damage to the lens. It is recommended that a rosin core wire solder or a low temperature deactivating flux and solid core wire solder be used in soldering operations. A solder containing approximately $2 \%$ silver ( Sn 62 ) will enhance solderability by preventing leaching of the plated silver off the PC board into the solder solution.

## Special Cleaning Instructions

For bulk cleaning after a hand solder operation, the following process is recommended. Wash display in clean liquid Freon TP-35 or Freon TE-35 solvent for a time period up to 2 minutes maximum. Air dry for a sufficient length of time to allow solvent to evaporate from beneath display lens. Maintain solvent temperature below $30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ( $86^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ ). Methanol, isopropanol, or ethanol may be used for cleaning at room temperature. Soap and water solutions may be utilized for removing water-soluble fluxes from the contact area but must not be allowed to collect under the display lens.
Solvent vapor cleaning at elevated temperatures is not recommended as such processes will damage display lens. Ketones, esters, aromatic and chlorinated hydrocarbon solvents will also damage display lens. Alcohol base active rosin flux mixtures should be prevented from coming in contact with display lens.
These devices are constructed on a silver plated printed circuit board. To prevent the formation of a tarnish $\left(\mathrm{Ag}_{2} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ which could impair solderability, the boards should be stored in the unopened shipping packages until they are used. Further information on the storage, handling and cleaning of silver-plated components is contained in Hewlett-Packard Application Bulletin No. 3.

## Device Pin Description

| Pin No. | $\begin{gathered} 5082-7442 \\ 5082-7444 \\ 5082-7447 \\ \text { Function } \end{gathered}$ | $5082-7445$ <br> Function | 5082-7446 Function |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Cathode-Digit 1 | Anode-Segment a | Cathode-Digit 1 |
| 2 | Cathode-Digit 2 | Anode-Segment 1 | Cathode-Diglt 2 |
| 3 | Cathode-Digit 3 | Ariode-Segment b | - Cathode-Digit 3 . |
| 4 | Anode-Segment $C$ | Anode-Segment | Cathode-Bigi |
| 5 | Cathode-Digit 4 | Anode-Segment 0 | Cathode-Diglt 5 |
| 6 | Anode-DP | Anode Segment DP | Anode-Segmente |
| 7 | Cathode-Digit 5 | Anode-Segment e | Cathode-Digit 6 |
| 8 | Anode-Segment a | Anode-Segment 9 | Anode-Segment |
| 9 | Cathode-Digit 6 | Cathode-Digit 3 , | Cathode-Digit 7 |
| 10 | Anode-Segment e | Cathode-Digit 2 | Anode-Segment $a^{\text {a }}$ |
| 11 | Cathode-Digit 7 | Cathode-Digit 4 | Cathode Oigit 8 |
| 12 | Anode-Segment d | Cathode-Digit 1 | Anode Segment DP |
| 13 | Cathode-Digit 8 | Cathode-Digit 5 | Cathode-Digit 9 |
| 14 | Anode-Segment 9 | Cathode-Digit 12 | Anode-Segment |
| 15 | Cathode-Digit 9 | Cathode-Digit 6 | Cathode-Digit 10 |
| 16 | Anode-Segment b | Cathode-Digit 11 | Anode-segment 9 |
| 17 | Cathode-Digit 10 | Cathode-Digit 7 | Cathode-Digit 11 |
| 18 | Anode-Segment $f$ | Cathode-Digit 10 | Anode-Segment b |
| 19 | Cathode-Digit 11 | Cathode-Digit 9 | Cathode Digit 12 |
| 20 | Cathode-Digit 12 | Cathode-Digit 8 | Anode-Segment $f$ |
| 21 | Cathode-Digit 13 |  | Cathode-Digit 13 |
| 22 | Cathode-Digit 14 |  | Cathode-Digit 14 |
| 23 |  |  | Cathode-Digit 15 |
| 24 |  |  | Cathode-Digit 16 |

## Package Dimensions



Figure 4.


Figure 5.


Figure 6.


| DEVICE | $X$ | $Y$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5082.7442 | 2.54 <br> $(.100)$ | 1.42 <br> $(.056)$ |
| 5082.7444 | 2.54 <br> $(.100)$ | 1.40 <br> $1.055)$ |
| 5082.7445 | 2.54 <br> $(.100)$ | 1.42 <br> $(.056)$ <br> 5082.74462.92 <br> $(.115)$ |
| 5082.7447 | 1.05 <br> $(.055)$ |  |
|  | $2.112)$ | 1.40 <br> $(.055)$ |

NOTES: 1. ALL DIMENSIONS IN MILLIMETRES AND - ALL DIMEN
2. TOLERANCES ON ALL DIMENSIONS ARE $\pm 0.38$ (.015) UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

## Features

- MOS COMPATIBLE

Can be driven directly from MOS circuits.

- LOW POWER

Excellent readability at only $\mathbf{2 5 0 \mu A}$ average per segment.

- UNIFORM ALIGNMENT

Excellent alignment is assured by design.

- MATCHED BRIGHTNESS

Uniformity of light output from digit to digit on a single PC Board.

- STATE OF THE ART LENS DESIGN Assures the best possible character height, viewing angle, off-axis distortion tradeoff.


## Description

The HP 5082-7240 series displays are 2.59 mm (.102') high, seven segment GaAsP Numeric Indicators mounted in an eight or nine digit configuration on a P. C. Board. These special parts, designed specifically for calculators, have right hand decimal points and are mounted on $5.08 \mathrm{~mm}(200 \mathrm{mil})$ centers. The plastic lens over the digits has a magnifier and a protective bezel built-in. A

secondary magnifying lens, available on special request, can be added to the primary lens for additional character enlargement.

Applications are primarily portable, hand-held calculators and other products requiring low power, low cost and long lifetime indicators which occupy a minimum of space.

Device Selection Guide


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current per Segment or dp (Duration < 500 $/$ s) | Ipeak | , | 50 | mA |
| Average Current per Segment or dp ${ }^{[1]}$ | lavg |  | 3 | mA |
| Power Dissipation per Digit | $P_{D}$ |  | 50 | mW |
| Operating Temperature, Ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {A }}$ | -20 | $+85$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{S}$ | -20 | +85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Reverse Voltage | $V_{\text {R }}$ |  | 5 | $\checkmark$ |
| Solder Temperature at connector edge ( $\leqslant \leqslant 3 \mathrm{sec}$.) ${ }^{\text {[ } 2]}$ |  |  | 230 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

NOTES: 1. Derate linearly @ $0.1 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient.
2. See Mechanical section for recommended soldering techniques and flux removal solvents.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment or dp ${ }^{[3,4]}$ | $I_{V}$ | $I_{A V G}=500 \mu A$ <br> $I_{\text {PK }}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> duty cycle $=10 \%)$ | 12.5 | 50 |  | $\mu \mathrm{~cd}$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Forward Voltage/Segment or $d p$ | $V_{F}$ | $I_{F}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 |  | V |

NOTES: 3. See Figure 7 for test circuit.
4. Operation at Peak Currents of less than 3.0 mA is not recommended.


Figure 1. Peak Forward Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage

$\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ - AMBIENT TEMPERATURE - ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Ambient Temperature at Fixed Current Level


Iavg - AVERAGE CURRENT PER SEGMENT - mA
Figure 2. Typical Time Averaged Luminous Intensity per Segment vs. A verage Current per Segment



Figure 4. Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per Segment

## Package Description



Figure 5.
Magnified Character Font Description


Figure 6.

## Device Pin Description



NOTE 4: Leave pin 1 unconnected on the 5082-7240.

## Electrical/Optical

The HP 5082-7240 series devices utilize a monolithic GaAsP chip containing 7 segments and a decimal point for each display digit. The segments of each digit are interconnected, forming an 8 by $N$ line array, where $N$ is the number of characters in the display. Each chip is positioned under a separate element of a plastic magnifying lens, producing a magnified character height of 2.59 mm ( $0.102^{\prime \prime}$ ). Satisfactory viewing will be realized within an angle of approximately $\pm 20^{\circ}$ from the centerline of the digit. A secondary lens magnifier that will increase character height from $2.59 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.102^{\prime \prime}\right)$ to $3.56 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.140^{\prime \prime}\right)$ is available as a special product. Character encoding of the $\mathbf{7 2 4 0}$ series devices is performed by standard 7 segment decoder driver circuits.
The 5082-7240 series devices are tested for digit to digit luminous intensity matching using the circuit depicted in Figure 7. Component values are chosen to give an $I_{F}$ of 5 mA per segment at a segment $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ of 1.6 volts. This test method is preferred in order to provide the best possible simulation of the end product drive circuit, thereby insuring excellent digit to digit matching. If the device is to be driven from $V_{C C}$ potentials of less than 3.5 volts, it is recommended that the factory be contacted.

## Mechanical

The 5082-7240 series devices are constructed on a standard printed circuit board substrate. A separately molded plastic lens bar containing 9 individual magnifying elements is attached to the PC board over the digits. The device may be
mounted either by use of pins which may be soldered into the plate through holes at the connector edge of the board or by insertion into a standard PC board connector.

The devices may be soldered for up to 3 seconds per tab at a maximum soldering temperature of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Heat should be applied only to the edge connector tab areas of the PC board. Heating other areas of the board to temperatures in excess of $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ can result in permanent damage to the display. It is recommended that a rosin core wire solder or a low temperature deactivating flux and solid core wire solder be used in soldering operations.

## Special Cleaning Instructions

For bulk cleaning after a hand solder operation, the following process is recommended: Wash display in clean liquid Freon TP-35 or Freon TE-35 solvent for a time period up to 2 minutes maximum. Air dry for a sufficient length of time to allow solvent to evaporate from beneath display lens. Maintain solvent temperature below $30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(86^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$. Methanol, isopropanol, or ethanol may be used for hand cleaning at room temperature. Water may be used for hand cleaning if it is not permitted to collect under display lens.

Solvent vapor cleaning at elevated temperatures is not recommended as such processes will damage display lens. Ketones, esters, aromatic and chlorinated hydrocarbon solvents will also damage display lens. Alcohol base active rosin flux mixtures should be prevented from coming in contact with display lens.


Figure 7. Circuit Diagram used for Testing the Luminous Intensity of the HP 5082-7240

## Features

- LARGE 4.45mm (.175") CHARACTER HEIGHT
- LOW POWER

Satisfactory Readability can be Achieved with
Drive Currents as Low as $\mathbf{1 . 0 - 1 . 5 m A}$ Average per Segment Depending on Peak Current Levels

- MOS COMPATIBLE

Can be Driven Directly from MOS Circuits

- COMPACT INFORMATION DISPLAY
$5.84 \mathrm{~mm}(.23$ ") Digit Spacing Yields Over 4 Characters per Inch.
- HIGH AMBIENT READABILITY

High Sterance Emitting Areas Mean Excellent Readability in High Ambient Light Conditions

- HIGH LEGIBILITY AND NUMBER RECOGNITION
High On/Off Contrast and Fine Line Segments Improve Viewer Recognition of the Displayed Number
- UNIFORM ALIGNMENT

Excellent Alignment is Assured by Design

- MATCHED BRIGHTNESS

Provides Uniform Light Output from Digit to Digit on a Single PC Board

- EASY MOUNTING

Flexible Mounting in Desired Position with Edge Connectors or Soldered Wires


## Description

The HP 5082-7265, 7275, 7285, and 7295 displays are 4.45 mm (.175") seven segment GaAsP numeric indicators mounted in 5 or 15 digit configurations on a PC Board. The monolithic light emitting diode character is magnified by the integral lens which increases both character size and luminous intensity, thereby making low power consumption possible. Options include both a right hand decimal point and centered decimal version for improved legibility. The digits are mounted on $5.84 \mathrm{~mm}(230 \mathrm{mil})$ centers.

These displays are attractive for applications such as digital instruments, desk top calculators, avionics and automobile displays, P.O.S. terminals, in-plant control equipment, and other products requiring low power, display compactness, readability in high ambients, or highly legible, long lifetime numerical displays.

## Device Selection Guide

| Digits Per PC Board | Configuration |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Part } \\ & \text { No. } \\ & 5082 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Device | Package | Character |  |
| 5 |  | (Figure 5) | Center Decimal Point <br> (Figure 7) | 7265 |
| 15 |  | (Figure 6) | Center Decimal Point <br> (Figure 7) | 7275 |
| 5 |  | (Figure 5) | Right Decimal Point (Figure 7) | 7285 |
| 15 |  | (Figure 6) | Right Decimal Point <br> (Figure 7) | 7295 |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | symbol | W2, Mn. ${ }^{\text {a }}$, | K6, whe | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current per Segment or DP (Duration $<35 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ ) | IPEAK |  | $200 \%$ | . |
| Average Current per Segment or DP ${ }^{(1)}$ | IAya |  | \% | \% mA |
| Power Dissipation per Digit ${ }^{(2)}$ | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{\text {c }}$ | W, way | 1-1428Ex |  |
| Operating Temperature, Ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | - \% $20.4 \times 1$ |  |  |
| Storage Temperature | Ts | - 28 | \% 480 | ${ }_{5}$ |
| Reverse Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | , | What 5 | $V$ |
| Solder Temperature at connector edge $(\$ \leqslant 3 \mathrm{sec})^{(3)}$ |  |  | $\text { E } 280{ }^{2} 5$ | $8$ |

NOTES: 1. Derate linearly at $0.12 \mathrm{~mA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient.
2. Derate linearly at $2.3 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient.
3. See Mechanical section for recommended soldering techniques and flux removal solvents.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | T Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment or dp (Time Averaged) 15 digit display 5082-7275, 5082-7295 (4,6) | 1. | $l_{\text {avg }}=2 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> ( 30 mA Peak <br> $1 / 15$ duty cycle) | $30$ | $\square$ |  | ucd |
| Luminous Intensity/Segment or dp (Time Averaged) 5 digit display 5082-7265, 5082-7285 ${ }^{(4,6)}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {s }}$ | $\mathrm{l}_{\text {avg }}=2 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> ( 10 mA Peak <br> $1 / 5$ duty cycle) | $30$ | $70$ |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Forward Voltage per Segment or dp 5082-7275, 5082-7295 15 digit display | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=30 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 160 | 2.23 | V |
| Forward Voltage per Segment or dp 5082-7265, 5082-7285 5 digit display | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{IF}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | $x$ | $155$ | $20$ | $V$ |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {Peak }}$ |  |  | 1865 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(5)}$ | $\lambda_{d}$ |  | - | 640 |  | nm |
| Reverse Current per Segment or dp | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | \% | 100 | $\square M A$ |
| Temperature Coefficient of Forward Voltage | $\triangle \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  | $20$ |  | $\mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

NOTES: 4. The luminous intensity at a specific ambient temperature, $\operatorname{lv}\left(T_{A}\right)$, may be calculated from this relationship: $\operatorname{IV}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)={\operatorname{IV}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)}(.985)^{\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)}$
5. The dominant wavelength $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the C.I.E. Chromaticity Diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
6. Operation at peak currents of less than 6.0 mA is not recommended.


Figure 1. Peak Forward Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage.


Figure 2. Typical Time Averaged Luminous Intensity per Segment vs. Average Current per Segment.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Ambient Temperature at Fixed Current Level.

## Electrical

The HP 5082-7265, 7275, 7285, and 7295 devices utilize a seven segment monolithic GaAsP chip. The 5082-7285 and 7295 devices use a separate decimal point chip located to the right of each digit. The 5082-7265 and 7275 devices use a centered decimal point on the monolithic seven segment chip. The centered decimal point version improves the displays readability by dedicating an entire digit position to distinguishing the decimal point. In the driving scheme for the centered decimal point version the decimal point is treated as a separate character with its own time frame.

The segments and decimal points of each digit are interconnected, forming an 8 by N line array, where N is the number of characters in the display. Character encoding is performed by standard 7 segment decoder driver circuits. A detailed discussion of display circuits and drive techniques appears in Applications Note 937.

These devices are tested for digit to digit luminous intensity using the circuit depicted in Figure 8. Component values are chosen to give a Peak $I_{F}$ of 10 mA per segment for the 5 digit displays and 30 mA per segment for the 15 digit displays. This test method is preferred in order to provide the best possible simulation of the end product drive circuit, thereby ensuring excellent digit to digit matching. If the device is to be driven at peak currents of less than 6.0 mA , it is recommended that the HP field salesman or factory be contacted.

For special product applications, the number of digits per display can be altered. It is also possible to provide a colon instead of the centered decimal point. Contact the HP field salesman or factory to discuss such special modifications.

## Optical

Each chip is positioned under a separate element of a plastic magnifying lens, producing a magnified character height of 4.45 mm (.175"). To increase vertical viewing angle the secondary cylindrical magnifier can be removed reducing character height to 3.86 mm (.152'). A filter, such as Panelgraphic 60 or 63, or Homalite 100-1600, will lower ambient reflectance and improve display contrast.


Figure 4. Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per Segment.

## Mechanical

These devices are constructed on a standard printed circuit board substrate. A separately molded plastic lens is attached to the PC board over the digits. The lens is an acrylic styrene material that gives good optical lens performance, but is subject to scratching so care should be exercised in handling.

The device may be mounted either by use of pins which may be hand soldered into the plated through holes at the connector edge of the PC board or by insertion into a standard PC board connector. The devices may be hand soldered for up to 3 seconds per tab at a maximum soldering temperature of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Heat should be applied only to the edge connector tab areas of the PC board. Heating other areas of the board to temperatures in excess of $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ can result in permanent damage to the display. It is recommended that a rosin core wire solder or a low temperature deactivating flux and solid wire solder be used in soldering operations.
The PC board is silver plated. To prevent the formation of a tarnish $\left(\mathrm{Ag}_{2} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ which could impair solderability the displays should be stored in the unopened shipping packages until they are used. Further information on the storage, handling, and cleaning of silver plated components is contained in Hewlett-Packard Application Bulletin No. 3.


Figure 5. Circuit Diagram used for Testing the Luminous Intensity.


Magnified Character Font Description

DEVICES
$5082-7265$
$5082-7275$


DEVICES
5082-7285
5082-7295


ALL DIMENSIONS IN MILLIMETERS AND (INCHES).
NOTE 1. Bonding Option for Colon Instead of Decimal Point. See Electrical Section.

Device Pin Description

| $\begin{array}{ll}  & 5082-7265 \\ \text { Pin } & 5082-7285 \\ \text { No. } & \text { Function } \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5082-7275 \\ & 5082-7295 \\ & \text { Function } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Anode Segment b | Cathode Digit 1 |
| 2. Anode Segment g | Cathode Digit 2 |
| 3 Anode Segment e | Cathode Digit 3 |
| 4 Cathode Digit 1 | Cathode Digit 4 |
| 5. Cathode Digit 2 | Anode Segment dp |
| 6 - Cathode Digit 3 | Cathode Digit 5 |
| 7. Cathode Digit 4 | Anode Segment $C$ |
| 8 Cathode Digit 5 | Cathode Digit 6 |
| 9 Cathode Digit 6 | Anode Segment e |
| 10 Cathode Digit 7 | Cathode Digit 7 |
| 11 Anode Segment dp | Anode Segment a |
| 12. : Anode Segment d | Cathode Digit 8 |
| 13 : Anode Segment c | Anode Segment g |
| 14. Anode Segment a | Cathode Digit 9 |
| 15. $\because$ Anode Segment f | Anode Segment a |
| $16 \ldots$ Ande | Cathode Digit 10 |
| $\therefore 17$ | Anode Segment f |
| 18 | Cathode Digit 11 |
| 19 | Anode Segment b |
| 20 | Cathode Digit 12 |
| 21 | Cathode Digit 13 |
| 22 | Cathode Digit 14 |
| 23 | Cathode Digit 15 |

Figure 8.

# NUMERIC and HEXADECIMAL INDICATORS 

## Features

- NUMERIC 5082-7300/-7302 • HEXADECIMAL 5082-7340
$0-9$, Test State, Minus $\quad 0-9$, A-F, Base 16 Sign, Blank States Decimal Point 7300 Right Hand D.P. 7302 Left Hand D.P. Operation Blanking Control, Conserves Power No Decimal Point
- DTL/TTL COMPATIBLE
- INCLUDES DECODER/DRIVER WITH 5 BIT MEMORY 8421 Positive Logic Input
- $4 \times 7$ DOT MATRIX ARRAY

Shaped Character, Excellent Readibility

- STANDARD . 600 INCH x $\mathbf{~} 400$ INCH DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE INCLUDING CONTRAST FILTER
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY Assures Uniformity of Light Output from Unit to Unit within a Single Category


## Description

The HP 5082-7300 series solid state numeric and hexadecimal indicators with on-board decoder/driver and memory provide a reliable, low-cost method for displaying digital information.
The 5082-7300 numeric indicator decodes positive 8421 BCD logic inputs into characters $0-9$, a " - " sign, a test pattern, and four blanks in the invalid BCD states, The unit employs a right-hand decimal point. Typical applications include point-of-sale terminals, instrumentation, and computer systems.


The 5082-7302 is the same as the 5082-7300, except that the decimal point is located on the left-hand side of the digit.
The 5082-7340 hexadecimal indicator decodes positive 8421 logic inputs into 16 states, 0-9 and A-F. In place of the decimal point an input is provided for blanking the display (all LED's off), without losing the contents of the memory. Applications include terminals and computer systems using the base-16 character set.
The 5082-7304 is a $\pm 1$.) overrange character, including decimal point, used in instrumentation applications.

## Package Dimensions



| PIN | FUNCTION |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 5082-7300 <br> and 7302 <br> Numeric | 5082-7340 <br> Hexadecimal |
| 1 | Input 2 | Input 2 |
| 2 | Input 4 | Input 4 |
| 3 | Input 8 | Input 8 |
| 4 | Decimal point | Blanking control |
| 5 | Latch enable | Latch enable |
| 6 | Ground | Ground |
| 7 | $V_{c c}$ | $V_{c c}$ |
| 8 | Input 1 | Input 1 |

NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimetres and (inches).
2. Unless otherwise specified, the tolerance on all dimensions is $\pm .38 \mathrm{~mm}\left( \pm .015^{\prime \prime}\right)$
3. Digit center line is $\pm .25 \mathrm{~mm}\left( \pm .01^{\prime \prime}\right)$ from package center line.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unlt |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage temperature, ambient | Ts | -40 | +100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating temperature, case ${ }^{(1,2)}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{c}}$ | -20 | +85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Supply voltage ${ }^{(3)}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {cc }}$ | -0.5 | +7.0 | V |
| Voltage applied to input logic, dp and enable pins | $V_{1}, V_{\text {D }}, V_{E}$ | -0.5 | $+7.0$ | $V$ |
| Voltage applied to blanking input ${ }^{177}$ | $V_{B}$ | -0.5 | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ | V |
| Maximum solder temperature at 1.59 mm (.062 inch) below seating plane; $t \leqslant 5$ seconds |  |  | 230 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | $V_{c c}$ | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | V |
| Operating temperature, case | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{c}}$ | -20 |  | +85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Enable Pulse Width | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{w}}$ | 120 |  |  | nsec |
| Time data must be held before positive transition <br> of enable line | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {serup }}$ | 50 |  |  | nsec |
| Time data must be held after positive transition <br> of enable line | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {HoLD }}$ | 50 |  |  | nsec |
| Enable pulse rise time | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{TLH}}$ |  |  | 200 | nsec |

Electrical/Optical Characteristics $\left(T_{c}=-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise specified).

| Description | Symbol | Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{\text {(4) }}$ | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current | lcc | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ (Numeral 5 and dp lighted) |  | 112 | 170 | mA |
| Power dissipation | PT |  |  | 560 | 935 | mW |
| Luminous intensity per LED (Digit average) ${ }^{(5,6)}$ | Iv | $V_{c c}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{c}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 32 | 70 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Logic low-level input voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IL}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Logic high-level input voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IH }}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | V |
| Enable low-voltage; data being entered | $V_{\text {EL }}$ |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Enable high-voltage; data not being entered | $V_{\text {EH }}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | V |
| Blanking low-voltage; display not blanked ${ }^{\text {(7) }}$ | $V_{B L}$ |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Blanking high-voltage; display blanked ${ }^{\text {(7) }}$ | $V_{\text {BH }}$ |  | 3.5 |  |  | V |
| Blanking low-level input current ${ }^{(7)}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{BL}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{BL}}=0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 20 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Blanking high-level input current ${ }^{(7)}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{BH}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{BH}}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 2.0 | mA |
| Logic low-level input current | IIL | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -1.6 | mA |
| Logic high-level input current | $\mathrm{IIH}^{\text {I }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{1 \mathrm{H}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | +250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Enable low-level input current | $\mathrm{IEL}_{\text {LL }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{EL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -1.6 | mA |
| Enable high-level input current | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {EH }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{EH}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | +250 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Peak wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{c}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(8)}$ | $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Weight |  |  |  | 0.8 |  | gm |

Notes: 1. Nominal thermal resistance of a display mounted in a socket which is soldered into a printed circuit board: $\Theta_{\mathrm{JA}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$;
$\Theta_{\mathrm{JC}}=15^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$; 2. $\Theta_{\mathrm{CA}}$ of a mounted display should not exceed $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ for operation up to $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. 3 . Voltage values are with respect to device ground, pin 6. 4. All typical values at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{C}}=5.0 \mathrm{Volts}, \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{c}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. 5 . These displays are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the back of the display contiguous with the Hewlett-Packard logo marking. 6. The luminous intensity at a specific case temperature, $I_{v}\left(T_{C}\right)$ may be calculated from this relationship: $I_{\mathrm{v}}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}\right)=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ e $\left[-.0188 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)\right]$ 7. Applies only to 7340.8 . The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.


Figure 1. Timing Diagram of 5082-7300 Series Logic.


Figure 4. Typical Blanking Control Input Current vs
Temperature 5082-7340.


Figure 2. Block Diagram of 5082-7300 Series Logic.


Figure 5. Typical Latch Enable Input Current vs. Voltage for the 5082-7300 Series Devices.


Figure 3. Typical Blanking Control Current vs. Voltage for 5082-7340.


Figure 6. Typical Logic and Decimal Point Input Current vs. Voltage for the 5082-7300 Series Devices. Decimal Point Applies to 5082-7300 and -7302 Only.


## Notes:

1. $H=$ Logic High; $L=$ Logic Low. With the enable input at logic high changes in BCD input logic levels or D.P. input have no effect upon display memory, displayed character, or D.P.
2. The decimal point input, DP, pertains only to the 5082-7300 and 5082-7302 displays.
3. The blanking control input, B, pertains only to the 5082-7340 hexadecimal display. Blanking input has no effect upon display memory.

## Solid State Over Range Character

For display applications requiring a $\pm$, 1 , or decimal point designation, the 5082-7304 over range character is available. This display module comes in the same package as the $5082-7300$ series numeric indicator and is completely compatible with it.

## Package Dimensions



TRUTH TABLE FOR 5082-7304

| 2. WHANACTER |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
|  | $H$ X $X$, 1 |
|  | L X X X |
|  | $X \quad H \quad X \quad X \quad X$ |
| L * Decimal Paint | $X \quad X \quad \mathbf{X}$ |
| An M Blank | L L L |

NOTES: L: Line switching transistor in Fig. 7 cutoff. H: Line switching transistor in Fig. 7 saturated. X: 'don't care'

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| O DESCRIPTION | SYMBOL | MIN | MAX | Un17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage temperature, ambien | T. | -40 | +100. | O, |
| Operating temperature, case | Te | -20 | +85 |  |
| Forwarg cutrent, aich tED | F |  | 10 | mA |
| Reverse valtage, each EED | VR |  |  |  |

RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

|  | SYMEOL | MIN | NOM | MAX | UNIT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lep aupply votkege Comat | Vec | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5,5 | V |
| Forwh ra current each LED | 12 |  | 6.0 | 10 | OAA |

NOTE:
LED current must be externally limited. Refer to figure 7 for recommended resistor values.


Electrical/Optical Characteristics ${ } \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ TO $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, UNLLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)

| - \% DeSCRIPTION | SYMEOL | TEST CONDITIONS | WIN | FYP | MAX | UNIT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Forward Voitage per LED | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | , $15-10 \mathrm{~mA}$ | \% \% | 16 |  | V |
| Power dissipation | $P T$ | $1 \mathrm{~F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> all diodes lit |  | 250 | $320$ | mW |
| Luminous Intensity per LED (digit average) | $1 p$ | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=6 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & T_{C}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ |  | $80$ | \% ${ }^{\text {anden }}$ | Med |
| Peak wavalength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ | $T_{c}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 655. |  | nm |
| Spectral halfwidth | $\Delta \lambda_{112}$ | - $\quad \mathrm{TC}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 30 |  | mm |
| E Waight | rib | \% |  | \% 0.8 |  | gm |

# NUMERIC AND HEXADECIMAL DISPLAYS FOR INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS 

## Features

- CERAMIC/GLASS PACKAGE
- ADDED RELIABILITY
- NUMERIC 5082-7356/-7357 0-9, Test State, Minus Sign, Blank States Decimal Point

7356 Right Hand D.P. 7357 Left Hand D.P.

- HEXADECIMAL 5082-7359 0-9, A-F, Base 16 Operation Blanking Control, Conserves Power No Decimal Point
- TTL COMPATIBLE
- INCLUDES DECODER/DRIVER WITH 5 BIT MEMORY

8421 Positive Logic Input and Decimal Point

- $4 \times 7$ DOT MATRIX ARRAY Shaped Character, Excellent Readability
- STANDARD DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE
$15.2 \mathrm{~mm} \times 10.2 \mathrm{~mm}$ ( .6 inch $\times .4$ inch)
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY Assures Uniformity of Ligḥt Output from Unit to Unit within a Single Category


## Description

The HP 5082-7350 series solid state numeric and hexadecimal indicators with on-board decoder/driver and memory provide 7.4 mm ( 0.29 inch) displays for use in adverse industrial environments.
The 5082-7356 numeric indicator decodes positive 8421 BCD logic inputs into characters 0-9, a "-" sign, a test

pattern, and four blanks in the invalid BCD states. The unit employs a right-hand decimal point. Typical applications include control systems, instrumentation, communication systems and transportation equipment.
The 5082-7357 is the same as the 5082-7356 except that the decimal point is located on the left-hand side of the digit.
The 5082-7359 hexadecimal indicator decodes positive 8421 logic inputs into 16 states, 0-9 and A-F. In place of the decimal point an input is provided for blanking the display (all LED's off), without losing the contents of the memory. Applications include terminals and computer systems using the base-16 character set.
The 5082-7358 is a " $\pm 1$." overrange display, including a right hand decimal point.

## Package Dimensions




END VIEW


| PIN | FUNCTION |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  | S082-7356 <br> AND 7357 <br> NUMERIC | SO82.7359 <br> HEXA. <br> DECIMAL |
|  | Input 2 | Input 2 |
| 2 | Input 4 | Input 4 |
| 3 | Input 8 | Input 8 |
| 4 | Decimal <br> point | Blanking <br> contral |
| 5 | Latch <br> enable | Latch <br> enable |
| 6 | Ground | Ground |
| 7 | VCC | VCC |
| 8 | Input 1 | Input 1 |

## NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimetres and (inches).
2. Unless otherwise specified, the tolerance on all dimensions is $\pm .38 \mathrm{~mm}\left( \pm .015^{\prime \prime}\right)$
3. Digit center line is $\pm .25 \mathrm{~mm}$ ( $\pm .01^{\prime \prime}$ ) from package center line.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings



## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Description | - Symbol | Min: | Nom | Max. | Unlt |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Vcck | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | $V$ |
| Operating temperature ambleit ${ }^{\text {a }}$, \% \% | T, | 0 | \%-2. | + +70 | c |
|  | W6\% | 100 |  |  | nsec |
| Time data must be held betore positive transition of enable line | tsetup | 50 |  |  | nsec |
| Time data must be held after positive transition of enable line | THOLD | 50 |  |  | nsec |
| Enable pulse rise time | tra |  |  | 200 | nsec |

Electrical/Optical Characteristics $\left(T_{A}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise specified).

| Description | Symbol | T. Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{(4)}$ | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current | Icc | Vce 55.5 Numeral |  | 112 | 170 | mA |
| Power dissipation | $\mathrm{P}_{\text {T }}$ | 5 and dp lighted) |  | 560 | 935 | mW |
| Luminous intensity per LED (Digit average) ${ }^{(5,6)}$ | 1 | $V_{c c}=5.0 V 1 T^{\circ}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 40 | 85 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Logic low-level input voltage | $V_{\text {IL }}$ |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Logic high-level input voltage | $V_{\text {IH }}$ | $\text { evon } 5$ | 2.0 |  |  | V |
| Enable low-voltage; data being entered | $\mathrm{VE}^{2}$ | $\text { vocu } 5$ | , . |  | 0.8 | V |
| Enable high-voltage data not being entered | $V_{1}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | $V$ |
| Blanking low-voltage, oficplay not blanked ${ }^{\text {oh }}$ | $h_{10}$ |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Blanking high-voltage display blanked () | $V_{\mathrm{Bg}}$ |  | 3.5 |  |  | V |
| Blanking low-level input current ${ }^{(7)}$ | lie |  |  |  | 50 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Blanking high-level Input current ${ }^{(7)}$. | $\mathrm{HBH}^{\text {B }}$ | $V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, V_{\mathrm{BH}}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1.0 | mA |
| Logic low-level input current | If | $V_{c c}=5.5 V^{\prime} V_{\text {di }}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | $-1.6$ | mA |
| Logic high-level input current | 1 相 | $\mathrm{V}_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}_{i} \mathrm{~V}_{1 H}=2,4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | $+100$ | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Enable low-level input current | IEL | $V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{EL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -1.6 | mA |
| Enable high-level input current | IEH: | $\mathrm{VCC}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}_{,} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EH}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | $+130$ | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Peak wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(8)}$ | $\lambda_{d}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $\cdots$ | 640 |  | nm |
| Weight |  | $\therefore$, m, |  | 1.0 |  | gm |

Notes: 1. Nominal thermal resistance of a display mounted in a socket which is soldered into a printed circuit board: $\Theta_{\mathrm{JA}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$; $\Theta_{\mathrm{JC}}=15^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$; 2. $\Theta_{\mathrm{CA}}$ of a mounted display should not exceed $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ for operation up to $T_{\mathrm{A}}=+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. 3. Voltage values are with respect to device ground, pin 6. 4. All typical values at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{Volts}, \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. 5 . These displays are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the back of the display contiguous with the Hewlett-Packard logo marking. 6. The luminous intensity at a specific ambient temperature, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)$, may be calculated from this relationship: $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)}(.985)\left[{ }^{[ } \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right]$ 7. Applies only to 7359. 8. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{\mathrm{d}}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.


Figure 1. Timing Diagram of 5082-7350 Series Logic.


Figure 2. Block Diagram of 5082-7350 Series Logic.

| TRUTH TABLE |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BCDDATA ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | .5082.7356/7357 | . 5082.7359 |
| $\mathrm{X}_{8}$ | $\mathrm{X}_{4}$ | $\mathrm{X}_{2}$ | $\mathrm{X}_{1}$ |  |  |
| L | 1 | : 1 | 1 | $\left.\because\right\|^{*}$ | "10 |
| $t$ | L | L.' | H | $\begin{array}{r}1 \\ -\quad 1 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\therefore \quad \frac{1}{1}$ |
| -L | L | H | L | (1) $\begin{array}{r}* \\ 3\end{array}$ | \% |
| L | L | " H | H | $\cdots$ |  |
| $L$ | $\bigcirc$ | $t$ | $L$ |  | $\cdots$ |
| $L$ | "H | : | , H | $\cdots{ }^{\text {\% }}$ \% | \%', <br> \% |
| 1. | H | $\therefore \mathrm{H}$ | L | 象 | 为 |
| $L$ | $\mathrm{H}^{\prime}$ | H: | H | $\cdots{ }^{\circ}$ | $\stackrel{\square}{4}$ |
| - H | $4{ }^{*}$ | , L. | $b$ |  |  |
| : H: | 1 | L | $\because \mathrm{H}$ |  | \% |
| H | $\cdots$ | $\therefore$ H | 4 | \% | ! |
| H | 1. | \% | H | (BLANK) | \% |
| H | H. | L | $\therefore \mathrm{L}$ | (BLANK) | +"'n |
| H | H | L | ${ }^{+} \mathrm{H}$ | *** | +1 |
| H | H | H: | L' | (BLANK) | \% |
| H | H | H | H | $\therefore$ (BLANK) | \% |
| DECIMAL PT, ${ }^{\text {[2] }}$ |  |  | ON $\mathrm{V}^{\text {dP }}{ }^{*} \mathrm{~L}$ |  |  |
|  |  |  | Off |  | $V_{\text {DP }}=H$ |
| ENABLE ${ }^{\text {f1] }}$ |  |  | LOAD DATA |  | $V_{E} \pm \underline{L}$ |
|  |  |  | LATCH DATA |  | $V_{E}=H$ |
| BLANKING ${ }^{[3]}$ |  |  | DISPLAY ON |  | $V_{B}=L$ |
|  |  |  | DISPLAY.OFF |  | $\mathrm{VB}=H$ |

Notes:

1. $H=$ Logic High; $L=$ Logic Low. With the enable input at logic high changes in BCD input logic levels or D.P. input have no effect upon display memory, displayed character, or D.P.
2. The decimal point input, DP, pertains only to the 5082-7356 and 5082-7357 displays.
3. The blanking control input, B, pertains only to the 5082-7359 hexadecimal display. Blanking input has no effect upon display memory.


Figure 3. Typical Blanking Control Current vs. Voltage for 50827359.


Figure 4. Typical Blanking Control Input Current vs. Ambient Temperature for 5082-7359.


Figure 5. Typical Latch Enable Input Current vs. Voltage.


Figure 6. Typical Logic and Decimal Point Input Current vs. Voltage.


Figure 7. Typical Logic and Enable Low Input Current vs. Ambient Temperature.


Figure 8. Typical Logic and Enable High Input Current vs. Amblent Temperature.

## Operational Considerations

## ELECTRICAL

The 5082-7350 series devices use a modified $4 \times 7$ dot matrix of light emitting diodes (LED's) to display decimal/hexadecimal numeric information. The LED's are driven by constant current drivers. BCD information is accepted by the display memory when the enable line is at logic low and the data is latched when the enable is at logic high. To avoid the latching of erroneous information, the enable pulse rise time should not exceed 200 nanoseconds. Using the enable pulse width and data setup and hold times listed in the Recommended Operating Conditions allows data to be clocked into an array of displays at a 6.7 MHz rate.
The blanking control input on the 5082-7395 display blanks (turns off) the displayed hexadecimal information without disturbing the contents of display memory. The display is blanked at a minimum threshold level of 3.5 volts. This may be easily achieved by using an open collector TTL gate and a pull-up resistor. For example, (1/6) 7416 hexinverter buffer/driver and a 120 ohm pull-up resistor will provide sufficient drive to blank eight displays. The size of the blanking pull-up resistor may be calculated from the following formula, where $N$ is the number of digits:

$$
R_{\text {blank }}=\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}-3.5 \mathrm{~V}\right) /[\mathrm{N}(1.0 \mathrm{~mA})]
$$

The decimal point input is active low true and this data is latched into the display memory in the same fashion as is the BCD data. The decimal point LED is driven by the onboard IC.

## MECHANICAL

These hermetic displays are designed for use in adverse industrial environments.

These displays may be mounted by soldering directly to a printed circuit board or inserted into a socket. The lead-to-lead pin spacing is 2.54 mm ( 0.100 inch) and the lead row spacing is 15.24 mm ( 0.600 inch). These displays may be end stacked with 2.54 mm ( 0.100 inch) spacing between outside pins of adjacent displays. Sockets such as Augat 324-AG2D (3 digits) or Augat 508-AG8D (one digit, right angle mounting) may be used.

The primary thermal path for power dissipation is through the device leads. Therefore, to insure reliable operation up to an ambient temperature of $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, it is important to maintain a case-to-ambient thermal resistance of less than $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /$ watt as measured on top of display pin 3.

Post solder cleaning may be accomplished using water, Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for vapor cleaning processing (up to 2 minutes in vapors at boiling). or Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for room temperature cleaning. Suggested solvents: Freon TF, Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15, Genesolv DE-15.

## CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

The 5082-7350 displays have been designed to provide the maximum posible ON/OFF contrast when placed behind an appropriate contrast enhancement filter. Some suggested filters are Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60 and Dark Red 63, SGL Homalite H100-1605, 3M Light Control Film and Polaroid HRCP Red Circular Polarizing Filter. For further information see Hewlett-Packard Application Note 964.

## Solid State Over Range Character

For display applications requiring a $\pm$, 1 , or decimal point designation, the 5082-7358 over range character is available. This display module comes in the same package as the 5082-7350 series numeric indicator and is completely compatible with it.

## Package Dimensions




Figure 9. Typical Driving Circuit.

TRUTH TABLE

| CHARACTER | PIN |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2,3 | 4 | 8 |
|  | $H$ | $X$ | $X$ | $H$ |
| - | $L$ | $X$ | $X$ | $H$ |
| Decimal Point | $X$ | $H$ | $X$ | $X$ |
| Blank | $L$ | $L$ | $H$ | $X$ |
|  | $L$ | $L$ |  |  |

NOTES: L: Line switching transistor in Figure 9 cutoff.
H : Line switching transistor in Figure 9 saturated.
X: 'Don't care'

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics

5082-7358 $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Unless Otherwise Specified)

| DESCRIPTION | SYMBOL | TEST CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Forward Voltage per LED | $V_{F}$ | $\therefore I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V |
| Power dissipation | $P_{\text {T }}$ | $t_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ all diodes fit |  | 280 | 320 | mW |
| Luminous Intensity per LED (digit average) | $\mathrm{I}_{\nu}$ | $\begin{aligned} & T_{F}=6 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & T_{C}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | 40 | 85 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Peak wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{c}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength | $\lambda^{\text {d }}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Weight |  | - |  | 1.0 |  | gm |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

|  | SYMBOL | MIN | NOM | MAX | UNIT |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LED supply voltage | VCC $^{2}$ | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | V |
| Forward current, each LED | $I_{\text {F }}$ |  | 5.0 | 10 | MA |

NOTE:
LED current must be externally limited. Refer to Figure 9 for recommended resistor values.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| DESCRIPTION | SYMBOL | MIN. | MAX. | UNIT |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage temperature, ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{S}$ | -65 | +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating temperature, ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | -55 | +100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Forward current, each LED | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ |  | 10 | mA |
| Reverse voltage, each LED | $\mathrm{V}_{R}$ |  | 4 | V |

## Features

- RUGGED, SHOCK RESISTANT, HERMETIC
- DESIGNED TO MEET MIL STANDARDS
- INCLUDES DECODER/DRIVER BCD Inputs
- TTL/DTL COMPATIBLE
- CONTROLLABLE LIGHT OUTPUT
- $5 \times 7$ LED MATRIX CHARACTER



## Description

The HP 5082-7010 solid state numeric indicator with built-in decoder/driver provides a hermetically tested 6.8 mm ( 0.27 in .) display for use in military or adverse industrial environments. Typical applications include ground, airborne and shipboard equipment, fire control systems, medical instruments, and space flight systems.
The 5082-7010 is a modified $5 \times 7$ matrix display that indicates the numerals $0-9$ when presented with a $B C D$ code. The BCD code is negative logic with blanks
displayed for invalid codes. A left-hand decimal point is included which must be externally current limited.

The 5082-7011 is a companion plus/minus sign in the same hermetically tested package. Plus/minus indications require only that voltage be applied to two input pins.

Both displays allow luminous intensity to be varied by changing the DC drive voltage or by pulse duration modulation of the LED voltage.

## Package Dimensions



## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature, Ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{S}}$ | -65 | +100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating Temperature, Case | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}$ | -55 | +95 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Logic Supply Voltage to Ground | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | -0.5 | +7.0 | V |
| Logic Input Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{1}$ | -0.5 | +5.5 | V |
| LED Supply Voltage to Ground | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LED }}{ }^{[1]}$ | -0.5 | +5.5 | V |
| Decimal Point Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{DP}}$ |  | -10 | mA |

Note: 1. Above $T_{C}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ derate $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LED }}$ per derating curve in Figure 10.
Recommended Operating Conditions

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Logic Supply Voltage | $V_{\text {CC }}$ | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | $V$ |
| LED Supply Voltage, Display Off | $V_{\text {LED }}$ | -0.5 | 0 | +1.0 | $V$ |
| LED Supply Voltage, Display On | $V_{\text {LED }}$ | 3.0 | 4.2 | 5.5 | V |
| Decimal Point Current | IDP[2] | 0 | -5.0 | $-10.0$ | mA |
| Logic Input Voltage, "H" State | $V_{1 H}$ | 2.0 |  | 5.5 | $V$ |
| Logic Input Voltage, 'L"'State | $V_{\text {IL }}$ | 0 |  | 0.8 | $V$ |

Note: 2. Decimal point current must be externally current limited. See application information.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics

Case Temperature, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise specified

| Description | Symbol | Test Conditions |  | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{[4]}$ | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Logic Supply Current | ICC | $V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 45 | 75 | mA |
| LED Supply Current | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ILED } \\ & \text { [3] } \\ & {[5]} \end{aligned}$ | $V_{\text {CC }}$ | $V_{\text {LED }}$ |  |  |  | mA |
|  |  | 5.5 V | 5.5 V |  | 255 | 350 |  |
|  |  | 5.5 V | 4.2 V |  | 170 | 235 |  |
|  |  | 5.5 V | 3.5 V |  | 125 |  |  |
| Logic Input Current, " H " State (ea. input) | $\mathrm{I}_{1 \mathrm{H}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{I H}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Logic Input Current, "L" State (ea. input) | IIL | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{I L}=0.4 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | -1.6 | mA |
| Decimal Point Voltage Drop | $\begin{aligned} & V_{L E D} \\ & -V_{D P} \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{DP}}=-10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | V |
| Power Dissipation | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{T}}$ <br> [3] <br> [5] | VCC | VLED |  |  |  | W |
|  |  | 5.5 V | 5.5 V |  | 1.7 | 2.3 |  |
|  |  | 5.5 V | 4.2 V |  | 1.0 | 1.4 |  |
|  |  | 5.5 V | 3.5 V |  | 0.7 |  |  |
| Luminous Intensity per LED (digit avg.) | $1 \nu$ | VLED | TC |  |  |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | 5.5 V | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 60 | 115 |  |  |
|  |  | 4.2 V | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 40 | 80 |  |  |
|  |  | 3.5 V | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 50 |  |  |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ |  |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Spectral Halfwidth | $\Delta \lambda_{1 / 2}$ |  |  |  | 30 |  | nm |
| Weight |  |  |  |  | 4.9 |  | gram |

Notes: 3. With numeral 8 displayed.
4. All typical values at $T_{C}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
5. $T_{C}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{LED}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$.

Truth Table

| Character | Logic |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | X8 | X4 | X2 | X1 |  |
| 0 | H | H | H | H | \% |
| 1 | H | H | H | L | 1 |
| 2 | H | H | L | H | \% |
| 3 | H | H | L | L | \% |
| 4 | H | L | H | H | \% |
| 5 | H | L | H | L | \% |
| 6 | H | $L$ | L | H | $\cdots$ |
| 7 | H | L | 1 | $L$ |  |
| 8 | $L$ | H | H | H | \% |
| 9 | L | H | H | L | $\cdots$ |
| Blank | L | H | L | H |  |
| Blank | $L$ | H | L | $L$ |  |
| Blank | L | L | H | H |  |
| Blank | L | L | H | L |  |
| Blank | L | L | $L$ | H |  |
| Blank | $L$ | L | L | L |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & V_{I L}=0.0 \text { to } 0.8 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{I H}=2.0 \text { to } 5.5 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |



Figure 1. Equivalent input circuit of the 5082-7010 decoder. Note: Display metal case is isolated from ground pin \#6.


Figure 3. Equivalent circuit of 5082-7011 plus/minus sign. All resistors $345 \Omega$ typical. Note: Display metal case is isolated from ground pin \#6.


Figure 5. Logic " H " input current as a function of case temperature, each input.


Figure 2. Equivalent circuit of the 5082-7010 as seen from LED and decimal point drive lines.


Figure 4. Input current as a function of input voltage, each input.


Figure 6. Logic "L" input current as a function of case temperature, each input.


Figure 7. LED supply current as a function of LED supply voltage.


Figure 9. Maximum power derating as a function of case temperature.


Figure 11. Relative luminous intensity as a function of case temperature at fixed current level.


Figure 8. Luminous intensity per LED (digit average) as a function of LED supply voltage.


Figure 10. LED voltage derating as a function of case temperature.


Figure 12. LED voltage derating as a function of ambient temperature, display soldered into P.C. board without heat sink.

## Solid State Plus/Minus Sign

For display applications requiring $\pm$ designation, the 50827011 solid state plus/minus sign is available. This display module comes in the same package as the 5082-7010 numeric indicator and is completely compatible with it. Plus or minus information can be indicated by supplying voltage to one (minus sign) or two (plus sign) input leads. A third lead is provided for the ground connection. Luminous intensity is controlled by changing the LED drive voltage. Each LED has its own built-in $345 \Omega$ (nominal) current limiting resistor. Therefore, no external current limiting is required for voltages at 5.5 V or lower. Like the numeric indicator, the $\mathbf{- 7 0 1 1}$ plus/minus sign is TTL/DTL compatible.

## Electrical /Optical Characteristics

Case Temperature, $\mathbf{T}_{\mathbf{C}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise specified

| Description | Symbol | Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{[1]}$ | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LED Supply Current | LED | $V_{\text {LED }}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 105 | 150 | mA |
|  |  | $V_{\text {LED }}=4.2 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 70 | 100 |  |
| Power Dissipation | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{T}}$ | $V_{\text {LED }}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.6 | 0.9 | W |
|  |  | $V_{\text {LED }}=4.2 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.3 | 0.6 |  |
| Luminous Intensity per LED (Digit Avg.) | $l^{121}$ | $V_{\text {LED }}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ | 60 | 115 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
|  |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{LED}}=4.2 \mathrm{~V}$ | 40 | 80 |  |  |
|  |  | $V_{\text {LED }}=3.5 V$ |  | 50 |  |  |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {peak }}$ |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Spectral Halfwidth | $\Delta \lambda_{1 / 2}$ |  |  | 30 |  | nm |
| Weight | $\cdots$ | . |  | 4.9 | , | gram |

Notes: 1. All typical values at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
2. At $T_{C}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unit |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Storage Temperature, Ambient | $T_{S}$ | -65 | +100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating Temperature, Case | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}$ | -55 | +95 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Plus, Plus/Minus Input <br> Potential to Ground | V LED | -0.5 | 5.5 | V |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Unit |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LED Supply Voltage, <br> Display Off | VLED | -0.5 | 0 | 1.0 | $V$ |
| LED Supply Voltage, <br> Display On | VLED | 3.0 | 4.2 | 5.5 | V |

## Applications

## Decimal Point Limiting Resistor

The decimal point of the 5082-7010 display requires an external current limiting resistor, between pin 2 and ground. Recommended resistor value is $220 \Omega, 1 / 4$ watt.

## Mounting

The 5082-7010 and 5082-7011 displays are packaged with two rows of 4 contact pins each in a DIP configuration with a row center line spacing of 0.890 inches.

Normal mounting is directly onto a printed circuit board. If desired, these displays may be socket mounted using contact strip connectors such as Augat's 325-AGI or AMP 583773-1 or 583774-1.

## Heat Sink Operation

Optimum display case operating temperature for the 50827010 and 7011 displays is $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ as measured on back surface. Maintaining the display case operating temperature within this range may be achieved by mount-
ing the display on an appropriate heat sink or metal core printed circuit board. Thermal conducting compound such as Wakefield 120 or Dow Corning 340 can be used between display and heat sink. See figure 10 for V VED derating vs. display case temperature.

## Operation Without Heat Sink

These displays may also be operated without the use of a heat sink. The thermal resistance from case to ambient for these displays when soldered into a printed circuit board is nominally $\theta_{C A}=30^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$. See figure 12 for $V_{\text {LED }}$ derating vs. ambient temperature.

## Cleaning

Post solder cleaning may be accomplished using water, Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for vapor cleaning processing (up to 2 minutes in vapors at boiling) or Freon/ alcohol mixtures formulated for room temperature cleaning. Suggested solvents: Freon TF, Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15, Genesolv DE-15.

# HERMETIC NUMERIC AND HEXADECIMAL DISPLAYS FOR HIGH RELIABILITY APPLICATIONS 

$5082-7391$ (4N51)
5082-7392 (4N52
5082-7393 (4N63) 5082-7395 (4N54)

## Features

- PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED OVER TEMPERATURE
- HERMETICITY GUARANTEED
- TXV SCREENING AVAILABLE
- GOLD PLATED LEADS
- HIGH TEMPERATURE STABILIZED
- NUMERIC

5082-7391 Right Hand D.P. 5082-7392 Left Hand D.P.

- HEXADECIMAL 5082-7395
- TTL COMPATIBLE
- DECODER/DRIVER WITH 5 BIT MEMORY
- $4 \times 7$ DOT MATRIX ARRAY

Shaped Character, Excellent Readability

- STANDARD DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY

Assures Uniformity of Light Output from Unit to Unit within a Single Category

## Description

The HP 5082-7390 series solid state numeric and hexadecimal indicators with on-board decoder/driver and memory are hermetically tested 7.4 mm ( 0.29 inch) displays for use in military and aerospace applications.
The 5082-7391 numeric indicator decodes positive 8421 BCD logic inputs into characters 0-9, a "-" sign, a test

pattern, and four blanks in the invalid BCD states. The unit employs a right-hand decimal point. Typical applications include control systems, instrumentation, communication systems and transportation equipment.
The 5082-7392 is the same as the 5082-7391 except that the decimal point is located on the left-hand side of the digit.
The 5082-7395 hexadecimal indicator decodes positive 8421 logic inputs into 16 states, $0-9$ and A-F. In place of the decimal point an input is provided for blanking the display (all LED's off), without losing the contents of the memory. Applications include terminals and computer systems using the base-16 character set.
The 5082-7393 is a " $\pm 1$." overrange display, including a right hand decimal point.

## Package Dimensions*




END VIEW


| PIN | FUNCTION |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 5082.7391 <br> AND 7392 <br> NUMERIC | $\begin{aligned} & 5082.7395 \\ & \text { HEXA- } \\ & \text { DECIMAL } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| 1 | Input 2 | Input 2 |
| 2 | Input 4 | Input 4 |
| 3 | Imput 8 | Input 8 |
| 4 | Decimal point | Blanking control |
| 5 | Latch erable | Latch enable |
| 6 | Ground | Ground |
| 7 | $V_{\text {cc }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ |
| $\cdots$ | Input 1 | Input 1 |

## NOTES:

1. Dimensions in millimetres and (inches).
2. Unless otherwise specified, the tolerance on all dimensions is $\pm .38 \mathrm{~mm}\left( \pm .015^{\prime \prime}\right)$
3. Digit center line is $\pm .25 \mathrm{~mm}\left( \pm .01^{\prime \prime}\right)$ from package center line.
4. Lead material is gold plated copper alloy.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unit |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage temperature, ambient | $T_{\mathrm{S}}$ | -65 | +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating temperature, ambient ${ }^{(1,2)}$ | $T_{\mathrm{A}}$ | -55 | +100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Supply voltage ${ }^{(3)}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | -0.5 | +7.0 | V |
| Voltage applied to input logic, dp and enable pins | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{I},} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DP}} \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}}$ | -0.5 | +7.0 | V |
| Voltage applied to blanking input ${ }^{(7)}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ | -0.5 | V | VC |
| Maximum solder temperature at $1.59 \mathrm{~mm}(.062$ inch $)$ <br> below seating plane; $\mathrm{t} \leqslant 5$ seconds |  | 260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |

## Recommended Operating Conditions*

| Description | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {cc }}$ | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | V |
| Operating temperature, ambient ${ }^{(1,2)}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | -55 |  | $+100$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Enable Pulse Width | tw | 100 |  |  | nsec |
| Time data must be held before positive transition of enable line | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {SETUP }}$ | 50 |  |  | nsec |
| Time data must be held after positive transition of enable line | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {Hold }}$ | 50 |  |  | nsec |
| Enable pulse rise time | $t_{\text {tuh }}$ |  |  | 200 | nsec |

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics ${ }^{*} \tau_{A}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise specified)

| Description | Symbol | Test Conditions | Min. | Typ. ${ }^{(4)}$ | Max. | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current | $\mathrm{lac}^{\text {c }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ (Numeral 5 and dp lighted) |  | 112 | 170 | mA |
| Power dissipation | PT |  |  | 560 | 935 | mW |
| Luminous intensity per LED (Digit average) ${ }^{(5,6)}$ | Iv | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 40 | 85 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Logic low-level input voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IL }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Logic high-level input voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IH }}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | V |
| Enable low-voltage; data being entered | $V_{\text {el }}$ |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Enable high-voltage; data not being entered | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EH}}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | V |
| Blanking low-voltage; display not blanked ${ }^{77}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{BL}}$ |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Blanking high-voltage; display blanked (7) | $V_{B H}$ |  | 3.5 |  | . | V |
| Blanking low-level input current ${ }^{(7)}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {BL }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{BL}}=0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 50 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Blanking high-level input current ${ }^{(7)}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{BH}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{BH}}=4.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1.0 | mA |
| Logic low-level input current | IIL | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {CC }}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -1.6 | mA |
| Logic high-level input current | $\mathrm{I}_{1 \mathrm{H}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IH}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | +100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Enable low-level input current | $\mathrm{IEL}^{\text {L }}$ | $V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{E L}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -1.6 | mA |
| Enable high-level input current | IEH | $V_{C C}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{EH}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | +130 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Peak wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(8)}$ | $\lambda_{d}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Weight ** |  |  |  | 1.0 |  | gm |
| Leak Rate |  |  |  |  | $5 \times 10^{-7}$ | $\mathrm{cc} / \mathrm{sec}$ |

Notes: 1. Nominal thermal resistance of a display mounted in a socket which is soldered into a printed circuit board: $\Theta_{\mathrm{JA}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}^{\prime}$; $\Theta_{\mathrm{JC}}=15^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$. 2. $\Theta_{\mathrm{CA}}$ of a mounted display should not exceed $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ for operation up to $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. 3 . Voltage values are with respect to device ground, pin 6. 4. All typical values at $V_{C C}=5.0$ Volts, $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. 5 . These displays are categorized for luminous intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter located on the back of the display contiguous with the Hewlett-Packard logo marking. 6. The luminous intensity at a specific ambient temperature, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)$, may be calculated from this relationship: $\operatorname{lv}_{\mathrm{V}}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)}(.985)\left[\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right]$ 7. Applies only to 7395. 8. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
*JEDEC Registered Data. **Non Registered Data.


Figure 1．Timing Diagram of 5082－7390 Series Logic．


Figure 2．Block Diagram of 5082－7390 Series Logic．

| TAUTH TABLE |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BCD DATA |  |  |  | 5082－7391／7392 | 5082－7396 |
| $x^{3}$ | $\mathrm{X}_{4}$ | ${ }^{2}$ | $\mathrm{X}_{1}$ |  |  |
| $\cdots$ | 1 | $\because \mathrm{L}$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\cdots$ | \％ |
| 成 | L | L． | $\because H$ | 1 | \％ |
| $\underline{1}$ | \％ | $\mathrm{H}^{\text {¢ }}$ | $\because$ ！ | $\because$ |  |
| $L$ | \％ | H | H | $\bigcirc$ | 等 |
| 1 | ＂－M | 1 | $L$ | \％ | 4 |
| L | H | L． | H | $\cdots$ | \％ |
| 1. | 事。 | H | 4 | － | \％ |
| ご | H | $H$ | ＂${ }^{\prime}$ | $\cdots$ |  |
| \％ | it | 1. | －L． | （\％） | \％ |
| H | 趈 | $\because 4$ | H | \％ | \％ |
| $\therefore \mathrm{H}$ | 1 | H | 1 | \％ | $\cdots$ |
| H | 4 | H | H | （BLANK） | ？ |
| H | H | 1 | L． | （BLANK） | \％ |
| H： | H | 1 | H | ．．．． | ＋10 |
| H | H | H | $L$ | （8LANK） | ＋＂\％ |
| H | H | H | H | （BLANK） | ＋ |
| DECIMAL PT，${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  | ON |  | $V_{\text {DP }}=1$ |
|  |  |  | OFF |  | $V_{\text {DP }}{ }^{\text {a }}$＝ H |
|  | ENABLE［1］ |  | LOAD DATA |  | $V_{E}=\mathrm{L}$ |
|  |  |  | LATCH DATA |  | $V_{E}=\mathrm{H}$ |
| BLANKING ${ }^{[3]}$ |  |  | DISPLAY－ON |  | $V_{\text {E }}=L$ |
|  |  |  | DISPLAY－OFF |  | $V_{B}=H$ |

Notes：
1．$H=$ Logic High；$L=$ Logic Low．With the enable input at logic high changes in BCD input logic levels or D．P．input have no effect upon display memory，displayed character，or D．P．
2．The decimal point input，DP，pertains only to the 5082－7391 and 5082－7392 displays．
3．The blanking control input，B，pertains only to the 5082－7395 hexadecimal display．Blanking input has no effect upon display memory．


Figure 3．Typical Blanking Control Current vs．Voltage for 5082－ 7395.


Figure 4．Typical Blanking Control Input Current vs．Ambient Temperature for 5082－7395．


Figure 5．Typical Latch Enable Input Current vs．Voltage．


Figure 6. Typical Logic and Decimal Point Input Current vs. Voltage.


Figure 7. Typical Logic and Enable Low Input Current vs. Amblent Temperature.


Figure 8. Typical Logic and Enable High Input Current vs. Ambient Temperature.

## Operational Considerations

## ELECTRICAL

The 5082-7390 series devices use a modified $4 \times 7$ dot matrix of light emitting diodes (LED's) to display decimal/hexadecimal numeric information. The LED's are driven by constant current drivers. BCD information is accepted by the display memory when the enable line is at logic low and the data is latched when the enable is at logic high. To avoid the latching of erroneous information, the enable pulse rise time should not exceed 200 nanoseconds. Using the enable pulse width and data setup and hold times listed in the Recommended Operating Conditions allows data to be clocked into an array of displays at a 6.7 MHz rate.
The blanking control input on the 5082-7395 display blanks (turns off) the displayed hexadecimal information without disturbing the contents of display memory. The display is blanked at a minimum threshold level of 3.5 volts. This may be easily achieved by using an open collector TTL gate and a pull-up resistor. For example, (1/6) 7416 hexinverter buffer/driver and a 120 ohm pull-up resistor will provide sufficient drive to blank eight displays. The size of the blanking pull-up resistor may be calculated from the following formula, where N is the number of digits:

$$
R_{\text {blank }}=\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}-3.5 \mathrm{~V}\right) /[\mathrm{N}(1.0 \mathrm{~mA})]
$$

The decimal point input is active low true and this data is latched into the display memory in the same fashion as is the BCD data. The decimal point LED is driven by the onboard IC.

## MECHANICAL

5082-7390 series displays are hermetically tested for use in environments which require a high reliability device. These displays are designed and tested to meet a helium leak rate of $5 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{cc} / \mathrm{sec}$ and a standard dye penetrant gross leak test.

These displays may be mounted by soldering directly to a printed circuit board or inserted into a socket. The lead-to-lead pin spacing is $2.54 \mathrm{~mm}(0.100 \mathrm{inch})$ and the lead row spacing is 15.24 mm ( 0.600 inch). These displays may be end stacked with 2.54 mm ( 0.100 inch) spacing between outside pins of adjacent displays. Sockets such as Augat 324-AG2D (3 digits) or Augat 508-AG8D (one digit, right angle mounting) may be used.
The primary thermal path for power dissipation is through the device leads. Therefore, to insure reliable operation up to an ambient temperature of $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, it is important to maintain a case-to-ambient thermal resistance of less than $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /$ watt as measured on top of display pin 3.
Post solder cleaning may be accomplished using water, Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for vapor cleaning processing (up to 2 minutes in vapors at boiling) or Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for room temperature cleaning. Suggested solvents: Freon TF, Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15, Genesolv DE-15.

## PRECONDITIONING

5082-7390 series displays are 100\% preconditioned by 24 hour storage at $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

## CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

The 5082-7390 displays have been designed to provide the maximum posible ON/OFF contrast when placed behind an appropriate contrast enhancement filter. Some suggested filters are Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60 and Dark Red 63, SGL Homalite H100-1605, 3M Light Control Film and Polaroid HRCP Red Circular Polarizing Filter. For further information see Hewlett-Packard Application Note 964.

## High Reliability Test Program

Hewlett-Packard provides standard high reliability test programs, patterned after MIL-M-38510 in order to facilitate the use of HP products in military programs.
HP offers two levels of high reliability testing:
The TXV prefix indentifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table 1.

The TXVB prefix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table 1, and comes from a lot which has been subjected to the Group B tests described in Table 2.

| Standard Product | With TXV Screening | Plus Group B |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PREFERRED PART NUMBER SYSTEM |  |  |
| 4N51 | 4N51TXV | 4N51TXVB |
| 4N52 | 4N52TXV | 4N52TXVB |
| 4N54 | 4N54TXV | 4N54TXVB |
| 4N53 | 4N53TXV | 4N53TXVB |
| ALTERNATE PART NUMBER SYSTEM |  |  |
| $5082-7391$ | TXV-7391 | TXVB-7391 |
| $5082-7392$ | TXV-7392 | TXVB-7392 |
| $5082-7395$ | TXV-7395 | TXVB-7395 |
| $5082-7393$ | TXV-7393 | TXVB-7393 |

Table 1. TXV Preconditioning and Screening - 100\%.

| Examination or Test | MIL-STD-883 Methods | Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 Internal Visual Inspection | HP Procedure A-5956-7572-52 | ' |
|  |  | Per Electrical/Optical Characterstics. |
| 3. High Temperature Storage | 1008 | $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 168$ hours. |
| 4. Temperature Cycling | 1010 | $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 10$ cycles. |
| 5. Acceleration | 2001 | $2.000 \mathrm{G}, \mathrm{Y}_{1}$ orientation. |
| 6, Helium Leak Test | 1014 | Condition A |
| 7. Gross Leak Test | 1014 | Condition D |
| 8. Electrical Test: Same as Step 2 |  |  |
| 9. Burn-in | 1015 | $T_{\mathrm{A}}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, t=168$ hours, at $\mathrm{V}_{c c}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and cycling through logic at 1 character per sec. |
| 10. Electrical Test as in Step 2 |  |  |
| 11. Sample Electrical Test Over Temperature: $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{C}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{BL}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{BH}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{EL}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{EH}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{HH}}$ |  | Per Electrical Characteristics, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{LTPD}=7$ |
| 12. Sample Electrical Test Over Temperature $I_{C C}, I_{B L}, I_{B H}, I_{E L}, I_{E H}, I_{1 L}, I_{\mathrm{HH}}$ |  | Per Electrical Characteristics, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{LTPD}=7$ |
| 13. External Visual | 2009 |  |

## Table 2. Group B.

| Examination or Test | MIL-STD-883 |  | LTPD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Method | Condition |  |
| Subgroup 1 <br> Physical Dimensions | 2008 | Package Dimensions per Product Outline Drawing, | 20 |
| Subgroup 2 <br> Solderability <br> Temperature Cycling <br> Thermal Shock <br> Hermetic Seal <br> Molsture Resistance <br> End Points: Electrical Test | $\begin{aligned} & 2003 \\ & 1010 \\ & 1011 \\ & 1014 \\ & 1004 \end{aligned}$ | Immersion within $0.062^{\prime \prime}$ of seating plane $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{t}=5 \mathrm{sec}$., omit aging. <br> 10 cycles $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ <br> Test Condition A <br> Condition A and Condition D <br> Omit initial conditioning. <br> Same as Step 2, Table 1. | 15 |
| Subgroup 3 <br> Shock - Non-operating <br> Vibration Variable Frequency <br> Constant Acceleration <br> End Points: Electrical Test | $\begin{aligned} & 2002 \\ & 2007 \\ & 2001 \end{aligned}$ | $1500 \mathrm{G}_{1} \mathrm{t}=0.5 \mathrm{~ms}, 5$ blows in each orientation $X_{1}, Y_{1}, Y_{2}$. Non-operating. <br> $2,000 \mathrm{G}, \mathrm{Y}_{1}$ orientation. <br> Same as Step 2, Table 1. | 15 |
| Subgroup 4 <br> Terminal Strength <br> End Points: Hermetic Seal | $\begin{aligned} & 2004 \\ & 1014 \end{aligned}$ | Test Condition B2. Condition A and Condition D | 15 |
| Subgroup 5 Salt Atmosphere | 1009 | Test Condition A | 15 |
| Subgroup 6 <br> High Temperature Life <br> End Points: Electrical Test | : 1008 | $T_{A}=125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, non-operating, $t=1000$ hours. Same as Step 2, Table 1. | $\lambda=7$ |
| Subgroup 7 <br> Steady State Operating Life <br> End Points: Electrical Test | 1005 | $T_{A}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, t=1000$ hours, at $V_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and cyeling through logic at 1 character per second. <br> Same as Step 2, Table 1. | $\lambda=5$ |

## Solid State Over Range Character

For display applications requiring $a \pm, 1$, or decimal point designation, the 5082-7393 over range character is available.This display module comes in the same package as the 5082-7390 series numeric indicator and is completely compatible with it.

## Package Dimensions*




Figure 9. Typical Driving Circuit.

TRUTH TABLE

| CHARACTER | PIN |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2,3 | 4 | 8 |
| + | $H$ | $X$ | $X$ | $H$ |
| - | $L$ | $X$ | $X$ | $H$ |
| 1 | $X$ | $H$ | $X$ | $X$ |
| Decimal Point | $X$ | $X$ | $H$ | $X$ |
| Blank | $L$ | $L$ | $L$ | $L$ |

NOTES: L: Line switching transistor in Figure 9 cutoff.
H : Line switching transistor in Figure 9 saturated.
X: ‘Don't care’

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics*

5082-7393 ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Unless Otherwise Specified)

| DESCRIPTION | SYMBOL | TEST CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Forward Voltage per LED | $V_{F}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ |  | 1.6 | 2.0 | $V$ |
| Power dissipation | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{T}}$ | $I_{F}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$ <br> all diodes lit |  | 280 | 320 | $\mathrm{mW}$ |
| Luminous Intensity per LED (digit average) | $I_{1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=6 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & T_{C}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | 40 | 85 | $\therefore *$ | Mcd |
| Peak wavelength | Apeak | ${ }^{T}{ }_{C}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength | $\lambda d$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Weight * * |  |  |  | 1.0 |  | 9 m |

## Recommended Operating Conditions*

|  | SYMBOL | MIN | NOM | MAX | UNIT |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| LED supply voltage | $V_{\text {CC }}$ | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | $V$ |
| Forward curtent, each LED | $I_{F}$ |  | 5.0 | 10 | MA |

## NOTE:

LED current must be externally limited. Refer to Figure 9 for recommended resistor values.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings*

| DESCRIPTION | SYMBOL | MIN. | MAX. | UNIT |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Storage temperature, ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathbf{S}}$ | -65 | +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating temperature, ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | -55 | +100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Forward current, each LED | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ |  | 10 | mA |
| Reverse voltage, each LED | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}$ |  | 4 | ${ }^{\mathbf{V}}$ |

# RED FOUR CHARACTER SOLID STATE ALPHANUMERIC DISPLAY 

## Features

- INTEGRATED SHIFT REGISTERS WITH CONSTANT CURRENT DRIVERS
- CERAMIC 7.62 mm (. 3 in.) DIP Integral Red Glass Contrast Filter
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- END STACKABLE 4 CHARACTER PACKAGE
- PIN ECONOMY

12 Pins for 4 Characters

- TTL COMPATIBLE
- 5x7 LED MATRIX DISPLAYS FULL ASCII CODE
- RUGGED, LONG OPERATING LIFE
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY

Assures Ease of Package to
Package Brightness Matching

## Description

The HP HDSP-2000 display is a 3.8 mm ( 0.15 inch ) $5 \times 7$ LED array for display of alphanumeric information. The device is available in 4 character clusters and is packaged in a 12-pin dual-in-line type package. An on-board SIPO (serial-in-parallel-out) 7 bit shift register associated with each digit controls constant current LED row drivers. Full character display is achieved by external column strobing. The constant current LED drivers are externally programmable and typically capable of sinking 13.5 mA peak per diode. Applications include interactive I/O terminals, point of sale equipment, portable telecommunications gear, and hand held equipment requiring alphanumeric displays.
Package Dimensions


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Supply Voltage $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ to $\mathrm{Ground} \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots-0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ to 6.0 V
Inputs, Data Out and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}} \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots-0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$
Column Input Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{coL}} \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots-0.5 \mathrm{~V}$ to +6.0 V
Free Air Operating Temperature
Range, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}{ }^{(2)} \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots .-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {cc }}$ | 4.75 | 5.0 | 5.25 | V |
| Data Out Current, Low State | loL |  |  | 1.6 | mA |
| Data Out Current, HighState | IOH |  |  | -0.5 | mA |
| Column Input Voltage, Column On | $V_{\text {coL }}$ | 2.6 |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$ | V |
| Setup Time | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {setup }}$ | 70 | 45 |  | ns |
| Hold Time | $t_{\text {hold }}$ | 30 | 0 |  | ns |
| Width of Clock | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {wiCliock }}$ | 75 |  |  | ns |
| Clock Frequency | $\mathrm{f}_{\text {clock }}$ | 0 |  | 3 | MHz |
| Clock Transition Time | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {THL }}$ |  |  | 200 | ns |
| Free Air Operating Temperature Range | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {A }}$ | -20 |  | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Electrical Characteristics Over Operating Temperature Range

(Unless otherwise specified.)

| Description |  | Symbol | Test Conditions |  | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current |  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C C}=5.25 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{\text {CIOCK }}=V_{\mathrm{DATA}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { All SR Stages }= \\ & \text { Logical 1 } \end{aligned}$ | $V_{13}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 45 | 60 | mA |
|  |  | $V_{B}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 73 | 95 | mA |
| Column Current at any Column Input |  |  | ICOL | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VCC}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.25 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { All SR Stages }=\text { Logical } 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1.5 | mA |
| Column Current at any Column Input |  | Iton. | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 335 | 410 | mA |
| Peak Luminous Intensity per LED ${ }^{[3,7]}$ (Character Average) |  | treak | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{COH}}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{~T}_{1}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}^{(4)} \quad \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 105 | 200 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| VB, Clock or Data Input Threshold High |  | $V_{\text {iH }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | $V$ |
| VB, Clock or Data Input Threshold Low |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IL }}$ |  |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Input Current Logical 1 | VB, Clock | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{H}}$ | $V_{C C}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, V_{1 H}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 20 | 80 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | Data in | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {H }}$ |  |  |  | 10. | 40 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Input Current Logical 0 | VB,Clock | IIL | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -500 | -800 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | Data In | IIL |  |  |  | -250 | -400 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Data Out Voltage |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{OH}}=-0.5 \mathrm{~mA}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{con}}=\mathrm{OV}$ | 2.4 | 3.4 |  | V |
|  |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{OL}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$, | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=\mathrm{OV}$ |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | V |
| Power Dissipation Per Package** |  | PD | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{coL}}=2.6 \mathrm{~V}$, 15 LEDS on per character, | $V_{B}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.66 |  | W |
| Peak Wavelength |  | $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ |  |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(5)}$ |  | $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ |  |  |  | 639 |  | nm |

*All typical values specified at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise noted.
**Power dissipation per package with 4 characters illuminated.
NOTES: 1. Maximum absolute dissipation is with the device in a socket having a thermal resistance from pins to ambient of $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{watt}$.
2. The device should be derated linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $16 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see Electrical Description on page 3).
3. The characters are categorized for Luminous Intensity with the intensity category designated by a letter code on the bottom of the package.
4. $T_{1}$ refers to the initial case temperature of the device immediately prior to the light measurement.
5. Dominant wavelength $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram, and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
6. Maximum allowable dissipation is derived from $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=5.25$ Volts, 20 LEDs on per character.
7. The luminous stearance of the LED may be calculated using the following relationships:
$L_{v}($ Lux $)=I_{v}\left(\right.$ Candela) $/ \mathrm{A}(\text { Metre })^{2}$
$\mathrm{L}_{\mathrm{v}}($ Footlamberts $)=\pi \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}}($ Candela $) / \mathrm{A}(\text { Foot })^{2}$
$A=5.3 \times 10^{-8} \mathrm{M}^{2}=5.8 \times 10^{-7}$ (Foot) ${ }^{2}$


| Parameter | Condition | MIn. | Typ. | Max. | Unlts |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| fclock <br> CLOCK Rate |  |  |  | 3 | MHz |
| t PLL $^{2}, t_{\text {PHL }}$ <br> Propagation <br> delay CLOCK <br> to DATA OUT | $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=15 \mathrm{pF}$ <br> $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.4 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ |  |  | 125 | ns |

Figure 1. Switching Characteristics. ( $\mathbf{V}_{\mathbf{c c}}=\mathbf{5 V}$, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )

## Mechanical and Thermal Considerations

The HDSP-2000 is available in a standard 12 lead ceramicglass dual in-line package. It is designed for plugging into DIP sockets or soldering into PC boards. The packages may be horizontally or vertically stacked for character arrays of any desired size.

The -2000 can be operated over a wide range of temperature and supply voltages. Full power operation at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}\right)$ is possible by providing a total thermal resistance from the seating plane of the pins to ambient of $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \mathrm{cluster}$ maximum. For operation above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, the maximum device dissipation should be derated above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $16 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see Figure 2). Power derating can be achieved by either decreasing $V_{\text {col }}$ or decreasing the average drive current through pulse width modulation of $V_{B}$.

The -2000 display has an integral contrast enhancement filter in the glass lens. Additional front panel contrast filters may by desirable in most actual display applications. Some suggested filters are Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60, SGL Homalite H100-1605 and Plexiglass 2423. Hewlett-Packard Application Note 964 treats this subject in greater detail.

Post solder cleaning may be accomplished using water, Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for vapor cleaning processing (up to 2 minutes in vapors at boiling) or Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for room temperature cleaning. Suggested solvents: Freon TF, Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15, Genesolv DE-15.

## Electrical Description

The HDSP-2000 four character alphanumeric display has been designed to allow the user maximum flexibility in interface electronics design. Each four character display module features Data In and Data Out terminals arrayed for easy PC board interconnection such that display strings of up to 80 digits may be driven from a single character generator. Data Out represents the output of the 7th bit of digit number 4 shift register. Shift register clocking occurs on the high to low transition of the Clock input. The like columns of each character in a display cluster are tied to a single pin. Figure 5 is the block diagram for the HDSP-2000. High true data in the shift register enables the output current mirror driver stage associated with each row of LEDs in the $5 \times 7$ diode array.

The reference current for the current mirror is generated from the output voltage of the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ input buffer applied across the resistor $R$. The TTL compatible $V_{B}$ input may either be tied to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ for maximum display intensity or pulse width modulated to achieve intensity control and reduction in power consumption.
The normal mode of operation is depicted in the block diagram of Figure 6. In this circuit, binary input data for digit 4, column 1 is decoded by the 7 line output ROM and then loaded into the 7 on board shift register locations 1 through 7 through a parallel-in-serial-out shift register. Column 1 data for digits 3,2 and 1 is similarly decoded and shifted into the display shift register locations. The column 1 input is now enabled for an appropriate period of time, T. A similar process is repeated for columns 2, 3, 4 and 5 . If the time necessary to decode and load data into the shift register is $t$, then with 5 columns, each column of the display is operating at a duty factor of:

$$
\text { D.F. }=\frac{T}{5(t+T)}
$$

The time frame, $t+T$, allotted to each column of the display is generally chosen to provide the maximum duty factor consistent with the minimum refresh rate necessary


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable Power Dissipation vs. Temperature.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Temperature.


Figure 4. Peak Column Current vs. Column Voltage.
to achieve a flicker free display. For most strobed display systems, each column of the display should be refreshed (turned on) at a minimum rate of 100 times per second.
With 5 columns to be addressed, this refresh rate then gives a value for the time $t+T$ of:
$1 /[5 \times(100)]=2 \mathrm{msec}$.

If the device is operated at 3.0 MHz clock rate maximum, it is possible to maintain $t \ll T$. For short display strings, the duty factor will then approach $20 \%$. For longer display strings operation at column duty factors of less than 10\% will still provide adequate display intensity in most applications. For further applications information, refer to HP Application Note 966 and Application Note 1001.


Figure 6. Block Diagram of a Basic Display System.

# YELLOW FOUR CHARACTER SOLID STATE ALPHANUMERIC DISPLAY 

## Features

- INTEGRATED SHIFT REGISTERS WITH CONSTANT CURRENT DRIVERS
- CERAMIC 7.62 mm (. 3 in .) DIP
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- END STACKABLE 4 CHARACTER PACKAGE
- PIN ECONOMY

12 Pins for 4 Characters

- TTL COMPATIBLE
- 5x7 LED MATRIX DISPLAYS FULL ASCII CODE
- RUGGED, LONG OPERATING LIFE
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY AND COLOR

Assures Ease of Package to Package Brightness and Color Matching

## Description

The HP HDSP-2001 display is a 3.8 mm ( 0.15 inch) $5 \times 7$ yellow LED array for display of alphanumeric information. The device is available in 4 character clusters and is packaged in a 12-pin dual-in-line type package. An on-board SIPO (serial-in-parallel-out) 7-bit shift register associated with each digit controls constant current LED row drivers. Full character display is achieved by external column strobing. The constant current LED drivers are externally programmable and typically capable of sinking 13.5 mA peak per diode. Applications include interactive I/O terminals, avionics, portable telecommunications gear, and hand held equipment requiring alphanumeric displays.

Package Dimensions


| PIN | FUNCTION | PIN | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :--- | ---: | :--- |
| 1 | COLUMN 1 | 7 | DATA OUT |
| 2 | COLUMN 2 | 8 | $V_{B}$ |
| 3 | COLUMN 3 | 9 | $V_{\text {CL }}$ |
| 4 | COLUMN 4 | 10 | CLOCK |
| 5 | COLUMN 5 | 11 | GROUND |
| 6 | INT. CONNECT | 12 | DATA IN |

[DO NOT CONNECT OR USE


NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONS IN mm (inctres)
2. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED THE TOLERANCE ON ALL DIMENSIONS IS $\pm .38 \mathrm{~mm}\left\{\left(.015^{\circ}\right)\right.$
3. LEAD MATERIAL IS GOLD PLATED COPPER ALLOYX
4. CHARACTERS ARE CENTERED WITH RESPECT TO LEADS WITHIN $.13 \mathrm{~mm}\left(* .005^{\prime \prime}\right)$

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Supply Voltage $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ to Ground
-0.5 V to 6.0 V
Inputs, Data Out and $V_{B}$ -0.5 V to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$
Column Input Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COI}}$ -0.5 V to +6.0 V
Free Air Operating Temperature Range, $\mathrm{T}_{1}^{(2)}$.

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CS}}$ | 4.75 | 5.0 | 5.25 | V |
| Data Out Current, Low State | 1 tm |  |  | 1.6 | mA |
| Data Out Current, HighState. | Hoh. |  |  | -0.5 | mA. |
| - Column Input Voltage, Column On | $V^{1}$ in | 2.75 |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CS}}$ | V |
| Setup Time | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {ceian }}$ | 70 | 45 |  | ns |
| Hold Time | thald | 30 | 0 |  | ns |
| Width of Clock | tatcluekt | 75 |  | \% | ns |
| Clock Frequency | $f_{\text {cri, }}$, | 0 |  | 3 | MHz |
| Clock Transition Time | trin. |  |  | 200 | ns |
| Free Air Operating Temperature Range | $T_{\text {A }}$ : | $-20$ |  | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Electrical Characteristics Over Operating Temperature Range

(Unless otherwise specified.)

| Description | Symbol | Test Conditions |  | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current <br> Column Current at any Column Input | Hec | $\begin{aligned} & V_{c r}=5.25 \mathrm{~V} \\ & V_{\text {curk }}=V_{1, i / A}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { All SR Stages }= \\ & \text { Logical } 1 \end{aligned}$ | $V_{13} \quad 0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 45 | 60 | mA |
|  |  |  | $V_{\text {B }} 2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 73 | 95 | mA |
|  | 1601 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VCC}=5.25 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{VCOL}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { All SR Stages }=\text { Logical } 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1.5 | mA |
| Column Current at any Column Input | Itor |  | $V_{B}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 335 | 410 | mA |
| Peak Luminous Intensity per LED ${ }^{[3.7]}$ (Character Average) | liplak | $\begin{aligned} & V_{C^{\prime}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, V_{C H}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & T_{1}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ |  | 500 | 750 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| Ve. Clock or Data Input Threshold High Ve, Clock or Data Input Threshold Low | $\mathrm{V}_{11}$ | $V_{\text {c }}=V_{\text {cto }}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | V |
|  | $V_{11}$ |  |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Input Current Logical 1 $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$, Clock | $\mathrm{I}_{1}$ | $V_{\text {ch }}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{1 \mathrm{H}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 20 | 80 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Data In | 111 |  |  |  | 10 | 40 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$, |
| Input Current Logical 0 $V_{\text {B }}$ Clock | 11. | $V_{C K}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, V_{11}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -500. | $-800$ | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Data In | III |  |  |  | -250 | -400 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Data Out voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OH }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}^{\prime}=}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{on}}=-0.5 \mathrm{~mA}$ | $V_{04}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ | 2.4 | 3.4 |  | V |
|  | $\mathrm{V}_{6}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {Ct }}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{OH}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$, | $V_{\text {coi }}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | V |
| Power Dissipation Per Package** | P1) | $V_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, V_{\text {cot }}=2.75 \mathrm{~V}$, <br> 15 LEDS on per character | $V_{\mathrm{H}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.68 |  | W |
| Peak Wavelength | $\lambda_{\text {pli }}{ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  | 583. |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{\text {a }{ }^{\text {a }} \text {, }}$ | $\lambda_{s}$ |  |  |  | 585 |  | nm |

- All typical values specified at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise noted.
*"Power dissipation per package with 4 characters illuminated.
NOTES: 1. Maximum absolute dissipation is with the device in a socket having a thermal resistance from pins to ambient of $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{watt} / \mathrm{device}$.

2. The device should be derated linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $16 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see Electrical Description on page 3).
3. The characters are categorized for Luminous Intensity and color with the category designated by a letter code on the bottom of the package.
4. $T_{1}$ refers to the initial case temperature of the device immediately prior to the light measurement.
5. Dominant wavelength $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram, and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
6. Maximum allowable dissipation is derived from $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{C}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CO})}=5.25$ Volts, 20 LEDs on per character.
7. The luminous stearance of the LED may be calculated using the following relationships:
$L_{v}($ Lux $)=I_{v}\left(\right.$ Candela) $/ A$ (Metre) ${ }^{2}$
$L_{1}($ Footlamberts $)=\pi \mathrm{l},($ Candela $) / \mathrm{A}$ (Foot) $)^{2}$
$\mathrm{A}=8.02 \times 10^{-8} \mathrm{M}^{2}=8.64 \times 10^{-7}(\text { Foot })^{2}$


| Parameter | Condillon | Min. | Typ. | Max | Unit: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| felock CLOCK Rate |  |  |  | 3 | MHz |
| tplai tphí $^{\text {the }}$ Propagation delay CLOCK to DATA OUT | $\begin{aligned} & C_{L}=15 p F \\ & R_{L}=2.4 \mathrm{k} \Omega \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 25 |  |

Figure 1. Switching Characteristics. ( $\mathbf{V}_{\mathbf{C C}}=\mathbf{5 V}$, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )

## Mechanical and Thermal Considerations

The HDSP-2001 is available in a standard 12 lead ceramicglass dual in-line package. It is designed for plugging into DIP sockets or soldering into PC boards. The packages may be horizontally or vertically stacked for character arrays of any desired size.
The HDSP-2001 can be operated over a wide range of temperature and supply voltages. Full power operation at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}\right)$ is possible by providing a total thermal resistance from the seating plane of the pins to ambient of $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ device maximum. For operation above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, the maximum device dissipation should be derated above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $16 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see Figure 2). Power derating can be achieved by either decreasing $\mathrm{V}_{\text {COL }}$ or decreasing the average drive current through pulse width modulation of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$.
The HDSP-2001 display has an integral untinted glass lens. A front panel contrast filter is desirable in most actual display applications. Some suggested filters are Panelgraphic Gray 10, SGL Homalite H100-1266 Gray and 3M Light Control Film (louvered filters).

Post solder cleaning may be accomplished using water, Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for vapor cleaning processing (up to 2 minutes in vapors at boiling) or Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for room temperature cleaning. Suggested solvents: Freon TF, Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15, Genesolv DE-15.

## Electrical Description

The HDSP-2001 four character alphanumeric display has been designed to allow the user maximum flexibility in interface electronics design. Each four character display module features Data In and Data Out terminals arrayed for easy PC board interconnection such that display strings of up to 80 digits may be driven from a single character generator. Data Out represents the output of the 7th bit of digit number 4 shift register. Shift register clocking occurs on the high to low transition of the Clock input. The like columns of each character in a display cluster are tied to a single pin. Figure 5 is the block diagram for the HDSP-2001. High true data in the shift register enables the output current mirror driver stage associated with each row of LEDs in the $5 \times 7$ diode array.

The reference current for the current mirror is generated from the output voltage of the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ input buffer applied across the resistor R. The TTL compatible $V_{B}$ input may either be tied to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ for maximum display intensity or pulse width modulated. to achieve intensity control and reduction in power consumption.
The normal mode of operation is depicted in the block diagram of Figure 6. In this circuit, binary input data for digit 4, column 1 is decoded by the 7 line output ROM and then loaded into the 7 on board shift register locations 1 through 7 through a parallel-in-serial-out shift register. Column 1 data for digits 3,2 and 1 is similarly decoded and shifted into the display shift register locations. The column 1 input is now enabled for an appropriate period of time, $\mathbf{T}$. A similar process is repeated for columns $2,3,4$ and 5 . If the time necessary to decode and load data into the shift register is $t$, then with 5 columns, each column of the display is operating at a duty factor of:

$$
\text { D.F. }=\frac{\mathrm{T}}{5(\mathrm{t}+\mathrm{T})}
$$

The time frame, $t+T$, allotted to each column of the display is generally chosen to provide the maximum duty factor consistent with the minimum refresh rate necessary


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable Power Dissipation vs. Temperature.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Temperature.


Figure 4. Peak Column Current vs. Column Voltage.
to achieve a flicker free display. For most strobed display systems, each column of the display should be refreshed (turned on) at a minimum rate of 100 times per second.
With 5 columns to be addressed, this refresh rate then gives a value for the time $t+T$ of:
$1 /[5 \times(100)]=2 \mathrm{msec}$.

If the device is operated at 3.0 MHz clock rate maximum, it is possible to maintain $t \ll T$. For short display strings, the duty factor will then approach $20 \%$. For longer display strings operation at column duty factors of less than 10\% will still provide adequate display intensity in most applications. For further applications information, refer to HP Application Note 1001.


Figure 6. Block Diagram of a Basic Display System.

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## Features

- OPERATION GUARANTEED TO $\mathbf{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-\mathbf{4 0 ^ { \circ }} \mathrm{C}$
- HERMETICITY GUARANTEED TXV Screening Avallable
- 100\% TEMPERATURE CYCLED $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- GOLD PLATED LEADS
- INTEGRATED SHIFT REGISTERS WITH CONSTANT CURRENT DRIVERS
- CERAMIC 7.62 mm (. 3 in .) DIP Integral Red Glass Contrast Filter
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- END STACKABLE 4 CHARACTER PACKAGE
- PIN ECONOMY

12 Pins for 4 Characters

- TTL COMPATIBLE
- $5 \times 7$ LED MATRIX DISPLAYS FULL ASCII CODE
- RUGGED, LONG OPERATING LIFE
- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY

Assures Ease of Package to
Package Brightness Matching

## Package Dimensions




## Description

The HP HDSP-2010 display is designed for use in applications requiring high reliability. The character font is a 3.8 mm ( 0.15 inch$) 5 \mathrm{~F}$ LED array for displaying alphanumeric information. The device is available in 4 character clusters and is packaged in a 12-pin dual-in-line type package. An on-board SIPO (serial-in-parallel-out) 7-bit shift register associated with each digit controls constant current LED row drivers. Full character display is achieved by external column strobing. The constant current LED drivers are externally programmable and typically capable of sinking 13.5 mA peak per diode. Applications include interactive I/O terminals, avionics, portable telecommunications gear, and hand held equipment requiring alphanumeric displays.

| PIN | FUNCTION | PIN | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :--- | ---: | :--- |
| 1 | COLUMN 1 | 7 | DATA OUT |
| 2 | COLUMN 2 | 8 | $V_{B}$ |
| 3 | COLUMN 3 | 9 | VCC |
| 4 | COLUMN 4 | 10 | CLOCK |
| 5 | COLUMN 5 | 11 | GROUND |
| 6 | INT. CONNECT* | 12 | DATA IN |

*DO NOT CONNECT OR USE


## NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONS IN mM finches).
2. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECFIED THE TOLEAANCE ON ALL DIMENSIONS ( $5 \pm .38$ mm ( $4.015^{\circ}$ )
3. LEAD MATEAIAL IS GOLD PLATEO COPPER ALLOY,
A. CHARACTERS ARE CENTEAED WITH RESPECT TO LEADS WITHIN $13 \mathrm{~min}\left\{ \pm .005^{n}\right.$ ).

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Supply Voltage $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ to Ground
-0.5 V to 6.0 V
Inputs, Data Out and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ -0.5 V to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$
Column Input Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\text {col }}$
-0.5 V to +6.0 V
Free Air Operating Temperature
Range, $T_{A}^{(2)}$
Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Nom. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CS}}$ | 4.75 | 5.0 | 5.25 | V |
| Data Out Current, Low State | 10. |  |  | 1.6 | mA |
| Data Out Current. HighState | $1{ }_{\text {OH }}$ |  |  | -0.5 | mA |
| Column Input Voltage, Column On | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{col}}$ | 2.6 |  | VCC | V |
| Setup Time | $t_{\text {selup }}$ | 70 | 45 |  | ns |
| Hold Time | $\mathrm{thold}^{\text {d }}$ | 30 | 0 |  | ns |
| Width of Clock | $t_{4}$ (Clock) | 75 |  |  | ns |
| Clock Frequency | $\mathrm{f}_{\text {cluk }}$ | 0 |  | 3 | MHz |
| Clock Transition Time | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {thi }}$ |  |  | 200 | ns |
| Free Air Operating Temperature Range | TA | -40 |  | 70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Electrical Characteristics Over Operating Temperature Range

(Unless otherwise specified.)

| Description |  | Symbal | Test Conditions |  | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current |  | Icc | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \mathrm{VCC}=5.25 \mathrm{~V} \\ \mathrm{VGLOCK}=\mathrm{VDATA}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \\ \text { All SR Stages }= \\ \text { Logical 1 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 45 | 60 | mA |
|  |  | $V_{B}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 73 | 95 | mA |
| Column Current at any Column Input |  |  | ICOL | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VCC}=5.25 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{VCOL}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { All SR Stages = Logical } 1 \end{aligned}$ | $V_{B}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1.5 | mA |
| Column Current at any Column Input |  | ICOL | $V_{B}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 350 | 435 | mA |
| Peak Luminous Intensity per LED ${ }^{13.7}$ (Character Average) |  | IvPEAK | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VCC}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCOL}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{i}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \cdot 41 \quad \mathrm{VB}_{\mathrm{B}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 105 | 200 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ |
| $V_{B}$, Clock or Data Input Threshold High |  | $V_{\text {IH }}$ | $V_{C C}=V_{C O L}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 2.0 |  |  | V |
| $V_{B}$, Data Input Threshold Low |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IL }}$ |  |  |  |  | 0.8 | V |
| Clock Threshold Low |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IL }}$ |  |  |  |  | 0.6 | V |
| Input Current Logical 1 | VB, Clock | IIH | $V_{C C}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{1 H}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 20 | 80 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | Data in | IH |  |  |  | 10 | 40 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Input Current Logical 0 | V ${ }_{\text {, Clock }}$ | IIL | $V_{C C}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{1 \mathrm{~L}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -500 | -800 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | Data In | ILL |  |  |  | -250 | -400 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Data Out Voltage |  | VOH | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{IOH}=-0.5 \mathrm{~mA}$, | $\mathrm{COL}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ | 2.4 | 3.4 |  | V |
|  |  | VOL | $V_{C C}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{IOL}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}$ | $\mathrm{OL}=\mathrm{OV}$ |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | V |
| Power Dissipation Per Package** |  | PD | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=2.6 \mathrm{~V}$, 15 LEDS on per character, | $3=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.66 |  | W |
| Peak Wavelength |  | גPEAK | $\cdots$ |  |  | 655 |  | nm |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{(5)}$ |  | $\lambda_{d}$ |  |  |  | 640 |  | nm |
| Leak Rate |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \times 10^{-7}$ | $\mathrm{cc} / \mathrm{s}$ |

*All typical values specified at $\mathrm{V}_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise noted.
**Power dissipation per package with 4 characters illuminated.
NOTES: 1. Maximum absolute dissipation is with the device in a socket having a thermal resistance from pins to ambient of $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /$ watt/device.
2. The device should be derated linearly above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $16 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see Electrical Description on page 3).
3. The characters are categorized for Luminous Intensity and color with the category designated by a letter code on the bottom of the package.
4. $T_{1}$ refers to the initial case temperature of the device immediately prior to the light measurement

5 Dominant wavelength $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the CIE chromaticity diagram, and represents the single wavelength which defines the color of the device.
6. Maximum allowable dissipation is derived from $V_{C C}=V_{B}=V_{C O L}=5.25$ Volts, 20 LEDs on per character
7. The luminous stearance of the LED may be calculated using the following relationships: $L_{v}($ Lux $)=I_{v}\left(\right.$ Candela)/A $(\text { Metre })^{2}$
$\mathrm{Lv}_{v}($ Footlamberts $)=\pi \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{v}}($ Candela $) / \mathrm{A}(\text { Foot })^{2}$ $A=5.3 \times 10^{-8} \mathrm{M}^{2}=5.8 \times 10^{-7}(\text { Foot })^{2}$


| Parameter | Condition | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| felock CLOCK Rate |  |  |  | 3 | MHz |
|  Propagation delay CLOCK to DATA OUT | $\begin{aligned} & C_{L}=15 \mathrm{pF} \\ & R_{\mathrm{L}}=2.4 \mathrm{~K} \Omega \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 125 | ns |

Figure 1. Switching Characteristics. ( $\mathbf{V C C}_{\mathbf{C C}}=\mathbf{5 V}$, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )

## Mechanical and Thermal Considerations

The HDSP-2010 is available in a standard 12 lead ceramicglass dual in-line package. It is designed for plugging into DIP sockets or soldering into PC boards. The packages may be horizontally or vertically stacked for character arrays of any desired size.
The HDSP-2010 can be operated over a wide range of temperature and supply voltages. Full power operation at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{VCC}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}\right)$ is possible by providing a total thermal resistance from the seating plane of the pins to ambient of $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ device maximum. For operation above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, the maximum device dissipation should be derated above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $16 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see Figure 2). Power derating can be achieved by either decreasing VCOL or decreasing the average drive current through pulse width modulation of $V_{B}$.

The HDSP-2010 display has an integral red glass lens. A front panel contrast filter is desirable in most actual display applications. Some suggested filters are Panel graphic Ruby Red 60, SGL Homalite H100-1605 Red and

3M Light Control Film (louvered filters). OCLI Sungard optically coated glass filters offer superior contrast enhancement.

Post solder cleaning may be accomplished using water, Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for vapor cleaning processing (up to 2 minutes in vapors at boiling) or Freon/alcohol mixtures formulated for room temperature cleaning. Suggested solvents: Freon TF, Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15, Genesolv DE-15.

## Electrical Description

The HDSP-2010 display provides on-board storage of decoded column data and constant current sinking row drivers for each of 28 rows in the 4 character display. The device consists of four LED matrices and two integrated circuits that form a 28 -bit serial input-parallel output (SIPO) shift register, see Figure 5. Each character is a $5 \times 7$ diode array arranged with the cathodes of each row connected to one constant current sinking output of the SIPO shift register. The anodes of each column are connected together, with the same column of each of the 4 characters connected together (i.e. column 1 of all four characters are connected to pin 1). Any LED within any character may be addressed by shifting data to the appropriate shift register location and applying a voltage to the appropriate column.
Associated with each shift register location is a constant current sinking LED driver, capable of sinking a nominal 13.5 mA . A logical 1 loaded into a shift register location enables the current source at that location. A voltage applied to the appropriate column input turns on the desired LED.
The display is column strobed on a 1 of basis by loading 7 bits of row data per character for a selected column. The data is shifted through the SIPO shift register, one bit location for each high-to-low transition of the clock. When the HDSP-2010 display is operated with pin 1 in the lower left hand corner, the first bit that is loaded into the SIPO shift register will be the information for row 7 of the right most character. The 28th bit loaded into the SIPO shift register will be the information for row 1 of the left most character. When the 28 bits of row data for column 1 have been loaded into the SIPO shift register, the first column is energized for a time period, $T$, illuminating column 1 in all four characters. Column 1 is turned off and the process is repeated for columns 2 through 5.


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable Power Dissipation vs. Temperature.


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Temperature.


Figure 4. Peak Column Current vs. Column Voltage.


Figure 5. Block Diagram of the HDSP-2010 Display

Knowing the time period, $t$, to load the data into the display, the LED on time duty factor, DF, may be determined

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D F=\frac{T}{5(t+T)}
$$

The time frame allotted per column is $(t+T)$ and the minimum recommended refresh rate for a flicker free display is 100 Hz , so that $(\mathrm{t}+\mathrm{T}) \leq 2 \mathrm{~ms}$. If the display is operated at the 3 MHz maximum clock rate, it is possible to maintain $t \ll T$. For display strings of 24 characters or less, the LED on time DF will be approximately $19.4 \%$. For longer display strings, operation of the display with DF approximately $10 \%$ will provide adequate light output for indoor applications.
The 28th stage of the SIPO shift register is connected to the Data Output, which is designed to interface directly to the Data Input of the next HDSP-2010 in the display string.
The $V_{B}$ input may be used to control the apparent brightness of the display. A logic high applied to the $V_{B}$ input enables the display to be turned ON, and a logic low blanks the display by disabling the constant current LED drivers. Therefore, the time average luminous intensity of the display can be varied by pulse width modulation of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$. For application and drive circuit information refer to HP Application Notes 966 and 1001.

## High Reliability Test Program

Hewlett-Packard provides standard high reliability test programs in order to facilitate the use of HP products in military programs. The TXV prefix identifies a part which has been preconditioned and screened per Table 1.

## PART NUMBER SYSTEM

| Standard Product | With TXV Screening |
| :---: | :---: |
| HDSP-2010 | TXV-2010 |

TABLE 1. TXV Preconditioning and Screening - 100\%

| Examination or Test | MIL-STD-883 Methods | Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Internal Visual Inspection | OED Procedure | : |
| 2. High Temperature Storage | 1008 | $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 24 \mathrm{Hrs}$. |
| 3. Temperature Cycling | 1010 | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 10$ Cycles |
| 4. Constant Acceleration | 2001 | 2,000 G's, Y Y Orientation |
| 5. Fine Leak | 1014 | Condition A |
| 6. Gross Leak | 1014 | Condition $\mathrm{C}_{i}$ Inspect at $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| 7. Electrical Test: (IV, ICC, ICOL: HL, IIH, $\mathrm{VOH}, \mathrm{VOL}$ ) |  |  |
| 8. Burn-in | 1015 | $T_{A}=70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, t=168$ hrs. $P_{D}=.9 \mathrm{~W}$ Max |
| 9. Electrical Test: <br> (IV, Icc, ICOL, IL, I IH, Voh, Vol) | " | $\cdots \because \because \because \because$ |
| 10. External Visual | 2009 |  |

## Features

- COMPLETE ALPHANUMERIC DISPLAY SYSTEM UTILIZING THE HDSP-2000 DISPLAY
- CHOICE OF 64, 128, OR USER DEFINED ASCII CHARACTER SET
- CHOICE OF 16, 24, 32, or 40 ELEMENT DISPLAY PANEL
- MULTIPLE DATA ENTRY FORMATS Left, Right, RAM, or Block Entry
- EDITING FEATURES THAT INCLUDE CURSOR, BACKSPACE, FORWARDSPACE, INSERT, DELETE, AND CLEAR
- DATA OUTPUT CAPABILITY
- SINGLE 5.0 VOLT POWER SUPPLY
- TTL COMPATIBLE
- EASILY INTERFACED TO A KEYBOARD OR A MICROPROCESSOR


## Description

The HDSP-24XX series of alphanumeric display systems provides the user with a completely supported $5 \times 7$ dot matrix display panel. These products free the user's system from display maintenance and minimize the interaction normally required for alphanumeric displays. Each alphanumeric display system is composed of two component parts:

1. An alphanumeric display controller which consists of a preprogrammed microprocessor plus associated logic, which provides decode, memory, and drive signals necessary to properly interface a user's system to an HDSP-2000 display. In addition to these basic display support operations, the controller accepts data in any of four data entry formats and incorporates several powerful editing routines.
2. A display panel which consists of HDSP-2000 displays matched for luminous intensity and mounted on a P.C. board designed to have low thermal resistance.
These alphanumeric display systems are attractive for applications such as data entry terminals, instrumentation, electronic typewriters, and other products which require an easy to use $5 \times 7$ dot matrix alphanumeric display system.


PART NUMBER
DESCRIPTION

## Display Boards

HDSP-2416 Single-line 16 character display panel utilizing the HDSP-2000 display
HDSP-2424 Single-line 24 character display panel utilizing the HDSP-2000 display
HDSP-2432 Single-line 32 character display panel utilizing the HDSP-2000 display
HDSP-2440 Single-line 40 character display panel utilizing the HDSP-2000 display

## Controller Boards

HDSP-2470 HDSP-2000 display interface incorporating a 64 character ASCII decoder

HDSP-2471 HDSP-2000 display interface incorporating a 128 character ASCII decoder
HDSP-2472 HDSP-2000 display interface without ASCII decoder. Instead, a 24 pin socket is provided to accept a custom 128 character set from a user programmed $1 \mathrm{~K} \times 8$ PROM.

When ordering, specify one each of the Controller Board and the Display Board for each complete system.

## HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Vcc ......................................... -0.5 V to 6.0 V
Operating Temperature Range,
Ambient ( $T_{A}$ )
$0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature Range (Ts) $\ldots . .-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Voltage Applied to any Input or Output .. -0.5 V to 6.0 V
Isource Continuous for any Column
Driver ........... 5.0 Amps ( 60 sec . max. duration)

Recommended
Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage | Vcc | 4.75 | 5.25 | $V$ |
| Data Out | lol |  | 0.4 | mA |
|  | OH |  | -20 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Ready Data Valid, Column On, Display Data $\qquad$ | 10 L |  | 1.6 | mA |
|  | OH |  | -40 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Clock | Ioc |  | 10.0 | mA |
|  | 10 H |  | -1.0 | mA |
| Columni-5 | Isounce |  | -5.0 | A |

## Electrical Characteristics Over Operating Temperature Range

(Unless otherwise specified)

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current ${ }^{[1]}$ | $100$ |  |  | $400$ | $m A$ | $V_{C C}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ Column On and All Outputs Open |
| Input Threshold High (except Reset) <br> Input Threshold High - Reset ${ }^{[2]}$ <br> Input Threshold Low - All Inputs | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IH }}$ | 2.0 |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\mathrm{VCC}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} \pm .25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | $V_{\text {iH }}$ | 3.0 | - $\mathrm{c}^{4}-4$ |  | $V$ | $\mathrm{VCC}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} \pm .25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | $V_{\text {IL }}$ |  |  | 0.8 | $V$ | $\mathrm{VCC}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} \pm .25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Data Out Voltage | VohData | 2.4 |  |  | $V$ | $10 \mathrm{H}=-20 \mu \mathrm{~A} \quad V \mathrm{VCC}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | VolData | $\cdots$ |  | 0.5 | $V$ | $\mathrm{IOL}=0.4 \mathrm{~mA} \quad \therefore \quad \mathrm{VCC}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Clock Output Voltage | VoHClk | 2.4 |  |  | $V$ | $1 \mathrm{OH}=-1000 \mu \mathrm{~A} \quad \mathrm{VCC}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | VolCIK |  |  | 0.5 | V | $10 \mathrm{~L}=10.0 \mathrm{~mA} \quad \because \quad \mathrm{VCC}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Ready, Display Data, Data Valid, Column on Output Voltage | VOH | 2.4 |  |  | $V$ | $10 \mathrm{H}=-40 \mu \mathrm{~A} \quad \mathrm{VCC}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | VOL | +2ma |  | 0.5 | V | $10 \mathrm{~L}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA} \quad \mathrm{VCC}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Input Current, ${ }^{[3]}$ All Inputs Except Reset, Chip Select, D7 | $\mathrm{liH}^{\text {H }}$ |  |  | -0.3 | mA | $\mathrm{V}_{1 \mathrm{H}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \quad \because \quad \mathrm{~V}$ CC $=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | 115 |  |  | -0.6 | mA | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IL }}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \quad V \mathrm{VCC}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $\overline{\text { Reset }}$ Input Current | IH |  |  | -0.3 | mA | $V_{\text {iH }}=3.0 \mathrm{~V} \quad V \mathrm{VCC}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  | IIt |  | - +2, if | -0.6 | mA | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IL }}=0.5 \mathrm{~V} \quad \because \quad \mathrm{VCC}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Chip Select, D7 Input Current | 11 | -10 |  | +10 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $0<V_{1}<V_{C C}$ |
| Column Output Voltage | VOLCOL | 2.6 | 3.2 | " | V V | lout $=-5.0 \mathrm{~A} \quad \mathrm{VCC}=5.00 \mathrm{~V}$ |

## NOTES:

1. See Figure 11 for total system supply current.
2. External reset may be initiated by grounding Reset with either a switch or open collector TTL gate for a minimum time of 50 ms . For Power On Reset to function properly, Vcc power supply should turn on at a rate $>100 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{s}$.
3. Momentary peak surge currents may exist on these lines. However, these momentary currents will not interfere with proper operation of the HDSP-2470/1/2.

## HDSP－2416／－2424／－2432／－2440

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Supply Voltage Vcc to Ground
-0.5 V to 6.0 V
Inputs，Data Out and $V_{B}$ -0.5 V to Vcc
Column Input Voltage，VcoL -0.5 V to +6.0 V
Free Air Operating Temperature Range， $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}{ }^{[1]}$ g Temperature Storage Temperature Range，Ts $\qquad$ $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Storage Temperature Range，Ts $\ldots-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min． | Norm． | Max． | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage． | $V \mathrm{cc}$ | 4.75 | 50 | 586 | $v$ |
| Column Input Voltage，Column On | $\mathrm{VCOL}$ | 2，6 |  |  |  |
| Setup Tine | tsetue | 70 | 45 |  | 18 |
| Hold Tiñe． | THOLD | 30 | 0 |  | \％ |
| Wiath of Clock | twictock | 75 |  |  | ns． |
| Clock Frequency | tckock | 0 |  | 3 | MHz |
| Clock Transition Time | TTHL |  |  | 200． | ns |
| Free Air Operating ${ }^{[1]}$ Temperature Range | TA | $0$ |  | $55$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Electrical Characteristics Over Operating Temperature Range

（Unless otherwise specified）

| Parameter． |  | Symbol | Min． | Typ．＊ | Max： | Units | Conditions | 8 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current |  | Icc |  | 45n | 60 n 12 | MA | $\begin{aligned} & \text { VCC = } 5.25 V \\ & \text { VCLOCK=VoATA }=2.4 V \\ & \text { All SR Stages = } \\ & \text { LOgical } 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V_{B}=0.4 V \\ & V_{B}=2.2 V \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 为 | $73 n$ | 95 n | mA |  |  |
| Column Current at any Column Input |  |  | 1004 |  |  | $1.5 n$ | $\mathrm{mA}$ | $V C c=V c o L=525 \mathrm{~V}$ <br> All SR Stages＝ Logical 1 | $V_{B}=0.4 V$ |
|  |  | ICOL |  | 335n | 410 n | mA | $V_{B}=2.4 V$ |  |
| Peak Luminous Intensity per LED （Character Average） |  | IV PEAK | 105 | 200 |  | $\mu \mathrm{cd}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V C C=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCOL}=3.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & T I=25^{\circ} \mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{VB}=2.4 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| VB，Clock or Data input Threshold High |  | ViH | 2.0 |  |  | $V$ | $V \mathrm{VCO}=V \mathrm{VCL}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |
| VB，Clock or Data Input Threshold Low |  | $V_{\text {IL }}$ |  |  | 08 | V |  |  |  |
| Input Current Logical 1 | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}, ~ C l o c k}$ | lif． | $\ldots$ |  | 80 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{c c}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}, V_{1 H}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |
|  | Data Ín | lin |  |  | 40 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |  |  |  |
| Input Current Logical $0^{\circ}$ | VB，clock | IIL | 动宛 | －500 | 800 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $V_{C C}=5.25 V, V_{1 L}=0.4 V$ |  |
|  | Data In | HiL |  | －250 | －400 | $\mu A$ |  |  |  |
| Power Dissipation Per Board ${ }^{[4]}$ |  | PD |  | 0 |  | W | $\mathrm{VCC}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCOL}=2.8 \mathrm{~V}$ 15 LED＇s on per Character：$V_{B}=24 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |

＊All typical values specified at $\mathrm{VCC}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise noted．
NOTES：
1．Operation above $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ MAX）may be achieved by the use of forced air（ 150 fpm normal to component side of HDSP－247X controller board at sea level）．Operation down to $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ is possible in applications that do not require the use of HDSP－2470／－2471／－2472 controller boards．
2． $\mathrm{n}=$ number of HDSP－2000 packages

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\begin{array}{ll}
\text { HDSP-2416 } & n=4 \\
\text { HDSP-2424 } & n=6 \\
\text { HDSP-2432 } & n=8 \\
\text { HDSP-2440 } & n=10
\end{array}
$$

3．Tj refers to initial case temperature immediately prior to the light measurement．
4．Power dissipation with all characters illuminated．

## System Overview

The HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controllers provide the interface between any ASCII based Alphanumeric System and the HDSP-2000 Alphanumeric Display. ASCII data is loaded into the system by means of any one of four data entry modes Left, Right, RAM or Block Entry. This ASCII data is stored in the internal RAM memory of the system. The system refreshes HDSP-2000 displays from 4 to 48 characters with the decoded data.
The user interfaces to any of the systems through eight DATA IN inputs, five ADDRESS inputs (RAM mode), a CHIP SELECT input, RESET input, seven DATA OUT
outputs, a READY output, DATA VALID output, and a COLUMN ON output. A low level on the RESET input clears the display and initializes the system. A low level on the CHIP SELECT input causes the system to load data from the DATA IN and ADDRESS inputs into the system. The controller outputs a status word, cursor address and 32 ASCII data characters through the DATA OUT outputs and DATA VALID output during the time the system is waiting to refresh the next column of the display. The COLUMN ON output can be used to synchronize the DATA OUT function. A block diagram for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 systems is shown in Figure 1.


Figure 1. Block Diagram for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

The system interfaces to the HDSP-2000 display through five COLUMN outputs, a CLOCK output, DISPLAY DATA output, and the COLUMN ON output. The user should connect DISPLAY DATA to DATA IN of the leftmost HDSP-2000 cluster and cascade DATA OUT to DATA IN of all HDSP-2000 clusters. COLUMN outputs from the system are connected to the COLUMN inputs of all HDSP2000 clusters. The HDSP-24XX Series display boards are designed to interconnect directly with the HDSP-247X Series display controllers. The COLUMN outputs can source enough current to drive up to 48 characters of the HDSP-2000 display. Pulse width modulation of display luminous intensity can be provided by connecting COLUMN ON to the input of a monostable multivibrator and the output of the monostable multivibrator to the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ inputs of the HDSP-2000 displays. The system is designed to refresh the display at a fixed refresh rate of 100 Hz . COLUMN ON time is optimized for each display length in order to maximize light output as shown in Figure 2.


Figure 2. Column on Time vs. Display Length for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

## Control Mode/Data Entry

User interface to the HDSP-247X Series controller is via an 8 bit word which provides to the controller either a control word or standard ASCII data input. In addition to this user provided 8 bit word, two additional control lines, CHIP SELECT and READY, allow easily generated "handshake" signals for interface purposes.

A logic low applied to the CHIP SELECT input (minimum six microseconds) causes the controller to read the 8 DATA IN lines and determine whether a control word or ASCII data word is present, as determined by the logic state of the most significant bit ( $\mathrm{D}_{7}$ ). If the controller detects a logic high at $D_{7}$, the state of $D_{6}-D_{0}$ will define the data entry mode and the number of alphanumeric characters to be displayed.

The 8 bit control data word format is outlined in Figure 3. For the control word ( $D_{7}$ high), bits $D_{6}$ and $D_{5}$ define the selected data entry mode (Left entry, Right entry, etc.) and bits $D_{3}$ to $D_{0}$ define display length. Bit $D_{4}$ is ignored.

Control word inputs are first checked to verify that the control word is valid. The system ignores display lengths greater than 1011 for left block or right, or 0111 for RAM. If the word is valid, the present state-next state table shown in Figure 4 is utilized to determine whether or not to clear the display. For display lengths of up to 32 characters, RAM entry can be used as a powerful editing tool, or can be used to preload the cursor. With other transitions, the internal data memory is cleared.

CONTROL
WORD: $D_{7} D_{6} D_{5} D_{4} D_{3} D_{2} D_{1} D_{0}$



| $X X$ | DATA ENTRY MODES |
| :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 |
| 1 | RAM DATA ENTRY |
| 10 | LEFT DATA ENTRY |
| 1 | 1 | RIGHT DATA ENTRY $\quad$ BLOCK DATA ENTRY

Figure 3. Control Word Format for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

(1) RAM ENTRY MODE IS VALID FOR DISPLAYS OF 32 CHARACTERS OR LESS IN LENGTH.
(2) FOLLOWING A TRANSITION FROM RAM TO BLOCK, WHEN THE CURSOR ADDRESS IS 48 $\left(30_{16}\right)$ DURING THE TRANSITION, THE FIRST VALID ASCII CHARACTER WILL BE IGNORED AND THE SECOND VALID ASCII CHARACTER WILL BE LOADED IN THE LEFT- MOST DISPLAY LOCATION.

WHERE BEGIN IS DEFINED AS FOLLOWS:

| DISPLAY <br> LENGTH | CURSOR ADDRESS OF BEGIN |
| :---: | :---: |
| 4 | $2 \mathrm{C}_{16}, 44_{10}$ |
| 8 | $28.16,40_{10}$ |
| 12 | 2416, 3610 |
| 16 | $\mathbf{2 0}_{16}, 32_{10}$ |
| 20 | $1 \mathrm{C}_{16}, 28_{10}$ |
| 24 | $1816_{16}, 24_{10}$ |
| 28 | $14_{16}, 20_{10}$ |
| 32 | $10_{16}, 16_{10}$ |
| 36 | $0 \mathrm{C}_{16}, 12_{10}$ |
| 40 | $0^{16}, 8_{10}$ |
| 44 | 0416, $4_{10}$ |
| 48 | $0_{16}$ |

Figure 4. Present State-Next State Diagram for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

If $D_{7}$ is a logic low when the DATA IN lines are read, the controller will interpret $\mathrm{D}_{6}-\mathrm{D}_{0}$ as standard ASCII data to be stored, decoded and displayed. The system accepts seven bit ASCII for all three versions. However, the HDSP-2470 system displays only the 64 character subset [2016
(space) to $5 \mathrm{~F}_{16}(-)$ ] and ignores all ASCII characters outside this subset with the exception of those characters defined as display commands. These display commands are shown in Figure 5. Displayed character sets for the HDSP-2470/-2471 systems are shown in Figure 6.

| DATA WORD: | D7 | $\mathrm{D}_{6}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{5}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{4}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{3}$ | $D_{2}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{1}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{0}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASCII ASSIGNMENT | 0 | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | DISPLAY COMMAND |  |  |
| LF |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | CLEAR | Valid in Right Entry Mode | Valid in Left Entry Mode |
| BS | * | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | BACKSPACE CURSOR | Mode |  |
| HT |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | FORWARDSPACE CURSOR |  |  |
| US |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | INSERT CHARACTER |  |  |
| DEL |  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | DELETE CHARACTER |  |  |

Figure 5. Display Commands for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

*DISPLAY COMMANDS WHEN USED IN LEFT ENTRY +DISPLAY COMMANDS WHEN USED IN RIGHT ENTRY

Figure 6. Display Font for the HDSP-2470 (64 Character ASCII Subset), and HDSP-2471 (128 Character ASCII Set) Alphanumeric Display Controller.

Regardless of whether a control word or ASCII data word is presented by the user, a READY signal is generated by the controller after the input word is processed. This READY signal goes low for $25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ and upon a positive transition, a new CHIP SELECT may be accepted by the controller. Data Entry Timing is shown in Figure 7.


MAXIMUM DATA ENTRY TIMES OVER OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE

| DATA ENTRY MODE |  |  |  |  |  | NCTION |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HDSP. | DATA | D TIME* | DATA <br> ENTRY | BACK SPACE | CLEAR | FORWARD SPACE | DELETE | INSERT |
| LEFT (2471/2) | $135 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  | $235 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $195 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $505 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $205 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $725 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $725 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |
| LEFT (2470) | 150 $\mu \mathrm{s}$ |  | $245 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $215 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $530 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $225 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $745 \mu$ s | $735 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |
| RIGHT (2471/2) | $85 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  | $480 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $470 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $465 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |  |  |
| RIGHT (2470) | $105 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  | $490 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $490 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $485 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |  |  |
| RAM (2471/2) | $55 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $120 \mu \mathrm{~s}^{* *}$ | $190 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| RAM (2470) | $55 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | $130 \mu \mathrm{~s}^{* *}$ | $200 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| BLOCK (2471/2) | $55 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \mu \mathrm{~s} \\ & 130 \mu \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ | ( $155 \mu$ s FOR RIGHTMOST CHARACTER)$(165 \mu$ S FOR RIGHTMOST CHARACTER) |  |  |  |  |
| BLOCK (2470) | $55 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LOAD CONTROL ( $2471 / 2$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \mu \mathrm{~s} \\ & 50 \mu \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LOAD CONTROL (2470) |  |  | $505 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |  |  |  |  |

*Minimum time that data inputs must remain valid after Chip Select goes low.
**Minimum time that RAM address inputs must remain valid after Chip Select goes low.

Figure 7. Data Entry Timing and Data Entry Times for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

## Left Entry Mode

With Left entry, characters are entered in typewriter fashion, i.e., to the right of all previous characters. Left entry uses a blinking cursor to indicate the location where the next character is to be entered. CLEAR loads the display with spaces and resets the cursor to the leftmost display location. BACKSPACE and FORWARDSPACE move the cursor without changing the character string. Thus, the user can backspace to the character to be edited, enter a character and then forward space the cursor. The DELETE function deletes the displayed character at the cursor location and then shifts the character string following the cursor one location to the left to fill the void of the deleted character. The INSERT CHARACTER sets a flag inside the system that causes subsequent ASCII characters to be inserted to the left of the character at the cursor location. As new characters are entered, the cursor, the character at the cursor, and all characters to the right of the cursor are shifted one location to the right. The INSERT function is terminated by a second INSERT CHARACTER, or by BACKSPACE, FORWARDSPACE, CLEAR or DELETE. In Left entry mode, after the display is filled, the system ignores all characters except BACKSPACE and CLEAR. The system allows the cursor to be positioned only in the region between the leftmost display character and immediately to the right (offscreen) of the rightmost display character.

## Right Entry Mode

In Right entry mode, characters are entered at the right hand side of the display and shifted to the left as new characters are entered. In this mode, the system stores 48 ASCII characters, although only the last characters entered are displayed. CLEAR loads the display with spaces. BACKSPACE shifts the display one location to the right, deleting the last character entered and displaying the next character in the 48 character buffer. Right entry mode is a simple means to implement the walking or "Times-Square" display. FORWARDSPACE, INSERT, and DELETE have character assignments in this mode since they are not treated as editing characters. In this mode, the cursor is located immediately to the right (offscreen) of the rightmost displayed character.

## Block Entry Mode

Block entry allows the fastest data entry rate of all four modes. In this mode, characters are loaded from left to right as with Left entry. However, with Block entry, after the display is completely loaded, the next ASCII character is loaded in the leftmost display location, replacing the previous displayed character. While Block entry has a nonvisible cursor, the cursor is always loaded with the address of the next character to be entered. In this entry mode, the system can display the complete 128 character ASCII set. The display can be cleared and the cursor reset to the leftmost display location by loading in a new BLOCK control word.

## RAM Entry Mode

In RAM entry, ASCII characters are loaded at the address specified by the five bit RAM address. Due to the limitation of only five address lines, RAM data entry is allowed only
for displays less than or equal to 32 characters. Regardless of display length, address 00 is the leftmost display character. Out of range RAM addresses are ignored. While RAM entry has a non-visible cursor, the cursor is always preloaded with the address to the right of the last character entered. This allows the cursor to be preloaded with an address prior to going into any other entry mode. In RAM entry, the system can display the complete 128 character ASCII set because it does not interpret any of the characters as control functions. The display can be cleared by loading in a new RAM control word.

## Data Out

For display lengths of 32 characters or less, the data stored in the internal RAM is available to the user during the time between display refresh cycles. The system outputs a STATUS WORD, CURSOR ADDRESS, and 32 ASCII data characters. The STATUS WORD specifies the data entry mode and the display length of the system. The STATUS WORD output differs slightly from the CONTROL WORD input. This difference is depicted in Figure 8. Regardless of display length, the CURSOR ADDRESS of the rightmost character location is address $47\left(2 F_{16}\right)$ and the offscreen address of the cursor is address 48 (3016). The CURSOR ADDRESS of the leftmost location is defined as address 48 minus the display length. A general formula for CURSOR ADDRESS is:

## CURSOR ADDRESS =

(47-Display Length) + Number of Characters from Left.
For example, suppose the alphanumeric display is 16 characters long and the cursor was blinking at the third digit from the left. Then the CURSOR ADDRESS would be 47-16+3 or $34(2216)$ and the 18th ASCII data word would correspond to the ASCII character at the location of the display cursor. In Left and Block entry, the CURSOR ADDRESS specifies the location where the next ASCII data character is to be entered. In RAM entry, the CURSOR ADDRESS specifies the location to the right of the last character entered. In Right entry, the CURSOR ADDRESS is always 48 (3016). The negative edge of the DATA VALID output can be used to load the 34 DATA OUT words into the user's system. The DATA OUT timing for the HDSP-247X systems are summarized in Figure 8. For displays longer than 32 characters, the system only outputs the STATUS WORD between refresh cycles.

## Master/Power On Reset

When power is first applied to the system, the system clears the display and tests the state of the DATA INPUT, $D_{7}$. If $D_{7}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$, the systems loads the control word on the DATA INPUTS into the system. If $\mathrm{D}_{7} \leq .8 \mathrm{~V}$ or the system sees an invalid control word, the system initializes as Left entry for a 32 character display with a flashing cursor in the leftmost location. For POWER ON RESET to function properly, the power supply must turn on at a rate $>100 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{s}$. In addition, the system can be reset by pulling the RESET input low for a minimum of 50 milliseconds. POWER ON/MASTER RESET timing is shown in Figure 9.


Figure 8. Data Out Timing and Format for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.


Figure 9. Power-On/Master Reset Timing for the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

## Custom Character Sets

The HDSP-2472 system has been specifically designed to permit the user to insert a custom 128 ASCII character set. This system features a 24 pin socket that is designed to accept a custom programmed 1K X 8 PROM, EPROM, or ROM. The read only memory should have an access time $\leq$ 500 ns , $\mathrm{IIL} \leq|-.4 \mathrm{~mA}|$ and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{H}} \leq 40 \mu \mathrm{~A}$. A list of pin compatible read only memories is shown.in Figure 10. Jumper locations are provided on the HDSP-2472 P.C. board which allow the use of ROM's requiring chip enables tied either to 0 or 5 V . For further information on ROM programming, please contact the factory.

## Power Supply Requirements

The HDSP-247X Alphanumeric Display System is designed to operate from a single 5 volt supply. Total Icc requirements for the HDSP-247X Alphanumeric Display Controller and HDSP-24XX Display Panel are shown in Figure 11. Peak Icc is the instantaneous current required for the system. Maximum Peak Icc occurs for Vcc $=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ with 7 dots ON in the same Column in all display characters. This current must be supplied by a combination of the power supply and supply filter capacitor. Maximum Average Icc occurs for $\mathrm{V}_{c c}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ with 21 dots ON per character in all display characters. The inclusion of a 375 X microfarad capacitor (where X is the number of characters in the display) adjacent to the HDSP-247X Alphanumeric Display System will permit the use of a power supply capable of supplying the maximum average lcc.


Figure 11. Maximum Peak and Average I Cc for the HDSP2470/71/72 Alphanumeric Display Controller and HDSP-2000 Display.

CONNECTORS

| FUNCTION | TYPE OF CONNECTOR | SUGGESTED <br> MANUFACTURER |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CONTROLIDATA ENTRY | R 26 Rin | 3M P/N $3399-\times 000$ Series |
| POWER | 3 Pin With Locking Hamp | Mofex P/N $09.50-3031$ with 08-50.0106 Terminals |
| OISPLAY DRIVE ${ }^{12,33}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \text { Lead } \\ & \text { Board to Board } \end{aligned}$ | Amp P/N 1.530500-7, also available in board to cable and other configurations |

NOTES:
(1) Power leads should be 18-20 gauge stranded wire.
(2) The maximum lead length from the controller board to the display should not exceed 1 metre.
(3) The suggested Amp connector is supplied with the controller.

| PART NUMBER | MANUFACTURER | TYPE | CONSTRUCTION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2758 | Intel | EPROM | NMOS |
| 7608 | Harris | PROM | BIPOLAR-NiCr |
| 3628-4 | Intel | PROM | BIPOLAR-Si |
| 82 S 2708 | Signetics | PROM | BIPOLAR-NiCr |
| 6381 | Monolithic Mem. | PROM | BIPOLAR-NiCr |
| 6385 | Monolithic Mem. | PROM | BIPOLAR-NiCr |
| 87S228 | National | PROM | BIPOLAR-TIW |
| 93451 | Fairchild | PROM | BIPOLAR-NiCr |
| 68308 | Motorola | ROM | NMOS |
| 2607 | Signetics | ROM | NMOS |
| 30000 | Mostek | ROM | NMOS |


| EXTERNAL CONNECTION** |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{X}$ | $\underline{\mathbf{y}}$ | $\underline{\mathbf{z}}$ |
| GND | GND | +5 |
| NC | NC | NC |
| +5 | +5 | GND |
| NC | NC | NC |
| +5 | +5 | GND |
| NC | NC | NC |
| +5 | +5 | GND |
| +5 | +5 | GND |
| ** | NC | NC |
| ** | NC | NC |
| ** | +5 | NC |
| *Board jumpers correspond |  |  |
| to pins $18,19 \& 21$ of ROM. |  |  |
| **As defined by customer |  |  |

Figure 10. Pin Compatible 1K x 8 Read Only Memories for the HDSP-2472 Alphanumeric Display Controller.

## Display Boards/Hardware

The mechanical layout of the HDSP-247X Series allows direct mating of the controller P.C. board to a compatible series of display boards available from Hewlett-Packard. These display boards consist of matched and tested HDSP-2000 clusters soldered to a P.C. board.

Included with the controller board are: 1 each Amp P/N 1-530500-7 board to board connector, and 4 each locking circuit board support nylon standoffs (Richco LCBS-4). This hardware allows the controller board to interconnect with any of the standard display boards. Figure 12 depicts correct assembly technique.

## Assembly Steps

1. Insert the standoffs into 151 diameter holes (noted as " S " on Figure 12. The long end of the standoffs should protrude through the controller board side.
2. Position the controller board and display board with the components and displays facing out. The HP logo should be in the upper left corner when viewed facing the boards. Insert the standoffs through the mating holes on the display board and press the boards together so that the standoffs.lock in place.
3. After the standoffs are secured, the Amp connector should be placed on the edge connect pads (marked " $A$ " through " $Q$ " Figure 12) at the top of the boards. Visual alignment of this connector may be done on the controller board by determining that the first connector contact finger is centered on the pad labeled " $A$ ".


Figure 12. Assembly Drawing.


Figure 13. HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472


Figure 14. HDSP-2416/-2424/-2432


Figure 15. HDSP-2440

## Features

- ALPHANUMERIC

Displays 64 Character ASCII Set and Special Characters

- 18 SEGMENT FONT INCLUDING CENTERED D.P. AND COLON
- 3.56 mm ( 0.140 ") CHARACTER HEIGHT
- APPLICATION FLEXIBILITY WITH PACKAGE DESIGN
8 Character Dual-In-Line Package End Stackable
Sturdy Leads on 2.54 mm ( 0.100 ") Centers
Common Cathode Configuration
- LOW POWER

As Low as $1.0-1.5 \mathrm{~mA}$ Average Per Segment Depending on Peak Current Levels

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE Continuous Segment Font High On/Off Contrast
5.08 mm ( 0.200 ") Character Spacing

Excellent Character Alignment
Excellent Readability at 1.5 Metres

- SUPPORT ELECTRONICS

Can Be Driven With ROM Decoders and Drivers Easy Interfacing With Microprocessors and LSI Circuitry

- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY Assures Uniformity of Light Output From Unit to Unit Within a Single Category



## Description

The HDSP-6300 is an eighteen segment GaAsP red alphanumeric display mounted in an 8 character dual-inline package configuration that permits mounting on PC boards or in standard IC sockets. The monolithic light emitting diode character is magnified by the integral lens which increases both character size and luminous intensity, thereby making low power consumption possible. The eighteen segments consist of sixteen segments for alphanumeric and special characters plus centered decimal point and colon for good visual aesthetics. Character spacing yields 5 characters per inch.

## Applications

These alphanumeric displays are attractive for applications such as computer peripherals and mobile terminals, desk top calculators, in-plant control equipment, handheld instruments and other products requiring low power, display compactness and alphanumeric display capability.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Symbol | $\because \cdots$ Parameter | Min. | Max | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TPEAK | Peak Forward Current Per Segment or DP (Dúration $\leq 417 \mu$ s) |  | $150$ | mA |
| IAVG | Average Current Per Segment or DP[1] |  | 6.25 | mA |
| PD | Average Power Dissipation Per Character [1,2] | \% | 133 | mW |
| TA | Operating Temperature, Ambient | $\because-40$ | 85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| TS | Storage Temperature | -40 | 100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| V | R Reverse Voltage |  | 5. | $V$ |
|  | Solder Temperature at 1.59 mm (1/16 inch) below seating plane, $t \leq 5$ Seconds |  | 260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## NOTES:

1. Maximum allowed drive conditions for strobed operation are derived from Figures 1 and 2 . See electrical section of operational considerations.
2. Derate linearly above $T_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $2.47 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. $\mathrm{PD}_{\mathrm{D}} \operatorname{Max} .\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=47 \mathrm{~mW}$.

## Electrical/Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$



NOTES:
3. The luminous intensity ratio between segments within a digit is designed so that each segment will have the same luminous sterance. Thus each segment will appear with equal brightness to the eye.
4. Operation at peak currents of less than 7 mA is not recommended.
5. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda \mathrm{d}$, is derived from the C.I.E. chromaticity diagram and represents that single wavelength which defines the color of the device, standard red.


Figure 1. Maximum Allowed Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. Derate derived operating conditions above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ using Figure 2.


Figure 2. Temperature Derating Factor For Peak Current per Segment vs. Ambient Temperature. $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}} \mathrm{MAX}=110^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Efficiency (Luminous Intensity Per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current.


Figure 4. Peak Forward Segment Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.


Figure 5. Typical 64 Character ASCII Set.


Additional.Character Font


## Magnified Character Font Description



Figure 7.

## Device Pin Description

| Pin <br> No. | Function |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Anode | Segment K |
| 2 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{D}_{1}$ |
| 3 | Anode | Segment C |
| 4 | Cathode | Digit 1 |
| 5 | Cathode | Digit 2 |
| 6 | Cathode | Digit 3 |
| 7 | Cathode | Digit 4 |
| 8 | Anode | Segment L |
| 9 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{G}_{2}$ |
| 10 | Anode | Segment E |
| 11 | Anode | Segment M |
| 12 | Anode | Segment $D_{2}$ |
| 13 | Anode | Segment DP |
| 14 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{A}_{2}$ |
| 15 | Anode | Segment I |
| 16 | Anode | Segment J |
| 17 | Cathode | Digit 8 |
| 18 | Cathode | Digit 7 |
| 19 | Cathode | Digit 6 |
| 20 | Cathode | Digit 5 |
| 21 | Anode | Segment Co |
| 22 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{G}_{1}$ |
| 23 | Anode | Segment B |
| 24 | Anode | Segment F |
| 25 | Anode | Segment H |
| 26 | Anode | Segment $A_{1}$ |

## Operational Considerations

## ELECTRICAL

The HDSP-6300 device utilizes large monolithic 18 segment GaAsP LED chips including centered decimal point and colon. Like segments of each digit are electrically interconnected to form an 18 by N array, where $N$ is the quantity of characters in the display. In the driving scheme the decimal point or colon is treated as a separate character with its own time frame. A detailed discussion of character font capabilities, ASCII code to 18 segment decoding, and display drive techniques will appear in a forthcoming application note.

This display is designed specifically for strobed (multiplexed) operation, with a minimum recommended peak forward current per segment of 7.0 mA . Under normal operating situations the maximum number of illuminated segments needed to represent a given character is 10. Therefore, except where noted, the
information presented in this data sheet is for a maximum of 10 segments illuminated per character.*

The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ model:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V_{F}=1.85 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(1.8 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } 30 \mathrm{~mA} \leq I \text { PEAK } \leq 150 \mathrm{~mA} \\
& V_{F}=1.58 \mathrm{~V}+I_{\text {PEAK }}(10.7 \Omega) \\
& \text { For } 10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \operatorname{IPEAK} \leq 30 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

[^12]
## OPTICAL AND CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

Each large monolithic chip is positioned under a separate element of a plastic aspheric magnifying lens producing a magnified character height of 3.56 mm ( 0.140 inch). The aspheric lens provides wide included viewing angles of 60 degrees horizontal and 55 degrees vertical with low off axis distortion. These two features, coupled with the very high segment luminous sterance, provide to the user a display with excellent readability in bright ambient light for viewing distances in the range of 1.5 metres. Effective contrast enhancement can be obtained by employing an optical filter product such as Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60, Dark Red 63 or Purple 90; SGL Homalite H100-1605 Red or H100-1804 Purple; or Plexiglas 2423. For very bright ambients, such as indirect sunlight, the 3M Red 655 or Neutral Density Light Control Film is recommended.

## MECHANICAL

This device is constructed by LED die attaching and wire bonding to a high temperature PC board substrate. A precision molded plastic lens is attached to the PC board.

The HDSP-6300 can be end stacked to form a character string which is a multiple of a basic eight character grouping. These devices may be soldered onto a printed circuit board or inserted into 28 pin DIP LSI sockets. The socket spacing must allow for device end stacking.

Suitable conditions for wave soldering depend upon the specific kind of equipment and procedure used. For more information, consult the local HP Sales Office or HewlettPackard Components, Palo Alto, California.

## Features

## - ALPHANUMERIC <br> Displays 64 Character ASCII Set and Special Characters

- 16 SEGMENT FONT PLUS CENTERED D.P. AND COLON
- 3.81 mm ( 0.150 ") CHARACTER HEIGHT
- APPLICATION FLEXIBILITY WITH PACKAGE DESIGN
4 and 8 Character Dual-In-Line Packages
End Stackable-On Both Ends for 8 Character and On One End for 4 Character
Sturdy Gold-Plated Leads on 2.54 mm ( 0.100 ") Centers
Environmentally Rugged Package
Common Cathode Configuration
- LOW POWER

As Low as $1.0-1.5 \mathrm{~mA}$ Average
Per Segment Depending on Peak
Current Levels

- EXCELLENT CHARACTER APPEARANCE Continuous Segment Font
High On/Off Contrast
6.35 mm ( $0.250^{\prime \prime}$ ) Character Spacing

Excellent Character Alignment
Excellent Readability at 2 Metres

- SUPPORT ELECTRONICS

Can Be Driven With ROM Decoders and Drivers
Easy Interfacing With Microprocessors and LSI Circuitry

- CATEGORIZED FOR LUMINOUS INTENSITY Assures Uniformity of Light Output From Unit to Unit Within a Single Category



## Description

The HDSP-6504 and HDSP-6508 are 3.81 mm ( $0.150{ }^{\prime \prime}$ ) eighteen segment GaAsP red alphanumeric displays mounted in 4 character and 8 character dual-in-line package configurations that permit mounting on PC boards or in standard IC sockets. The monolithic light emitting diode character is magnified by the integral lens which increases both character size and luminous intensity, thereby making low power consumption possible. The rugged package construction, enhanced by the back fill design, offers extended environmental capabilities compared to the standard PC board/lens type of display package. Its temperature cycling capability is the result of the air gap which exists between the semiconductor chip/wire bond assembly and the lens. In addition to the sixteen segments, a centered D.P. and colon are included. Character spacing yields 4 characters per inch.

## Applications

These alphanumeric displays are attractive for applications such as computer peripherals and terminals, computer base emergency mobile units, automotive instrument panels, desk top calculators, in-plant control equipment, hand-held instruments and other products requiring low power, display compactness and alphanumeric display capability.

## Device Selection Guide



## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| symbol | －rrat Pqumetor： |  |  | 4uther |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TEAK | Pexk forward Canent Por Segmont ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ， |  | Hexixukx |  |
|  |  | 4， $4 \times 2$ | K以䜌200 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |
|  |  | ， |  | 14－2， |
| W649 |  |  | 2－Wx whtux |  |
|  |  |  | 2xabymex ${ }^{2}$ | 83＊ |
|  |  | S | 17xtw | $1{ }^{1}$ |
|  | Character 1， 21 ，5s， | Ste |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 14．4． | Operating Temperature，Ambient | 0 |  |  |
|  | Storage Temperature | $40$ | $165100$ | $15 \times$ |
| VR | Roverse Volfage |  | lez |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Solder termperature at 159 |  |  |  |
|  | ting pla |  |  |  |
|  | 3 Seconds | ，${ }^{2}$ \％${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 紅 |  |

## NOTES：

1．Maximum allowed drive conditions for strobed operation are derived from Figures 1 and 2 ．See electrical section of operational considerations．
2．Derate linearly above $\mathrm{T}_{A}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ at $2.17 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ． $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{D}} \operatorname{Max} .\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=62 \mathrm{~mW}$ ．

## Electrical／Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

| Syinbol | Parameter | Test condtion | Mh， | 紫 | WTHX | （1）Mel |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Luninous Intensity，Time Averag Character Total with 16 Segments lluminated 13,4 | IPEAK $=30 \mathrm{~mA}$ 1／16 Duty Zactor | $0.40$ |  |  |  |
| $V F$ | Forward Vollage Per Segment or DP | ong segment on | $2$ | $\text { K, } 10$ | $19$ |  |
| APEAK | Peak Wavelength： |  |  | 655.2 |  | W．1mm |
| $\lambda_{\text {d }}$ | Dominant Wavelengthi5］ |  |  | 640 |  | x $\mathrm{c}^{1 / 10}$ |
| In | Reverse Current Per Segment or DP | $\mathrm{V}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ | 5x，\％ | $10$ |  |  |
| $\Delta \mathrm{V}_{F /}{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | Temperature Coefficient of Forvard Voltage |  |  | 2 |  | mue |
| Rodiph | Thermat Resistance LED Junction－to－Pin | \|otat |  | 232 |  | © W， Seg |

NOTES：
3．The luminous intensity ratio between segments within a digit is designed so that each segment will have the same luminous sterance．Thus each segment will appear with equal brightness to the eye．
4．Operation at peak currents of less than 7 mA is not recommended．
5．The dominant wavelength，$\lambda d$ ，is derived from the C．I．E．chromaticity diagram and represents that single wavelength which defines the color of the device，standard red．


Figure 1. Maximum Allowed Peak Current vs. Pulse Duration. Derate derived operating conditions above $\mathrm{T}_{\mathbf{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ using Figure 2.


Figure 2. Temperature Derating Factor For Peak Current per Segment vs. Ambient Temperature. $\mathrm{T}_{\text {JMAX }}=11 \mathbf{0}^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Efficiency (Luminous Intensity Per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current.

$V_{F}$ - PEAK FORWARD VOLTAGE - V

Figure 4. Peak Forward Segment Current vs. Peak Forward Voltage.

For a Detailed Explanation on the Use of Data Sheet Information and Recommended Soldering Procedures, See Application Note 1005, Page 464.


Figure 5. Typical 64 Character ASCII Set.


## Package Dimensions



NOTES:

1. ALL DIMENSIONS IN MILLIMETRES AND (INCHES)
2. ALL UNTOLERANCED DIMENSIONS ARE FOR REFERENCE ONLY.
3. PIN 1 IDENTIFIED BY INK DOT ADJACENT TO LEAD.

Figure 6. HDSP-6504
Figure 7. HDSP-6508

## Magnified Character Font Description

DEVICES
HDSP-6504
HDSP-6508


Figure 8.

Device Pin Description

| Function |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Pin No. | HDSP-6504 |  | HDSP-6508 |  |
| 1 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{g}_{1}$ | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{g}_{1}$ |
| 2 | Anode | Segment DP | Anode | Segment DP |
| 3 | Cathode | Digit 1 | Cathode | Digit 1 |
| 4 | Anode | Segment d2 | Anode | Segment d2 |
| 5 | Anode | Segment I | Anode | Segment 1 |
| 6 | Cathode | Digit 3 | Cathode | Digit 3 |
| 7 | Anode | Segment e | Anode | Segmente |
| 8 | Anode | Segment m | Anode | Segment m |
| 9 | Anode | Segment k | Anode | Segment $k$ |
| 10 | Cathode | Digit 4 | Cathode | Digit 4 |
| 11 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{d}_{1}$ | Anode | Segment dy |
| 12 | Anode | Segment $j$ | Cathode | Digit 6 |
| 13 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{C}_{0}$ | Cathode | Digit 8 |
| 14 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{g}_{2}$ | Cathode | Digit 7 |
| 15 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{a}_{2}$ | Cathode | Digit 5 |
| 16 | Anode | Segment i | Anode | Segment j |
| 17 | Cathode | Digit 2 | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{C}_{0}$ |
| 18 | Anode | Segment b | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{g}_{2}$ |
| 19 | Anode | Segment $a_{1}$ | Anode | Segment a2 |
| 20 | Anode | Segment c | Anode | Segment i |
| 21 | Anode | Segment $h$ | Cathode | Digit 2 |
| 22 | Anode | Segment $\ddagger$ | Anode | Segment b |
| 23 |  |  | Anode | Segment $\mathrm{a}_{1}$ |
| 24 |  |  | Anode | Segment c |
| 25 |  |  | Anode | Segment h |
| 26 |  |  | Anode | Segment ${ }^{\text {f }}$ |

## Operational Considerations

## ELECTRICAL

The HDSP-6504 and -6508 devices utilize large monolithic 16 segment GaAsP LED chips with centered decimal point and colon. Like segments of each digit are electrically interconnected to form an 18 by N array, where N is the quantity of characters in the display. In the driving scheme the decimal point or colon is treated as a separate character with its own time frame. A detailed discussion of character font capabilities, ASCII code to 18 segment decoding and display drive techniques appear in Application Note 1003.
These displays are designed specifically for strobed (multiplexed) operation, with a minimum recommended time peak forward current per segment of 7 mA . Under normal operating situations the maximum number of illuminated segments needed to represent a given character is 10. Therefore, except where noted, the information presented in this data sheet is for a maximum of 10 segments illuminated per character.*
The typical forward voltage values, scaled from Figure 4, should be used for calculating the current limiting resistor values and typical power dissipation. Expected maximum $V_{F}$ values for the purpose of driver circuit design may be calculated using the following $V_{F}$ model:
$V_{F}=1.85 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(1.8 \Omega)$
For: $30 \mathrm{~mA} \leq$ IPEAK $\leq 200 \mathrm{~mA}$
$V_{F}=1.58 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(10.7 \Omega)$
For: $10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq$ IPEAK $\leq 30 \mathrm{~mA}$

## OPTICAL AND CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

Each large monolithic chip is positioned under a separate element of a plastic aspheric magnifying lens, producing a magnified character height of 3.810 mm (. 150 inch ). The aspheric lens provides wide included viewing angles of typically 75 degrees horizontal and 75 degrees vertical with low off axis distortion. These two features, coupled
*More than 10 segments may be illuminated in a given character, provided the maximum allowed character power dissipation, temperature derated, is not exceeded.
with the very high segment luminous sterance, provide to the user a display with excellent readability in bright ambient light for viewing distances in the range of 2 metres. Effective contrast enhancement can be obtained by employing any of the following optical filter products: Panelgraphic: Ruby Red 60, Dark Red 63 or Purple 90; SGL Homalite: H100-1605 Red or H100-1804 Purple, Plexiglas 2423. For very bright ambients, such as indirect sunlight, the 3M Light Control Film is recommended: Red 655, Violet, Purple or Neutral Density.

For those applications requiring only 4 or 8 characters, a secondary barrel magnifier, HP part number HDSP-6505 (four character) and -6509 (eight character), may be inserted into support grooves on the primary magnifier. This secondary magnifier increases the character height to 4.45 mm (. 175 inch) without loss of horizontal viewing angle (see below).

## MECHANICAL

These devices are constructed by LED die attaching and wire bonding to a high temperature PC board substrate. A precision molded plastic lens is attached to the PC board and the resulting assembly is backfilled with a sealing epoxy to form an environmentally sealed unit.
The four character and eight character devices can be end stacked to form a character string which is a multiple of a basic four character grouping. As an example, one -6504 and two -6508 devices will form a 20 character string. These devices may be soldered onto a printed circuit board or inserted into 24 and 28 pin DIP LSI sockets. The socket spacing must allow for device end stacking.

Suitable conditions for wave soldering depend upon the specific kind of equipment and procedure used. For more information, consult the local HP Sales Office or HewlettPackage Components, Palo Alto, California.


Figure 9. Design Data for Optional Barrel Magnifier in Single Display Applications.

# 18 SEGMENT ALPHANUMERIC DISPLAY SYSTEM 

## Features

- COMPLETE ALPHANUMERIC DISPLAY SYSTEM UTILIZING THE HDSP-6508 DISPLAY
- DISPLAYS 64 Character ascil set
- CHOICE OF 16, 24, 32, OR 40 ELEMENT DISPLAY PANEL
- MULTIPLE DATA ENTRY FORMATS Left, Right, RAM, or Block Entry
- EDITING FEATURES THAT INCLUDE CURSOR, BACKSPACE, FORWARDSPACE, INSERT, DELETE, CARRIAGE RETURN, AND CLEAR
- DATA OUTPUT CAPABILITY
- SINGLE 5.0 VOLT POWER SUPPLY
- TTL COMPATIBLE
- EASILY INTERFACED TO A KEYBOARD OR A MICROPROCESSOR


## Description

The HDSP-87XX series of alphanumeric display systems provides the user with a completely supported 18 segment display panel. These products free the user's system from display maintenance and minimize the interaction normally required for alphanumeric displays.
Each alphanumeric display system consists of a preprogrammed microprocessor plus associated logic, which provides decode, memory, and drive signals necessary to properly interface a user's system to an HDSP-6508 display. In addition to these basic display support operations, the controller accepts data in any of four data entry formats and incorporates several powerful editing routines. This microprocessor controller is mounted behind a single line display panel consisting of HDSP-6508 displays matched for luminous intensity.

These alphanumeric display systems are attractive for applications such as data entry terminals, instrumentation,, electronic typewriters, and other products which require an easy to use 18 segment alphanumeric display system.


## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Vcc<br>-0.5 V to 6.0 V<br>Operating Temperature Range,<br>Ambient ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$<br>$0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$<br>Storage Temperature Range (Ts) ...... $\quad-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$<br>Voltage Applied to any<br>Input or Output<br>-0.5 V to 6.0 V

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parometer | Symboll | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SHEpuevalager | Y V | 485 | 5.25 | \% |
| Data Out Data Vala | + 10 y |  | 3.2 | mA |
| Read weresh ${ }^{\text {a }}$, | - $10+15$ |  | -80 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  | Whow | \%um | 016 | mi ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
|  | \% 6 Loy |  | -40 | ${ }_{\mu}{ }^{\text {A }}$ |

## Electrical Characteristics Over Operating Temperature Range

Unless otherwise specified

| Parameter |  | Symbol | Mn. | Tvp: | Max. | Unils | , Conditions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Curren | HOSP-87167-8724 | 10 |  | 560 | 1150 | mA | $V C C=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ \& Displayed in All Character Locations, All Outputs Open |
|  | HDSP-8732/-8740 |  |  | 700 | 1320 | ma |  |
| Time Average Luminous Intensity <br> Per Digit, 10 Segments on |  |  | 24 | . 7 |  | med | Voc $=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$, Digit Average ' $\$$ ' Displayed In All Character Locations, $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Input Threshold High (except Reset |  | $V_{\text {IH }}$ | 0 |  |  |  | $\mathrm{VCc}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}+25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Input Threshotd High - Resetl Input Threshold Low - All hoputs |  | $\bigcirc \mathrm{V}_{1 \mathrm{H}}$ | 3.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0.8 |  |  |
| Data Out, Data Valid, Ready: <br> Refresh, Output Voltage |  | VOH | 2. |  |  | 高 ${ }^{2}$ | $10 \mathrm{H}-80 \mathrm{HA}, \mathrm{VCo}=4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  |  | VOL |  |  | 0.5 | $y$ | $101=32 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{VCC}^{4} 4.75 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Active, Clock Output Voltage |  |  | 2 |  |  | $\square$ | 10H-10nA, VCC 4.75 V |
|  |  |  |  |  | 05 |  | 16a-16mA $\mathrm{Vco}=475 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Address Expand, Inpat Current |  |  |  |  | 3 | WA | Vir $2.4 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VCc}-5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | 0.6 | MA | $V_{14}-0.5 V_{i} V_{C C C}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Biank Input Current |  | nh |  |  | 0.5 | mA | $V_{1 H} 2.4 V^{1} V_{C 0}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1.0 | mA | $V_{12}=0.5 V^{\prime}, V_{c c}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Reset Input Current |  |  |  |  | 00.5 | mA | $\mathrm{V}, \mathrm{H}=3.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{Vcc}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
|  |  | hl |  |  | -1.0 | MAA | $V_{i}=0.5 V_{V} V_{C c}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Data In, Chip Select, Input Current: |  |  | -10 |  | $+10$ | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | O<VIKVCC, |
| Peak Wavelength |  | APEAK |  | 655 |  | nm |  |
| Dominant Wavelength ${ }^{[4]}$ |  | $\lambda_{d}$ |  | 640 |  | nm |  |

## NOTES:

1. The luminous intensity ratio between segments within a digit is designed so that each segment will have the same luminous sterance. Thus, each segment will appear with equal brightness to the eye.
2. External reset may be initiated by grounding Reset with either a switch or open collector TTL gate for a minimum time of 50 ms . For Power On Reset to function properly, Vcc power supply should turn on at a rate $>100 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{s}$.
3. Momentary peak surge currents may exist on these lines. However, these momentary currents will not interfere with proper operation of the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740.
4. The dominant wavelength, $\lambda_{d}$, is derived from the C.I.E. chromaticity diagram and represents that single wavelength which defines the color of the device, standard red.
5. All typical values at $\mathrm{V}_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise noted.

## System Overview

The HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display Controllers provide the interface between any ASCII based Alphanumeric System and the HDSP-6508 Alphanumeric Display. ASCII data is loaded into the system by means of any one of four data entry modes - Left, Right, RAM, or Block Entry. This ASCII data is stored in the internal RAM memory of the system. The system may also be expanded to form multiple line panels with system to system control signals.

The user interfaces to any of the system through eight DATA IN inputs, six ADDRESS inputs (RAM mode), a $\overline{\text { CHIP SELECT }}$ input, $\overline{\text { RESET }}$ input, $\overline{B L A N K}$ input, EXPAND input, six DATA OUT outputs, a READY output, DATA VALID output, $\overline{R E F R E S H}$ output, and CLOCK output. A low level on the $\overline{\text { RESET }}$ input clears the display and initializes the system. A low level on the $\overline{\mathrm{CHIP}}$
$\overline{\text { SELECT }}$ input causes the system to load data from the DATA IN and ADDRESS inputs into the system. A special control word causes the controller to output a STATUS WORD, CURSOR ADDRESS, and a string of ASCII characters through the DATA OUT outputs and DATA VALID output. A low level on the EXPAND input allows two or more systems to be configured for multiple line display panels. Pulse width modulation of display luminous intensity can be provided by connecting $\overline{\text { REFRESH }}$ to the input of a monostable multivibrator and the output of the monostable multivibrator to the BLANK input. A 400 kHz clock is provided on the CLOCK output. A system block diagram for the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/8740 systems is shown in Figure 1. The system is designed to refresh the display at a fixed refresh rate of 100 Hz . The display duty factor is optimized for each display length in order to maximize light output.


Figure 1. Block Diagram of the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.

## Control Mode/Data Entry

User interface to the HDSP-87XX series controller is via an 8-bit word which provides to the controller either a control word or standard ASCII data input. In addition to this user provided 8-bit word, two additional control lines, $\overline{\mathrm{CHIP}}$ SELECT and READY, allow easily generated "handshake" signals for interface purposes.
A logic low applied to the CHIP SELECT input (minimum six microseconds) causes the controller to read the 8 DATA IN lines and determine whether a control word or ASCII data word is present, as determined by the logic state of the most significant bit ( $\mathrm{D}_{7}$ ). If the controller detects a logic high at $D_{7}$, the state of $D_{6}-D_{0}$ will define the data entry mode and appropriate display length.

The 8 bit control data word format is outlined in Figure 2. For the control word ( $D_{7}$ high), bits $D_{5}$ and $D_{4}$ define the selected data entry mode (Left entry, Right entry, etc.) and bits $D_{3}$ to $D_{0}$ define display length. Bit $D_{6}$ is ignored.
Control word inputs are first checked to verify that the control word is valid. If the word is valid, the present state - next state table shown in Figure 3 is utilized to determine whether or not to clear the display. RAM entry can be used as a powerful editing tool or can be used to preload the cursor. With other transitions, the internal memory is cleared. The CONTROL WORD $1 X X X 11 X_{2}$ is used by the controller to initiate the DATA OUT function.


Figure 2. Control Word Format for the HDSP-87 16/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.


Figure 3. Present State-Next State Diagram for the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.


Figure 4. Display Commands for the HDSP-87 16/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.

If $D_{7}$ is a logic low when the DATA IN lines are read，the controller will interpret $\mathrm{D}_{6}-\mathrm{D}_{0}$ as standard ASCII data to be stored，decoded，and displayed．The system accepts the standard 7－bit ASCII code．However，the HDSP－87XX system displays only the 64 character subset｜2016（space） to $5 \mathrm{~F}_{16}(\uparrow) \mid$ and ignores all ASCII characters outside this subset with the exception of those characters defined as display commands．These display commands are shown in Figure 4．The displayed character set for the HDSP－ $87 X X$ system is shown in Figure 5.

Regardless of whether a control word or ASCII data word is presented by the user，a READY signal is generated by the controller after the input word is processed．This READY signal goes low for $35 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ and upon a positive transition，a new CHIP SELECT may be accepted by the controller．Data Entry Timing is shown in Figure 6.

| \％rs | $\begin{aligned} & 0_{0}^{0_{3}} \\ & p_{0}^{2} \\ & 0_{0} \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  | ！ |  |  | ！ | $i$ |  | $:$ |  |  |  | $!$ | ？ |  |  | ！ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{D}_{6} \mathrm{o}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ | Hex |  | － | ， | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |  | － |  |  | － |  |  | a | ： |  | c | － |  | ： |  |  |
| 010 | 2 |  | mome | $!$ | ＂ | 王 | 仡 | 先 |  | U | ， |  | く | ＞ |  | ＊ | ＋ |  |  | － |  |  |  | ／ |
| $0 \cdot$ | 3 |  | $\square$ | 1 | 2 | 习 | 4 | 5 |  | 5 | 7 |  | 日 | 9 |  |  | ， |  | 4 | $=$ | ＝ |  |  | P |
| 0 | 4 |  | ■ | F | B | ［ | D | E |  | F | G |  | H | I |  | J | K |  | L | M | 1 | N |  | $\square$ |
|  | 5 |  | P | $\square$ | R | 5 | T | L |  | $V$ | W |  | X | Y |  | Z | ［ |  | \} |  | ］ |  |  | t |

Figure 5．Display Font for the HDSP－8716／－8724／－8732／－8740 Alphanumeric Display System．


MAXIMUM DATA ENTRY TIMES OVER OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE

| DATA ENTRY MODE |  | FUNCTION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | DATA <br> HOLD TIME＊ | EATA BS HT LF CA US INSERT OEL VTYFF RS |
| EEFT， SINGLE | 25／4s |  |
| LEFT， <br> EXPANDED | 254／s |  |
| RIGHT | $25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ |  |
| RAMA |  | 220us $\because$＂， |
| Bi．OCK | 25\％／s |  |
| CONTROL | 25／45 | 545 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| data Out | $25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ | 260，4s＋36nus，WHLRE $n=$ CONFIGURED OISPLAV LENGTH |

＊MINIMUM TIME THAT DATA INPUTS MUST REMAIN VALID AFTER CHIP SELECT GOES LOW．
＊＊MINIMUM TIME THAT RAM ADDRESS INPUTS MUST REMAIN VALID AFTER CHIP SELECT GOES LOW．

Figure 6．Data Entry Timing and Data Entry Times for the HDSP－8716／－8724／－8732／－8740 Alphanumeric Display System．

## Left Entry Mode

With Left entry, characters are entered in typewriter fashion, i.e., to the right of all previous characters. Left entry uses a blinking cursor to indicate the location where the next character is to be entered. CLEAR loads the display with spaces and resets the cursor to the leftmost display location. BACKSPACE and FORWARDSPACE move the cursor without changing the character string. Thus, the user can backspace to the character to be edited, enter a character and then forwardspace the cursor. CARRIAGE RETURN resets the cursor to the leftmost display location leaving the display unchanged. The DELETE function deletes the displayed character at the cursor location and then shifts the character string following the cursor one location to the left to fill the void of the deleted character. The INSERT CHARACTER sets a flag inside the system that causes subsequent ASCII characters to be inserted to the left of the character at the cursor location. As new characters are entered, the cursor, the character at the cursor, and all characters to the right of the cursor are shifted one location to the right. The INSERT function is terminated by a second INSERT CHARACTER, or by BACKSPACE, FORWARDSPACE, CLEAR, CARRIAGE RETURN, or DELETE. In Left entry mode, after the display is filled, the system ignores all characters except BACKSPACE, CARRIAGE RETURN, and CLEAR. The system allows the cursor to be positioned only in the region between the leftmost display character and immediately to the right (offscreen) of the rightmost display character.
Expanded Left entry is selected by grounding the EXPAND input prior to $\overline{\text { RESET. Expanded Left entry mode }}$
allows several HDSP-87XX systems to be connected into a multiple line panel. Expanded Left entry uses the ERI input, $\overline{E L I}$ input, $\overline{\mathrm{LEFT}}$ input, and $\overline{\mathrm{ACTIVE}}$ output to provide a handshake between each system as shown in Figure 7. With the proper connections, the cursor can be moved in a circular fashion from the end of the last line to the beginning of the first line, or such that it shifts offscreen and is lost until the next CLEAR/HOME display command. Expanded Left entry adds three display commands: CURSOR UP moves the cursor to the same location in the preceeding line; CURSOR DOWN moves the cursor to the same location in the following line; CLEAR/HOME loads all displays with spaces and resets the cursor to the leftmost display location in the first line. The CLEAR command in Left entry mode is replaced by the LINE FEED function. LINE FEED moves the cursor to the leftmost display location in the following line leaving the current line unchanged.

## Right Entry Mode

In Right entry mode, characters are entered at the right hand side of the display and shifted to the left as new characters are entered. In this mode, the system stores 48 ASCII characters, although only the last characters entered are displayed. CLEAR loads the display with spaces. BACKSPACE shifts the display one location to the right, deleting the last character entered and displaying the next character in the 48 character buffer. Right entry mode is a simple means to implement the walking or "Times-Square" display. In this mode, the cursor is located immediately to the right (offscreen) of the rightmost displayed character.


Figure 7. External Connections for Expanded Left Entry Mode for the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.

## Block Entry Mode

Block entry allows the fastest data entry rate of all four modes. In this mode, characters are loaded from left to right as with Left entry. However, with Block entry, after the display is completely loaded, the next ASCII character is loaded in the leftmost display location, replacing the previous displayed character. While Block entry has a non-visible cursor, the cursor is always loaded with the address of the next character to be entered. The display can be cleared and the cursor reset to the leftmost display location by loading in a new BLOCK control word.

## RAM Entry Mode

In RAM entry, ASCII characters are loaded at the address specified by the six bit RAM address. Regardless of display length, address 00 is the leftmost display character. Out of range RAM addresses are ignored. While RAM entry has a non-visible cursor, the cursor is always
preloaded with the address to the right of the last character entered. This allows the cursor to be preloaded with an address prior to going into any other entry mode. The display can be cleared by loading in a new RAM control word.

## Power-On Reset/Reset

When power is first applied to the system, the system clears the display and tests the state of the DATA INPUT, $D_{7}$. If $D_{7}>2.0 \mathrm{~V}$, the system loads the control word on the DATA INPUTS into the system. If $\mathrm{D}_{7} \leq 0.8 \mathrm{~V}$ or the system sees an invalid control word, the system initializes as Left entry for a 40 character display with a flashing cursor in the leftmost location. During $\overline{\operatorname{RESET}}$, the system also tests the state of the EXPAND input. If EXPAND is low, the system initializes in expanded left entry mode. A flow chart that describes the RESET function is shown in Figure 8. For POWER-ON RESET to function properly, the


Figure 8. Reset Sequence for the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.
power supply must turn on at a rate $>100 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{s}$. In addition, the system can be reset by pulling the RESET input low for a minimum of 50 milliseconds. POWER-ON RESET/ RESET timing is shown in Figure 9.
If some entry mode or display length is desired other than 40 character Left entry, it is necessary to either load the
appropriate control word or provide a control word during POWER-ON RESET/ $\overline{\operatorname{RESET}}$. The circuit shown in Figure 10 can be used to load any desired preprogrammed control word into the HDSP-87XX Series Display Controller during POWER-ON RESET// RESET.


Figure 9. POWER-ON RESET/RESET Timing for the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.


Figure 10. External Circuitry to Load a Control Word into the HDSP-87 16/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System Upon POWER-ON RESET/RESET.

## Data Out

Data stored in the HDSP-87XX system is available to the user upon command. Data Out is initiated by the control word 1 XXX 11 XX 2. Following this control word, the system outputs a STATUS WORD, CURSOR ADDRESS, and a string of ASCII data characters. The STATUS WORD specifies the data entry mode and the display length of the system. The STATUS WORD is the same format as a valid control word with $\mathrm{D}_{7}$ and $\mathrm{D}_{6}$ deleted. The CURSOR ADDRESS specifies the location of the cursor within the display. The CURSOR ADDRESS of the leftmost display location is address 00. In Expanded Left entry mode, a CURSOR ADDRESS of $63\left(3 F_{16}\right)$ is used to indicate a nonactive line. The system outputs the same number of ASCII data characters as the display length specified by the control word. The first ASCII data character is always the leftmost display character. The positive edge of the DATA VALID output can be used to load the DATA OUTPUT words into the user's system. The DATA OUT timing for the HDSP-87XX systems is summarized in Figure 11.

## Luminous Intensity Modulation

Pulse width modulation of display luminous intensity can be provided by connecting the REFRESH output of the system to the input of a monostable multivibrator. The output of the monostable multivibrator should then be connected to the $\overline{\text { BLANK }}$ input of the system. Modulation of display luminous intensity is then achieved by varying the delay of the monostable multivibrator with a potentiometer or photoresistor. $\overline{\text { REFRESH }}$ is repeated at a rate of 10 ms divided by the configured display length. For example, an HDSP-8732 system, when configured for a 32 character display length, would pulse the REFRESH output every $312.5 \mu \mathrm{~s}$. The circuit shown in Figure 12 may be utilized to provide manual control of display luminous intensity. Automatic control may be achieved by substituting an appropriate value photoconductor for potentiometer $R_{1}$. If luminous intensity modulation is not desired, BLANK should be left open.


## STATUS WORD FORMAT (A)



Y Y Y Y = DISPLAY LENGTH

CURSOR ADDRESS FORMAT (B)
CURSOR ADDRESS $=$ NO. OF CHARACTERS FROM THE LEFT

DATA WORD FORMAT ( 1 - N)
LOWEST 6 BITS OF ASCII CODE
WORD (1) = LEFTMOST DISPLAY CHARACTER
WORD $(\mathbf{N})=$ RIGHTMOST DISPLAY CHARACTER

Figure 11. Data Out Timing and Format for the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.

## Microprocessor Interface

Interfacing the HDSP-87XX Series Display System to microprocessor systems depends on the needs of the particular application. Figure 13 shows a latched interface between the host microprocessor and the HDSP-87XX system. The latch provides temporary storage to avoid making the host microprocessor wait for the system to accept data. Data from the host microprocessor system is loaded into the 74LS273 octal register on the positive transition of the clock input pin 11. At the same time, the $\overline{\text { CHIP SELECT }}$ input is forced low. The CHIP SELECT input stays low until READY goes low. The host microprocessor should avoid loading new data into the 74LS273 as long as BUSY is high. The latched interface can be implemented with an octal register and $\overline{S R}$ flip-flop if the HDSP-87XX system is operated in Left, Right, or Block entry. RAM entry requires an additional register for the RAM address inputs. Additional flexibility can be achieved by using a peripheral interface adapter (PIA) to interface the HDSP-87XX system to the host microprocessor system. The PIA provides a data entry handshake between the host microprocessor system and the HDSP-87XX system and allows the host microprocessor system to read the Data Output port of the HDSP-87XX system.


Figure 12. External Circuitry to Vary the Luminous Intensity of the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Alphanumeric Display System.

*CS IS A LOGICAL COMBINATION OF HIGH ORDER ADDRESS BITS THAT DISTINGUISH THE ADDRESS OF THE HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 FROM THE REST OF THE MICROPROCESSOR SYSTEM.

Figure 13. Latched Interface to the HDSP-87XX Series Alphanumeric Display System.

## Package Dimensions



Package Dimensions


HDSP-8740



NOTES: (1) POWER LEADS SHOULD BE 18-20 GAUGE STRANDED WIRE.

| PIN | DESCRIPTION |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 | RAM ADDRESS, $A_{0}$ |
| 2 | EXPAND |
| 3 | RAM ADDRESS, $A_{1}$ |
| 4 | CHIP SELECT |
| 5 | RAM ADDRESS, $A_{2}$ |
| 6 | DATA IN, $D_{0}$ |
| 7 | RAM ADDRESS, $A_{3}$ (ELI) |
| 8 | DATA IN, $D_{1}$ |
| 9 | RAM ADDRESS, A4 (ERI) |
| 10 | DATA IN, $D_{2}$ |
| 11 | RAM ADDRESS, $A_{5}$ (LEFT) |
| 12 | DATA IN, D |
| 13 | ACTIVE |
| 14 | DATA IN, D |
| 15 | RESET |
| 16 | DATA IN, $D_{5}$ |
| 17 | NO CONNECTION |


| PIN | DESCRIPTION |
| :--- | :--- |
| 18 | DATA IN, D |
| 19 | NO CONNECTION |
| 20 | DATA IN, D7 |
| 21 | NO CONNECTION |
| 22 | DATA OUT, DO |
| 23 | DATA OUT, DO |
| 24 | DATA OUT, DO |
| 25 | DATA OUT, DO |
| 26 | DATA OUT, DO |
| 27 | DATA OUT, DO |
| 28 | READY |
| 29 | DATA VALID |
| 30 | 4OO KHZ CLOCK OUT |
| 31 | REFRESH |
| 32 | NO CONNECTION |
| 33 | DISPLAY BLANK |
| 34 | NO CONNECTION |


$\qquad$ NO CONNECTION

LED SOLID STATE ALPHANUMERIC INDICATOR

## Features

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- \(5 \times 7\) LED MATRIX CHARACTER Human Factors Engineered
- BRIGHTNESS CONTROLLABLE
- IC COMPATIBLE
- SMALL SIZE
Standard 15.24 mm (. 600 inch) Dual In-Line Package; 6.9mm (. 27 inch) Character Height
- WIDE VIEWING ANGLE
- RUGGED, SHOCK RESISTANT
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## Hermetically Sealed

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Designed to Meet MIL Standards
- LONG OPERATING LIFE
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## Description

The Hewlett-Packard 5082-7100 Series is an X-Y addressable, $5 \times 7$ LED Matrix capable of displaying the full alphanumeric character set. This alphanumeric indicator series is available in 3,4, or 5 character endstackable clusters. The clusters permit compact presentation of information, ease of character alignment, minimum number of interconnections, and compatibility with multiplexing driving schemes.
Alphanumeric applications include computer terminals, calculators, military equipment and space flight readouts.

The 5082-7100 is a three character cluster.
The 5082-7101 is a four character cluster.
The 5082-7102 is a five character cluster.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | $\therefore$ Symbol | Min. | Max | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Forward Current Per LED (Duration $<1 \mathrm{~ms}$ ) | Ipeak |  | 100 | mA |
| Average Current Per LED | IAVG | $\therefore$ | , 10 | ma |
| Power Dissipation Per <br> Character (All diodes lit) ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ | $P_{D}$ | "20 | 700 | \% |
| Operating Temperature, Case | T $\mathbf{C}^{6}$ | -55 | 95 | C |
| Storage Temperature | $T_{S}$ | -55 | 100 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Reverse Voltage Per LED | $V_{R}$ |  | 4 | $\boldsymbol{V}$ |

Note 1: At $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Case Temperature; derate $8.5 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

Electrical / Optical Characteristics at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Note 1. Time for a $10 \%-90 \%$ change of light intensity for step change in current.


Figure 1. Forward Current-Voltage Characteristic.


Figure 3. Typical Time Average Luminous Intensity per LED vs. Average Current per LED.


Figure 2. Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Case Temperature at Fixed Current Level.


Figure 4. Typical Relative Luminous Efficiency vs. Peak Current per LED.

## Package Dimensions and Pin Configurations



## Device Pin Description



## Operating Considerations

## ELECTRICAL

The $5 \times 7$ matrix of LED's, which make up each character, are X-Y addressable. This allows for a simple addressing, decoding and driving scheme between the display module and customer furnished logic.
There are three main advantages to the use of this type of $X-Y$ addressable array:

1. It is an elementary addressing scheme and provides the least number of interconnection pins for the number of diodes addressed. Thus, it offers maximum flexibility toward integrating the display into particular applications.
2. This method of addressing offers the advantage of sharing the Read-Only-Memory character generator among several display elements. One character generating ROM can be shared over 25 or more $5 \times 7$ dot matrix characters with substantial cost savings.
3. In many cases equipments will already have a portion of the required decoder/driver (timing and clock circuitry plus buffer storage) logic circuitry available for the display.
To form alphanumeric characters a method called "scanning" or "strobing" is used. Information is addressed to the display by selecting one row of diodes at a time, energizing the appropriate diodes in that row and then proceeding to the next row. After all rows have been excited one at a time, the process is repeated. By scanning through all rows at least 100 times a second, a flicker free character can be produced. When information moves sequentially from row to row of the display (top to bottom) this is row scanning, as illustrated in Figure 5. Information can also be moved from column to column (left to right across the display) in a column scanning mode. For most applications (5 or more characters to share the same ROM) it is more economical to use row scanning.
A much more detailed description of general scanning techniques along with specific circuit recommendations is contained in HP Application Note 931.

## MECHANICAL/THERMAL MOUNTING

The solid state display typically operates with 200 mW power dissipation per character. However, if the operating conditions are such that the power dissipation exceeds the derated maximum allowable value, the device should be heat sunk. The usual mounting technique combines mechanical support and thermal heat sinking in a common structure. A metal strap or bar can be mounted behind the display using silicone grease to insure good thermal control. A well-designed heat sink can limit the case temperature to within $10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ of ambient.


Figure 5. Row Scanning Block Diagram.



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## High Reliability, Military Parts

Hewlett-Packard product designs and manufacturing methods assure our ability to supply high reliability products patterned after MIL-S-19500 and MIL-M-38510 programs. Testing programs may include $100 \%$ screening tests with precap visual, lot qualification or both. Programs performed to customer drawings and specifications are available and strictly follow their control documents and procedures.


PROGRAM CAPABILITIES

| HERMETIC PRODUCTS | Available Programs* |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Lot Qual. | 100\% Screen | 100\% Screen and Lot Qual. |
| Lamps Meet MIL-S-19500 | JAN | - | JANTX |
| Displays Using Hybrid Die Configuration Patterned to Class B of MIL-M-38510 | - | TXV | TXVB |
| Optocouplers Using Hybrid Die Configuration Designed Against Class B of MIL-M-38510 | - | TXV | TXVB |
| Optocouplers with Controls of MIL-M-38510 Class S | X | X | X |
| Special Optocoupler Assemblies with Testing Patterned to Class B or S or MIL-M-38510 | X | X | X |
| NON HERMETIC PRODUCTS |  |  |  |
| All Products to Customer Test Programs Designed Against MIL-S-19500 or MIL-M-38510 Class B | X | X | X |

*Testing program details vary between products based on device design objectives, product history and capabilities.

- Not Available

X Available


Hewlett-Packard Components have three types of package sealing methods to meet different customer needs in the market. The recommended high reliability part is packaged in a conventional glass to glass, glass to metal seal or equivalent sealing technique using ceramic. These products are impervious to moisture and meet -hermeticity testing to prescribed levels.

In addition to our hermetic products, Hewlett-Packard makes units which use an epoxy seal. These units are also capable of passing hermeticity testing and can be utilized in those high reliability applications with limited moisture exposure over long periods.

A third package type is also non-hermetic using complete epoxy encapsulation material to form both the package structure and outline. These products are often used in non man rated ground support programs and successfully pass customer lot acceptance qualification testing and $100 \%$ screening programs designed for plastic components.
The optional tests in the following recommended screening sequence for non-hermetic devices are based on package configuration, point of assembly and customer preference. The conditions for all selected tests are product design dependent and are based on absolute maximum ratings.

| Test Sequence | MIL-STD-883 <br> Method | MIL-STD-750 <br> Method | Non-Hermetic <br> Program |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Pre Cap Visual | HP Procedure | HP Procedure | Optional |
| 2. High Temperature Storage | 1008 | 1031 | 100 Percent |
| 3. Temperature Cycling | 1010 | 1051 | Optional |
| 4. Constant Acceleration | 2001 | NA | Optional |
| 5. Fine Leak | 1014 | 1071 | Optional |
| 6. Gross Leak | 1014 | 1071 | Optional |
| 7. Interim Electrical/Optical Tests | - | - | Optional |
| 8. Burn In | 1015 | 1038 | 100 Percent |
| 9. Final Electrical/Optical Tests | - | - | 100 Percent |
| 10. Delta Drift Measurements | - | - | Optional |
| 11. External Visual | 2009 | 2071 | 100 Percent |

Hewlett-Packard's emphasis on reliability extends across commercial and high reliability markets. As part of our new product introduction and periodically during the life of a part, samples from typical manufacturing lots are subjected to qualification testing. The data obtained from these tests indicates reliability levels maintained by the product family and is assembled periodically into Reliability Summary data sheets. Copies may be obtained from your local Hewlett-Packard field sales office.


Hermetically Sealed and High Reliability LED Lamps


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Hermetic Optocouplers

| Device |  | Description | Application | Typical Data Rate (NRZ) | Current Transfer Ratio | Specified Input Current | Withstand Test Voltage | Page No. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 6N134 | Dual Channel Hermetically Sealed Optically Coupled Logic Gate. <br> TXV - Screened TXVB - Screened with Group B Data | Line Receiver, Ground Isolation for High Reliability Systems | 10M bit/s | 400\% Typ. | 10 mA | 1500 Vdc | 90 |
|  | 6N134TXV |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6N134TXVB |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6N140 | Hermetically Sealed Package Containing 4 Low Input Current, High Gain Optocouplers TXV - Hi-Rel Screened TXVB - Hi-Rel Screened with Group B Data | Line Receiver, Low Power Ground Isolation for High Reliability Systems | 300k bit/s | 300\% Min. | 0.5 mA | 1500 Vdc | 94 |
|  | 6N140TXV |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6N140TXVB |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 4N55 | Dual Channel Hermetically Sealed Analog Optical Coupler TXV - Hi-Rel Screened TXVB - Hi-Rel Screened with Group B Data | Line Receiver, Analog Signal Ground Isolation, Switching Power Supply Feedback Element | 700k bit/s | 7\% Min. | 16 mA | 1500 Vdc | 98 |
|  | 4N55TXV |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 4N55TXVB |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Hermetically Sealed Integrated LED Displays

| Device |  | Description | Package | Application | $\begin{gathered} \text { Page } \\ \text { No. } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} \square \\ \square \\ \square \end{gathered}\right.$ | 5082-7010 | $6.8 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.27^{\prime \prime}\right) 5 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, LHDP, Built-In Decoder/Driver | 8 Pin Hermetic 2.54 mm (.100") Pin Centers | - Ground, Airborne, Shipboard Equipment <br> - Fire Control Systems <br> - Space Flight Systems | 241 |
|  | 5082-7011 | 6.8 mm (.27") Plus/Minus Sign |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7391 | 7.4 mm (.29") $4 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, RHDP, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory | 8 Pin Hermetic $15.2 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.6^{\prime \prime}\right)$ DIP with Gold Plated Leads | - Ground, Airborne, Shipboard Equipment <br> - Fire Control Systems <br> - Space Flight Systems <br> - Other High Reliability Applications | 247 |
|  | 5082-7392 | $7.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right) 4 \times 7$ Single Digit Numeric, LHDP, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7395 | $7.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right) 4 \times 7$ Single Digit Hexadecimal, Built-In Decoder/Driver/Memory |  |  |  |
|  | 5082-7393 | $7.4 \mathrm{~mm}\left(.29^{\prime \prime}\right)$ Overrange Character Plus/Minus Sign |  |  |  |

NOTES: 1. $\Theta^{1 / 2}$ is the off-axis angle at which the luminous intensity is half the axial luminous intensity.
2. Peak Wavelength.
3. For Panel Mounting Kit, see page 171.
4. PC Board Mountable.
5. Military Approved and qualified for High Reliability Applications.

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| AB-52/5953-0330 | Large Monolithic LED <br> $(3 / 77)$ | Abst. |
| AB-54/5953-0363 | Mechanical Handling of Sub- <br> $(7 / 77)$ | Abst. |
| miniature LED Lamps and | Arrays |  |

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| Model/Pub. No. <br> (Date) |  | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |$\quad$ Ref. | HPBK-1000 | Optoelectronics Applications | Abst. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| McGraw-Hill | Manual |  |
| (No. 0-07-028605-1) <br> $(1977)$ |  |  |

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## Abstracts

## APPLICATION BULLETIN 1 <br> Construction and Performance of High Efficiency Red, Yellow and Green LED Materials

The high luminous efficiency of HewlettPackard's High Efficiency Red, Yellow and Green lamps and displays is made possible by a new kind of light emitting material utilizing a GaP transparent substrate. This application bulletin discusses the construction and performance of this material as compared to standard red GaAsP and red GaP materials.

## APPLICATION BULLETIN 4 Detection and Indication of Segment Failures in Seven Segment LED Displays

The occurrence of a segment failure in certain applications of seven segment displays can have serious consequences if a resultant erroneous message is read by the viewer. This application bulletin discusses three techniques for detecting open segment lines and presenting this information to the viewer.

## APPLICATION BULLETIN 52 <br> Large Monolithic LED Displays

The trend to incorporate more complex functions into smaller package configurations that are portable and battery powered is reaching a point where the limiting items are the space and power constraints imposed upon the display at the operator-to-machine interface. The large monolithic LED display has been designed to meet many of these constraints. This application bulletin describes the beneficial features of a large monolithic LED display and presents circuits which interface the display to CMOS logic and to a microprocessor.

## APPLICATION BULLETIN 54 <br> Mechanical Handling of Subminiature LED Lamps and Arrays

The Need for Careful Mechanical Handling
Hewlett-Packard manufactures a series of individual LED lamps and lamp arrays that are very small epoxy encapsulated devices. These devices are classified as having a
SUBMINIATURE package configuration. When carefully installed on a printed circuit board, these devices will reliably function with a long predictable operating life.

To obtain long operating life, these subminiature devices must be carefully installed on the printed circuit board in such a manner as to insure the integrity of the encapsulating epoxy. This will in turn maintain the integrity of the device by not permitting mechanical and thermal stresses to induce strains on the LED die attach and wire bonds which may cause failure.
This application bulletin describes the subminiature package assembly, the package's mechanical limitations and offers specific suggestions for proper installation.

## APPLICATION NOTE 931

Solid State Alphanumeric Display...Decoder/ Driver Circuitry
Hewlett-Packard offers a series of solid state displays capable of producing multiple alphanumeric characters utilizing $5 \times 7$ dot arrays of GaAsP light emitting diodes (LED's). These $5 \times 7$ dot arrays exhibit clear, easily read characters. In addition, each array is X-Y addressable to allow for a simple addressing, decoding, and driving scheme between the display module and external logic.
Methods of addressing, decoding and driving information to such an $X-Y$ addressable matrix are covered in detail in this application note. The note starts with a general definition of the scanning or strobing technique used for this simplified addressing and then proceeds to describe horizontal and vertical strobing. Finally, a detailed circuit description is given for a practical vertical strobing application.

## APPLICATION NOTE 934

## 5082-7300 Series Solid State Display Installation Techniques

The 5082-7300 series Numeric/Hexadecimal indicators are an excellent solution to most standard display problems in commercial, industrial and military applications. The unit integrates the display character and associated drive electronics in a single package. This advantage allows for space, pin and labor cost reductions, at the same time improving overall reliability.
The information presented in this note describes general methods of incorporating the -7300 into varied applications.

## Abstracts

## APPLICATION NOTE 937 Monolithic Seven Segment LED Display Installation Techniques

The Hewlett-Packard series of small endstackable monolithic GaAsP displays are designed for strobing, a drive method that allows time sharing of the character generator among the digits in a display.
This Application Note begins with an explanation of the strobing technique, followed by a discussion of the uses and advantages of the right hand and center decimal point products.

Several circuits are given for typical applications. Finally, a discussion of interfacing to various data forms is presented along with comments on mounting the displays.

## APPLICATION NOTE 939 High Speed Optically Coupled Isolators

Often designers are faced with the problem of providing circuit isolation in order to prevent ground loops and common mode signals. Typical devices for doing this have been relays, transformers and line receivers. However, both relays and transformers are low speed devices, incompatible with modern logic circuits. Line receiver circuits are fast enough, but are limited to a common mode voltage of 3 volts.
In addition, they do not protect very well against ground loop signals. Now Optically Coupled Isolators are available which solve most isolation problems.

This Application Note contains a description of Hewlett-Packard's high speed isolators, and discusses their applications in digital and analog systems.

## APPLICATION NOTE 945 Photometry of Red LEDs

Nearly all LEDs are used either as discrete indicator lamps or as elements of a segmented or dot-matrix display. As such, they are viewed directly by human viewers, so the primary criteria for determining their performance is the judgment of a viewer. Equipment for measuring LED light output should, therefore, simulate human vision.

This Application Note will provide answers to these questions:

1. What to measure (definitions of terms)
2. How to measure it (apparatus arrangement)
3. Whose equipment to use (criteria for selection)

## APPLICATION NOTE 947 <br> Digital Data Transmission Using Optically Coupled Isolators

Optically coupled isolators make ideal line receivers for digital data transmission applications. They are especially useful for elimination of common mode interference between two isolated data transmission systems. This application note describes design considerations and circuit techniques with special emphasis on selection of line drivers, transmission lines, and line receiver termination for optimum data rate and common mode rejection. Both resistive and active terminations are described in detail. Specific techniques are described for multiplexing applications, and for common mode rejection and data rate enhancement.

## OPTOELECTRONICS APPLICATIONS MANUAL (HPBK-1000)

The commercial availability of the Light Emitting Diode has provided electronic system designers with a revolutionary component for application in the areas of information display and photocouplers.

Many electronic engineers have encountered the need for a resource of information about the application of and designing with LED products. This book is intended to serve as an engineering guide to the use of a wide range of solid state optoelectronic products.
The book is divided into chapters covering each of the generalized LED product types. Additional chapters treat such peripheral information as contrast enhancement techniques, photometry and radiometry, LED reliability, mechanical considerations of LED devices, photodiodes and LED theory.
This book can be purchased from a HewlettPackard franchised distributor or from the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company. A complete listing of all HP Components franchised distributors can be found on pages 472-474.

## Soldering Hewlett-Packard Silver Plated Lead Frame LED Devices

## INTRODUCTION

Since the price of gold has increased several times over past years, the cost of a gold plated lead frame has increased substantially above the cost of a silver plated lead frame. The impact of this increase in cost has been industry wide.

By using silver plating, no additional manufacturing process steps are required. Silver has excellent electrical conductivity. LED die attach and wire bonding to a silver lead frame is accomplished with the same reliability as with a gold lead frame. Also, soldering to a silver lead frame provides a reliable electrical and mechanical solder joint. Soldering silver plated lead frame LED devices into a printed circuit board is not more complicated than soldering LED devices with gold plated lead frames. This application bulletin offers some suggestions on how to solder HP silver plated lead frame LED devices.

## THE SILVER PLATING

The silver plating process is performed as follows: The lead frame base metal is activated (cleaned) and then plated with a copper strike, nominally 50 microinches ( 0.00127 mm ) thick. Then a minimum 150 microinch ' $(0.00381 \mathrm{~mm})$ thick plating of silver is added. A "brightener" is usually added to the silver plating bath to insure an optimum surface texture to the silver plating. The term "brightener" comes from the medium bright surface reflectance of the silver plate.
Since silver is porous with respect to oxygen, the copper strike acts as an oxygen barrier for the lead frame base metal. Thus, oxide compounds of the base metal are prevented from forming underneath the silver plating. Copper readily diffuses into silver forming a solution that has a low temperature eutectic point. The interdiffusion between the copper strike and the silver overplate improves the solderability of the overall plating system. If basic soldering time and temperature limits are not exceeded, a lead frame base metal-copper-silver-solder metallurgical bonding system will be obtained.

## THE EFFECT OF TARNISH

Silver reacts chemically with sulfur to form the tarnish, silver sulfide ( $\mathrm{Ag}_{2} \mathrm{~S}$ ). The build-up of tarnish is the primary reason for poor solderability. However, the density of the tarnish and the kind of solder flux used actually determine
the solderability. As the density of the tarnish increases, the more active the flux must be to penetrate and remove the tarnish layer. Some recommended fluxes and cleaner/surface conditions are discussed in the "Solder, Flux and Cleaners" section.

## STORAGE AND HANDLING

The best technique for insuring good solderability of a silver plated lead frame device is to prevent the formation of tarnish. This is easily accomplished by preventing the leads from being exposed to sulfur and sulfur compounds. The two primary sources of sulfur are free air and most paper products such as paper sacks and cardboard containers. The best defense against the formation of tarnish is to keep silver lead frame devices in protective packaging until just prior to the soldering operation. One way to accomplish this is to store the LED devices unwrapped in their original packaging as received from HP. For example, Hewlett-Packard ships its seven segment display products in plastic tubes which are sealed air tight in polyethylene. It is best to leave the polyethylene intact during storage and open just prior to soldering.

Listed below are a few suggestions for storing silver lead frame devices.

1. Store the devices in the original wrapping unopened until just prior to soldering.
2. If only a portion of the devices from a single tube are to be used, tightly re-wrap the plastic tube containing the unused devices in the original or a new polyethylene sheet to keep out free air.
3. Loose devices may be stored in zip-lock or tightly sealed polyethylene bags.
4. For long term storage of parts, place one or two petroleum napthalene mothballs inside the plastic package containing the devices. The evaporating napthalene creates a vapor pressure inside the plastic package which keeps out free air.
5. Any silver lead frame device may be wrapped in "Silver Saver" paper for positive protection against the formation of tarnish. "Silver Saver" is manufactured by:

[^13]6. To reduce shelf storage time, it will be worthwhile to use inventory control to insure that the devices first received will be the first devices to be used.
One caution: The adhesives used on pressure sensitive tapes such as cellophane, electrical and masking tape can soak through silver protecting papers and may leave an adhesive film on the leads. This film reduces solderability and should be removed with freon T-P35, freon T-E35 or equivalent prior to soldering.

## SOLDER, FLUX AND CLEANERS

The solder most widely used for soldering electronic components into printed circuit boards is Sn60 (60\% tin and $40 \%$ lead per federal standard QQ-S-571. Two alternates are the eutectic composition Sn63 and the 2\% silver solder Sn62.
As the device ieads pass through the solder wave of a flow solder process, the tin in the solder scavenges silver from the silver plating and forms one of two silver-tin intermetallics $\left(\mathrm{Ag}_{6} \mathrm{Sn}\right.$ or $\left.\mathrm{Ag}_{3} \mathrm{Sn}\right)$. This silver in the molten solder should not be considered a contaminant. As the silver content increases, the rate of scavenging decreases and the probability of obtaining the desired base metal-copper-silver-solder metallurgical system is improved. The result is that the silver content in solder, which reaches a maximum of $2-1 / 2 \%$ in Sn 60 at $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, aids in producing reliable solder joints on silver plated lead frames.

Solder flux classifications per federal standard QQ-S-571, listed in order of increasing strength, are as follows:
Type R: Non-Activated Rosin Flux
Type RMA: Mildly Activated Rosin Flux
Type RA: Activated Rosin Flux
Type AC: Organic Acid Flux, Water Soluble
Suggested applications of these flux types with respect to various tarnish levels are as follows:
Silver plated lead frames that are clean, contaminant and tarnish free may be soldered using a Type R flux such as Alpha 100.

## Minor Tarnish

Since some minor tarnish or other contaminant may be present on the leads, a type RMA flux such as Alpha 611 or 611 Foam, Kester 197 or equivalent is recommended. Minor tarnish may be identified by reduced reflectance of the ordinarily medium bright surface of the silver plating. Type RMA fluxes which meet MIL-F-14256 are used in the construction of telephone communication, military and aero space equipment.

## Mild Tarnish

For a mild tarnish, a type RA flux such as Alpha 711-35, Alpha 809 foam, Kester 1544, Kester 1585 or equivalent should be used. A mild tarnish may be identified by a light yellow tint to the surface of the silver plating.

## Moderate Tarnish

A type AC water soluable flux such as Alpha 830, Alpha 842 , Kester 1429 or 1429 foam, Lonco 3355 or equivalent will give acceptable results on surface conditions up to a moderate tarnish. A moderate tarnish may be identified by a light yellow-tan color on the surface of the silver plating.

If a more severe tarnish is present, such as a heavy tarnish identified by a dark tan to black color, a cleaner/surface
conditioner must be used. Some possible cleaner/surface conditioners are Alpha 140, Alpha 174, Kester 5560, and Lonco TL-1. The immersion time for each cleaner/surface conditioner will be just a few seconds and each is used at room temperature. For example, Alpha 140 will remove severe tarnish almost upon contact; therefore, the immersion time need not exceed 2 seconds. These cleaner/surface conditioners are acidic formulations. Therefore, thoroughly wash all devices which have been cleaned with a cleaner/surface conditioner in cold water. A hot water wash will cause undue etching of the surface of the silver plating. A post rinse in deionized water is advisable.
CAUTION: These cleaner/surface conditioners may etch exposed glass and may have a detrimental effect upon the glass filled encapsulating epoxies used in optoelectronic devices. Complete immersion of an optoelectronic device into a surface conditioner solution is NOT recommended. For best results, immerse only the tarnished leads and do not expose the encapsulating epoxy to the solutions.
The cleaning of printed circuit boards after soldering is important to remove ionic contaminants and increase circuit reliability. When a Type RMA or Type RA flux is used, vapor clean with an azeotrope of fluorocarbon F113 and approximately $15 \%$ alcohol by weight. Some equivalent products are Allied Chemical Genesolve DI-15/DE-15, Blaco-Tron DE-15/DI-15 and Arklone K. A Type RMA or Type RA flux is a mixture of basic Type R rosin flux and an organic acid. The fluorocarbon F113 removes the residual rosin and the alcohol removes the residual active ions. Room temperature cleaning may be accomplished by using Freon T-E35, T-P35 or equivalent. When a Type AC flux is used, wash thoroughly with water. Specific cleaning processes are suggested in the soldering process section.

## SOLDERING PROCESS

Before the actual soldering begins, the printed circuit boards and components to be soldered should be free of dirt, oil, grease, finger prints and other contaminants. Fluorinated cleaners such as Freon T-P35 may be used to preclean both the printed circuit boards and LED devices. Operators may wear cotton gloves to prevent finger prints when loading components into the printed circuit boards.
If the silver lead frames have acquired an unacceptable layer of tarnish, remove this tarnish layer with a cleaner/surface conditioner just prior to soldering. Since a cleaner/surface conditioner does slightly etch the surface of the silver plating, the silver leads are now more susceptible to tarnish formation. Therefore, use a cleaner/surface conditioner only on those silver lead frame devices which will be soldered within a four hour time period. The effect of various tarnish levels on the choice of flux is discussed in the previous section.
Many of Hewlett-Packard's LED Lamps and Display products have a soldering specification of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(446^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$ for a maximum time period of 5 seconds. Therefore, in a flow solder operation adjust the solder temperature and belt speed to conform to this specification, or as is specified on the device data sheet. The flow solder operation may now proceed in a normal fashion. For best results, any one single lead should be immersed in molten solder for as short a time period as possible. At a solder
temperature of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(446^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$, Sn60 solder will dissolve silver at the rate of 60 microinches per second. Therefore, with an initial silver plating thickness of 150 microinches, an immersion time of 2 seconds will provide the desired lead base metal-copper-silver-solder metallurgical system. At a solder temperature of $260^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(500^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$, Sn60 solder will dissolve silver at the rate of 80 microinches per "second. These dissolving rates decrease as the silver content increases in the molten solder bath.

Post cleaning of soldered assemblies when a type RMA or Type RA flux has been used may be accomplished via a vapor cleaning process in a degreasing tank, using an azeotrope of fluorocarbon F113 and alcohol as the cleaning agent. A recommended method is a 15 second suspension in vapors, a 15 to 30 second spray wash in liquid cleaner, and finally a one minute suspension in the vapors. When a water soluable Type AC flux such as Alpha 830 or Kester 1429/1429F is used, the following post cleaning process is suggested: thoroughly wash with water, neutralize using Alpha 2441 or Kester 5760 or Kester 5761 foaming, then thoroughly wash with water and air dry.
CAUTION: The use of tetrachloro-di-fluoroethane (F112), acetone, trichloroethylene, MEK, carbon tetrachloride and similar solvents as cleaning agents is NOT recommended, as these cleaners will attack or dissolve the epoxies used in optoelectronic devices.

## A WORD ABOUT PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARDS

Printed circuit boards, either single sided, double sided or multilayer, may be manufactured with plated through holes with a metal trace pad surrounding the hole on both sides of the printed circuit board. The plated through hole is desirable to provide a sufficient surface for the solder to wet, and thereby be pulled up by capillary attraction along the lead through the hole to the top of the printed circuit board. This provides the best possible solder connection between the printed circuit board and the leads of the LED device.

## SOLDERED LEADS

Figure 1 illustrates an ideally soldered lead. The amount of solder which has flowed to the top of the printed circuit board is not critical. A sound electrical and mechanical joint is formed.

Figure 2 illustrates a soldered lead which is undesirable.


Figure 1. Ideally Soldered Lead


Figure 2. Undesirable Soldered Lead

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E.I. DuPonte De Nemours \& Co.

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Frank Curran Co. (Petroleum Napthalene Mothballs) 8101 South Lemont Road
Downers Grove, Illinois 60515
(312) 969-2200

Kester Solder Co.
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Allied Chemical Corporation
Speciality Chemicals Division
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# INTERFACE TIMING AND DISPLAY LENGTH EXPANSION INFORMATION FOR THE HDSP-2000 CODED DATA CONTROLLER 

The HDSP-2000 CODED DATA CONTROLLER shown in Application Note 1001 is a versatile circuit and is easily modified to multiplex any display length. This Application Bulletin contains the key timing information and a detailed explanation of how the circuit 'operates. With this information, it should be a straightforward exercise to expand the display to any desired length. Included in this Application Bulletin are designs for 32, 64, and 128 character displays. The ASCII to $5 \times 7$ decoder table within the Motorola MCM6674 ROM has also been shown. This decoder table can be stored within a Bipolar PROM if faster speeds are required.

The circuit shown in Figure 2 shows a CODED DATA CONTROLLER designed for a 32 character HDSP-2000 alphanumeric display. The key waveforms shown in Figure 1, labeled (1) (2), and (3), are shown to simplify the analysis of this circuit. Label (1) is the 1 MHz clock. Label (2) is the output of 7404 pin 2 which is the inverted $Q_{D}$ output of the 74197. Label (3) is the output of the 7404 pin 6 which is the ANDed output of 2QB, 2Qc, and 2QD of the 74393. The Motorola 6810 RAM stores 32 bytes of ASCII data which is continuously read, decoded, and displayed. The ASCII data from the RAM is decoded
by the Motorola 6674128 character ASCII decoder. The 6674 decoder has five column outputs which are gated to the Data Input of the display via a 74151 multiplexer. Strobing of the display is accomplished via the 74197, 74393 , and 7490 counter string. The 74197 is connected as a divide by 8 counter that sequentially selects the seven rows within the 6674. As shown by waveform (2), the 74197 also enables seven clock cycles to be gated to the clock input of the display. The 74393 is a divide by 256 counter connected so that the five lowest order outputs select each of the 32 ASCII characters within the RAM. The three highest order outputs determine the relationship between load time and column on time. When $2 Q_{B}=$ $2 Q_{C}=2 Q_{D}=1$ of the 74393, waveform (3) goes to a logical 1. The circuit then scans 32 characters from the RAM and serializes the column data by counting through each of the seven rows of the 6674 and gating the appropriate column of the display. During the seven counts when 2QB, 2QC, and 2QD of the 74393 are not equal to a logical 1, the column data is displayed, as shown in waveform (4). Since only one column can be on at a single moment, the highest possible column on time is $1 / 5$ or $20 \%$. Thus, the column on time of the display in Figure 2 is $(20 \%)(7 / 8)$ or $17.5 \%$.


Figure 1. Timing Information for the 32 Character HDSP-2000 CODED DATA CONTROLLER


Figure 2. 6800, 8080A, and Z-80 Interface to the 32Character HDSP-2000 CODED DATA CONTROLLER

Changing the display length to 64 characters is a simple modification. This configuration can be easily realized by disconnecting $2 Q_{B}$ of the 74393 from the 7410 and connecting it through the remaining tri-state buffer on the 74LS367 and using the 6810 RAM to store 64 ASCII characters. By leaving only 2Qc and 2QD attached to the 7410, the column on time of the display is reduced from $17.5 \%$ to $15 \%$. This reduction is caused because the relationship between actual column on time and theoretical column on time is $3 / 4$ as opposed to $7 / 8$ for the 32 characters. Since the display length has been doubled, the drive transistors must be upgraded to handle the higher column currents.
To implement a 128 character display, several modifications are needed. These changes are incorporated into the circuit in Figure 5. First, the input clock frequency has been increased to 2 MHz . This has been done to maintain a refresh rate of approximately 100 Hz for each digit, thus providing a flicker-free display. This higher speed of operation causes propagation delay problems within the MCM6674 (NMOS) whose maximum access time is 350 ns . For this reason, the MCM6674 must be replaced by a faster Bipolar PROM. Refer to Figure 3 for a list of $1 \mathrm{Kx8}$ PROMs that will function correctly in the circuit. From this list, the 8252708 (maximum access time of 70 ns ) has been implemented. If this PROM is programmed with the code listed in Figure 4, it will decode a character font identical to the MCM6674. This same propagation delay problem is present with the MCM6810 RAM. Following worst case design procedures, the MCM68A10 1.5 MHz RAM should be used. To accommodate the additional address line made necessary by the display length expansion, the two 74LS367 tri-state buffers have been replaced with the 74LS244 octal version. Strobing of the display is accomplished using the 74197, 74393, and 7490 counter string. The 74197 is connected as a divide by 8 counter that sequentially selects the seven rows within the

82S2708. The 74393 is a divide by 256 counter connected so that the seven lowest outputs select each of the 128 ASCII characters within the RAM. The previously unused input A/output QA of the 7490 has been used as an additional divide by 2 counter. Thus, when the highest output of the $74393,2 Q_{D}$, and the $Q_{A}$ output of the 7490 are NANDed through 7437, the basic relationship between load time and column on time is established. However, the external gating that has been added does affect the column on time slightly. Although these additional gates increase the total package count by one, they perform the necessary function of ensuring that the column drivers are turned off before the clock is gated to the display. This prevents noise from being generated on the clock of the display and eliminates erroneous display data. The resultant column on time is $(23 / 32)(1 / 5)$ or $14.4 \%$. The final modification made concerns the necessary column current needed to drive the display. Since the HDSP-2000 is rated at $I_{\operatorname{col}}(\max )=410 \mathrm{~mA}$ and there are 32 modules of four digits each, the transistors must source up to (32) ( 410 mA ) or approximately 13A. Darlington PNP power transistors (2N6285) with the proper resistors have been used to accomplish this task.

| Part <br> Number | Manufacturer | Construction |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 7608 | Harris | Bipolar -NiCr |
| $3628-4$ | Intel | Bipolar -Si |
| 82 S 2708 | Signetics | Bipolar -NiCr |
| 6381 | Monolithic Memory | Bipolar -NiCr |
| 6385 | Monolithic Memory | Bipolar -NiCr |
| 825228 | National | Bipolar -TiW |
| 93451 | Fairchild | Bipolar -NiCr |

Figure 3. 1Kx8 PROMs for Use in the HDSP-2000 CODED DATA CONTROLLER

| $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} \text { PROM } \\ \text { ADDRESS } \end{gathered}\right.$ | hexidecimal data |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 200 \\ & 210 \\ & 220 \\ & 230 \\ & 240 \\ & 250 \\ & 250 \\ & 260 \\ & 270 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { F7 } \\ & \text { E4 } \\ & \text { E4 } \\ & \text { F1 } \\ & \text { F1 } \\ & \text { E1 } \\ & \text { F3 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{E4} \\ & \mathrm{F7} \\ & \mathrm{EO} \\ & \mathrm{EE} \\ & \mathrm{EE} \\ & \mathrm{FE} \\ & \mathrm{F9} \\ & \mathrm{F9} \end{aligned}$ | E1 FD EA E6 F0 EE F1 FO |  | F5 <br> F5 <br> E4 <br> E1 <br> FC <br> F1 <br> F1 <br> F1 |  | F4 <br> EA <br> E8 <br> FE <br> EA <br> EE <br> F1 |  |  |  | FF E8 FF EO E1 4 E4 E1 E2 |  | E4 FD EC FO FO E4 E4 EO | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FF } \\ & \text { FD } \\ & \text { FF } \\ & \text { E0 } \\ & \text { F5 } \\ & \text { E2 } \\ & \text { F5 } \\ & \text { E2 } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{array}{lll} 5 & F 5 \\ 7 & F 7 \\ 0 & E 4 \\ 1 & E 2 \\ 1 & E 2 \\ 3 & F 1 \\ 0 & E 0 \\ 9 & F 1 \\ 0 & F 1 \\ 0 & F 5 \end{array}$ | Row 4 |
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| 080 | FF | FF | E4 | E1 | E8 | FF | EO EE | E4 | E0 FF | FF ${ }^{\text {E }}$ | E4 | E0 | EE EE | Row 1 | 280 | F1 |  | F0 | E4 | E1 | E4 | FB | B | F8 | EA | E5 | E2 | E0 | EE | 5 | E8 | FB | F1 | RO |
| 090 | FF | EE | EE | EE | EE | EO | EE E1 | 1 FF | E4 EE | EE EE | FF |  | FF FF |  | 290 |  |  | F1 | F5 | F5 | F1 | F8 |  | EA | E1 | EA | E4 | E4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OAO | E0 | E4 | EA | EA | E4 | F8 | E8 EC | C E2 | E8 E4 | E4 E0 | EO | E0 | EO EO |  | 2A0 | EO |  | E4 | E0 | FF | E5 | E8 | 8 | F5 | E0 | E8 | E2 | EE | E4 | EC | EO | E0 | E8 |  |
| OBO | EE | E4 | EE | EE | E2 F | FF ${ }^{\text {E }}$ | E6 FF | F EE | EE EO | EO EC | E2 | EO | E8 EE |  | 2 EO | F9 |  | E4 | F0 | E1 | FF | E1 | 1 | F1 | E8 | F1 | E1 | EC |  | E8 | FF | E2 |  |  |
| OCO | EE | E4 | FE | EE | FE F | FF | FF EF | EF1 | EE E1 | E1 F1 | F0 | F1 | F1 EE |  | 2 CO | F5 |  | FF | E9 | F0 | E9 | F0 | 0 | F0 | F1 | F1 | E4 | E1 |  | F0 | F1 | F1 | F1 |  |
| ODO | FE | EE | F | EE | FF F | F1 F | F1 F1 | $1{ }^{\text {F1 }}$ | F1 FF | F EE | EO | EE | E4 E0 |  | D0 | F0 |  | F5 | F4 | E1 | E4 | F1 | E | EA | F5 | EA | E4 | E8 | E8 | E2 | E2 | E0 | E0 |  |
| OEO |  | E0 | F0 | E0 | E1 | E0 E2 | E2 ED | E F0 | E4 E1 | E1 F0 | EC | EO | E0 EO |  | 2 E |  |  | EF | F1 | F0 | F1 | FF | F | E4 | E1 | F1 | E4 | E1 |  |  |  |  | F1 |  |
| OFO | F6 | ED | EO | EO | E4 | EO E0 | EO EO | 0 E0 | F1 E0 | E0 E2 | E4 | E8 | E8 EA |  | 2 FO | F6 |  | ED | F0 | EE | E4 | F1 | 1 | F1 | F5 | E4 | E1 | E4 | E4 | E4 | E4 | EO | EA |  |
| 100 | F1 | F0 | E4 | E1 | E4 | F1 E | E1 F1 | 1 E8 | E4 E0 | E E4 | F5 | E4 | F1 F1 | Row 2 | 300 | F1 |  | F0 | E4 | E1 | E2 | F1 | 1 | F0 | EA | E1 | E4 | E0 | E4 | EE | E4 | F1 | F1 | Row 6 |
| 110 | F1 | F5 | F1 | F1 | F5 | E5 EA | EA E1 | 1 F1 | E4 F1 | F1 F1 | F5 | F1 | F1 F5 |  | 310 | F1 |  | F1 | F5 | F5 | F1 | F0 | 0 | EA | E1 | F1 | E4 | E0 | F1 | F1 | F5 | F5 |  |  |
| 120 | EO | E4 | EA | EA | EF | F9 F4 | F4 EC | C E4 | E4 F5 | F5 E4 | E0 | E0 | E0 E1 |  | 320 | EO |  | E0 | E0 | EA | FE | F3 | 3 | F2 | E0 | E4 | E4 | F5 | E4 | E8 | EO | EC | Fo |  |
| 130 | F1 | EC | 1 | F1 | E6 | FO E8 | E8 E1 | 1 F1 | F1 EC | EC EC | E4 | E0 | E4 F1 |  | 330 | F1 |  | E4 | F0 | F1 | E2 | F1 | 1 | F1 | F0 | F1 | E2 | EC | E8 | E4 | EO | E4 |  |  |
| 140 | F1 | EA | E9 | F1 | E9 ${ }^{\text {F }}$ | FO FO | F0 FO | 0 F1 | E4 E1 | E1 F2 | F0 | FB | F9 F1 |  | 40 |  |  | F1 | E9 | F1 | E9 | F0 | 0 | F0 | F1 | F1 | E4 | F1 | F2 | F0 |  | F1 | F1 |  |
| 150 | F1 | F1 | F1 | F1 | E4 | F1 F | F1 F1 | 1 F1 | F1 E1 | E1 E8 | F0 | E2 | EA EO |  | 350 | F0 |  | F2 | F2 | F1 | E4 | F1 | 1 | E4 | FB | F1 | E4 | F0 | E8 | E1 | E2 | E0 |  |  |
| 160 |  | EO | F0 | E0 | E1 | EO E | E5 F3 | F 60 | EO EO | E F0 | E4 | E0 | EO EO |  | 360 |  |  | F1 | F9 | F1 | F3 | F0 | 0 |  | F1 | F1 | E4 | F1 | F4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 170 | F9 | F3 | E0 | EO | E4 | EO E0 | EO EO | 0 EO | F1 E0 | E0 E4 | E4 | E4 | F5 F5 |  | 370 | F0 |  | E1 | F0 | E1 | E5 | F3 | 3 | EA | F5 | EA | A 1 | E8 | E4 | E4 | E4 | E0 | F5 |  |
| 180 | F1 | FO | E4 | E1 | E2 | FB E2 | E2 F1 | 1 FE | E2 E0 | E0 E4 | EE | E8 | FB F1 | ROW 3 | 380 | FF |  | F0 | FF | FF | E1 | FF | F | E0 | FB | E1 | EO | FF | E0 | E4 | EO | EE | EE | Row 7 |
| 190 | F1 | F5 | F1 | F1 | F5 | E2 E | EA E1 | 1 EA | EE F0 | 0 F1 | F5 | F1 | F1 F5 |  | 390 |  |  | EE | EE | EE | EE | E0 | O | FB | E1 | FF | E4 | E4 | EE | FF | FF | FF | FF |  |
| 140 | EO | E4 | EA | FF | F4 | E2 F4 | F4 E8 | 8 E8 | E2 EE | EE E4 | E0 | EO | EO E2 |  | 3A0 |  |  | E4 | E0 | EA | E4 | E3 | 3 | ED | E0 | E2 | E8 | E4 | E0 | F0 | E0 |  |  |  |
| 180 | F3 | E4 | E1 | E1 | EA | FE F0 | F0 E2 | E2 ${ }^{\text {f1 }}$ | F1 EC | EC EO | E8 |  | E2 E1 |  | 3 BO | EE |  | EE | FF | EE | E2 | EE | E | EE | F0 | EE | EC | E0 | F0 | E2 | E0 | E8 |  |  |
| 100 | E1 | F1 | E9 | F0 | E9 | F0 F0 | F0 FO | 0 F1 | E4 E1 | E1 F4 | F0 | F5 | F5 F1 |  | 3 CO | EE |  | F1 | FE | EE | FE | FF | F | F0 | EF | F1 | EE | EE | F1 | FF | F1 | F1 | EE |  |
| 1D | F1 | F1 | F1 | F0 | E4 | F1 F | F1 F1 | 1 EA | EA E2 | E2 E8 | E8 | E2 | F1 E0 |  | 3 DO | O |  | ED | F1 | EE | E4 | EE | E | E4 | F1 | F1 | E4 | 4 FF | EE | E0 | EE | E0 | FF |  |
| 1 EO | E4 | EE | F6 | EE | ED | EE | E4 F3 | F 36 | EC E1 | E1 F2 | E4 | FA | F6 EE |  | 3E0 | EO |  | EF | F6 | EE | ED | EE | E | E4 | EE | F1 | EE | EE | F2 | EE | F5 | F1 | EE |  |
| 1 F0 | F1 | F1 | F6 | EF | FF F | F1 F | F1 F1 | F1 F 1 | F1 FF | FF E4 | E4 | E4 | E2 EA |  | 350 | FO |  | E1 | F0 | FE | E2 | ED | D | E4 | EA | F1 | EE | FF | E2 | E4 | E8 | EO | EA |  |

Figure 4. 8252708 PROM Listing


Figure 5. 6800, 8080A, and Z-80 Interface to the 128 Character HDSP- 2000 CODED DATA CONTROLLER

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## Flux Budget Considerations for Fiber Optic Link Design

This application bulletin is intended to supplement Application Note 1000. Basic information on flux budgeting with specific examples using the Hewlett-Packard HFBR1002 Fiber Optic Transmitter, HFBR-2001 Fiber Optic Receiver, and HFBR-3000 Series Fiber Optic Cable/Connector Assemblies is presented.
To determine the performance of a fiber optic system, three main areas must be considered:

Transmitter Output Optical Flux
Receiver Input Sensitivity
System Insertion Losses
When designing a fiber optic system, an analysis that includes temperature, humidity, and voltage variations will require using the minimum transmitter output flux and corresponding minimum receiver input sensitivity to ensure the performance of the fiber optic system for the environmental conditions of the system.

## Transmitter Output Optical Flux

The transmitter output optical flux, $\left(\phi_{\mathrm{T}}\right)$, is usually expressed in microwatts ( $\mu \mathrm{W}$ ). For convenience in system calculations, the output flux can be expressed in dBm, allowing all system calculations to be algebraic summations.
When changing microwatts to dBm , the output optical flux is referenced to one milliwatt $(1000 \mu \mathrm{~W})$.

Transmitter Output Flux, $\phi_{\mathrm{T}}(\mathrm{dBm})=10 \log \frac{\phi_{\mathrm{T}}(\mu \mathrm{W})}{\phi_{0}}$

$$
\left(\phi_{\mathrm{O}}=1000 \mu \mathrm{~W}\right)
$$

## Receiver Input Sensitivity

The receiver input sensitivity is the minimum input flux that will produce a particular Bit Error Rate (BER) at a specified baud rate. The receiver sensitivity is a function of its internal noise and bandwidth. The receiver sensitivity, $\boldsymbol{\phi}_{\mathrm{R}}$, may be expressed in microwatts or in dBm for convenience in system calculations.

Receiver Input Sensitivity, $\phi_{\mathrm{R}}(\mathrm{dBm})=10 \log \frac{\phi_{\mathrm{R}}(\mu \mathrm{W})}{\phi_{0}}$ $\left(\phi_{\mathrm{O}}=1000 \mu \mathrm{~W}\right)$

## System Insertion Loss

The system insertion loss is defined as the total of all losses of optical flux in the transmission path. The losses at the connector interfaces are caused by reflections, differences in fiber diameter, N.A., and fiber alignment. The system insertion loss also includes losses in the fiber due to scattering and absorption. Each loss is subscripted to correspond to its location in the system and the loss is expressed in decibels. For a worst case design, values should be used taking temperature, humidity, etc. into account for the maximum loss.

A typical system insertion loss includes:
Transmitter to Cable/

| Connector Assembly | $-\alpha_{\mathrm{TC}} \quad(\mathrm{dB})$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Steady State Fiber Losses | $-\alpha_{0} \cdot \ell(\mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{km} \cdot$ length $)$ |

Cable/Connector Assembly
to Receiver $\quad-\alpha_{\mathrm{CR}}$ (dB)

Connector to Connector $\quad-\alpha_{\mathrm{CC}}(\mathrm{dB})$
Splice

$$
-\alpha_{\mathrm{S}} \quad(\mathrm{~dB})
$$

Directional Coupler
$-\alpha_{\mathrm{DC}}(\mathrm{dB})$
Star Coupler

$$
-\alpha_{\mathrm{SC}} \quad(\mathrm{~dB})
$$

## Flux Budget

The flux budget calculation is a method of comparing the ratio of transmitter optical flux and receiver sensitivity to the total loss of the system.
The System Flux Ratio is the ratio of transmitter output flux to the receiver input sensitivity and is expressed in decibels.

$$
\text { System Flux Ratio, } \alpha_{F R}(d B)=10 \log \frac{\phi_{T}(\mu W)}{\phi_{R}(\mu W)}
$$

If the transmitter output flux and receiver sensitivity are already expressed in dBm, the System Flux Ratio is merely the difference between $\phi_{\mathrm{T}}$ and $\phi_{\mathrm{R}}$.

$$
\text { System Flux Ratio, } \alpha_{\mathrm{FR}}(\mathrm{~dB})=\phi_{T}(\mathrm{dBm})-\phi_{\mathrm{R}}(\mathrm{dBm})
$$

The System Insertion Loss, $\alpha_{S L}(\mathrm{~dB})$, is then computed by summing the individual element losses in the transmission path.

$$
\alpha_{S L}(d B)=\Sigma \alpha_{i}(d B)
$$

For a system to work satisfactorily, the losses must not exceed the System Flux Ratio. The Flux Margin, $\alpha_{M}$, is the difference between the System Flux Ratio, $\alpha_{\text {FR }}$, and the System Insertion Loss, $\alpha$ SL. For a system to operate, the flux margin must be greater than zero.

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \alpha_{M}(\mathrm{~dB})=\alpha_{\mathrm{FR}}(\mathrm{~dB})-\alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}(\mathrm{~dB}) \\
& \alpha_{M}(\mathrm{~dB})>0
\end{aligned}
$$

Some designs may require a specific flux margin to account for losses that may increase with time, or to "design-in" a safety margin.

## Sample Flux Budget Calculation

| DATA SHEET PARAMETERS |  |  | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS | NOTES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HFBR-1002 <br> Transmitter | Output Optical Flux |  | 50 | 100 |  | $\mu \mathrm{W}$ | * |
|  |  |  | -13 | -10 |  | dBm |  |
| HFBR-2001 <br> Receiver | Input Optical Sensitivity |  | 0.8 | 0.5 |  | $\mu \mathrm{W}$ | * |
|  |  |  | -31 | -33 |  | dBm |  |
| HFBR-3000 Series Cable/Connector | Insertion Loss | Length Dependent |  | 7 | 10 | dB/km | * $\lambda=820 \mathrm{~nm} \quad \ell>300 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  |  | Fixed |  | 5.4 | 8.4 | dB | ${ }^{*} \lambda=820 \mathrm{~nm} \quad \ell \leq 300 \mathrm{~m}$ |

*NOTE: Guaranteed specifications $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \pm 5 \%$ Voltage, $10^{-9} \mathrm{BER} @ 10 \mathrm{Mbaud}$.

A sample "flux budget" calculation is presented for a Hewlett-Packard 1000 metre point-to-point fiber optic system. The system uses a Hewlett-Packard HFBR-1002 Transmitter, HFBR-2001 Receiver, and an HFBR-3000 series 1000 metre Cable/Connector Assembly with no intermediate connector or splice.


## 1. System Flux Ratio

The System Flux Ratio is the ratio of the transmitter output flux to the receiver input sensitivity.
System Flux Ratio, $\alpha_{\text {FR }}=$

$$
10 \log \frac{\phi_{T}(\mu \mathrm{~W})}{\phi_{\mathrm{R}}(\mu \mathrm{~W})}=10 \log \frac{50 \mu \mathrm{~W}}{0.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}}=18 \mathrm{~dB}
$$

$\mathrm{OR} \alpha_{\mathrm{FR}}=\phi_{\mathrm{T}}(\mathrm{dBm})-\phi_{\mathrm{R}}(\mathrm{dBm})=-13 \mathrm{dBm}-(-31 \mathrm{dBm})$ $=18 \mathrm{~dB}$
2. System Insertion Loss

$$
\alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=\Sigma \alpha_{\mathrm{i}}=\alpha_{\mathrm{TC}}+\alpha_{0} \cdot \ell+\alpha_{\mathrm{CR}}
$$

The loss from the Transmitter to Cable, $\alpha_{\text {TC }}$, is not directly measurable and is shown as a "typical" value on the HFBR-1002 data sheet.
More easily measurable and convenient to state is a maximum insertion loss from the Transmitter to the end of a connectored cable of length, $\ell$, called $\alpha_{T} \ell$, for use in system flux budgeting calculations. The insertion loss then includes $\alpha_{\text {TC }}$, the loss of the cable, and $\alpha_{\mathrm{CR}}$. This approach is convenient for systems where the propagation characteristics of the cable have not reached a steady state, and values of both $\alpha_{T C}$ and $\alpha_{0}$ are a function of the cable length.

The insertion loss $\alpha_{T \ell}$ may be easily expressed as the difference between two measurable quantities:
$\phi_{\mathrm{T}}$ - Transmitter Output Flux
$\phi_{\ell}$ - Flux Measured at the end of a cable of length, $\ell$


$$
\alpha_{\mathrm{T} \ell} \cdot(\mathrm{~dB})=\phi_{\mathrm{T}}(\mathrm{dBm})-\phi_{\ell}(\mathrm{dBm})
$$

Using this measurement method, under worst-case conditions, the maximum insertion loss is 15.4 dB for a Hewlett-Packard 1000 metre fiber optic system.

The System Insertion Loss can then be expressed as:

$$
\alpha_{S L}=\alpha_{\top \ell}=15.4 \mathrm{~dB}
$$

## 3. System Flux Margin

Flux Margin, $\alpha_{M}$, is the difference between the System Flux Ratio and the System Insertion Loss.
Flux Margin = System Flux Ratio-System Insertion Loss

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \alpha_{M}=\alpha_{F R}-\alpha_{S L} \\
& \alpha_{M}=18.0 \mathrm{~dB}-15.4 \mathrm{~dB} \\
& \alpha_{M}=+2.6 \mathrm{~dB}
\end{aligned}
$$

In this example, the Flux Margin, $\alpha_{\mathrm{M}}$, represents the worst case margin: $0-70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 10^{-9} \mathrm{BER} @ 10 \mathrm{Mbaud}$ for a 1000 metre system.


## Graphical Representation

The insertion loss for a Hewlett-Packard point-to-point system (using the HFBR-1002, HFBR-2001, and HFBR3000 Series Cable/Connector) can be represented graphically. The graph is a convenience for readily determining the flux margin for systems less than 1000 metres and also is a guide for determining the flux margin available when splices, connectors, and couplers are a proposed part of a fiber optic system.

For the HFBR-1002 Transmitter and the HFBR-3000 series Cable/Connector Assembly steady state propagation occurs at distances greater than 300 metres from the transmitter. Therefore the system insertion loss for a Cable/Connector Assembly less than or equal to 300 metres is defined as a single insertion loss, $\alpha_{F}(d B)$. For iengths greater than 300 metres the system insertion loss is composed of two parts: 1 ) the fixed loss, $\alpha \mathrm{F}(\mathrm{dB}), \ell \leq 300$ metres; and 2) a length dependent loss, $\alpha_{0}(\mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{Km})$, the linear cable attenuation, valid where optical flux is in equilibrium ( $\ell>300 \mathrm{~m}$ ).
Two cases will be graphed, one using typical data sheet values, the second using worst case insertion losses.

1. Typical System Insertion Loss

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=\alpha_{\mathrm{F}}(\mathrm{typ}) \quad,(\ell \leq 300 \mathrm{~m}) \\
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=5.4 \mathrm{~dB} \\
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=\alpha_{\mathrm{F}}(\mathrm{typ})+\alpha_{\circ}(\mathrm{typ}) \cdot(\ell-300) \quad,(\ell>300 \mathrm{~m}) \\
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=5.4 \mathrm{~dB}+0.007(\mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{m}) \cdot[\ell(\mathrm{m})-300]
\end{aligned}
$$

2. Typical Flux Ratio

$$
\alpha_{\mathrm{FR}}=10 \log \frac{100 \mu \mathrm{~W}}{0.5 \mu \mathrm{~W}}=23 \mathrm{~dB}
$$

3. Worst Case Insertion Loss

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \alpha_{S L}=\alpha_{F}(\max ),(\ell \leq 300 \mathrm{~m}) \\
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=8.4 \mathrm{~dB} \\
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=\alpha_{\mathrm{F}}(\max )+\alpha_{0}(\max ) \cdot(\ell-300) \quad,(\ell>300 \mathrm{~m}) \\
& \alpha_{\mathrm{SL}}=8.4 \mathrm{~dB}+0.010(\mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{m})[\ell(\mathrm{m})-300]
\end{aligned}
$$

4. Worst Case Flux Ratio

$$
\alpha_{\mathrm{FR}}=10 \log \frac{50 \mu \mathrm{~W}}{0.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}}=18 \mathrm{~dB}
$$

As shown on the graph, the Flux Margin is the number of dB between the System Flux Ratio line and the System Insertion Loss. Hewlett-Packard system performance (worst case*) guarantees a minimum Flux Margin at 1000 metres of 2.6 dB , while typical performance is greater than 12dB. For a 300 metre system worst case Flux Margin is 9.6 dB and typical performance is greater than 17 dB .
As demonstrated by the graph, the H-P system can be expected to function at distances considerably beyond 1000 metres under typical operating conditions.
*0-70 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 10^{-9}$ BER @ 10Mbaud

# Threshold Detection of Visible and Infrared Radiation with PIN Photodiodes 

Traditionally, the detection and demodulation of extremely low level optical signals has been performed with multiplier phototubes. Because of this tradition, solid-state photodetectors are often overlooked even though they have a number of clear functional advantages and in some applications provide superior performance as well. Some of these advantages are summarized below and become even more apparent in the following discussion.

## advantages of pin photodiodes versus MULTIPLIER PHOTOTUBES

1. Size and weight:

PIN photodiodes are approximately three orders of magnitude smaller and lighter. This greatly simplifies and reduces the cost of mounting.
2. Power Supply:

Multiplier phototubes require more than 1000 volts, which must be precisely regulated and divided among the dynodes. By comparison, PIN photodiodes and associated amplifiers operate stably on less than 20 volts, which does not require precise regulation.
3. Cost:

The cost, including that of the necessary amplifier, is lower for the PIN photodiode because of lower power supply requirements.
4. Spectral Response:

Broad skirts of the PIN photodiode make it useful from the ultra-violet, through the visible, and well into the infrared region. This exceeds the range of any other device of comparable sensitivity.
5. Sensitivity:

Noise equivalent power of the PIN photodiode is lower than that of any other type of photodetector. The signal levels are extremely low, however, and to achieve low level performance they require a high gain, high input resistance amplifier. Multiplier phototubes have built-in gain and do not require additional lownoise amplification. Moreover, the high input resistance needed for sensitive performance precludes fast response, whereas the response time of multiplier phototubes may be in the nanosecond region even in the sensitive mode.
6. Stability:

The characteristics of noise, responsivity, and spectral response of the PIN photodiode are not dependent on time, temperature, or other environmental considerations. The same conditions may be hazardous to multiplier phototubes.
7. Overloading:

In the presence of excessive signal, multiplier phototubes of comparable sensitivity are capable of destroying themselves as a result of excessive output current. The PIN photodiode is unaffected by exposure to room light or even direct sunlight.
8. Ruggedness:

PIN photodiodes can tolerate exposure to extreme levels of shock and vibration. Typical shock capability is 1500 G's for 0.5 millisecond.
9. Magnetic Fields:

Multiplier phototube gain is affected by fields as small as one gauss. If the interfering field is fluctuating; the output will be modulated by it. The PIN photodiode is insensitive to magnetic fields.
10. Precision:

The responsivity of the PIN photodiode is inherently precise and repeatable. Within a given type, the characteristics agree (from unit to unit) within plus or minus 0.1 decade. Responsivity of multiplier phototubes may vary over more than a decade from one unit to another.
11. Sensitive Area:

The small sensitive area of the PIN photodiode makes it unnecessary to establish an aperture which may be required for some applications. However, in some applications good optical alignment is imposed by the small area.

## PIN PHOTODIODE DETECTORS

At the present time a variety of different types of solidstate photodetectors are available. Of these, the Silicon PIN Photodiode has the broadest applicability and is the subject of this note. The PIN photodiode's main advantages are: broad spectral response, a wide dynamic range, high speed, and extremely low noise. With appropriate terminal circuits it is well suited for many applications that require converting an optical signal to an electrical signal. The
present discussion, however, will be limited to the description of the PIN photodiode's threshold detection sensitivity and the design of suitable terminal circuits that will realize this capability.

## PHOTODIODE DESCRIPTION Construction

A brief description of the PIN photodiode will be helpful in understanding its performance and the principles for designing appropriate circuits to be used with it. Figure 1 shows a typical construction of the PIN photodiode. This figure is for the purpose of explanation only and is not to scale. The relative proportions have been deliberately distorted for the sake of clarity.

The PIN structure is produced by diffusion through an oxide $\left(\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{O}_{2}\right)$ mask which also serves to protect the surface. Since most metals are very opaque to optical radiation, especially at infrared wavelengths, the gold contact is deposited only around the perimeter of the P-layer, and the gold contact pattern provides for lead attachment a short distance away from the junction region, so the lead is not in the light path.

## Mode of Operation

When a photon is absorbed by the silicon it produces a hole and an electron. If the absorption of the photon occurs in the I-layer, as shown in Figure 1, the hole and the electron are separated by the electric field in the I-layer. For the highest quantum conversion efficiency (electrons per photon) it is desirable to have the P-layer as thin as possible and the I-layer as thick as possible. The thickness of the P-layer also determines the value of the parasitic series resistance ( $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{S}}$ in Figure 2). The thinner the P-layer the higher the $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{s}}$. Since $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{s}}$ affects high frequency performance there is therefore a design trade-off between quantum efficiency and bandwidth. Once the trade-off is settled, the desired thickness is then controlled during the diffusion process. The effective thickness of the I-layer is controlled partly by the manufacturing diffusion process and partly by the magnitude of the electric field applied to the diodethe higher the field, the thicker will be the effective I-layer. It is therefore desirable to operate the diode with an external reverse bias, as shown in Figure 2. As the reverse bias voltage is increased from zero, there are three beneficial effects: hole and electron transit time decreases; conversion efficiency increases slightly; and most importantly, the capacitance decreases sharply with bias up to about ten volts and continues to decrease slightly up to about twenty volts reverse bias.


Figure 1. PIN Photodiode Cutaway View


Figure 2. PIN Photodiode Schematic Symbol, and Equivalent Circuit

In the presence of optical signals there is a slight modulation of the shunt conductance as the presence of photonproduced holes and electrons in the I-layer modulate its conductivity. This effect can be quite significant at very high levels of illumination since the I-layer may become saturated, resulting in a decrease in quantum efficiency and an increase in rise time. Saturation can be prevented by applying a very high reverse bias voltage (up to 200 volts). However, such a high voltage, applied over a long period of time, may cause a degradation of the diode's leakage properties. Since our present concern is with threshold performance, reverse bias voltages greater than twenty volts need not be considered.

## Equivalent Circuit

When properly biased, the PIN photodiode can be accu-rately represented by the equivalent circuit shown in Figure 2. Here $i_{p}$ is the external current resulting when the diode is illuminated. It has a time constant of 10 picoseconds and a value of approximately 0.5 amp per watt of input at a wavelength of 8000 angstroms ( 800 nanometers). This corresponds to a quantum efficiency of $75 \%$, that is, 0.75 electrons per photon. The quantum efficiency is constant from 500 nanometers to 800 nanometers (5,000 $\AA$ to $8,000 \AA$ ).
$\mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{N}}$ is the noise current of the PIN photodiode. Since the diode is reverse biased, the shot noise formula is applicable, so that the noise current can be computed from:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\frac{\mathrm{i}_{v}^{2}}{\mathrm{~B}}=2 \mathrm{q} \mathrm{I}_{d c} \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{B} & =\text { system output bandwidth, } \mathrm{Hz} \\
\mathrm{q} & =\text { electron charge, } 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text { coulombs } \\
\mathrm{I}_{d c} & =\mathrm{dc} \text { current, Amp. }
\end{aligned}
$$

In the case of the photodiode, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{dc}}$ is simply the dark current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$, which has a value determined by the construction and dimensions of the particular diode type. Maximum values are: 100 picoamps for $5082-4204,150$ picoamps for 5082-4205 and 2 nanoamps for 5082-4203.

Shunt resistance, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{p}}$, is very large, being usually greater than 10 gigaohms ( 10,000 megohms), and its noise current may therefore be neglected. Shunt capacitance, $C_{p}$, has a value from two to five picofarads, depending upon the diode type and reverse bias. For high frequency operation it is important to minimize $C_{p}$ because the cutoff frequency is determined by:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathrm{f}_{c}=\frac{1}{2 \pi \mathrm{R}_{s} \mathrm{C}_{p}} \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

Although our present concern is with low frequency threshold operation, there is another reason for minimizing $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{p}}$. This will be discussed later, when circuit design principles are presented.

## Performance

Threshold performance can and has been specified in a number of different ways. The most commonly understood and usable expression takes the form of a noise equivalent input signal. This is the input signal which produces an output signal level that is equal in value to the noise level that is present when no input signal is applied. The noise equivalent input in watts is called Noise Equivalent Power (NEP) and is defined by:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { NEP }=\frac{\text { NOISE CURRENT (amps per root hertz) }}{\text { CURRENT RESPONSIVITY (amps per watt) }} \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

which has the units of watts per root hertz. Devices for photo-detection could then be compared on the basis of NEP. The lower the NEP the more sensitive is the device.

Another method of defining threshold sensitivity is on the basis of signal-to-noise ratio for given input signal power levels. Taking a power level of one picowatt, for example, the signal-to-noise ratio at the output can be obtained from:

$$
\text { SNR }=\frac{\text { RESPONSIVITY }\left(\frac{\text { amps }}{\text { watts }}\right) \times \text { INPUT }(\text { watts })}{\text { NOISE CURRENT }(\mathrm{amps})}
$$

This is a ratio of currents. To express it in dB we would take twenty times its $\log$ to base ten, even though the expression converts linearly to a power ratio. This is because the devices respond linearly to input power.

Figure 3 shows spectral sensitivity characteristics of several PIN photodiodes and multiplier phototubes. Sensitivity is given in terms of SNR and NEP. The latter is in terms of dBm . Several interesting features are evident in Figure 3. Although the quantum efficiency for PIN photodiodes is constant from 500 to 800 nanometers, the sensitivity curve is not. This is due to the fact that the energy per quantum (photon) of radiant energy varies with wavelength.

The curves for the three different PIN photodiodes also show the dependence of sensitivity on leakage current. Here the highest sensitivity is obtained with the 5082-4204 which has a maximum leakage current of 100 picoamps. Next is the 5082-4205 with 150 picoamps and finally the 5082-4203 with maximum leakage of 2 nanoamps. The three curves are in effect displaced by the magnitude of the noise current difference because quantum efficiency is equal for all. These curves also show the inherent broad response of PIN photodiodes with respect to multiplier phototubes. Therefore, the power responsivity of the PIN photodiode


Figure 3. Spectral Sensitivity Comparisons of Photodetectors
has a corresponding slope. Notice how the inherently broad response of silicon, enhanced by the thick I-layer construction, extends the range of useful performance over the response ranges of two types of photocathodes.

Although the threshold sensitivity of multiplier phototubes is superior in the visible region, nevertheless for many applications the advantage is not significant enough to outweigh the disadvantages of generally unstable and tempera-ture-sensitive gain, large size and weight, and the need of very high and stable power supply voltages. On the other hand, the superior red and infrared threshold performance of the PIN photodiode does not necessarily mean it is better in any application, because one must take into account its small sensitive area and low signal levels. Realization of the performance capability described in Figure 3 also requires fairly careful attention to the design of the terminal circuits into which the PIN photodiode operates.

## TERMINAL CIRCUIT DESIGN PRINCIPLES

The design of the terminal amplifier must consider the usual design objectives of low noise, broad band, wide dynamic range, etc. In addition, there are two fundamental considerations which are dictated by the PIN photodiode:

1. High Reverse Voltage:

The diode must be operated at ten to twenty volts of reverse bias to reduce shunt capacitance.
2. High Input Resistance:

This is a fundamental consideration in the sensitivity/rise time trade-off.
The effects of reverse voltage on capacitance have been discussed earlier. However, the effect is sufficiently important to deserve a re-emphasis here.

A high input resistance is necessary in order to maintain a high signal-to-noise ratio. Since the output signal from the photodiode is a current, and its own internal noise is repre-
sented by a current, it is appropriate to represent the noise of the terminal amplifier as an equivalent noise current at the input. The smallest value of resistor which may be connected to the input is then limited by its noise current according to the formula for thermal noise:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\frac{\mathrm{i}_{v}{ }^{2}(\text { thermal })}{\mathrm{B}}=\frac{4 \mathrm{kT}}{\mathrm{R}} \tag{5}
\end{equation*}
$$

By comparing eq(1), relating diode noise current to leakage current, with eq(5), relating resistor noise current to its resistance value, it is clear that there is some value of resistance below which the NEP of the system, i.e., threshold sensitivity, would be degraded at the rate of 5 dB per decade of decreasing resistance. For example, in the case of the 5082-4203, assuming a maximum leakage current of 2 nanoamps, the value of resistance should be greater than 25 megohms, to avoid degrading the threshold sensitivity.

## TRANSISTOR AMPLIFIER

In addition to keeping the input noise current low by using large values of input resistance, it is also important to keep other sources of noise in the amplifier at a minimum. Using ordinary transistors (PNP or NPN) it is not possible to approach the ultimate sensitivity of which the PIN photodiode alone is capable, even when low-noise transistors, such as the 2 N 2484 , are used. However, in those applications where it is possible to sacrifice sensitivity for simplicity, transistors may be used. A typical transistor circuit is shown in Figure 4. With this circuit, a sensitivity corresponding to an NEP of - 95 dBm was obtained. In this case, Q1 was operated at the lowest possible collector current which would still give adequate gain. A high loop gain was desired in order to compensate, with negative feedback, for the long open-loop rise time produced by the high input resistance. A resistance higher than 10 megohms was not necessary here, since the transistor itself sets the fundamental noise limitation. A PNP transistor was selected for Q2 in order to balance out most of the base-to-emitter voltage of Q1, so that the output would tend to be near zero without any zero adjustment. A slight zero adjustment, provided by R2 and R3,
gives the necessary range without appreciably attenuating the feedback current. As the photocurrent, $\mathrm{I}_{2}$, increases, the amplifier causes the voltage at the emitter of Q3 to decrease, which causes a current in R1 to flow out of the node (base of Q1) into which $I_{2}$ flows.

## Basic Amplifier Arrangements

For linear operation, the photodiode should be operated with as small a load resistance as possible. Figure 5 shows the recommended amplifier arrangement. The negative-going input is at virtual ground; the dynamic resistance seen there by the photodiode is $R_{1}$ divided by loop gain. If the op-amp has extremely high input resistance, loop gain is very nearly the forward gain of the op-amp. $\mathrm{R}_{2}$ can be omitted if the photocurrent is reasonably high - its purpose is only to balance off the effect of offset current. As shown, the output voltage will rise in response to the optical signal. If it is preferable to have the output drop in response to optical input, then both the photodiode and $\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{c}}$ should be reversed. $\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{c}}$ may, of course, be zero. Speed of response is usually limited by the time constant of $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ with its own capacitance, so it is improved by using a string of two or more resistors in place of a single $\mathrm{R}_{1}$.
Logarithmic operation requires the highest possible load resistance - at least $10 \mathrm{G} \Omega$. With an FET-input op-amp, this is

$V_{\text {OUT }}=R_{1}\left(I_{P}+I_{\text {DARK }}\right)$

Figure 5. Linear Response; Photodiode and Amplifier Circuit Arrangement


HORIZONTAL: 20 usec $/ \mathrm{cm}$
Figure 4. Transistor Photodiode Amplifier Schematic
easily achieved as in Figure 6. If the offset current of the amplifier poses a problem, a resistor can be added between the positive- and negative-going inputs. Its value should not be less than $10 \mathrm{G} \Omega$ divided by loop gain. If the amplifier has a very high input resistance, loop gain is equal to the forward gain of the amplifier divided by $\left(1+R_{2} / R_{1}\right)$ so making $R_{2}=0$ allows the smallest possible resistance between the inputs. The speed of response of this amplifier will be very low, with a time constant


$$
\begin{aligned}
V_{\text {OUT }}= & \left(1+\frac{R_{2}}{R_{1}}\right) \frac{k T}{q} \log _{\epsilon}\left(1+\frac{I_{p}}{I_{S}}\right) \\
& \frac{k T}{q} \approx 25 \mathrm{mV} \\
I_{S}= & \frac{I_{F}}{\epsilon^{\frac{q V}{k T}}-1} \quad A T \quad 0<I_{F}<0.1 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

Figure 6. Logarithmic Response; Photodiode and Amplifier Circuit Arrangement
$\tau \approx 0.1 \mathrm{~s}$. If high speed logarithmic operation is required, it is best to use the linear amplifier of Figure 5 followed by a logarithmic converter.

## High Speed Photodiode Amplifier

Applications that call for high speed data signaling, such as CRT light pens, require amplifiers that have a wider bandwidth than the circuit shown in Figure 5.

Using a five transistor array (RCA CA3127E) it is possible to construct a high speed, high gain photodiode amplifier. This circuit is shown in Figure 8. It is configured as a two stage amplifier. The first stage is composed of transistors Q1-Q3, where Q1 is an input emitter follower with feedback obtained from the emitter of Q3. Q2 functions as an inverting amplifier interconnecting Q1 to Q3. The second stage consists of Q4 and Q5 which provide additional gain and output buffering, of the first stage. These two stages provide an equivalent transresistance of 420 K ohms. This means that the output voltage Vo is equal to the photocurrent, Ip, times 420 K ohms.
When high speed circuit layout techniques are used it is possible to obtain the rise and fall time performance shown in Figure 7. This speed is equivalent to a bandwidth of 9.5 MHz with an input flux of $1.9 \mu \mathrm{~W}$. This flux level can be obtained from a HEMT-6000 700nm High Intensity Subminiature Emitter when it is operated at 10 mA , at a distance of 1 cm from the $5082-4207$ PIN photodiode.


Figure 7. Pulse Response of Photodiode Amplifier


NOTES: TRANSISTORS ARE SINGLE PACKAGE, CA3127E. PINS LABELED FOR EACH. PIN 5 IS SUBSTRATE.

Figure 8. High Speed, High Gain Photodiode Amplifier


## 5082-7700 Series <br> Seven Segment LED Display Applications

## INTRODUCTION

The HP 5082-7700 series of LED displays are available in both common anode and common cathode configurations.. The large 0.3' high character size generates a bright, continuously uniform seven segment display of both numeric and selected alphabetic information.

Designed for viewing distances of up to 10 feet, these single digit displays have been engineered to provide a high contrast ratio and a wide viewing angle.
The 7700 series utilizes a standard $0.3^{\prime \prime}$ dual-in-line package configuration that allows for easy mounting on PC boards or in standard IC sockets. Requiring a forward voltage of only 1.7 volts, the displays are inherently IC compatible, allowing for easy integration into electronic systems.
The 5082-7730 and the 5082-7731 are common anode displays employing a left hand or a right hand decimal point respectively. Typical applications would be found in electronic instrumentation, computer systems, and business machines. The 5082-7740 is the common cathode version featuring a right hand decimal point for applications that include electronic calculators and business terminals such as credit card verifiers.
This Application Note begins with DC drive techniques and circuits. Next is an explanation of the strobe drive technique and the resultant increase in device efficiency. This is followed by general strobing circuits and some typical applications such as clocks, calculators and counters.
Finally, information is presented on general operating conditions, including intensity uniformity, light output control as a function of ambient, contrast enhancement and device mounting.

## DC DRIVE

In DC or non-strobed drive the display is operated with each character continuously illuminated, usually with one decoder per character. This technique is commonly used for short character strings where the cost of the decoders for DC drive is less than that for the timing and drive circuits for strobed operation. The LEDs are more efficient when strobed; however, in DC operation the drivers need not handle high current levels. The DC drive circuit for the common anode display is shown in Figure 1a. The current level, set here at 20 mA per
segment, is determined by the relation

$$
R=\frac{V_{\text {CC }}-V_{\text {LED }}-v_{\text {CE }}}{I_{\text {SEGMENT }}}
$$

where $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=$ voltage supply potential, $V_{\text {LED }}=$ forward voltage of LED at ISEGMENT $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CE}}=$ "ON" voltage of segment switch.


Figure 1a. Direct Drive Circuit for the 5082-7730/7731 Common Anode Display.


Figure 1b. Direct Drive Circuit for the 5082-7740 Common Cathode Display.

An analogous circuit is shown in Figure 1b for a common cathode DC drive system utilizing a current sourcing decoder/driver instead of a standard decoder/driver and external resistors.
See Table I for a list and comparative ratings of some of the commercially available seven segment decoder/driver circuits.

## STROBING DRIVE CIRCUITS

In strobing, the decoder is timeshared among the digits in the display, which are illuminated one at a time. The digits are electrically connected with like segments wired in parallel. This forms an 8 (7 segments and decimal point) $\times \mathrm{N}$ (number of digits) array. In operation, the appropriate segment enable lines are activated for the particular character to be displayed. At the same time a digit enable line is selected so that the character appears at the proper digit location. The strobe then progresses to the next digit position, activating the proper segments and digit enable line for that position.

Since the eye is a relatively slow sensor, a viewer will perceive as continuous a repetitive visual phenomena which occurs at a rate in excess of about 60 events per second. Therefore, if the refresh rate for each digit is maintained at 100 times or more per second, the perceived display will appear flickerfree and easy to read. In displays subject to vibration, a minimum strobe rate of 5 times the vibration frequency should be maintained.
In addition to reducing the number of decoders and drivers, strobing requires less power than DC drive to achieve the same display intensity. This is due to a basic property of GaAsP where luminous efficiency (light output/unit current) increases with the peak current level (see Figure 2a). Thus, for the same average current, use of lower duty cycles (and higher peak current levels) results in increased light output (see Figure 2b). For example, from


Figure 2a. Relative Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) versus Peak Current per Segment.


Figure 2b. Typical Time Averaged Luminous Intensity per Segment versus Average Current.

Figure 2b, a typical device operated at 10 mA DC would produce a luminous intensity of approximately 120 microcandelas. The same device operated at 50 mA peak, $20 \%$ duty cycle (as if in a 5 digit strobed display) will produce approximately 145 mcd time averaged luminous intensity.
For common decoder/driver circuits, a series resistor is placed in each segment enable line to limit the light emitting diode current. They are placed in the segment enable lines to prevent uneven current distribution among segments, commonly referred to as "current hogging". The resistive current limiting approach for LEDs outlined above is compact and easy to implement. However, the resistor consumes power.
Various techniques for driving LED displays from energy storage devices (such as inductors or capacitors) are quite practical though generally somewhat higher in cost and bulkier. However, power savings of as much as $50 \%$ over the resistive drive techniques are attainable. SCR switches may be attractive in circuits utilizing energy storage devices.
Figures 3 and 4 illustrate two possible memory buffer and display drive techniques used in strobed applications. Both memory techniques assume a bit-parallel/character-serial data entry format. If the system memory is available to supply data to the decoder, the buffer portion of these circuits may be deleted.
Figure 3 depicts a 5-digit strobed display employing a recirculating shift register memory. One shift register is used for each bit of the 4-bit BCD code. Four lines of data from the shift registers drive an SN7447A seven-segment decoder. The value of the current limiting resistors is calculated to provide 40 mA per segment peak drive current. The resistor value may be calculated using the following formula:

$$
R=\frac{V_{\mathrm{CC}}-V_{\mathrm{LED}}-V_{\mathrm{CE} 1}-V_{\mathrm{CE} 2}}{N I_{\mathrm{AVE}}}
$$

where $V_{C C}=$ voltage supply potential, $V_{\text {LED }}=$ forward voltage of LED at peak $I_{\text {SEGMENT }}\left(N I_{\text {ave }}\right), \mathrm{V}_{\text {CE1 }}=$ "ON" voltage of segment switch at peak ISEGMENT,
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CE} 2}=$ "ON" voltage of digit switch at 8 times peak ISEGMENT, IAVE = desired average operating current per segment, and $N=$ number of digits in the display.
Data for each digit of the display is sequentially shifted to the QE output of the shift register by the display scan clock. The scan clock also drives an SN7496 shift register set up as a ripple scanner. The scan shift register outputs are buffered to source the 320 mA peak digit current. Data entry to the storage registers is controlled by the system clock of the data source. During data entry, the display is blanked and the scan shift register is reset to the


Figure 3. Five Digit Strobed Display with Recirculating Shift Register Memory.


Figure 4. Strobed Eight Digit Common Anode Display with Static Memory Buffer.
first digit position by a logic " 0 " at DATA ENTER. The DATA SOURCE SYSTEM CLOCK and the external BCD lines are also enabled by DATA ENTER. The 5 digits of new data will be entered into the shift registers on each positive transition of the system clock. After data entry, DATA ENTER is returned to a high state, and scanning begins at position " $A$ " under control of the SCAN CLOCK.
Figure 4 depicts an eight digit strobed display employing a static $4 \times 8$ bit memory. Data from the memory buffer is selected by the read lines under the control of the scan counter. This data is decoded by an SN7448 to drive the display segment lines. In this case the 80 mA per segment peak current is beyond the current sinking capability of any common decoder/driver so an output buffer transistor must be used. Current limiting resistor values are calculated as before. The digit scan counter uses a Signetics 8281 binary counter in the divide by 8 mode. Data entry to the memory buffer can occur simultaneously with data read and any one of the eight digits may be selected or written independently.
The display length illustrated in either of the above schemes may be changed by simply providing the additional memory requirements and extending the capacity of the digit scanner. Displays of up to 16 digits are practical.
Numerous manufacturers are now supplying transistor arrays and buffer drivers which offer the advantages of lower costs and improved packing densities over discrete segment and digit drivers. See Table II for a list of some of the presently available products. See Table III for other useful display circuits.

## CALCULATORS

The display circuit for a 10-digit calculator is given in Figure 5. A MOSTEK MK5010P single chip calculator circuit provides the calculating, decoding, and timing for a four function ( $+,-, x, \div$ ), 10-digit calculator. The displays are strobed at 100 mA peak on a 1 of 10 duty cycle. The Darlington segment drivers source 100 mA while the digit drivers sink 800 mA peak. The MOS output transistor connecting the output to $V_{S S}$ is "OFF' when the segment (or digit) is to be activated. In this state, the pull-down resistor connected to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{GG}}$ sinks the current necessary to turn on the PNP drive stage. When the MOS transistor is "ON", the 1 mA output current through the pull-down resistor biases the PNP drive stage "OFF".
There are a variety of calculator chips for 8,10 , and 12 -digit applications with varying voltage supply requirements and features. These include circuits from companies such as AMI, Cal-Tex, MOSTEK, NORTEC, Rockwell Int'l., and TI. Output stages vary although the P-channel, open-drain approach used in the MK5010P example is the most common.


Figure 5. Typical Single Chip Calculator Circuit.

## CLOCKS

Figures 6 and 7 depict the complete circuitry for 6 -character digital clocks using monolithic clock chips from two different manufacturers. Both clocks use the 60 Hz AC line as a time base and derive power from unregulated bridge rectifier power supplies.
Figure 6 illustrates a 6 -digit clock circuit using the National Semiconductor NM5314 clock chip. This chip uses a strobed technique with all scanning logic and memory buffers on board. Scan frequency is established by an external RC network and should be maintained between 60 Hz and 10 kHz . The values shown should generate approximately a 1 kHz scan rate. Each of the P-channel MOS outputs is buffered to provide adequate drive current to the individual segment and digit enable lines.
Figure 7 illustrates a 6 digit clock radio circuit using the MOSTEK MK5010PAN clock chip and HP 5082-7740 common cathode displays. Since the MK5010P series chips provide a $12.85 \%$ duty cycle digit enable, the component values shown will supply approximately 10 mA average or 77 mA peak current to each segment of the strobed display. The base inputs of the MPSA-13 segment drivers and the MPSU 45 digit drivers each have series current limiting resistors and pull-down resistors to limit maximum drain current and assure cut-off in the "OFF" state. In this circuit, the digit drive lines are multiplexed to accept input data for alarm set, time set, and other functions.


Figure 6. Strobed Drive for a Six Digit Clock.


Figure 7. Six Digit Clock Radio.

## COUNTERS

The strobe display circuit for a $41 / 2$ digit counter is shown in Figure 8 utilizing the 7730 common anode display (left hand decimal point) and the MOSTEK MK5007P four decade counter. Available in a 16 -pin package, this circuit is a less expensive version of the familiar MK5002P, and includes latches, decoding and multiplexing functions. In addition to counting, this circuit can be used with its internal clock for DVM, timer and other measuring applications. In this example, the MK5007P's BCD outputs are converted to a seven segment format by the SN7447A decoder/driver which can sink 40 mA per segment. A flip-flop is used to implement an overflow digit " 1 ", providing a $41 / 2$ digit display. The average light level of the display is controlled by two factors. First, R controls the peak current per segment, set here for 40 mA . The second factor is the duty cycle of the counter's SCAN INPUT signal. The internal multiplexing circuit for scanning the digits is triggered on the falling edge of the scan clock. While this signal is low, the segment and digit outputs are blanked.
Therefore, a duty cycle greater than $80 \%$ of the SCAN INPUT signal is desirable for efficient operation. In this circuit, use has been made of the MK5007P's internal scan clock; a timing capacitor at the SCAN INPUT sets the frequency. The MOSTEK units can be cascaded for greater than 4 decades of readout. Similar circuits in function are

General Instrument's AY-5-4007 series, which have the additional feature of a 25 mA sourcing capability at each segment output line.
A DC drive circuit for a 5 digit counter is outlined in Figure 9. This combines the -7730 common anode display (left hand decimal point) with the TI SN74143, a 4-bit counter/latch/decoder having 15 mA constant current outputs. For applications requiring counting up to 12 MHz , the use of this circuit greatly reduces the component count (even the current limiting resistors are eliminated). The LATCH STROBE INPUT allows the display to operate in a data sampling mode while the counter continues to function. The BLANKING INPUT allows total suppression or intensity modulation of the display. The stored BCD data is available for driving other logic via the LATCH OUTPUTS $\left(\mathrm{O}_{A}, \mathrm{O}_{B}, \mathrm{Q}_{C}, \mathrm{Q}_{\mathrm{D}}\right)$. For higher current drives, the SN74144 with its open-collector outputs can sink 25 mA per segment.

## INTENSITY UNIFORMITY

The 5082-7700 series devices are categorized for light output intensity to minimize the variation between digits or segments within a digit. Luminous intensity categories are designated by a letter located on the right hand side of the package. Display appearance will be optimized when a group of display digits uses devices from a single category.


Figure 8. Four and One-half Digit Strobed Counter


## INTENSITY MODULATION

It is often desirable to vary the intensity of a display to provide improved readability under varying ambient lighting conditions. Intensity control can be achieved using either amplitude or pulse width modulation techniques. The latter is recommended for broad dynamic range of intensity control. Pulse width modulation offers the advantage of good tracking between segments as the intensity is decreased, and also allows the LEDs to operate with a high peak current where they are more efficient. Figures 10 and 11 illustrate two possible techniques of control.
In Figure 10 a monostable multivibrator is triggered by the scan clock. Photo-resistor $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ tracks with ambient light intensity and causes the monostable multivibrator to produce an output pulse width proportional to ambient lighting. This method will provide duty cycles ranging from approximately $20 \%$ to $100 \%$.
Figure 11 depicts another intensity modulation technique. The scan clock input square wave is integrated by $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{C}_{1}$ to form a triangular wave. Ambient light is monitored by a phototransistor and an amplified output voltage proportional to ambient lighting is produced by $A_{1}$. These two signals are presented to the comparator $A_{2}$. The output of $A_{2}$ will be true only as long as the triangle wave voltage is greater than the ambient light signal. The LM311 amplifier used in this circuit can be replaced with any medium to high gain amplifier which will give adequate swing with a single 5 volt supply. This technique offers a 0 to $100 \%$ dynamic range of modulation.
In both of the above examples, the pulse width modulated signal is connected to the blanking input


Figure 10. Multivibrator Modulation Circuit.


Figure 11. Wide Dynamic Range Intensity Control Circuit.
of the display driver. The display duty cycle is then controlled by the modulated signal which is proportional to the ambient intensity. If the scan frequency is substantially greater or less than 1 kHz in either of the above circuits, timing and integrating component values will have to be changed to produce satisfactory results.

## CONTRAST ENHANCEMENT

The quality of the perceived display is a function not only of light intensity but also of contrast to the background. To improve display contrast, the
entire front surface of the display, except for the light emitting areas, is finished in a uniform flat black. The plastic encapsulant in the light emitting areas contains a red dye to further reduce the reflected ambient light. The display's background and the type of contrast enhancing filter used affect the display quality. Typically, PC board mounting and an inexpensive red filter (e.g., Plexiglass 2423 or materials having similar transmission characteristics) are used. Under strobe drive conditions of $10 \mathrm{~mA} /$ segment average, the display is easily readable to distances of ten feet and will retain good contrast under relatively high ambient lighting conditions.
There are several additional contrast enhancing measures that can be implemented to allow lower display intensity and power levels. With respect to PC board design, keep as many metallized lines as possible out of the normal viewing area. These surfaces reduce contrast by reflecting ambient light. Whenever possible, the lines running to the displays should be placed out of sight on the board's back side. You can also hide metal traces by placing them beneath the display package. To minimize the light reflected from the PC board, the area surrounding the display can be darkened either through use of a screened black epoxy ink (e.g., WORNOW W-O-N black ink) or a black piece of material cut as a collar to fit around the display. Circular polarizing filters (such as Polaroid HRCP-red) or

3M Display Film are particularly effective in enhancing contrast in high ambient light although they may be more expensive. Antiglare coatings are available from firms such as Panelgraphic Corp. to reduce front filter reflections. An antiglare surface finish may also be incorporated into the molds used to manufacture the filters.

## MOUNTING CONSIDERATIONS

The 5082-7700 series devices are constructed utilizing a lead frame in a standard DIP package. In addition to easy PC board mounting, the standard pin spacing of $0.100^{\prime \prime}$ between pins and $0.300^{\prime \prime}$ between pin rows allows use of the familiar 14 -pin IC sockets. See Table IV for a list of some of the available display sockets. The displays may be end-stacked as close as $0.400^{\prime \prime}$ center-to-center. The lead frame has an integral seating plane which holds the package approximately $0.035^{\prime \prime}$ above the PC board during standard soldering and flux removal operations. The devices can be soldered for up to 5 seconds at a maximum solder temperature of $230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ( $1 / 16^{\prime \prime}$ below the seating plane). To optimize device performance, materials are used that are limited to certain solvents for flux removal. It is recommended that only Freon TE, Freon TE-35, Freon TF, Isopropanol, or soap and water be used for cleaning operations.

Note: See following pages for Tables I, II, III and IV.

Table I. Decoder/Driver Circuits for Seven Segment Displays

| Manufacturer's Product No. | Manufacturer | Common Anode or Common Cathode | Rated Maximum Output Current [mA] | Other Features | Other Manufacturers |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\cdots 447$ | Texas Instr. | CA | 40 |  | National Semil |
| $\therefore$ | ", |  |  |  | Fairchild, Motorola, |
|  |  |  |  |  | Signetics |
| 7448 | Texas Instr. | CC | - $4^{4}$ |  | National Semi |
|  |  |  | , | 家 | Fairchild, Motorola, |
|  |  |  |  | "边 ${ }^{\prime \prime}$ | Signetics |
| 9307 | Fairchild | CC | $\because 5.6$ | $\cdots$ |  |
| $9317 \mathrm{~B} / \mathrm{C}$ | Fairchild | CA | $\therefore 40 / 20$ |  |  |
| 9357 | Fairchild | "CA | $\therefore 40$ |  |  |
| 9368.. | Fairchild | $\therefore$ CC | $19^{* * *}$ | Quad Lätch | \% |
| 9369 | Fairchild | CC | 50 |  |  |
| 9370 | Fairchild | CA | 25 | Quad Latch |  |
| 9660 | Fairchild | CC | $5-50^{* *}$ | Pgmbi Current and Decimal Pt. Drive |  |
| MC 14511 | Motorola | CC | 25 | CMOS |  |
| MC 4039 | Motorola | CA | 20 |  | $\cdots$ |
| N8T51 B N8T59 B | Signetics | CA, CC |  | MOS Compatible Inputs |  |
| N8T74 B <br> N8T75 B | Signetics | CA, CC |  | Quad latch MOS Compatible Inputs | - . |
| 8140 | Harris | CA | $40$ | Quad latch |  |
| 1001/1002 | SCS Microsystems | - " ${ }^{\text {- }}$ | $120^{*}$ | Quad latch, some versions available w/resistors on board | $\because$ |

*with external pull-up resistance **constant current supply ***current limit resistors on board

Table II. Driver Arrays for LED Displays


Table III. Circuits for Seven Segment Displays

| Manufacturer and Product No. | Description | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Texas Instruments <br> SNT 4143 <br> 5074145 <br> SN74144 <br> SNV4142 <br> Nationd 8551 <br> TESN74173 <br> Signetics 8 r 10 <br> Mositele <br> MK 5002,5007 . <br> 5005 <br> CI <br> AY 5.4007 Series | BCD Counter/4 Bit Latch/BCD-7 Segment Decoder $14 \mathrm{~m} A$ Constant Current Driver BCD to Decimal Decoder 11 of 10 Decoderit Driver <br> Same as SN74143 except output driver can sink up to 25 mA per tine <br> BCD Counter 44 Bit Latch/BCD to Decimal Decodert1 of 10 Decoder Driver <br> Tristate Quad Latches (Also known as "Bus Buffers") <br> 4 Decade Counter/BCD 7 Segment Decoder 4 Digit Scanner in 1 package, 3 options <br> 4 Decade Counter/BCD-7 Segment Decoder/ <br> 4 Digit:Scanner/LED Driver | Ideal for Counting Applications (Time or frequency measurements, $A \cdot D$ Converters). <br> Capable of sinking 80 mA per line naking it ideal for a digit scanner. <br> Need current limiting resistor for each segment: <br> Useful tor digit scanner, Need only a clock signal since counter is in circuit <br> Allows bussing of data llies elfininatiog numiorous gates. <br> Provides aft counting and timing signals for a 4 Decade Sifrobed Counter Display lcante end stacked for 8 decades, - 1 <br> Similar in function to Mostek 5002 series but adds 25 mA LED drivers for strobed display. |

Table IV. 14 Pin DIP Sockets for 7700 Series Displays

| Manufacturer and Product No. | Termination | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amphenol Barnes |  |  |
| 821-20011-144 | Solder | Nylon Low Profile |
| 821-20013-144 | Wire Wrap | Nylon, Low Profile |
| 821-25011-144 | Solder | Full Sized Bady |
| 821-25012-144 | Wire Wrap | Full Sized Body |
| Augut |  |  |
| 314-AG50-2R |  | Full Sized |
| Cinch |  |  |
| W-D | Wire Wrap | Low Profile |
| 14-DIP | Socket | Phenolic |
| Cambion |  |  |
| $3777-01.0312$ | Solder | Nylon |
| 3897.01-0316 | Wire Wrap | DAP Plástic |

# Performance of the 6N135, 6N136 and 6N137 Optocouplers in Short To Moderate Length Digital Data Transmission Systems 


#### Abstract

This application note assists system designers by describing the performance to be expected from the use of HP 6N135-6N137 optocouplers as a Iine recaiver in a THL-TTL compatible NRZ data transmission luht it describes several useful total systems including line driver, cable, terminations and TTL compatible connections. The systems described utilize inexpensive cable and operate satisfactorily over the range of transmission distances from 1 ft to 300 ft Over this range of distances, the data rate varies from 0.6 megabits per second to 19 megabits per second largely limited by coupler performance at short distances, and cable losses at longer distances.


1 Non-return to zero

## INTRODUCTION

Optocouplers can function as excellent alternatives to integrated circuit line receivers in digital data transmission applications. Their major advantages consist of superior common-mode noise rejection and true ground isolation between the two subsystems. For example, a conventional line receiver is limited to a $\pm 20 \mathrm{~V}$ common-mode noise rejection at best from DC over its operating frequency range, while an optocoupler can achieve rejections of $\pm 2.5 \mathrm{kV}$ at 60 Hz .

A conventional optocoupler that utilizes a photo-transistor is limited in its minimum total switching time. At the higher data rates, above $200-500 \mathrm{kbits} / \mathrm{s}$, these delay times can become very significant. The HP 6N135 and 6N136 utilize an integrated photo-diode and transistor to produce lower total switching time. The HP 6N137 adds an integrated amplifier within its package to decrease these delay times still further. All three units can produce data rates well in excess of $500 \mathrm{kbits} / \mathrm{s}$, while the 6 N 137 can couple an isolated $9.5 \mathrm{MHz}(19 \mathrm{M}$ bits $/ \mathrm{s}$ ) clock from its input to its output. These data rates are achieved with common-mode noise voltage rejection in excess of that provided by most types of line receivers at all frequencies.

The information contained in this application note covers the performance of optocoupler line receiver circuits; however, it does not describe design details. These details are covered in Application Note 947 "Digital Data Transmission Using Optically Coupled Isolators".

This application note describes the basic design elements of a data transmission link and presents several examples of total systems that will be useful to systems designers at distances that range from 1 ft . to 300 ft . and have a mod-
erate overall cost. First, a few measures of performance are defined to allow systems to be compared with one another. Second, the elements of an optocoupler data transmission system are discussed. Third, circuit examples and demonstrated performance of a selected set of systems are presented for the various transmission distances. This presentation includes schematics, representative waveforms at intermediate circuit points, and a summary performance table. It compares the results of passive (resistive) terminations with active terminations that improve overall performance at the longer transmission distances. Fourth, the trade-offs that were made to arrive at the selected system components are described. Along with the trade-offs, there is a discussion of approaches to increase performance by selection of other circuit components or by "peaking" a given length system.

## DEFINITIONS OF PERFORMANCE

In data transmission systems that utilize optocouplers, there are no standardized definitions that allow performance capability to be specified. The major performance parameters that are of interest are data rate capability, usually specified in bits per second; and immunity to common mode noise at the coupler input, usually specified as AC or DC common mode voltage rejection in volts, or transient voltage noise rejection in volts/microsecond.

To arrive at a definition of maximum data rate capability requires that the total system be specified including all components, and in addition, data modulation and demodulation techniques. In order to compare the various systems presented in the application note, it is necessary to define some useful terms.

One commonly used modulation technique for digital data data transmission is NRZ, or non-return-to-zero transmission. In the most common form of this technique, a twisted pair transmission line is driven by a balanced driver with an alternating plus or minus voltage signal. A number of integrated circuits are available to provide the drive signals and create a straightforward design.
One potential measure of system performance for NRZ, and potentially other modulation techniques as well, is the measurement of the maximum $50 \%$ duty cycle clock frequency that the system will pass. Since a clock represents a total $1 / 0$ and $0 / 1$ transition each full cycle, this square wave provides two bits of data for each cycle. As the upper clock frequency limit of a system using couplers is reached, the duty cycle will change from $50 \%$. The MAXIMUM CLOCK DATA RATE is found by observing the system output as a function of a square wave input until the output distorts to a $10 \%$ duty cycle and multiplying this frequency by two (two bits/cycle). At this input frequency, the system data rate is very close to its absolute maximum and any potential recovery of a signal at a higher data rate is impractical. A more detailed definition of this term appears in the glossary.

Another parameter indicative of the performance of a system is to measure the system transient response in its worst case condition. The step response of a transmission system using isolators is a function of the duty cycle and repetition rate. For NRZ, if this term is properly defined, it can indicate a worst case maximum data rate that the system will faithfully transmit, regardless of the combination of ones and zeroes in the data bit stream. This step response term will be referred to as the STEP TRANSIENT DATA RATE MAXIMUM. It assumes that the pulse propagation delay down the transmission line is essentially constant, and defines a data rate maximum at which a single bit of data in a stream of all zeroes and a one, or all ones and a zero may be successfully sent through the system. This is simulated by placing a very low frequency square wave input into the line. Then the circuit delay time from a pulse received at the end of the line until the system output makes a transition is measured. This delay time is a function of the cable output risetime and the delays experienced in the coupler and its associated circuitry. The specific delay times are called $t_{P H L}$ and $t_{P L H}$, indicating delay times for a $1 / 0$ and $0 / 1$ transition respectively. The STEP TRANSIENT DATA RATE MAXIMUM is defined as the inverse of tPLH or $t_{\text {PHL }}$, whichever is longer. In general, this data rate will be lower than the MAXIMUM CLOCK DATA RATE. A more exact definition of $t_{P H L}, t_{P L H}$ and STEP TRANSIENT DATA RATE appears in the glossary.

The parameters used to define worst-case common mode noise immunity are measured for the coupler and associated circuitry without the transmission cable. The common mode voltage rejection is a function of frequency and indicates the maximum AC steady state signal voltage common to both inputs and output ground that will not create an error in the output. This rejection reaches a minimum at some frequency. The transient voltage noise immunity is
a measure of the maximum rate of rise (or fall) that can be placed across the common input terminals and output ground without producing an error voltage in the output. This term is a function of the input pulse magnitude and rate of rise for an optocoupler and is stated as a dv/dt minimum in volts per microsecond. Further definitions of these terms appear in the glossary. It should be noted that common mode characteristics of such systems are largely determined by the point at which the noise enters the transmission system. Common mode rejection for a total system would be expected to improve with increasing distance between the common mode insertion point and the input to optocoupler.

## ELEMENTS OF AN OPTOCOUPLER DATA TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

The basic elements of an optocoupler transmission system are:
$\square$ Line DriverTransmission CableLine Termination Circuit
Optocoupler
$\square$ TTL Interface Circuit
In order that the performance of systems using the 6N1356 N137 optocouplers might be demonstrated, component elements had to be defined for several systems. These elements are chosen to be TTL compatible at the input and the output. They are also chosen to produce high performance, be moderate in cost, and work over a range of distances of one foot to 300 feet. This can then maximize the utility to systems designers of the circuits demonstrated, thus allowing them to be used without change in a variety of specific applications to produce a known level of performance.

## CIRCUIT EXAMPLES AND DEMONSTRATED PERFORMANCE

To reduce the number of complete systems upon which performance is demonstrated to a practical number, a basic representative set of elements must be selected or designed. This includes a single line driver and cable type with performance measurements taken at three transmission distances 1 ft ., 100 ft ., and 300 ft . It also includes two termination types, active and passive, and three types of couplers with companion TTL interface circuits. This produces six total data transmission systems upon which data rate performance can be observed at the three transmission distances. Figure 1 illustrates the line driver and cable combination selected. Figure 2 illustrates the pulse response of this driver/cable combination. Figures 3 through 8 indicate the line termination, coupler, and TTL interface circuitry for the various terminations. Included are representative waveforms measured on the three passive termination systems at the 300 ft . transmission distance. Table 1 outlines the critical parameters of the cable used and Tables 2, 3, and 4 summarize the performance demonstrated on all of the transmission systems.

The performance tabulated for the 1 ft . transmission length is indicative of that which might be achieved by a system with negligible performance degradation in the cable. The performance at 100 ft . and 300 ft . indicates the decrease in data rate due to cable losses as the transmission distance increases. This decrease is the most critical data rate limitation and is indicative of the change in performance of systems using low cost cable. Clearly evident in the tables is the increase in performance of the active termination at the 300 ft . transmission distance. Note also that the data rate of the system utilizing the 6 N 137 at short transmission distances is less with the active than with the passive termination. This decrease is due to the additional delay added by the active termination.

These performance tables can be used to select a design suitable for an application required by a system designer. For example, assume it is desired to design a data transmission system of variable lengths up to 100 ft . and data rates of up to $1.6 \mathrm{Mbits} / \mathrm{s}$. The circuit shown in Figure 4 and the line driver and cable shown in Figure 1 could be selected to assure this level of performance.

## SELECTION OF DEMONSTRATION CIRCUIT ELEMENTS

The foregoing systems exemplify achievable performance and incorporate a number of design decisions which are discussed in this section.

## LINE DRIVER

Line Drivers generate the signal that is sent down the transmission line. They have limits as to voltage swing, output impedance, and switching time. A good compromise is provided by National Semiconductor's DM 8830. Any similar device with a low output impedance such as the Fairchild 9614 would operate satisfactorily. These devices are TTL input compatible, require no external components, are relatively inexpensive and readily available. They provide adequate performance and produce directly a dual rail (inverting and non-inverting) output.
For systems requiring higher data rates, more sophisticated
and expensive drivers can be selected or designed. Figure 9 illustrates a circuit that has a higher current output and produces a higher data rate than an integrated driver. It uses several components, but does not require a supply voltage above the standard TTL 5 volts. To obtain still higher data rates, the driver line voltage output must be increased. This in turn requires a supply voltage above 5 volts. The National Semiconductor LH 0002C is an example of an integrated circuit that can be used to produce directly a higher line voltage. Numerous other discrete circuits could be designed.

## TRANSMISSION CABLE

Transmission cables are very critical in the overall system. They can decrease the effect of extraneous noise voltages on system performance by providing shielding. They also greatly affect the signal losses as the transmission length increases. By controlling these losses, cables can permit a single set of system elements to function adequately for both long and short transmission distances. The critical performance parameters of a transmission cable include cost, transmission length, line series resistance (DC losses), high frequency losses, type and amount of shielding and characteristic impedance.

The Belden type 8777 is representative of a relatively wellshielded, inexpensive cable with typical transmission loss. The important characteristics of this cable are summarized in Table 1.

If it is desired to attain higher performance, the line cost becomes considerably more expensive and tends to dominate system costs. These higher performance cables utilize a large conductor size to lower DC losses, and provide considerably lower losses at high frequencies. Examples of such a cable would be Belden 9269 (IBM 32392), Belden 9250 or their equivalents.

The pulse response of the DM 8830 and the Belden 8777 illustrates the waveform degradation of signals sent down this driver/transmission line pair, regardless of the line receiver employed. Figure 1 illustrates this circuit combination, and Figure 2 illustrates the pulse waveform degradation at 1 ft ., 100 ft ., and 300 ft . into a $68 \Omega$ equivalent load.


Figure 1. Line Driver and Cable Combination Selected for Use on All Six Systems to Indicate Their Performance.


Figure 2. Pulse Characteristics of the Selected Line Driver and Cable. Measurement Observed with a $68 \Omega$ Equivalent Termination at One, 100, and 300' Distances. All Waveforms are Line to Line Voltage, Time Referenced to zero feet. Note Time Delay and Waveform Degradation.

## LINE TERMINATION CIRCUIT

The line termination circuit converts the voltage arriving at the end of the line to a current impulse to drive the coupler emitter diode. In these system examples, performance of both passive and active circuits was measured.
A passive circuit consists of a set of resistors to match the line to its characteristic impedance and to convert the line voltage to a current. The circuits illustrated here were designed to provide good performance at 300 ft ., while not exceeding the coupler input drive current maximum at the 1 ft . line length condition. With this design criterion, these circuits are useful over this range of transmission cable lengths. These design characteristics required that two resistive line termination circuits be designed for the three isolators. They are illustrated in Figures 3, 4, and 5.

An improvement in the performance of a resistive termination can be obtained by peaking the line to operate at a specific length as shown in Figure 10. This technique allows the coupler to operate from the peak to peak voltage at the end of the line. To avoid overdriving the coupler, the peaking capacitor value must be minimized. It is chosen by observing the circuit delay time tPLH and selecting the smallest value of capacitor that significantly decreases this delay. With this technique, performance can be expected to improve by as much as $20-30 \%$ or more, but the values of peaking capacitor tend to vary with many of the characteristics of components in all of the elements of the system. These include driver output voltage, line length, line losses, coupler delay, etc. This in turn requires each individual system to have a selected value of peaking capacitor.

An active termination utilizes a transistor to act as a line voltage to coupler input current regulator. This technique ignores any attempt to match the line, but instead converts any incoming voltage to a suitable current, once the circuit threshold voltage is exceeded. This tends to decrease circuit sensitivity to line length and other line voltage variations. The delay of an active circuit can limit the maximum system data rate, especially for short transmission distances. But, in general, their use can improve the maximum data rate at the longer distances. In the system examples, two active termination circuits were designed and are illustrated in Figures 6, 7 and 8.

Improving the performance of the active circuit consists of finding transistors and circuit designs to perform the voltage to input current regulation function without limiting overall system performance.

## OUTPUT TO TTL INTERFACE

The 6N136 and 6N137 have sufficiently high input to output coupling efficiency (CTR) that the only component required to interface the optocoupler to a TTL input gate is a pull-up resistor. The 6N 135 has a somewhat lower CTR and requires an external transistor and resistor to interface with a TTL gate input. The actual circuit configuration and values required for these interface circuits are illustrated in Figures 3 through 8. The circuits illustrate, in general, the optimum interface for a TTL-TTL compatible circuit. Performance could be improved through the use of lower pull-up resistor values in the coupler output collectors and high speed TTL compatible comparators.

Table 1

## IMPORTANT LINE CHARACTERISTICS OF BELDEN 8777

- Three sets of two conductor, twisted and individually foil shielded, 22 gauge wire
- $Z_{0}$ (Measured Characteristic Impedance)-68 (ine to line
- Line-to-line capacitance $-30 \mathrm{pF} / \mathrm{ft}$.
- Line Resistance $-3.2 \Omega / 100 \mathrm{ft}$. (per conductor pair)
- Attenuation at $10 \mathrm{MHz} \simeq 4 \mathrm{~dB} / 100 \mathrm{ft}$.
- Delay $\simeq 1.5 \mathrm{nsec} / \mathrm{ft}$.
- Cost $\approx 5 d / \mathrm{ft}$./Transmission Pair


## GLOSSARY

1. DATA RATE - This term is typically stated in bits per second and has no standardized definition when used in reference to optocouplers. It is related to the minimum pulse transition time that will be passed by the system and detected. This in turn is related to the distortion or change in duration the pulse experiences upon passing through the system.
2. STEP TRANSIENT DATA RATE MAXIMUM - This term, stated in bits per second, is a function of the maximum delay experienced by a $0 / 1$ or a $1 / 0$ transition in passing through the optocoupler. The step transient data rate maximum is defined as:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { STEP TRANSIENT DATA RATE }(M A X)= \\
& \qquad \frac{1}{t_{\text {PHL }}} \text { or } \frac{1}{t_{\text {PLH }}}
\end{aligned}
$$

whichever is smaller. Where $t_{P L H}$ and $t_{P H L}$ are measured at the coupler termination input (end of the line) and the TTL output and are defined as follows:


The $t_{P H L}$ and $t_{\text {PLH }}$ measured under these conditions approach the maximum delay that will be experienced by data sent through the isolator.
3. MAXIMUM CLOCK DATA RATE - This term defines the maximum data rate at which a $50 \%$ duty cycle square wave (clock) will be distorted to a $90 \% / 10 \%$ pulse. It is
very close to the maximum alternating $1 / 0$ and $0 / 1$ transition that can be passed by the system. It is defined mathematically as:
MAXIMUM CLOCK DATA RATE $=\frac{1}{t_{1}}$
where $t_{1}$ is defined as:

4. COMMON MODE REJECTION VOLTAGE - This term is defined as the maximum sinusoidal voltage at a given frequency that can be applied simultaneously to both inputs with respect to output ground and not produce an error signal in the system output. In optocouplers, the value of this voltage is very high at low frequencies and decreases with increasing frequency until it reaches a minimum. The effect is caused by the effective intercircuit capacitance of the emitter and detector chips, and the detector gain and bandwidth. (See Figure 11.)
5. COMMON MODE dv/dt REJECTION MINIMUM - This term is defined as the maximum rate of change of voltage that can be applied to both inputs simultaneously with respect to output ground and not produce an error in the system output. Note that this parameter is a function of the duration of the change, or equivalently the pulse amplitude. The stated values in this application note are for a 10 V step pulse amplitude generated by a source having a controlled risetime and falltime (e.g., HP 8007B). (See Figure 11.)


Figure 3. TTL Compatible Passive (Resistive) Termination for the 6 N 135 and Photographs Indicating Measured Performance at the End of the 300 Ft. Transmission Cable.


Figure 6. TTL Compatible Active Termination for the 6N135.

Table 2. Summary of Performance of 6 N 135 Data Transmission Systems at 1, 100, and 300 ft .

| Termination | Transmission Distance (ft) | $\begin{gathered} \text { tPLH } \\ \text { (ns) } \end{gathered}$ | tPHL <br> ( ns ) | Step Transient Data Rate Max. (Mbits/s) | Clock Data Rate Max. (Mbits/s) | Worst Case <br> Common Mode Noise Rejection |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Sinusoidal | $\mathrm{dV} / \mathrm{dt}$ |
| RESISTIVE | 1 | 475 | 500 | 2.0 | 11.2 | $\leqslant 10 \mathrm{kHz}$ : <br> 5.0 kV <br> pk-pk <br> $1 \mathrm{MHz}: 84 \mathrm{~V}$ <br> pk-pk min. | $250 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$ min. |
| (PASSIVE) | 100 | 900 | 425 | 1.1 | 3.0 |  |  |
| Fig. 3 | 300 | 1700 | 300 | 0.6 | 0.8 |  |  |
| ACTIVE | 1 | 500 | 330 | 2.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 5.3 \\ 4.0 \\ 1.6 \end{array}$ |  |  |
| Fig. 6 | 100 | 580 | 270 | 1.7 |  |  |  |
|  | 300 | 875 | 330 | 1.1 |  |  |  |



Figure 4. TTL Compatible Passive (Resistive) Termination for the $\mathbf{6 N 1 3 6}$ and Photographs Indicating Measured Performance at the End of the 300 Ft Cable.


Figure 7. TTL Compatible Active Termination for the 6N 136.
Table 3. Summary of Performance of 6N136 Data Transmission Systems at 1, 100, and 300 ft .

|  | Transmission <br> Distance <br> (ft) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { tPLH } \\ & \text { (ns) } \end{aligned}$ | tPHL <br> (ns) | Step Transient <br> Data Rate Max* (Mbits/s) | Clock Data Rate Max. (Mbits/s) | Worst Case <br> Common Mode Noise Rejection |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Sinuspidal | $d V / d t$ |
| RESISTIVE (PASSIVE) Fig. 4 | 1 100 300 | $\begin{array}{r} 320 \\ 640 \\ 1200 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 270 \\ & 265 \\ & 220 \end{aligned}$ | 2.7 1.6 0.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 10.0 \\ 4.0 \\ 1.2 \end{array}$ | $\leqslant 10 k \mathrm{~Hz}:$ <br> 5.0 kV <br> pk-pk <br> $1 \mathrm{MHz}: 84 \mathrm{~V}$ <br> pk-pk min. | 250V/ $\mu \mathrm{s}$ min. |
| ACTIVE | 1 | 375 | 250 | 2.7 | 6.6 |  | , |
| Fig. 7 | 100 | 440 | 250 | 2.3 | 5.0 |  |  |
|  | 300 | 700 | 250 | 1.4 | 2.4 |  |  |



Figure 5. TTL Compatible Passive (Resistive) Termination for the 6 N 137 and Photographs Indicating Measured Performance at the End of the 300 Ft. Transmission Cable.


Figure 8. TTL Compatible Active Termination for the 6N137.
Table 4. Summary of Performance of 6 N 137 Data Transmission Systems at 1, 100, and 300 ft .



Figure 9. High Output Voltage Swing, High Current, Wide Bandwidth Line Driver that Operates From a 5 Volt Supply and Produces a $>8.5 \mathrm{~V}$ Pk to Pk Pulse into $\mathbf{3 0 0}$ Ft. of Belden 8777 at 10 MHz .


Figure 10. An Example of Circuit Peaking to Improve the Performance of the Passive Termination, $\mathbf{C}_{1}$ is Chosen for the Minimum Value that Significantly Reduces Input to Output Delay Time. In General, $\mathbf{C}_{1}$ Must be Selected Individually For Each System.


Figure 11. Common Mode Measurement Circuit.

## Applications for Low Input Current, High Gain Optocouplers

Optically coupled isolators are useful in applications where large common mode signals are encountered. Examples are: line receivers, logic isolation, power lines, medical equipment and telephone lines. This application note has at least one example in each of these areas for the 6N138/9 series high CTR couplers.

HP's 6N138/9 series couplers contain a high gain, high speed photodetector that provides a minimum current trans-
fer ratio (CTR) of 300\% at input currents of 1.6 mA for the 6N138 and $400 \%$ at 0.5 mA for the 6N139. The excellent low input current CTR enables these devices to be used in applications where low power consumption is required and those applications that do not provide sufficient input current for other couplers. Separate pin connections for the photodiode and output transistor permit high speed operation and TTL compatible output. A base access terminal allows a gain bandwidth adjustment to be made.

## RS-232C COMPATIBLE LINE RECEIVER

- 2500 V 60 Hz Common Mode Rejection
- Allows use of Low Cost Line
- Full 40kbs Data Rate for Line Lengths up to 5000'
- Hysteresis for Increased Noise Immunity
*antiparallel diode is needed only if reverse line
VOLTAGE EXCEEDS $15 V$ (TO PREVENT HIGH REVERSE
VOLTAGE FROM CAUSING POWER DISSIPATION IN EXCESS
OF INPUT DIODE MAXIMUM RATING).

REMOVE R $R_{A}$ AND R $R_{B}$ FOR NO HYSTERESIS | $R_{A}$ | $R_{B}$ | $R_{C}$ | $R_{L}$ | $Q$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $680 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | $1.5 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ | $1.8 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | $15 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | $2 N 3904$ |

## LOW POWER INTERFACE

- Operation at $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}} \geqslant 0.5 \mathrm{~mA}$
- 10kHz $_{\text {mAX }}$
- Low Power Consumption

${ }^{\prime}$ MAX IS THE FREOUENCY AT WHICH A $50 \%$ DUTY FACTOR AT THE INPUT IS DEGENERATED TO $10 \%$ OR $90 \%$ DUTY FACTOR at the qutput.


## LINE RECEIVER FOR PARTY LINE

- 1-8 Receivers can be used with circuit shown
- Uses conventional IC Line Driver
- Total Line Length 1-300'
- Typical Data Rate $\mathbf{- 1 8 0 k b s}$
$\left(t_{\text {PHL }} \cdot t_{\text {PLH }}=3 \mu \mathrm{sec}\right)$
- Allows use of Low Cost Line


ISOLATOR LOADS MAY BE DISTRIBUTED RANDOMLY ALONG THE LENGTH OF THE LINE, OR ALL MAY BE LUMPED AT THE END. IF FOR 1 AND 8 ISOLATOR LOADS WOULE BE 2.7 AND 1.BmA RESPECTIVEEY

PROPAGATION DELAY: $t_{\text {PHL }}, t_{\text {PLH }}=0.5$ to $5 \mu \mathrm{~s}$


## TELEPHONE RING DETECTOR

- Discriminates between Ring and Dial Signals
- Minimal Line Loading ( $1 \mathrm{M} \Omega \mathrm{dc}, 450 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ at $\mathbf{2 0 H z}$ )
- 2500V Insulation from Telephone Line
- Small Size
- Integrator Included



## TTL TO TTL INTERFACE

- Direct Input and Output Compatibility
- Adjustable Data Rate
- High Fan-Out



## GAIN/SPEED TRADE OFF

- Obtain Maximum Speed at Required Gain
- Single Resistor Required
- Use same device for Multiple Applications

fMAXIS THE FREQUENCY AT WHICH A $50 \%$ DUTY FACTOR AT THE INPUT IS DEGENERATED TO $10 \%$ or $90 \%$ DUTY FACTOR AT THE OUTPUT.

| $R_{X}(\Omega)$ | $R_{L}(\Omega)$ | $I_{L}(\mathrm{~mA})$ | $f_{\text {MAX }}(\mathrm{kHz})$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NONE | 100 | 46 | 250 |
| 820 | 1000 | 4.6 | 650 |

## 1-5000 FT. LINE RECEIVER

- Drive with Standard TTL Buffer Gate
- 2500 V 60 Hz Common Mode Rejection
- Allows use of Low Cost Line
- 40kbs Data Rate
- TTL Compatible Output


PROPAGATION DELAY: WITHOUT $C_{X}, D_{X}, t_{\text {PLH }}=2$ to $5 \mu \mathrm{~s} ; \mathrm{t}_{\text {PHL }}=25 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ WITH $D_{X}, C_{X} \geqslant 0.002 \mu \mathrm{~F}_{\varepsilon}, \mathrm{t}_{\text {PLH }}=2,1 \mathrm{~s} ; \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{PHL}}=7 \mu \mathrm{~s}$

## HIGH VOLTAGE STATUS INDICATOR

- Low Power Consumption
- TTL Compatible Output
- High Speed
- Use for Power Turn On Anticipation Circuit, 117V Line Monitor or Other High Voltage Sensing


| $V(V d c$ or $V r m s)$ | $R_{S}$ | $V \bullet I_{F}(m W)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24 | $47 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 11 |
| 48 | $100 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 22 |
| 117 | $220 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 62 |
| 230 | $470 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 113 |

## MEDICAL EQUIPMENT ISOLATION

- Low Power Consumption
- 2500 V 60 Hz Isolation
- Digital or Analog Operation



## CONVENTIONAL DARLINGTON

- No Bias Supply Required
- Base Lead available for Gain/Bandwidth Adjust
- Data Rates of 2kbs



# Linear Applications of Optocouplers 

Optocouplers are useful in applications where analog or DC signals need to be transferred from one module to another in the presence of a large potential difference or induced noise between the ground or common points of these modules.

Potential applications are those in which large transformers, expensive instrumentation amplifiers or complicated A/D conversion schemes are used. Examples are: sensing circuits (thermocouples, transducers ...), patient monitoring equipment, power supply feedback, high voltage current monitoring, adaptive control systems, audio amplifiers and video amplifiers.

HP's optocouplers have integrated photodetector/amplifiers with speed and linearity advantages over conventional phototransistors. In a photo transistor, the photodetector is the collector-base junction so the capacitance impairs the collector rise time. Also, amplified photocurrent flows in the collector-base junction and modulates the photo-response, thereby causing non-linearity. The photodetector in an HP optocoupler is a separately integrated diode so its photoresponse is not affected by amplified photocurrent and its capacitance does not impair speed. Some linear isolation schemes employ digital conversion techniques (A/D-D/A, PWM, PCM, etc.) in which the higher speed of the integrated photodetector permits better linearity and bandwidth.

The 6N135/6N136 is recommended for single channel AC analog designs. The HCPL-2530/31 is recommended for dual channel DC linear designs. The 6N135/6 series or the 6N137 series are recommended for digital conversion schemes.

If the output transistor is biased in the active region, the current transfer relationship for the 6N135 series optocoupler can be represented as:

$$
I_{C}=K\left(\frac{I_{F}}{I_{F}^{\prime}}\right)^{n}
$$

where $I_{C}$ is the collector current; $I_{F}$ is the input LED current; $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ is the current at which K is measured; K is the collector current when $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$; and n is the slopeof $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{C}}$ vs. $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ on logarithmic coordinates.

The exponent n varies with $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, but over some limited range of $\Delta \mathbf{I}_{\mathrm{F}}, \mathrm{n}$ can be regarded as a constant. The current transfer relationship for an opto isolator will be linear only if $n$ equals one.

For the 6N135 series optocoupler, n varies from approximately 2 at input currents less than 5 mA to approximately 1 at input currents greater than 16 mA . For AC coupled applications, reasonable linearity can be obtained with a single optocoupler. The optocoupler is biased at higher levels of input LED current where the ratio of incremental photodiode current to incremental LED current $\left(\partial \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{D}} / \partial \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}\right)$ is more nearly constant.
For better linearity and stability, servo or differential linearization techniques can be used.

The servo linearizer forces the input current of one optocoupler to track the input current of the second optocoupler by servo action. Thus, if $\mathrm{n}_{1} \approx \mathrm{n}_{2}$ over the excursion range, the non linearities will cancel and the overall transfer function will be linear. In the differential linearizer, an input signal causes the input current of one optocoupler to increase by the same amount that input current of the second optocoupler is decreased. If $n_{2} \simeq n_{2} \simeq 2$, then a gain increment in the first optocoupler will be balanced by a gain decrement in the second optocoupler and the overall transfer function will be linear. With these techniques, matching of K will not effect the overall linearity of the circuit but will simplify circuit. realization by reducing the required dynamic range of the zero and offset potentiometers.

Gain and offset stability over temperature is dependent on the stability of current sources, resistors, and the optocoupler. For the servo technique, changes of K over temperature will have only a small effect on overall gain and offset as long as the ratio of $K_{1}$ to $K_{2}$ remains constant. With the differential technique, changes of K over temperature will cause a change in gain of the circuit. Offset will remain stable as long as the ratio of $\mathrm{K}_{1}$ to $\mathrm{K}_{2}$ remains constant. In the AC circuit, since ( $\left.\partial I_{D} / \partial I_{F}\right)$ varies with temperature, the gain will also vary with temperature. A thermister can be used in the output amplifiers of the Differential and AC circuits to compensate for this change in gain over temperature.

There are also several digital techniques to transmit an optocoupler analog signal. Optocouplers can be used to transmit a frequency or pulse width modulated signal. In these applications, overall circuit bandwidth is determined by the required linearity as well as the propagation delay of the optocoupler. The 6N137 series optocoupler features propagation delays typically less than 50 ns and
the 6N135 series optocoupler features propagation typically less than 300 ns .
In several places the circuits shown call for a current source. They can be realized in several ways. If $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Cc}}$ is stable, the current source can be a mirror type circuit as shown in Figure 1.


Figure 1.
If $V_{C C}$ is not stable, a simple current source such as the ones shown in Figure 2 can be realized with an LED as a voltage reference. The LED will approximately compensate the transistor over temperature since $\Delta \mathrm{V}_{\text {be }} / \Delta \mathrm{T} \cong$ $\Delta V_{F} / \Delta T=-2 \mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ :


Figure 2.

## SERVO ISOLATION AMPLIFIER

The servo amplifier shown in Figure 3 operates on the principle that two optocouplers will track each other if their gain changes by the same amount over some operating region. $U_{2}$ compares the outputs of each optocoupler and forces $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 2}$ through $\mathrm{D}_{2}$ to be equal to $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 1}$ through $D_{1}$. The constant current sources bias each IF at 3 mA quiescent current. $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ has been selected so that $\mathrm{IF}_{1}$ varies over the range of 2 mA to 4 mA as VIN varies from -5 V to +5 V . R1 can be adjusted to accommodate any desired range. With $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}=0, R_{2}$, is adjusted so that $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OUT }}=0$. Then with VIN at some value, $\mathrm{R}_{4}$ can be adjusted for a gain of 1. Values for $R_{2}$ and $R_{4}$ have been picked for a worst case spread of optocoupler or current transfer ratios. The transfer function of the servo amplifier is:
$V_{\text {OUT }}=R_{4}\left[\left(I_{F^{\prime}}\right)\left(\frac{K_{1} R_{2}\left(I_{C C_{1}}\right)^{n_{1}}}{K_{2} R_{3}\left(I_{F}\right)^{n_{1}}}\right)^{1 / n_{2}}\left(1+\frac{V_{I N}}{R_{1} I_{c C_{1}}}\right)^{n_{1} / n_{2}}-I_{C_{2}}\right]$

After zero adjustment, this transfer function reduces to:

$$
V_{\text {OUT }}=R_{4} I_{\mathrm{CC}_{2}}\left[(1+x)^{n-1}\right] \text {, where } x=\frac{V_{\text {IN }}}{R_{1} I_{\mathrm{cc}_{1}}}, n=\frac{n_{1}}{n_{2}}
$$

The non linearities in the transfer function where $n_{1} \neq n_{2}$ can be written as shown below. For example, if $|x| \leqslant .35, n=$ 1.05 , then the linearity error is $1 \%$ of the desired signal.


Figure 3. Servo Type DC Isolation Amplifier.

## Typical Performance for the Servo Linearized DC Amplifier:

$1 \%$ linearity for 10 V p-p dynamic range
Unity voltage gain
25 kHz bandwidth (limited by $U_{1}, U_{2}$ )
Gain drift: $-.03 \% /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Offset drift: $\pm 1 \mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Common mode rejection: 46 dB at 1 kHz
500 V DC insulation ( 3000 V if 2 single couplers are used)

## DIFFERENTIAL ISOLATION AMPLIFIER

The differential amplifier shown in Figure 4 operates on the principle that an operating region exists where a gain increment in one optocoupler can be approximately balanced by a gain decrement in the second optocoupler. As $I_{F 1}$ increases due to changes in $V_{I N}, I_{F 2}$ decreases by an equal amount. If $n_{1}=n_{2}=2$, then the gain increment caused by increases in $I_{F 1}$ will be balanced by the gain decrement caused by decreases in $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F} 2}$. The constant current source biases each $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ at 3 mA quiescent current. $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ and $R_{2}$ are designed so that $I_{F}$ varies over the range of 2 mA to 4 mA as $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$ varies from -5 V to +5 V . $\mathrm{R}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{R}_{2}$ can be adjusted to accommodate any desired dynamic range. $U_{3}$ and $U_{4}$ are used as a differential current amplifier:

$$
V_{\text {OUT }}=R_{5}\left[\left(R_{3} / R_{4}\right) I_{C 1}-I_{C 2}\right]
$$

$R_{3}, R_{4}, R_{5}$ have been picked for an amplifier with a gain of 1 for a worst case spread of coupler current transfer ratios. The transfer function of the differential amplifier is:
$V_{\text {OUT }}=R_{5}\left[\left(\frac{K_{1} R_{3}}{R_{4}}\right)\left(\frac{I_{C C}}{2 I_{F_{1}^{\prime}}}\right)^{n_{1}}\left(1+\frac{V_{I N}}{R I_{C C}}\right)^{n_{1}}-K_{2}\left(\frac{I_{C C}}{2 I_{F_{2}^{\prime}}}\right)^{n_{2}}\left(1-\frac{V_{I N}}{R I_{C C}}\right)^{n_{2}}\right]$ if $R \equiv R_{1} \equiv R_{2}$

After zero adjustment, this transfer function reduces to:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V_{\text {OUT }}=R_{5} K^{\prime}\left[\left(1+\frac{V_{I N}}{R I_{C C}}\right)^{n_{1}}-\left(1-\frac{V_{I N}}{R I_{C C}}\right)^{n_{2}}\right] \\
& \text { where } K^{\prime}=\frac{K_{1} R_{3}}{R_{4}}\left(\frac{I_{C C}}{2 I_{F_{1}^{\prime}}}\right)^{n_{1}}=K_{2}\left(\frac{I_{C C}}{2 I_{F_{2}^{\prime}}}\right)^{n_{2}}
\end{aligned}
$$

The non linearities in the transfer function when $n_{1} \neq n_{2} \neq$ 2 can be written as shown below. For example, if $|x| \leqslant .35$, $n_{1}=1.9, n_{2}=1.8$, then the linearity error is $1.5 \%$ of the desired signal.

$$
\frac{\text { linearity error }}{\text { desired signal }}=\frac{(1+x)^{n_{1}}-(1-x)^{n_{2}}-\left(n_{1}+n_{2}\right) x}{\left(n_{1}+n_{2}\right) x}, \text { where } x=\frac{V_{I N}}{R I_{C C}}
$$



Figure 4. Differential Type DC Isolation Amplifier.

## Typical Performance of the Differential Linearized DC Amplifier:

$3 \%$ linearity for 10 V p-p dynamic range
Unity voltage gain
25 kHz bandwidth (limited by $\mathrm{U}_{1}, \mathrm{U}_{2}, \mathrm{U}_{3}, \mathrm{U}_{4}$ )
Gain drift: $-.4 \% /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Offset drift: $\pm 4 \mathrm{mV} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Common mode rejection: 70 dB at 1 kHz 3000V DC insulation

## AC COUPLED AMPLIFIER

In an AC circuit, since there is no requirement for a DC reference, a single optocoupler can be utilized by biasing the optocoupler in a region of constant incremental CTR $\left(\partial I_{D} / \partial I_{F}\right)$. An example of this type of circuit is shown in Figure 5. $Q_{1}$ is biased by $R_{1}, R_{2}$ and $R_{3}$ for a collector quiescent current of $20 \mathrm{~mA} . R_{3}$ is selected so that $I_{F}$ varies from 15 mA to 25 mA for $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}$ of $1 \mathrm{~V} \mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p}$. Under these


Figure 5. Wide Bandwidth AC Isolation Amplifier.
operating conditions, the 6N136 operates in a region of almost constant incremental CTR. Linearity can be improved at the expense of signal-to-noise ratio by reducing $I_{F}$ excursions. This can be accomplished by increasing $R_{3}$, then adding a resistor from the collector of $Q_{1}$ to ground to obtain the desired quiescent $I_{F}$ of 20 mA . $Q_{2}$ and $Q_{3}$ form a cascade amplifier with feedback applied through $R_{4}$ and $R_{6}$. $R_{6}$ is selected as $V_{\text {be }} / I_{3}$ with $I_{3}$ selected for maximum gain bandwidth product of $Q_{3}$. $R_{7}$ is selected to allow maximum excursions of $\mathrm{V}_{\text {out }}$ without clipping. $\mathrm{R}_{5}$ provides $D C$ bias to $Q_{3}$. Closed loop gain ( $\Delta \mathrm{V}_{\text {our }} / \Delta \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}$ ) can be adjusted with $\mathrm{R}_{4}$. The transfer function of the amplifier is:

$$
\frac{V_{\text {OUT }}}{V_{I N}} \cong\left(\frac{\partial I_{\mathrm{D}}}{\partial \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}}\right)\left(\frac{1}{R_{3}}\right)\left(\frac{\mathrm{R}_{4} \mathrm{R}_{7}}{\mathrm{R}_{6}}\right)
$$

## Typical Performance of the Wide Bandwidth AC Amplifier:

2\% linearity over $1 \mathrm{~V} p-\mathrm{p}$ dynamic range
Unity voltage gain
10 MHz bandwidth
Gain drift: $-.6 \% /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Common mode rejection: 22 dB at 1 MHz
3000V DC insulation

## DIGITAL ISOLATION TECHNIQUES

Digital conversion techniques can be used to transfer an analog signal between two isolated systems. With these techniques, the analog signal is converted into some digital form and transmitted through the optocoupler. This digital information is then converted back to the analog signal at the output. Since the optocoupler is used only as a switch, the overall circuit linearity is primarily dependent on the accuracy by which the analog signal can be converted into digital form and then back to the analog signal. However, the overall circuit bandwidth is limited by the propagation delays of the optocoupler.

Figure 6 shows a pulse width modulated scheme to isolate an analog signal. The oscillator operates at a fixed frequency, $f$, and the monostable multivibrator varies the duty factor of the oscillator proportional to the input signal, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$. The maximum frequency at which the oscillator can be operated is determined by the required linearity of the circuit and the propagation delay of the opto isolators:

$$
\left(t_{\max }-t_{\min }\right)(\text { required linearity }) \geqslant\left|t_{\text {PLH }}-t_{\text {PHL }}\right|
$$

At the output, the pulse width modulated signal is then converted back to the original analog signal. This can be
accomplished with an integrator circuit followed by a low pass filter or through some type of demodulator circuit that gives an output voltage proportional to the duty factor of the oscillator.
Figure 7 shows a voltage to frequency conversion scheme to isolate an analog signal. The voltage to frequency converter gives an output frequency proportional to $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}$. The maximum frequency that can be transmitted through the optocoupler is approximately:

$$
f_{\max } \approx \frac{1}{t}, \text { where } t=t_{P L H} \text { or } t_{P H L}, \text { whichever is larger. }
$$



Figure 6. Pulse Width Modulation.


Figure 7. Voltage to Frequency Conversion.
At the output, the frequency is converted back into a voltage. The overall circuit linearity is dependent only on the linearity of the V-F and F-V converters.

Another scheme similar to voltage to frequency conversion is frequency modulation. A carrier frequency, $f_{o}$, is modulated by $\Delta f$ such that $f_{\circ} \pm \Delta f$ is proportional to $V_{\text {IN }}$. Then at the output, $\mathrm{V}_{\text {out }}$ is reconstructed with a phase locked loop or similar circuit.

One further scheme to isolate an analog signal is to use A-D and D-A converters and transfer the binary or BCD information through optocoupler. The information can be transmitted through the optocoupler in parallel or serial format depending on the outputs available from the A-D converter. If serial outputs are not available, the A-D outputs can be converted into serial form with a PISO shift register and transmitted through one high speed optocoupler. This scheme becomes economical especially where high resolution is required allowing several optocouplers to be replaced with one high speed optocoupler. Refer to HP Application Note 947 for further discussion of digital data transmission techniques.

# Contrast Enhancement Techniques 

## Why Contrast Enhancement?

The most important attribute of any equipment utilizing a digital readout is the ability to clearly display information to an observer. A person viewing the display must be able to quickly and accurately recognize the information being displayed by the instrument. The display, usually front panel mounted, must be visible without difficulty in the ambient light conditions where the instrument will be used.

Since most ambient light levels are sufficiently bright to impair the visibility of an LED display it is necessary to employ certain techniques to develop a high viewing contrast between the display and its background. Since the quality of visibility is primarily subjective, it is not easily measured or treated by analytical means. Thus, human engineering plays a very important role in display applications. The best judge of the viewing esthetics of a display is the human eye. In short, is the final display design pleasing to the eye when viewed in the end use ambient?
This application note presents various criteria and techniques that a display designer should consider to obtain optimum contrast enhancement for red, yellow and green LED displays. A representative list of filter manufacturers and available filters is given at the end of this discussion.

## Basic Concepts

The objective of contrast enhancement is to maximize the contrast between display "On" and display "Off" conditions. This is accomplished by (1) reducing to a minimum the reflected ambient light from the face of the display and (2) allowing a maximum of the display's emitted light to reach the eye of a viewer. The goal is to achieve a maximum contrast between "On" segments and "Off" segments as well as a maximum contrast between "Off" segments and display package and background.

Let us begin by defining the following basic terms: Contrast Ratio, CR, may be defined as follows:

$$
C R=\frac{\text { Source Luminance }+ \text { Background Luminance }}{\text { Background Luminance }}
$$

Contrast Improvement Ratio, CIR, may be defined as follows:

$$
\text { CIR }=\frac{C R \text { (With Filter) }}{C R \text { (Without Filter) }}
$$

It is desirable to have as high a CR as possible. One is able to measure the improvement in contrast enhancement by the CIR.

Contrast Ratio is usually applied to the face of a display as a whole. However, with stretched segment displays, such as Hewlett-Packard's 5082-7750 and 5082-7760 displays, it is difficult to achieve a high value of segmert on/off contrast while effectively concealing the display package from view. For example, a display with a black package is easily concealed from view, however, the "Off" segments will be visible. This is due to the difference in reflectivity between the "Off" segments and the black package.
A reduction in the reflectivity difference between the "Off" segments and the package of a stretched segment display may be obtained by adding a small amount of dye to color tint the segments, and the display package may be colored to match the off segment color. With the addition of an appropriate optical filter placed in front of the display, the "Off" segments tend to be indistinguishable from the background. The trade-off is that a colored package is more visible than a black package. Because of this trade-off a designer has to decide which is more important, concealing "Off" segments or concealing the display package. Since the usual choice is to conceal "Off" segments, Hewlett-Packard is using this colored package technique on its $5082-7600$ series HighEfficiency Red, Yellow and Green Stretched Segment Displays.
Contrast enhancement under artificial lighting conditions may be accomplished by use of selected wavelength optical filters. Under bright sunlight conditions contrast enhancement becomes more difficult and requires additional techniques such as the use of louvered filters combined with shading of the display. The effect of a wavelength optical filter is illustrated in Figure 1. The filtered portion of the display can be easily read while the "Off" segments are not apparent. By comparison, reading the unfiltered portion of the display is difficult.


Figure 1. Effect of wavelength optical filter on LED display.

## Eye Response, Peak Wavelength and Dominant Wavelength

The 1931 CIE (Commission Internationale De L'Eclairage) standard observer curve, also known as the photopic curve, is shown in Figure 2. This curve represents the eye response
of a standard observer to various wavelengths of light. The vivid color ranges are also identified in Figure 2. The photopic curve peaks at 555 nanometers ( nm ) in the yellowishgreen region. This peak corresponds to 680 lumens of luminous flux (Im) per watt of radiated power (W).

Two wavelengths of the LED emission are important to a user of LED displays; Peak Wavelength and Dominant Wavelength. Peak Wavelength ( $\lambda_{p}$ ) is the wavelength of the peak of the radiated spectrum. The peak wavelength may be used to estimate the approximate amount of display emitted light that is passed by an optical filter. For example, if an optical filter has a relative transmission of $40 \%$ at a given $\lambda_{p}$, then approximately $40 \%$ of the display emitted light at the peak wavelength will pass through the filter to the viewer while $60 \%$ will be absorbed. This gives a designer an initial estimate of the amount of loss of display emitted light he should expect.

Dominant Wavelength ( $\lambda_{d}$ ) is used to define the color of an LED display. Since an LED approximates a monochromatic light source, the dominant wavelength of an LED may be defined as the single wavelength which is perceived by the eye to match the complete radiated spectrum of the device. As an example, the dominant wavelength of Hewlett-Packard's "Yellow" Display, which has a peak wavelength of 583 nm , is 585 nm . As shown in Figure 2, the actual color corresponding to $\lambda_{d}=585 \mathrm{~nm}$ is yellowish-orange. Therefore, an optimum wavelength filter will be one thät is yellowish-orange (or amber) in color.
Both peak wavelength and dominant wavelength are listed in the electrical-optical characteristics on the data sheets for Helwett-Packard's LED display and lamp products.

$\lambda$-WAVELENGTH ( nm )
Figure 2. CIE Standard observer eye response curve (photopic curve), including CIE vivid color ranges.

## Filter Transmittance

The relative transmittance of an optical filter with respect to wavelength is:

$$
T(\lambda)=\frac{\text { Luminous Flux with Filter at Wavelength } \lambda}{\text { Luminous Flux without Filter at Wavelength } \lambda}
$$

Most manufacturers of wavelength filters for use with LED displays provide relative transmittance curves for their products. Sample transmittance curves are presented in Figures 3, 4, 5 and 6. These curves represent approximate filter characteristics which may be used in various ambient light levels. The total transmittance curve shape and wavelength cut-off points have been chosen in direct relationship to the LED radiated spectrum. Each filter curve has been empirically determined and is similar to commercially available products. The higher the ambient light ${ }^{[1]}$, the more optically dense the filter must be to absorb reflected light from the face of the display. Because the display emitted light is also strongly absorbed, the display must be driven at a high average current to be readily visible. For dim ambient light, the filter may have a high value of transmittance as the ambient light will be at levels much less than display emitted light. The display can now be driven at a low average current.
Listed on each filter transmittance curve (Figures 3, 4, 5 and 6) are empirically selected ranges of relative transmittance values at the peak wavelength which may give satisfactory filtering. For example, a filter to be used with a yellow display in moderate ambient lighting could have a transmittance value at the peak wavelength [ $T\left(\lambda_{p}\right)$ ] between 0.15 and 0.30 . The filter wavelength cut-off should occur between 530 and 550 nm for best results.
When selecting a filter, the transmittance curve shape, attenuation at the peak wavelength and wavelength cut-off should be carefully considered in relationship to the LED radiated spectrum and ambient light level so as to obtain optimum contrast enhancement.
[1] Dim ambients are in the range of 3 to 20 footcandles ( 32 to 215 lux), moderate ambients are in the range of 20 to 100 footcandles ( 215 to 1076 lux), and bright ambients are in the range of 100 to 500 footcandles (1076 to 5382 lux). Footcandle $=$ $\left(1 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{ft}^{2}\right)$ and lux $=\left(1 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{m}^{2}\right)$.


Figure 3. Typical transmittance curve for filters to be used with HP standard GaAsP red displays.


Figure 4. Typical transmittance curves for filters to be used with HP high-efficiency red displays.


Figure 5. Typical transmittance curves for filters to be used with HP yellow displays.

## Wavelength Filtering

The application of wavelength filters as described in the previous section is the most widely used method of contrast enhancement under artificial lighting conditions. Wavelength filters are very effective in artificial lighting. However, they are not very effective in daylight due to the high level ambient light. Filtering in daylight conditions is best achieved by using louvered filters (discussed in a later section).

Figures 7, 8, 9 and 10 show the relationship between artificial lighting and the spectra of LED displays, both unfiltered and filtered. Figures 7a through 10a show the relationship between the various LED spectra and the spectra of daylight flourescent and incandescent light. The photometric spectrum (shaded curve) is obtained by multiplying the LED radiated spectrum $[f(\lambda)]$ by the photopic curve


Figure 6. Typical transmittance curves for filters to be used with HP green displays.
$[y(\lambda)]$. Thus, photometric spectrum $=f(\lambda) \cdot y(\lambda)$. Figures 7b through 10b demonstrate the effect of a wavelength filter. The filtered photometric spectrum is what the eye perceives when viewing a display through a filter (shaded curve). Thus, filtered photometric spectrum $=f(\lambda) \cdot y(\lambda) \cdot T(\lambda)$. The ratio of the area under the filtered photometric spectrum to the area under the unfiltered photometric spectrum is the fraction of the visible light emitted by the display which is transmitted by the filter:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { Fraction of Available } \\
& \text { Light from Filtered Display }
\end{aligned}=\frac{\int f(\lambda) \cdot y(\lambda) \cdot T(\lambda) \cdot d \lambda}{\int f(\lambda) \cdot y(\lambda) \cdot d \lambda}
$$

In addition to attenuating a portion of the light emitted by the display, a filter also shifts the dominant wavelength, thus causing a shift in the perceived color. For a given display spectrum, the color shift depends on the cut-off wavelength and shape of the filter transmittance characteristic. A choice among available filters must be made on the basis of which filter and LED combination is most pleasing to the eye. A designer must experiment with each filter as he cannot tell by transmittance curves alone. The filter spectra presented in Figures 3, 4, 5 and 6 are suggested starting points. Filters with similar characteristics are commercially available.
Filtering Red Displays ( $\lambda \mathbf{p}=\mathbf{6 5 5} \mathbf{n m}$ ) Filtering out reflected ambient light from red displays is easily accomplished with a long wavelength pass filter having asharp cut-off in the 600 nm to 625 nm range (see Figures 3 and 7 b ). Under bright flourescent light, a red filter is very effective due to the low concentration of red in the flourescent spectrum. The spectrum of incandescent light contains a large amount of red, and therefore, it is difficult to filter red displays effectively in bright incandescent light.

Filtering High-Efficiency Red Displays ( $\lambda \mathbf{p}=635 \mathrm{~nm}$ ) The use of a long wavelength pass filter with a cut-off in the 570 nm to 590 nm range gives essentially the same results as is obtained when filtering red displays (see Figures 4 and 8 b ). The resulting color is a rich reddish-orange.

Filtering Yellow Displays ( $\lambda p=583 \mathrm{~nm}$ ) The peak wavelength of a yellow LED display is in the region of the


Figure 7A. Relative relationship between standard GaAsP red LED display spectrum, photopic curve and artificial lighting.

Figure 8A. Relative relationship between high-efficiency red LED display, photopic curve and artificial lighting.

Figure 9A. Relative relationship between yellow LED displays, photopic curve and artificial lighting.


Figure 7B. Effect of a long pass wavelength filter on red LED displays.

Figure 8B. Effect of a long pass wavelength filter on highefficiency red LED displays.


Figure 9B. Effect of a long pass wavelength filter on yellow LED displays.


Figure 10A. Relative relationship between green LED displays, photopic curve and artificial lighting.


Figure 10B. Effect of a bandpass wavelength filter on green LED displays.
photopic curve where the eye is most sensitive (see Figure $9 \mathrm{a})$. Also, there is a high concentration of yellow in the spectrum of flourescent light and a lesser amount of yellow in incandescent light. Therefore, filters that are more optically dense than red filters at the peak wavelength are required to filter yellow displays. The most effective filters are the dark yellowish-orange (or dark amber) filters as shown in Figure 5. The use of a low transmittance yellowish-orange filter, as shown in Figure 9b, results in a similar color to that of a gas discharge display. Pure yellow filters provide very little contrast enhancement.

Filtering Green Displays ( $\lambda \mathbf{p}=565 \mathrm{~nm}$ ) The peak wavelength of a green LED display is only 10 nm from the peak of the eye response curve (see Figure 10a). Therefore, it is very difficult to effectively filter green displays. A long wavelength pass filter, such as is used for red and yellow displays, is no longer effective. An effective filter is obtained by combining the dye of a short wavelength pass filter with the dye of a long wavelength pass filter, thus forming a bandpass yellow-green filter which peaks at 565 nm as shown in Figure 6. Pure green filters peak at 520 nm and drop off rapidly in the 550 nm to 570 nm range and are not recommended. The best possible filters for green LED displays are those which are yellow-green bandpass, peaking at 565 nm and dropping off rapidly between 575 nm and 590 nm . As shown in Figure 10b, this filter passes wavelengths 550 to 570 while sharply reducing the longer wavelengths in the yellow region. To effectively filter green LED displays in flourescent light would require the use of a filter with a low transmittance value at the peak wavelength. This is due to the high concentration of green in the flourescent spectrum. It is easier to filter green displays in bright incandescent light due to the low concentration of green in the incandescent spectrum, see Figure 10a.

Three manufacturers of wavelength filters are Panelgraphic Corporation (Chromafilter ${ }^{\circledR}$ ). SGL Homalite and Rohm \& Haas Company (Plexiglas). The LED filters produced by these manufacturers are useable with all of HewlettPackard's display and lamp products. Table 2 lists some of the filter manufacturers and where to go for further information. Table 3 lists some specific wavelength filter products with recommended applications.

## Louvered Filters

Louvered filters are very effective in reducing the amount of bright artificial light or daylight reflected from the face of a display, without a substantial reduction in displáy emitted light. The construction of a louvered filter is diagrammed in Figure 11. Inside a plastic sheet are thin parallel louvers which may be oriented at a specific angle with respect to the surface normal. The zero degree louvered filter has the louvers perpendicular to the filter surface.
The operation of a louvered filter is similar to a venetian blind as shown in Figure 12. Light from the LED display passes between the parallel louvers to the viewer. Off-axis ambient light is blocked by the louvers and therefore is not able to reach the face of the display to be reflected back to the viewer. This results in a very high contrast ratio with minimal loss of display emitted light at the On-axis viewing angle. The trade-off is a restricted viewing angle. For example, the zero degree louvered filter shown in Figure 11 has a horizontal viewing angle of $180^{\circ}$; however, the vertical viewing included angle is $60^{\circ}$. The louver aspect ratio (louver depth/distance between louvers) determines viewing angle. A list of louver option possibilities is given in Table 1.
Some applications require a louver orientation other than zero degrees. For example, an 18 degree louvered filter may be used on the sloping top surface of a point of sale terminal. A second, is the use of a 45 degree louvered filter on overhead instrumentation to block out ambient light from ceiling mounted lighting fixtures.
Louvered filters are effective filters for enhancing the viewing of LED displays installed in equipment operating under daylight ambient conditions. In bright sunlight, the most effective filter is the crosshatch louvered filter. This is essentially two zero degree neutral density louvered filters oriented at 90 degrees to each other. Red, yellow and green digits may be mounted side by side in the same display. Using only the crosshatch filter, all digits will be clearly visible and easily read in bright sunlight as long as the sunlight is not parallel to the viewing axis. The trade-off is restricted vertical and horizontal viewing. The effective viewing cone is an included angle of $40^{\circ}$ degrees (for a filter aspect ratio of 2.75:1).


Figure 11. Construction characteristics of $0^{\circ}$ neutral density louvered filter.


Neutral density louvered filters are effective by themselves in most bright ambient lighting conditions without the aid of a secondary wavelength filter. However, colored louvered filters may be used for additional wavelength filtering at the expense of display emitted light.

3M Company, Light Control Divison, manufactures louvered filters for LED displays. Their product trade name is "Light Control Film", which is useable with all of HewlettPackard's LED display and lamp products.

## Circular Polarizing Filters

Circular Polarizing Filters are effective when used with LED displays that have specular reflecting front surfaces. Spec-
ular reflecting surfaces reflect light without scattering. Displays that have polished glass or plastic facial surfaces belong to this category. Circular Polarizing Filters are effective when used with Hewlett-Packard's 5082-7010, -7100 and -7300 series displays.

The operation of a circular polarizer may be described as follows. As shown in Figure 13, the filter consists of a laminate of a linear polarizer and a quarter wave plate. A quarter wave plate has its optical axis parallel to the flat surface of the polarizer and is oriented at $45^{\circ}$ to the linear polarization axis. Non-polarized light is first linearly polarized by the linear polarizer. The linearly polarized light has x and y components with respect to the quarter wave plate.


Figure 13. The operation of a circular polarizer.

As the light passes through the quarter wave plate, the x and $y$ components emerge $90^{\circ}$ out of phase with each other. The polarized light now has x and y forming a helical pattern with respect to the optical path, and is termed circular polarized light. As this circular polarized light is reflected by the specular reflecting surface, the circular polarization is reversed. When the light passes back through the quarter wave plate it becomes linearly polarized at $90^{\circ}$ to the linear polarizer. Thus reflected ambient light is blocked.
The advantage of a circular polarizer is that reflected ambient light is reduced more than $95 \%$. However, the trade-off is that display emitted light passing through the circular polarizer is reduced by approximately $65 \%$ at the peak wavelength. This then necessitates an increased drive current for the display, more than that required for a wavelength filter.
Circular polarizers are normally colored to obtain additional selected wavelength filtering. One Caution: outdoor applications will require the use of an ultraviolet, uv, filter in front of the circular polarizer. Prolonged exposure to ultraviolet light will destroy the filter's polarizing properties.
Polaroid Corporation manufactures circular polarizing filters in the United States. In Europe, E. Käseman of West Germany produces high quality circular polarizers.

## Anti-Reflection Filters, Mounting Bezels and Other Suggestions

Anti-reflection filters: A filtered display still may not be readable by an observer if glare is present on the filter surface. Glare can be reduced by the addition of an antireflection surface as part of the filter. Both sections of the display shown in Figure 14 are filtered. The left hand filter has an anti-reflection surface while the right hand filter does not.

An anti-reflection surface is a mat, or textured, finish or coating which diffuses incident light. The trade-off is that both incident ambient and display emitted light are diffused. It is therefore desirable to mount the filter as close to the display as possible to prevent the display image from appearing fuzzy.

Panelgraphic Chromafilters ${ }^{\circledR}$ come standard with an antireflection coating. SGL Homalite offers two grades of a molded anti-reflection surface. 3M Company and Polaroid also offer anti-reflection surface options. Optical coating companies will apply anti-reflection coating for specialized applications, though this is usually an expensive process. Three companies of many which do commercial filter coating are: Optical Coating Labs, Inc., Santa Rosa, California; Optics Technology, Inc., Redwood City, California; Valpey Corporation, Holliston, Massachusetts.
Mounting bezels: It is wise to take into account the added appearance of a front panel that has the display set-off by a bezel. A bezel of black plastic, satin chrome or brushed aluminum, as examples, will accent the display and attract the eye of the viewer. The best effect can be achieved by a custom bezel. Commercial black plastic bezels for digits up to .3 inch ( 7.62 mm ) tall are available, see Table 2.
Other suggestions: When designing the mounting configuration of a display, consider recessing the display and filter 0.25 inch ( 6.35 mm ) to 0.5 inch ( 12.7 mm ) to add some shading effect. If a double sided printed circuit board is used, keep traces away from the normal viewing area or cover the top surface traces with a dark coating so they can not be seen. Mount the display panel in such a manner as to be easily removed if service should become necessary. If possible, mount current limiting resistors on a separate board to reduce the ambient temperature in the vicinity of the displays.


Figure 14. Effect of anti-reflection surface on an optical filter.

Table 2. List of Filter and Bezel Product Manufacturers

| Manufacturer | Product |
| :---: | :---: |
| Panelgraphic Corporation 10 Henderson Drive West Caldwell, New Jersey 07006 Phone: (201) 227-1500 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Chromafilter }{ }^{\circledR}-\text { Wave- } \\ & \text { length filters with } \\ & \text { anti-reflective coating; } \\ & \text { Red, Yellow, Green } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| - SGL Homalite <br> 11 Brookside Drive <br> Wilmington, Delaware 19804 <br> Phone: (302) 652-3686 | Wavelength filters; two optional anti-reflective surfaces; three plastic grades; Red, Yellow, Green |
| 3M - Company <br> Visual Products Division <br> 3M Center, Bidg. 235-2E <br> Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101 <br> Phone: (612) 733-5747 | 3M - Brand Light control film; louvered filters |
| Glarecheq, Ltd. <br> 1-4 Christina St. <br> London EC2A 4PA <br> England <br> Phone: (44) 1-739-6964 | Spectrafilter |
| Rohm and Haas Independence Mall West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19105 Phone: (215) 592-3000 | Plexiglass; sheet and molding powder; wavelength filters, sold as Oroglas in Europe |
| Polaroid Corporation <br> Polarizer Division <br> 549 Technology Square <br> Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139 <br> Phone: (617) 864-6000 | Circular polarizing filters |
| E. Käsemann GmbH D 8203 Oberaudorf West Germany Phone: (08033) 342 | Circular polarizing filters |
| Norbex Division <br> Griffith Plastics Corporation <br> 1027 California Drive <br> Burlingame, California 94010 <br> Phone: (415) 344-7691 | ```DIGIBEZEL®; Plastic bezels for LED dis- plays``` |
| Industrial Electronic Engineers, Inc. <br> 7720-40 Lemona Avenue <br> Van Nuys, California 91405 <br> Phone: (213) 787-0311 | Plastic bezels for . 30 inch ( $7,62 \mathrm{~mm}$ ) tall LED displays |
| Rochester Digital Displays, Inc. 120 North Main Street Fairport, New York 14450 Phone: (716) 223-6855 | ```Complete mounting kits for H.P. 5082-7300, -7700 and -7600 displays.``` |

Table 3. Specific Wavelength Filter Products

| Filter Product | Type of LED Display | Ambient Lighting |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Panelgraphic Chromafilter ${ }^{\circledR}$ With Anti-Reflection |  |  |
| Ruby Red 60 <br> Dark Red 63 | Standard Red | Moderate <br> Bright |
| Scarlet Red 65 | High-Efficiency Red | Moderate |
| Yellow 27 | Yellow | Moderate |
| Green 48 | Green | Moderate |
| Gray 10 | All Colors | Sunlight |
| SGL Homalite, Grade 100 |  |  |
| H100-1605 | Standard Red | Moderate |
| H100-1670 | High-Efficiency Red | Moderate |
| H100-1726 | Yellow | Dim <br> H100-1720 |
| H100-1440 | Green | Moderate <br> H100-1425 |
| H100-1266 Gray | All Colors | Moderate |


| Anti-Reflection |
| :--- |
| LR-72: 0.5 inch (12.70 mm ) Mounting Distance From Display |
| LR-92: Up to 3.0 inch $(76.20 \mathrm{~mm})$ Mounting Distance From Display |
| Rohm \& Haas |
| Plexiglas 2423 |
| Oroglas 2444 |

3M Company - Visual Products Division
Louvered Filters

| R6510 | Standard Red | Indirect Sunlight |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| R6310 | High-Efficiency Red | Indirect Sunlight |
| A5910 | Yellow | Indirect Sunlight |
| G5610 | Green | Indirect Sunlight |
| N0220 | All Colors | Sunlight |

Anti-Reflective
Matte or Very Light Matte Front Surface Finish

| Glarecheq Spectrafilter |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 110 | High-Efficiency Red | Moderate |
| 118 | Standard Red | Moderate <br> Bright |
| 112 | Yellow | Moderate |
| 106 | Green | Moderate |
| 107 | All Colors | Sunlight |
| 105 |  |  |

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# Applications of the HP HDSP-2000 Alphanumeric Display 

This note is intented to serve as a design and application guide for users of the HP HDSP-2000 alphanumeric display device. The information presented will cover: the theory of the device design and operation; considerations for specific circuit designs; thermal management, power derating, and heat sinking; and intensity modulation techniques.

The HP HDSP-2000 device has been designed to provide a high resolution information display subsystem. Each character of the 4 character package consists of a $5 \times 7$ array of LEDs which can display a full range of alphabetic and numeric characters plus punctuation, mathematical and other special symbols.

Each character is 3.8 mm high by 2.2 mm wide with 4.5 mm center to center spacing. The overall package size is designed to allow end stacking of multiple clusters to form character strings of any desired length.

## ELECTRICAL DESCRIPTION

The on-board electronics of the HP HDSP-2000 display will eliminate some of the classical difficulties associated with the use of alphanumeric displays. Traditionally, single digit LED dot matrix displays have been organized in an $x-y$ addressable array requiring 12 interconnect pins per digit plus extensive row and column drive support electronics. The HP HDSP-2000 provides on-board storage of decoded row data plus constant current sinking row drivers for each of the 28 rows in the 4 character display. This approach allows the user to address each display package through just 11 active interconnections vs. the 176 interconnections and 36 components required to effect a similar function using conventional LED matrices.
Figure 1 is a block diagram of the internal circuitry of the

HP HDSP-2000 display. The device consists of four LED matrices and two 14 -bit serial-in-parallel-out shift registers. The LED matrix for each character is a $5 \times 7$ diode array organized with the anodes of each column tied in common and the cathodes of each row tied in common. The 7 row cathode commons of each character are tied to the constant current sinking outputs of 7 successive stages of the shift register. The like columns of the 4 characters are tied together and brought to a single address pin (i.e., column 1 of all 4 characters is tied to pin 1, etc.). In this way, any diode in the four $5 \times 7$ matrices may be addressed by shifting data to the appropriate shift register location and applying a voltage to the appropriate column.

The serial-in-parallel-out (SIPO) shift register has . constant current sinking output associated with each shift register stage. The output stage is a current mirror design with a nominal current gain of 10 . The current to the reference diode is established from the output voltage of the brightness input buffer applied across the current reference resistors, R. The reference current flow is controlled by a switching transistor tied to the output of the associated shift register stage. A logical 1 loaded into the shift register will turn the current source "ON" thereby sinking current from the row line. A voltage applied to the appropriate column input will then turn "ON" the desired diode.

Data is loaded serially into the shift register on the high to low transition of the clock line. The data output terminal is a TTL buffer interface to the 28th bit of the shift register (i.e., the 7 th row of character 4 in each package). The Data Output is arranged to directly interconnect to the Data Input on a succeeding 4 digit HP HDSP-2000 display package. The Data, Clock and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ inputs are all buffered to allow direct interface to any TTL or DTL logic family.


Figure 1. Block Diagram of the HDSP-2000.

## THEORY OF OPERATION

Dot matrix aplhanumeric display systems generally have a logical organization which prescribes that any character be generated as a combination of several subsets of data. In a $5 \times 7$ matrix, this could be either 5 subsets of 7 bits each or 7 subsets of 5 bits each. This technique is utilized to reduce from 35 to 5 or 7 the number of outputs required from the character generator. In order to display a complete character, these subsets of data are then presented sequentially to the appropriate locations of the display matrix. If this process is repeated at a rate which insures that each of the appropriate matrix locations is reenergized, a minimum of 100 times per second, the eye will perceive a continuous image of the entire character. The apparent intensity of each of the display elements will be equal to the intensity of that element during the "ON" period multiplied by the ratio of "ON" time to refresh period. This ratio is referred to as the display duty factor, and the technique is referred to as "strobing". In the case of the HP HDSP-2000, each character is made up of 5 subsets of 7 bits. For a four character display, 28 bits representing the first subset of each of the four characters are loaded serially into the on-board SIPO shift register and the first column is then energized for a period of time, T. This process is then repeated for columns 2 through 5.

If the time required to load the 28 bits into the SIPO shift register is $t$, then the duty factor is:
D.F. $=\frac{T}{5(t+T)}$;
the term $5(t+T)$ is then the refresh period. For a satisfactory display, the refresh period should be:
$1 /[5(t+T)] \geqslant 100 \mathrm{~Hz}$
or conversely
$5(t+T) \leqslant 10 \mathrm{msec}$,
which gives
$(t+T) \leqslant 2 \mathrm{msec}$.

Two milliseconds then is the maximum time period which should be allowed for loading and display of each column location. For $t \ll T$, the duty factor will approach $20 \%$. The number of digits which can be addressed in a single string is then dependent upon the minimum acceptable duty factor and the choice of clock rate. For instance, at 1 MHz clock rate, a 100 character string of 25 packages could be operated at a duty factor of

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D.F. \(=\frac{(T+t)-(\text { No. of bits to be loaded }) \times(1 / 1 \mathrm{MHz})}{5(T+t)}\)
    \(=\frac{(2 \mathrm{msec})-(700)(1 \mu \mathrm{sec})}{5 \times 2 \mathrm{msec}}=13 \%\)
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For most applications, a duty factor of $10 \%$ or greater will provide more than satisfactory display intensity. In brightly illuminated ambient environments, a higher duty factor may be desirable whereas, in dim ambient situations, the duty factor may have to be reduced in order to provide a display with satisfactory contrast.

## DRIVE CIRCUIT CONCEPTS

A practical display system utilizing the HP HDSP-2000 display requires interfacing with a character generator and refresh memory. A block diagram of such a display system is depicted in Figure 2. In explanation, assume that this system is for a four character display. Therefore, the $1 / \mathrm{N}$ counter becomes a $1 / 4$ counter where $N$ is equal to the number of characters in the string. The refresh memory is utilized to store the information to be displayed. Information can be coded in any one of several different standard data codes, such as ASCII or EBDIC, or the code and the display font can be customized through the use of a custom coded ROM. The only requirement is the output data be generated as 5 subsets of 7 bits each. The character generator receives data from the refresh memory and outputs 7 display data bits corresponding to the character and the column select data input. This data is converted to serial format in the parallel to serial shift register for clocking into the HP HDSP-2000 display shift register. In the typical system, the right most character to be displayed is selected first and the data corresponding
to the ON and OFF display elements in the fist column is clocked into the first 7 shift register locations of the HP HDSP-2000. In a similar manner, column 1 data for characters 3,2 , and 1 is selected by the $1 / \mathrm{N}$ counter, decoded and shifted into the display shift register. After 28 clock counts, data for each character is located in the HP HDSP-2000 shift register locations which are associated with the 7 rows of the appropriate LED matrix. The $1 / \mathrm{N}$ counter overflows, triggering the display time counter, enabling the output of the $1 / 5$ column select decoder and disabling the clock input to the HP HDSP-2000. The information now present in the shift registers will be displayed for a period, $T$, at the column 1 location. At the end of the display period, $T$, the divide by 5 counter which provides column select data for both the HP HDSP-2000 and the character generator is incremented one count and column 2 data is then loaded and displayed in the same manner as column 1. This process is repeated for each of the 5 columns which comprise the 5 subsets of data necessary to display the desired characters. After the fifth count, the $1 / 5$ decoder automatically resets to one and the sequence is repeated. The only changes required to extend this interface to character strings of more than 4 digits are to increase the size of the refresh memory and to change the divide by four counter to a modulus equal to the number of digits in the desired string.

Since data is loaded for all of the like columns in the display string and these columns are then enabled simultarieously, only five column switch transistors are required regardless of the number of characters in the string. The column switch transistors should be selected to handle approxmately 110 mA per character in the display string. The collector emitter saturation voltage characteristics and column voltage supply should be chosen to provide a $2.6 \mathrm{~V} \leqslant \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{coL}} \leqslant \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}$. To save on power


Figure 2. Block Diagram of a Basic Display System.


Figure 3. 16 Character CMOS Logic Interface to the HP HDSP-2000.
supply costs and improve efficiency, this supply may be a fullwave rectified unregulated DC voltage as long as the PEAK value does not exceed the value of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ and the minimum value does not drop below 2.6 volts.
Since large current transients can occur if a column line is enabled during data shifting operations, the most satisfactory operation will be achieved if the column current is switched off before clocking begins. ICC will be reduced by about 10-15\% if the clock is held in the logical 1 state during the display period, $T$.

## INTERFACE CIRCUITS FOR THE HP HDSP-2000

There are many possible practical techniques for interfacing to the HP HDSP-2000 alphanumeric display. Three basic approaches will be treated here.

## Instrumentation Interface Circuit

The circuit shown in Figure 3 is for a 16 character display and is designed to function primarily as a readout for general instrumentation systems. CMOS logic circuitry is utilized in this design, however, it should be a simple exercise to substitute TTL functions if CMOS is not desired. In this circuit, a CD4022 and CD4520 are combined to perform the functions of the divide by 7 , divide by $16(1 / \mathrm{N})$ and display time counters as depicted in Figure 2. The timing diagram, Figure 4, demonstrates the relationship of the various critical outputs and inputs. The CD4022 actually acts nere as a divide by 8 counter with the first count used to latch data into the parallel-in-serial-out (PISO) shift register and the other 7 counts shifting data out of the PISO and into the HP HDSP-2000. The CD4520 is a dual 4 bit counter wired as an 8 bit binary ripple counter. The NAND gate, $\mathrm{U}_{1}$, establishes the ratio of loading time to display time. In this case, loading will occur once in every $8 \times 2^{7}$ clock counts for a period of $8 \times 2^{4}$ clock counts. Duty factor is then from (1)
D.F. $=\frac{\left(8 \times 2^{7}\right)-\left(8 \times 2^{4}\right)}{5\left(8 \times 2^{7}\right)}=17.5 \%$
and the refresh period is
$5\left(8 \times 2^{7}\right) \tau$, where $\tau=$ clock period.

The four least significant bits of the CD4520 counter are used to continually address the CD4036 refresh memory. Data can be written into the desired memory address by strobing the WRITE ENABLE line when the appropriate memory address appears on the WRITE ADDRESS lines. This function can occur simultaneously with a read from memory.

Two counters, a CD4029 and a CD4022, are used for the column data generator and the column select decoder, respectively. Note that the Signetics 2516 character generator requires column select inputs of binary codes 1 to 5 instead of binary 0 to 4 . For this reason, the CD4029 is preset to a binary 1 by the same pulse which is used to reset the CD4022 column select decoder. To minimize $I_{\text {CC }}$, the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ terminal is held low during data load operations, turning "OFF" the current mirror reference current. The column current switch is a PNP Darlington transistor driven from a buffered NAND gate. The 1N4720 serves to reduce the column voltage by approximately 1 volt, thereby reducing on board power dissipation in the HP HDSP-20c0 devices. Due to maximum clock rate limitations of the CMOS logic, clock input should not exceed 1 MHz .

## 32 Character Keyboard Interface Circuit

The circuit shown in Figure 5 will directly interface the HP HDSP-2000 display to most standard keyboards. Interfac-


Figure 4. Timing Diagram for Display Interface.
ing to a keyboard without a "smart" system to generate some of the special functions required can result in some unique problems which must be considered. This system provides the following special features:

- Provides a cursor to indicate the position in the line of the next character to be entered.
- Blanks all data to the right of the cursor in the display.
- Provides for external display blanking and intensity control.
- Implements "Return" and "Backspace" functions.

The timing and data scan portions of this circuit are similar to those of the circuit shown in Figure 3 and will not be reviewed in detail. These portions of the circuit are enclosed in the dashed line. The major addition to the circuit which allows simple implementation of the special functions is a position counter and comparator. The position counter is an up-down counter which is preset to $\mathrm{n}-1$ ( $\mathrm{n}=$ number of characters in the display string) by "RETURN". The counter is decremented for each keystroke representing a valid display character and incremented for a "BACKSPACE" input code. A Fairchild 9324 five bit comparator compares the position counter output to the memory scan address. The memory scan begins at zero and represents the data for the right most (32nd) character in the display. The position count is indicative of the number of character keystrokes which have decremented the position counter from 31. The comparator senses two conditions of the relative values of the two counters. For memory scan equal to position count, the $A=B$ output of the comparator will be a logical " 1 ". For all other conditions of the two counters, $A=B$ is a logical " 0 ". This signal is inverted and is used to gate data from the PISO via $U_{1}$ into the HP HDSP-2000. For the condition $A=B$, the gating input is a logical " 0 " and the output of NAND gate $U_{2}$ is therefore held at a logical " 1 ". This will cause all of the diodes associated with the character position $\mathrm{A}=\mathrm{B}$ to be illuminated, thus forming the "cursor". The second condition which is sensed by the comparator is for a memory scan count less than position count, ( $A>B$ ). This condition represents all character data to the right of the cursor and results in a logical " 1 " at the " $A>B$ " output of the comparator. It is normally desirable for these characters to blank, hence a logical " 0 " should be loaded into the corresponding HP HDSP-2000 shift register locations. This is implemented by inverting the "A $>B$ " output and applying the resulting signal to one input of NAND gate, $U_{1}$. For " $A>B$ " at a logical " 1 ", the output of $U_{1}$ will be a logical " 1 ". This signal will then be inverted by $U_{2}$, causing logical " 0 " data to be loaded into the HP HDSP-2000 shift register for all characters to the right of the cursor. For " $A=B$ " and " $A<B$ ", $U_{1}$ will pass inverted data from the PISO to $U_{2}$. These comparator signals are also used to control the loading of data into the proper refresh memory location. Keyboard data is initially stored in the 7475 D latches using the keyboard "STROBE" signal to trigger a one shot clock pulse from $\mathrm{U}_{3}$. This pulse triggers a second one shot, $\mathrm{U}_{4}$, which gates a "SET" signal to the load control flip flops, $U_{5}$ and $U_{6}$, for any valid character code. This arms the load control so that a write enable pulse will be sent to the 7489 RAM as soon as " $A=B$ ". The " $\overline{A=} \bar{B}$ " signal is used to prevent a second data entry from occurring during the middle of a
write pulse. The write pulse also clears the load control flip-flops on the next clock cycle so that a new arriving signal can be recognized. The $\bar{Q}$ output of $U_{5}$ is also used to decrement the position counter.

The other special functions which are added to the circuit of Figure 3 are an intensity control and a blanking input. Intensity control is realized through the 74122 retriggerable monostable multivibrator, $U_{7}$. This circuit controls the tıme that the column select decoder is enabled during the display time, T . The display is externally blanked by holding the "RESET" input of the column select counter at a logical " 0 ".

The circuit shown in Figure 5 is also convenient for use in instrumentation and computer readouts. In this situation, a "Busy" signal composed of $\overline{\mathrm{Q}}-\mathrm{U}_{2}, \overline{\mathrm{Q}}-\mathrm{U}_{3}$ and $\overline{\mathrm{Q}}-\mathrm{U}_{4}$ will allow the display interface to indicate to the driving system when data can be accepted.

## Remote Display-Interface

In many systems, it is desirable to display data at multiple remote locations without having to provide the relatively complex and expensive decoding and timing scheme depicted in the previous two examples. This type of application may most often be utilized in paging system readouts, remote message displays and other systems where multiple displays would be addressed from a single central processor. The circuit shown in Figure 6 is designed to store and display a string of decoded data. The circuit requires data input from a system which can generate and serially output display and column select data - for instance, a minicomputer or microprocessor. The total number of bits of storage required (including the HP HDSP-2000 and the 5 bit column select shift register) is:
Storage $=35 N+25$.
where $N=$ the number of characters in the display string.
The data input format should be divided into 5 equal subsets of information. Each subset should contain all of the data required to completely load the HP HDSP-2000 display string shift register ( 7 N bits) for a given column, preceeded by a 5-bit column select code which will be shifted into the 5-bit SIPO at the HP HDSP-2000 output. The circuit has been designed to operate from two different clocks. This is important in systems where the display may be radio link addressed with the DATA ENTRY CLOCK being reconstituted from the data stream. For loading, LOAD DATA is taken low and loading can commence after READY goes low. Data is entered into the shift register through a gated input. The data string must contain the proper number of bits as defined by (5) and should be loaded in the shift register with one of the 5-bit column select codes loaded fully in the column select SIPO shift register. After loading is complete, LOAD DATA is returned high and clocking will be controlled by the DISPLAY CLOCK. The display clocking is designed to shift the stored data by $7 \mathrm{~N}+5$ bits and then stop and display the shift-register contents for a period of time, $T$, as defined by the period of the one shot, $U_{1} . U_{1}$ is triggered when the clock line goes low after the synchronous counter has counted to $7 \mathrm{~N}+5$. The output of $\mathrm{U}_{1}$ resets the counter and disables the counting until the end of the period, $T$. The $D$ flip-flop, $U_{2}$, insures that clock pulses to


BLANK $\bigcirc$


Figure 5. 32 Character Keyboard Interface Circuit.

the shift registers always start synchronous with the beginning of a full clock cycle so that erroneous clocking will not occur. $U_{3}$ is utilized to give intensity control for the HP HDSP-2000, if desired. It can be overridden by connecting the $U_{4(1-5)}$ input to the $Q$ output of $U_{1}$ instead of $U_{3}$.
The shift register memory utilized in this circuit is only one of several forms of memory which could be chosen. Another possibility would be the use of a $512 \times 1$ bit or 1024 $x 1$ bit RAM. The counter outputs would then be used to select the RAM address.

## POWER DISSIPATION/JUNCTION TEMPERATURE CALCULATIONS

The HP HDSP-2000 combines a significant amount of logic and display capability in a very small package. As such, on board power dissipation is relatively high and thermal design of the display mounting becomes an important consideration. The HP HDSP-2000 is designed to permit operation over a wide range of temperature and supply voltages. Full power operation at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (with $\mathrm{VCC}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=\mathrm{VCOL}=5.25 \mathrm{~V}$ ) is acceptable if the thermal resistance from pins to ambient, $\theta \mathrm{CA}$, is no greater than $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /$ watt/cluster. This value assumes that the mounting surface of the display becomes an isothermal plane. If only one display is operated on this isothermal plane at 1.7 watts maximum, then the temperature raise above ambient is:
$T_{\text {RISE }}=\left[35^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /\right.$ watt $] \times 1.7$ watts $=42.5^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
If a second display is placed on this same thermal plane, with no increase in thermal dissipation capability the temperature would be doubled (i.e., $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) - reaching catastrophic levels very quickly. However, in most
applications maximum achievable power dissipation is considerably less than the maximum allowable package dissipation of 1.7 W . Calculation of power dissipation in the HP HDSP-2000 can be made using the following formula:
$P D=P($ Icc $)+P($ IREF $)+P(I C O L)$
where
$P(\operatorname{ICC})=\operatorname{Icc}\left(V_{B}=0.4 V\right) \times V_{C C}$
$P(\operatorname{IREF})=\left[\operatorname{Icc}\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=2.4 \mathrm{~V}\right)-\operatorname{Icc}\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}\right)\right] \times \operatorname{VCc} \times(\mathrm{n} / 35)$ $\times 5 \times$ D.F.
$P\left(I_{C O L}\right)=I_{C O L} \times V_{C O L} \times(n / 35) \times 5 \times D . F$.
where
Icc is measured with all S.R. stages equal to logical 1. $\mathrm{n}=$ average number of diodes illuminated per character.
D.F. = Column On Time from equation (1) or the Column On Time due to pulse width modulation of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$, whichever is lower.

As can be seen from formulas (8), (9) and (10), there are several techniques by which total power dissipation can be derated:

- Lower Vcc to minimum
- Lower Vcol to minimum
- Lower D.F.

Maximum and typical power dissipation can be calculated from the maximum and typical values of ICC and ICOL published in the HP HDSP-2000 data sheet. While it is possible to operate the columns of the HDSP-2000 display using fullwave rectified unregulated DC, lower power dissipation can be achieved by using the regulated $V_{C C}$ supply. Then, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}$ is equal to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ minus the collector to emitter saturation voltage across the column switching


Figure 6. Display Interface Designed to Accept Decoded Data.
transistors. Since the minimum recommended $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}$ is 2.6V, PNP Darlington transistors with a silicon diode in series with the emitter can be used to lower the power dissipation within the display. In most implementations of the ASCII character set the maximum number of diodes illuminated within a display character, $n$, is 21 while a typical character has 15 dots illuminated. While the maximum D.F. is $20 \%$, in most applications D.F. $\leq 17.5 \%$ due to the required time to load the display. A D.F. of 17.5\% represents a $(7 / 8)$ ratio of display time to total time such as illustrated in the circuit shown in Figure 3. Many applications achieve a D.F. much lower than $17.5 \%$. For example, the HDSP-2470 alphanumeric display system when configured for 40 characters has a D.F. of $11.6 \%$.

As an example, the maximum power dissipation can be calculated for the circuit shown in Figure 3. In this circuit V COL $(\mathrm{MAX})=5.25 \mathrm{~V}-1.3 \mathrm{~V}$ (MPS-U95 @ 1.6A) -.85 V $(1 N 4720 @ 1.6 \mathrm{~A})=3.10 \mathrm{~V}$. Thus maximum achievable power dissipation can be calculated as shown below:

$$
\begin{align*}
\mathrm{P}(\mathrm{Icc}) & =60 \mathrm{~mA} \times 5.25 \mathrm{~V}  \tag{11}\\
& =315 \mathrm{~mW}
\end{align*}
$$

$$
P\left(I_{\text {REF }}\right)=(95 \mathrm{~mA}-60 \mathrm{~mA}) \times 5.25 \mathrm{~V} \times(21 / 35) \times 5 \times 0.175
$$

$$
\begin{equation*}
=96.5 \mathrm{~mW} \tag{12}
\end{equation*}
$$

$$
\begin{equation*}
P(\mathrm{ICOL})=410 \mathrm{~mA} \times 3.1 \mathrm{~V} \times(21 / 35) \times 5 \times 0.175 \tag{13}
\end{equation*}
$$

$\mathrm{P}(\mathrm{ICOL})=410 \mathrm{~mA} \times 3.1 \mathrm{~V} \times(21 / 35) \times 5 \times 0.175$

$$
=667 \mathrm{~mW}
$$

$P_{D}=P($ ICC $)+P($ IREF $)+P($ ICOL $)$

$$
\begin{equation*}
=1079 \mathrm{~mW} \tag{14}
\end{equation*}
$$

Similarly, typical power dissipation can be calculated as:

$$
\begin{align*}
\mathrm{P}(\text { ICC }) & =45 \mathrm{~mA} \times 5.00 \mathrm{~V}  \tag{15}\\
& =225 \mathrm{~mW} \\
\mathrm{P}(\text { IREF }) & =(73 \mathrm{~mA}-45 \mathrm{~mA}) \times 5.00 \mathrm{~V} \times(15 / 35) \times 5 \times 0.175 \\
& =52.5 \mathrm{~mW}  \tag{16}\\
\mathrm{P}(\text { ICOL }) & =335 \mathrm{~mA} \times(5.00 \mathrm{~V}-1.3 \mathrm{~V}-.85 \mathrm{~V}) \times(15 / 35) \times 5 \times 0.175 \\
& =358 \mathrm{~mW}  \tag{17}\\
\mathrm{PD}= & \mathrm{P}(\text { ICC })+\mathrm{P}(\text { IREF })+\mathrm{P}(\text { ICOL })  \tag{18}\\
& =636 \mathrm{~mW}
\end{align*}
$$

For operation at the maximum temperature of $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, it is important that the following criteria be met:
a. TCASE $\leq 100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$,
where TCASE $=$ hottest pin temperature
b. TIC JUNCTION $\leq 125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Thermal resistance from junction to case, $\theta \mathrm{Jc}$, is typically $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /$ watt. Using these factors, it is possible to determine the required heat sink power dissipation capability and associated power derating through the following assumptions:
TIC JUNCTION $=\left(\theta \mathrm{CA} \times \mathrm{PD}_{\mathrm{D}}\right)+\theta \mathrm{JC}\left(\frac{\mathrm{PD}_{\mathrm{D}}-.015 \mathrm{n}}{2}\right)$
$\mathrm{T}_{\text {CASE }}=\left(\theta_{C A}\right) \mathrm{PD}_{\mathrm{D}}$
where $\left(\frac{P_{D}-.015 n}{2}\right)$ is the power dissipated in each IC.

## HEAT SINKING CONSIDERATIONS

In practice, heat sink design for the HP HDSP-2000 involves optimization of techniques to dissipate heat through the device leads. Figures 7 and 8 schematically depict two possible heat sink designs. In many applications, a maximum metalized printed circuit board such as shown in Figure 7 can provide adequate heat sinking for the HDSP-2000 display. For example, the HDSP-2416/-2424/-2432/-2440 display boards consist of

HDSP- 2432 DISPLAY BOARD


Figure 7. Maximum Metalized Printed Circuit for the HP HDSP-2000.


Figure 8. Two-Part Heat Sink for the HP HDSP-2000.
a $16,24,32$ or 40 character HDSP-2000 display mounted on a maximum metalized printed circuit board. These display boards are designed for free air operation to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and operation to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ with forced air cooling of 150 fpm normal to the component side of the board. A free air operating temperature of $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ can be achieved by heat sinking the display. Figure 8 depicts a two part heat sink which can be assembled using two different extruded
parts. In this design, the vertical fins promote heat transfer due to naturally induced convection. Care should be taken to insure a good thermal path between the two portions of the heat sink. To optimize power handling capability, the metal heat transfer contact area between the PCB metalization and the heat sink should be maximized. A surface area of approximately 8 square inches per cluster will permit operation at 1.1 watts/ cluster at the maximum operating temperature of $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient. The value of 1.1 watts/cluster is easily achieved by reduction of $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{COL}}$ to 3 volts. Next to increasing total heat sink area, a provision for at least some forced air flow is probably the most effective means of improving heat transfer. Thermal design for the HP HDSP-2000 must be carefully considered as operation at excess temperatures can lead to premature failure.
The HP HDSP-2000 displays may also be mounted in standard DIP sockets which are cut down to accept the 6 pin devices in end-to-end strings. Another alternative for socket mounting is the stripline socket such as the Augat 325-AG1D or AMP 583773. These sockets will allow enough space bewteen the PCB and the HP HDSP-2000 to permit a heat sink bar to be inserted to conduct heat to an external sink. Most sockets add a thermal resistance of about $2^{\circ} \mathrm{C} /$ watt bewteen the device leads and the PCB.

## DISPLAY INTENSITY MATCHING AND CONTROL

The luminous intensity of LED displays in general has a fairly wide dynamic range. If there is too great a difference between the luminous intensity of adjacent characters in the display string, the display will appear objectionable to the viewer. To solve the problem, the HP HDSP-2000 displays are categorized for tuminous intensity. The category of each display package is indicated by a letter preceding the date code on the package. When assembling display strings, all packages in the string should have the same intensity category. This will insure satisfactory intensity matching of the characters. The HP HDSP-2000 displays are categorized in 8 overlapping intensity categories. All characters of all packages designated to be within a given letter category will fall within an intensity ratio of less than $2: 1$. For dot matrix displays, a character-to-character intensity ratio of 2:1 is not generally discernable to the human eye.
A more important consideration regarding display intensity is the control of the intensity with respect to the ambient lighting level. In dim ambients, a very bright display will produce very rapid viewer fatigue. Conversely, in bright ambient situations, a dim display will be difficult, if not impossible, to read and will also produce viewer fatigue and high error rates. For this reason, control of display intensity with respect to the environment ambient intensity is an important consideration. Figure 9 depicts a scheme which will automatically control display intensity as a function of ambient intensity. This circuit utilizes a resettable one shot multivibrator which is triggered by the column enable pulse. The duration of the multivibrator output is controlled by a photoconductor. At the end of a column enable pulse, the multivibrator is reset to insure that column current is off prior to the initiation of a new display shift register loading sequence. The output of this circuit is used to modulate either the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ inputs of the HP HDSP-2000 displays or the column enable input circuitry. For maximum reduction in display power, both inputs should be modulated.


Figure 9. Intensity Modulation Control Using a One Shot Multivibrator.

In the circuit shown in Figure 9, the photocell may be replaced by a 50 K potentiometer to allow manual control of display intensity.

## Contrast Enhancement

Another important consideration for optimum display appearance and readablity is the contrast between the display "ON" elements and the background. High contrast can be achieved by merely driving the highest possible power into the display. This, of course, is feasible in some situations as long as ambient lighting is not too intense and power dissipation is not a consideration. A much more practical technique is the use of an effective contrast enhancement filter material. The following materials, Panelgraphic Ruby Red 60 and Dark Red 63 or SGL Homalite $\mathrm{H} 100-1605$ and $\mathrm{H} 100-1670$ will all provide improved contrast for the HP HDSP-2000 display. Other good practices to enhance display contrast are to avoid PCB traces in the visible areas around the display and, if possible, the utilization of a black silk screen over the relatively light PCB areas around the display. The subject of contrast enhancement is treated in greater detail in HP Application Note 964. Microprocessor interfaces to the HDSP-2000 display are shown in HP Application Note 1001.

## KEY POINTS REGARDING THE HP HDSP-2000:

- A logical " 1 " in the display shift register turns a corresponding LED "ON".
- Clocking occurs on the high to low transition of the clock input.
- A character generator which produces 7 bit "COLUMN" data should be utilized.
- The internal shift register is 28 bits in length.
- Each column should be refreshed at a minimum rate of 100 Hz .

The following is a list of commercially available character generators which can be used in conjunction with the HP HDSP2000. These devices are all programmed to convert from ASCII input code to 5 sets of 7 bits each for a $5 \times 7$ display format. Any desired input-output coding can be utilized in custom programmed ROMs.

| Manufacturer | Part Number | Typical Access Time | Required Power Supplies | Typical Power Dlssipation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Texas Instruments | TMS 4100 | 500 nsec | $\pm 12 \mathrm{~V}$ | 450 mW |
| National | 5241 ABL | 700 nsec | $\pm 12 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |
| Signetics | $2513$ <br> 2516 | 450 nsec 500 nsec | $\begin{gathered} \pm 5 \mathrm{~V} \\ -12 \mathrm{~V} \\ \pm 5 \mathrm{~V} \\ -12 \mathrm{~V} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 290 \mathrm{~mW} \\ & 280 \mathrm{~mW} \end{aligned}$ |
| AMI | S8773B | 450 nsec | $\begin{gathered} +5 \mathrm{~V} \\ -12 \mathrm{~V} \end{gathered}$ | 625 mW (max) |
| Mostek | $\begin{aligned} & 2002 \\ & 2302 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \pm 14 \mathrm{~V} \\ +5 \mathrm{~V} \\ -12 \mathrm{~V} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 320 \mathrm{~mW} \\ & 200 \mathrm{~mW} \end{aligned}$ |
| Electronic Arrays | 40105 | 750 nsec | $\pm 12 \mathrm{~V}$ | 430 mW |
| Fairchild | 3257 | 500 nsec | $\begin{gathered} +5 \mathrm{~V} \\ -12 \mathrm{~V} \end{gathered}$ | 360 mW |

Figure 10. Column Output Character Generators Suitable for Use with the HP HDSP-2000.

The refresh memory for the HP HDSP-2000 display can take any one of several different forms. The following table lists a few of the devices which the display system designer may find convenient.

| Type | Organization |
| :--- | :---: |
| $\frac{\text { Bipolar RAM }}{{ }^{*} 7489}$ | Words $\times$ Bits |
| ${ }^{* 7481 A}$ | $16 \times 4$ |
| ${ }^{* 7484 A}$ | $16 \times 1$ |
| Fairchild 93403 | $16 \times 1$ |
| Intel 3101 | $16 \times 4$ |
| Intel 3104 | $16 \times 4$ |
| MOS RAM | $4 \times 4$ |
| TI TMS 4000 JC/NC |  |
| CMOS RAM | $16 \times 8$ |
| RCA CD 4036 |  |
| RCA CD 4039 | $4 \times 8$ |
| National 74C89 | $4 \times 8$ |
| Motorola MCM 4064 | $16 \times 4$ |
| Shift Register | $16 \times 4$ |
| TI TMS 3112 |  |
| Signetics 2518 | $32 \times 6$ |
| Signetics 2519 | $32 \times 6$ |
| Fairchild 3348 | $40 \times 6$ |
| Fairchild 3349 | $32 \times 6$ |

*Standard 7400 Series TTL logic parts available from most Integrated Circuits manufacturers.

Figure 11. Memory Elements Which can be Utilized in HDSP-2000 Display Systems.

# Digital Data Transmission With the HP Fiber Optic System 

Fiber optics can provide solutions to many data transmission system design problems. The purpose of this application note is to aid designers in obtaining optimal benefits from this relatively new technology. Following a brief review of the merits, as well as the limitations, of fiber optics relative to other media, there is a description of the optical, mechanical, and electrical fundamentals of fiber optic data transmission system design. How these fundamentals apply is seen in the detailed description of the Hewlett-Packard system. The remainder of the note deals with techniques recommended for operation and maintenance of the Hewlett-Packard system, with particular attention given to deriving maximum benefit from the unique features it provides.

## ELECTRICAL WIRE VS. FIBER OPTICS

In fiber optic cables, the signals are transmitted in the form of energy packets (photons) which have no electrical charge. Consequently, it is physically impossible for high electric fields (lightning, high-voltage, etc.) or large magnetic fields (heavy electrical machinery, transformers, cyclotrons, etc.) to affect the transmission. Although there can be a slight leakage of flux from an optical fiber, shielding is easily done with an opaque jacket, so signal-bearing fibers cannot interfere with each other or with the most sensitive electric circuits, and the optically-transmitted information is, therefore, secure from external detection. In some applications, optical fibers carry signals large enough to be energetically useful (e.g., for photocoagulation) and potentially harmful, but in most data communication applications, economy dictates the use of flux levels of $100 \mu \mathrm{~W}$ or less. Such levels are radiologically safe and in the event of a broken or damaged cable, the escaping flux is harmless in explosive environments where a spark from a broken wire could be disastrous. Jacketed fiber optic cables can tolerate more mechanical abuse (crush, impact, flexure) than electrical cables of comparable size; moreover, fiber optic cables have an enormous weight and size advantage - for equivalent information capacity. Properly cabled optical fibers can tolerate any kind of weather and can, without ill-effect, be immersed in most fluids, including polluted air and water.
Bandwidth considerations clearly give the advantage to fiber optics. In either parallel- or coaxial-wire cable, the
bandwidth varies inversely as the square of the length, while in fiber optic cable it varies inversely as only the FIRST power of the length. Here are some typical values for length, $\ell$, in metres:
(1) $f_{3} \mathrm{~dB}=\frac{12,000}{\ell} \mathrm{MHz}$ for HFBR-3001 to 3005 cables
(2) $\mathrm{f}_{3 \mathrm{~dB}}=\frac{225,000}{\ell^{2}} \mathrm{MHz}$ for typical $50 \Omega$ coax (RG-59)

For example, if $\ell=100 \mathrm{~m}$, the 3 dB frequency is only 22.5 MHz for the coax cable, but for the fiber optic cable it is 120 MHz .

The limitations of fiber optics arise mainly from the means for producing the optical flux and from flux losses. While the power into a wire cable can easily and inexpensively be made several watts, the flux into a fiber optic cable is typically much less than a milliwatt. Wire cable may have several signal "taps"; multiple taps on fiber optic cables are economically impractical at present.

The losses in a point-to-point fiber optic system are insertion loss at the input and output, connector loss, and transmission loss proportional to cable length. Variations in these losses require a receiver with a dynamic range capable of accommodating these variations and yet able to provide adequate BW (bandwidth) and SNR (signalto noise) ratio at the lowest flux level. Fortunately, no noise is picked up by a fiber optic cable so the receiver SNR at any BW is limited only by the noise produced within the receiver.

Fiber optics is not the best solution to every data transmission problem; but where safety, security, durability, electrical isolation, noise immunity, size, weight, and bandwidth are paramount, it has a clear advantage over wire.

## FIBER OPTIC FUNDAMENTALS

Flux coupled into an optical fiber is largely prevented from escaping through the wall by being re-directed toward the center of the fiber. The basis for such re-direction is the index of refraction, $n_{1}$, of the core relative to the index of refraction, $n_{2}$, of the cladding.
Index of refraction is defined as the ratio of the velocity of light in a given medium to the velocity of light in a vacuum.


Figure 1. Snell's Law.

As a ray of light passes from one medium into another of a different index of refraction, the direction changes according to Snell's Law:

$$
\text { (3) } n_{1} \sin \theta_{1}=n_{2} \sin \theta_{2} \quad \text { SNELL'S LAW }
$$

This is illustrated in Figure 1. Notice that the relationship between the angles is the same, whether the ray is incident from the high-index side ( $n_{1}$ ) or low-index side ( $n_{2}$ ). For rays incident from the high-index side, there is a particular incidence angle for which the exit angle is ninety degrees. This is called the critical angle. At incidence angles less than the critical angle, there is only a partial reflection, but for angles greater than the critical angle, the ray is totally reflected. This phenomenon is called TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION (TIR).

## Numerical Aperture.

Rays within the core of an optical fiber may be incident at various angles, but TIR applies only to those rays which are incident at angles greater than the critical angle. TIR prevents these rays from leaving the core until they reach the far end of the fiber. Figure 2 shows how the reflection angle at the core/cladding interface is related to the angle at which a ray enters the face of the fiber. The acceptance angle, $\theta \mathrm{A}$, is the maximum angle, with respect to the fiber axis, at which an entering ray will experience TIR. With respect to the index of refraction, no, of the external medium, the acceptance angle is related to the indices of refraction of the core and cladding. When the external medium is air ( $n_{0} \approx 1$ ), the sine of the acceptance angle is called the NUMERICAL APERTURE (N.A.) of the fiber:
(4) NUMERICAL APERTURE, N.A. $=\sin \theta_{\text {A }}$

The derivation in Figure 2 applies only to meridional rays, i.e., rays passing through the axis of the fiber; skew rays (non-meridional) can also be transmitted, and these account for the observation that the reception and


Figure 2. Total Internal Reflection.
radiation patterns of optical fibers are not perfect step functions at the acceptance angle. For this reason, the practical definition of N.A. is somewhat arbitrary.

## Modes of Propagation

Within the limits imposed by the N.A., rays may propagate at various angles. Those propagating at small angles with respect to the fiber axis are called LOW-ORDER MODES, and those propagating at larger angles are called HIGHORDER MODES. These modes do not exist as a continuum. At any given wavelength, there are a number of discrete angles where propagation occurs. SINGLEMODE fibers result when the core area and the N.A. are so small that only one mode can propagate.

In addition to high-and low-order modes, there are others, called LEAKY MODES, which are trapped as skew rays partly in the core, but mostly in the cladding where they are called CLADDING MODES. As implied by the term, leaky modes do not propagate as well as the more nearly meridional modes; their persistence, depending mainly on the structure of the optical fiber, ranges from less than a metre to more than fifty metres. The presence of leaky modes will, of course, affect the results obtained in measurement of N.A. and transmission loss, making them both artificially high. For this reason, N.A. is usually specified in terms of the EXIT N.A. for a fiber of length adequate to assure that leaky modes have effectively disappeared.

Since most leaky mode propagation is in the cladding, it can be "stripped." Such cladding mode stripping is done by surrounding the unjacketed fiber with a material having a refractive index higher than that of the cladding. EXIT N.A. is defined as the sine of the angle at which the radiation pattern (relative intensity vs. off-axis angle) has a particular value. This value is usually taken at $10 \%$ of the axial (maximum) value.

## Transmission Loss

Regular core (non-leaky) modes also exhibit transmission losses. These are due to (1) scattering by foreign matter, (2) molecular (material) absorption, (3) irregularities at the core/cladding interface, and (4) microbending of the optical fiber by the cable structure. The first two loss mechanisms depend on the length of path taken by a ray; the third depends on the number of reflections of the ray before it emerges. It is clear from Figure 2 that the higher order modes have longer paths and more reflections with consequently higher loss. Larger N.A. fibers permit higher-order-mode propagation and, therefore, exhibit generally a higher transmission loss. Transmission loss is exponential and is, therefore, usually expressed in "dB per km." Coupling loss consideration usually favors larger N.A.

The three main loss mechanisms for coupling between fibers or between fibers and the optical ports of other devices are: (1) relative N.A.'s, (2) relative area of the optical ports, and (3) Fresnel (reflection) loss. In addition to these, there may be coupling loss due to misalignment and/or separation of optical ports. Relative N.A. Ioss can be ignored ( $\approx$ zero dB ) whenever the N.A. of the receiving pori (fiber or detector) is larger than the N.A. of the source port (flux generator or fiber), otherwise:
(5) N.A. LOSS $(d B)=20 \log \frac{\text { N.A. of Source Port }}{\text { N.A. of Receiver Port }}$

Relative area loss can be ignored whenever the area of the receiver port is larger than the area of the source port, otherwise:

$$
\text { (6) AREA LOSS }(\mathrm{dB})=20 \log \frac{\text { Diameter of Source }}{\text { Diameter of Receiver }}
$$

In applying equation (6) to coupling between single fibers, the diameter to be used is the CORE DIAMETER. If the receiver port is a FIBER OPTIC BUNDLE, the "packing fraction" loss must be added to the area loss, even when the area of the bundle is larger than the area of the source port.
(7) PACKING FRACTION LOSS $(\mathrm{dB})=10 \log \frac{\text { Active Area }}{\text { Total Area }}$
"Active area" is the sum of areas of the cores of individual fibers, and "total" area is that of the bundle.
Fresnel loss occurs when a ray passes from one medium to another having a different index of refraction. Part of the flux is reflected; the fraction transmitted is described by the transmittance, $\tau$, so the loss is:
(8) FRESNEL LOSS $(\mathrm{dB})=10 \log \frac{1}{\tau}=10 \log \frac{2+\frac{n_{x}}{n_{y}}+\frac{n_{y}}{n_{x}}}{4}$
$\mathrm{n}_{\mathrm{x}}=$ index of refraction of medium x
$n_{y}=$ index of refraction of medium $y$
It is clear from equation (8) that the loss is the same in either direction. If two fibers are joined with an air gap between their faces, taking $\mathrm{n}_{\mathrm{x}}=1$ for air and $\mathrm{n}_{\mathrm{y}}=1.49$ for the cores of the fibers, the fiber-to-air Fresnel loss is 0.17 dB . The air-to-fiber loss is the same, so the total airgap loss is 0.34 dB . If several such connections are made, the loss could be high enough to make it worthwhile to use a coupling medium, such as silicone, to remove the air gap. Often, however, connector loss comes mainly from a gap
deliberately inserted to prevent scratch damage to the fiber face and to reduce the variability of misalignment loss; i.e., it is sometimes more important to make the connector loss be consistent rather than low.
The use of a coupling medium is more significant when a fiber is coupled to an LED or IRED source. These sources are usually of gallium arsenide, or related substances, with a refractive index of 3.6. With such a high index of refraction, the use of an epoxy cement can reduce coupling loss by approximately 1 dB . Figure 3 shows how the flux coupling is derived. If the size of the LED is much less than that of the fiber, a more effective technique is the use of a tiny lens over the LED. If the size of the fiber is smaller, the lens should be on the fiber, rather than the LED.

## Rise Time Dispersion

Bandwidth limitation in fiber optics is the result of a phenomenon called DISPERSION, which is a composite of MATERIAL dispersion and MODAL dispersion. Both of these relate to the velocity of flux transmission in the core. Velocity varies inversely as the index of refraction, and if the index of refraction varies over the wavelength spectrum of the source, the flux having a wavelength at which the refractive index is lower will travel faster than the flux having a wavelength at which the index is higher. Thus, all portions of the spectrum of flux launched simultaneously will not arrive simultaneously, but will suffer time dispersion due to differences in travel time. This is MATERIAL DISPERSION. It is reduced by using sources of narrow spectrum (e.g., lasers) or fibers with a core index of refraction which is constant over the source spectrum.
In Figure 2, notice that rays moving parallel to the axis travel a path length which is shorter than that of rays which are not paraxial. Those rays propagating in the higher-order modes will, therefore, have a longer travel time than those in lower-order modes, and simultaneously launched rays will suffer dispersion of their arrival times. This is MODAL DISPERSION. It can be reduced only by reducing the N.A. (smaller acceptance angle) to allow only lower-order modes to propagate.


Figure 3. Acceptance Angle and Fresnel Loss Effects.






DISPERSION, (ns/km) $=\frac{\left(t_{r}+t_{f}\right)_{\text {OUT }}-\left(t_{r}+t_{f}\right)_{I N}}{2 \ell}$

## Figure 4. Rise Time Dispersion.

Whether the dispersion is material or modal (or both), it is measured, as shown in Figure 4, by applying positive and negative steps of flux and measuring the rise and fall times at the input and output of a fiber long enough to exhibit significant dispersion. Time dispersion is then defined as

## (9) RISE TIME DISPERSION

$$
\frac{\Delta t}{\ell}(\mathrm{~ns} / \mathrm{km})=\frac{1}{2 \ell}\left[\left(\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r}}+\mathrm{t}_{f}\right)_{\text {OUT }}-\left(\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r}}+\mathrm{t}_{\boldsymbol{f}}\right)_{\mathrm{IN}_{\mathbf{N}}}\right]
$$

where $\ell$ is the length (in kilometres) of the fiber and $t_{r}$, $t_{f}$ are the $10 \%$ to $90 \%$ rise and fall times.

Flux steps, rather than pulses, are used to avoid incorrect results that source or detector rise and fall times might introduce. Both polarities of step are recommended in order to compensate for non-linearity in either the source or the detector used.
Modulation frequency response of a fiber has a 6 dB per octave roll-off, so the effect of rise time dispersion can also be described in terms of a length-bandwidth product:
(10) 3dB BANDWIDTH CONSTANT $=\Delta f \cdot \ell=0.35 \frac{\ell}{\Delta t}$

## Construction of Fiber Optics

Fibers having a sharp boundary between core and cladding, as in Figure 2, are called STEP INDEX fibers. The reflection at the boundary is not a "zero-distance" phenomenon - the ray, in being reflected, is actually entering a minute distance into the cladding and there is some loss. This loss can be seen as a faint glow along the length of unjacketed lossy fibers carrying visible flux. To reduce such reflection loss, it is possible to make the rays turn less sharply by reducing the index of refraction gradually, rather than sharply, from core to cladding. A fiber of such a form is called a GRADED INDEX fiber and the rays propagate as shown in Figure 5. Graded index fiber has not only a very low transmission loss, but modal dispersion is also very low. Higher-order modes do travel longer paths, but in the off-axis, lower-index regions they travel faster so the travel time differential between high-order and low-order modes is not as large as it is in step index fibers.
Graded index fiber has higher coupling loss and may be more costly than step index fiber. It is, therefore, used mainly in applications requiring transmission over many kilometres at modulation bandwidths over 50 MHz . For shorter distances and/or lower bandwidths, a variety of step index fibers are available at a variety of costs.
Figure 6 shows the construction of a Hewlett-Packard fiber optic cable. Over the fused-silica, step-index, glassclad fiber there is a silicone coating to protect the thin


Figure 6. Step Index Fiber Optic Cable Construction.


Figure 5. Graded Index Fiber Modes.
$(20 \mu \mathrm{~m})$ cladding from scuffing. Over the buffer jacket are the tensile strength members, which allow the cable to be pulled through long conduits, and an outer jacket to protect the cable against crush and impact damage. This cable tolerates far more abuse than roost wire cable. A sample was laid across the main entrance to the HewlettPackard headquarters and factory at 1501 Page Mill Road, Palo Alto. After several weeks of being driven over, night and day, there was no impairment of performance.
Other materials used in step index fibers are glass-clad glass, plastic-clad glass or fused silica, and plastic-clad plastic. These have N.A.'s ranging from less than 0.2 to more than 0.5 , and transmission losses from less than $10 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{km}$ to more than $1000 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{km}$. Some manufacturers offer bundled fibers in which the individual glass fibers are small enough to allow the cable to be very flexible. In earlier days of fiber optic development, bundled fibers were considered necessary for reliability because breakage of one or more fibers could be tolerated without total loss of signal transmission. Also, the large diameter of the fiber bundle allowed more tolerance in connector alignment. The popularity of fiber bundles has dwindled because the single-fiber cable durability is better than had been anticipated, and connectors are now available which are capable of providing the precise alignment required for low coupling loss with small-diameter single fibers.

## Flux Budgeting

Flux requirements for fiber optic systems are established by the characteristics of the receiver noise and bandwidth, coupling losses at connectors, and transmission loss in the cable.
The flux level at the receiver must be high enough that the signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) allows an adequately low probability of error, $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}$. In the Hewlett-Packard fiber optic system, the receiver bandwidth and noise properties allow a $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-9}$ with a receiver input flux of $0.8 \mu \mathrm{~W}$ under worstcase conditions. At higher flux levels, the $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}$ is reduced.
From the receiver flux requirement (for given $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}$ ), the flux which the transmitter must produce is determined from the expression for a point-to-point system:

$$
\begin{equation*}
10 \log \left(\frac{\phi_{\mathrm{T}}}{\phi_{\mathrm{R}}}\right)=\alpha_{0} \ell+\alpha_{\mathrm{TC}}+\alpha_{\mathrm{CR}}+n \alpha_{\mathrm{CC}}+\alpha_{\mathrm{M}} \tag{11}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\phi_{T}$ is the flux (in $\mu \mathrm{W}$ ) available from the transmitter $\phi_{R}$ is the flux (in $\mu \mathrm{W}$ ) required by the Receiver at $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}$ $\alpha_{0}$ is the fiber attenuation constant ( $\mathrm{dB} / \mathrm{km}$ ) $\ell$ is the fiber length ( km )
$\alpha_{\mathrm{TC}}$ is the Transmitter-to-Fiber coupling loss (dB)
$\alpha_{\mathrm{CC}}$ is the Fiber-to-Fiber loss (dB) for in-line connectors
$n$ is the number of in-line connectors; $n$ does not include connectors at the transmitter and receiver optical ports
$\alpha_{C R}$ is the Fiber-to-Receiver coupling loss (dB)
$\alpha_{M}$ is the Margin ( dB ), chosen by the designer, by which the Transmitter flux exceeds the system requirement

Equation (11) is called the FLUX BUDGET and it is represented graphically in Figure 7. The same basic units (watts) are used for flux and for power, so it is correct and convenient to express flux in "dBm".



Figure 7. Flux Budget - Graphical Representation.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\phi(\mathrm{dBm})=10 \log \left(\frac{\phi(\mathrm{~mW})}{1 \mathrm{~mW}}\right)=10 \log \left(\frac{\phi(\mu \mathrm{~W})}{1000 \mu \mathrm{~W}}\right) \tag{12}
\end{equation*}
$$

Here is an example of how the flux budget works:
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1. Transmitter } & \phi_{T}=44 \mu \mathrm{~W} \\ \text { 2. Receiver } & \phi_{\mathrm{R}}=1.6 \mu \mathrm{~W}\end{array}>10 \log \left(\frac{\phi_{\mathrm{T}}}{\phi_{\mathrm{R}}}\right)=14.39 \mathrm{~dB}$
Transmitter optical port: $\quad$ diameter $=200 \mu \mathrm{~m}, \mathrm{~N} . \mathrm{A} .=0.5$
Optical fiber (in connector): core diam. $=100 \mu \mathrm{~m}, \mathrm{~N} . \mathrm{A} .=$ 0.3
3. $\alpha_{T C}=\alpha_{A}+\alpha_{N A}=20 \log \left(\frac{200}{100}\right)+20 \log \left(\frac{0.5}{0.3}\right)$
$=6.02 \mathrm{~dB}+4.44 \mathrm{~dB}=10.46 \mathrm{~dB}$
Receiver optical port: $\quad$ diameter $=200 \mu \mathrm{~m}$, N.A. $=0.5$
4. Because the diameter and N.A. of the receiver are both larger than those of the fiber, there is only a small amount of Fresnel loss, making $\alpha \mathrm{CR} \approx 0.34 \mathrm{~dB}$
5. Apply equation (11) to see what the flux budget allows:
$14.39 \mathrm{~dB}=\alpha_{0} \ell+10.46 \mathrm{~dB}+\mathrm{n} \alpha_{\mathrm{CC}}+0.34 \mathrm{~dB}+\alpha_{M}$
$\alpha_{0} \ell+\mathrm{n} \alpha_{\mathrm{CC}}+\alpha_{M}=(14.39-10.46-0.34) \mathrm{dB}=3.59 \mathrm{~dB}$
6. Assume a transmission distance of 35 metres at $20 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{km}$

If cable length selections are 10 -, 25 -, and 50 -metre lengths and connector loss is $\alpha c c=2 \mathrm{~dB}$, then either of two options may be chosen:

## 7. a) Use a 10 m and 25 m length with one connector: $\alpha_{0} \ell+\alpha_{C C}=(35 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.02 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{m})+2 \mathrm{~dB}=2.7 \mathrm{~dB}$ This leaves $\alpha_{M}=(3.59-2.7) \mathrm{dB}=0.89 \mathrm{~dB}$

7. b) Use a 50 m length and no connector:

$$
\alpha_{0} l=(50 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.02 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{m})=1.0 \mathrm{~dB} \text { leaving } \alpha_{M}=2.59 \mathrm{~dB}
$$

Unless there is some good reason (cost, convenience, etc.) for choosing the $10 \mathrm{~m} / 25 \mathrm{~m}$ option, it would be better to select the 50-metre option because it allows a larger $\alpha \mathrm{M}$. In flux budgeting, $\alpha_{M}$ should always be large enough to allow for degradation of the efficiency of the flux generator in the transmitter (LED, IRED, laser, etc.). On the other hand, in dealing with more powerful transmitters, $\alpha_{M}$ must not be so large that it exceeds the dynamic range of the receiver.

## Dynamic Range

The dynamic range of the receiver must be large enough to accommodate all the variables a system may present. For example, if the system flexibility requirement is for transmission distances ranging from 10 metres to 1000 metres with $12.5 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{km}$ cable, and up to two in-line connectors, the dynamic range requirement is:

$$
\begin{aligned}
\alpha_{0} l=1 \mathrm{~km} \times 12.5 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{km} & =12.5 \mathrm{~dB} \\
\mathrm{n} \alpha \mathrm{CC}=2 \times 2 \mathrm{~dB} & =4.0 \mathrm{~dB} \\
\alpha_{\mathrm{M}} & =3.0 \mathrm{~dB} \\
\text { thermal variations } & =\frac{1.0 \mathrm{~dB}}{20.5 \mathrm{~dB}} \text { (estimated) }
\end{aligned}
$$

Accommodating a 20 dB optical power dynamic range plus high sensitivity requires the receiver to have two important features: automatic level control, and a-c coupling or its equivalent. The a-c coupling keeps the output of the amplifier at a fixed quiescent level, relative to the logic thresholds, so that signal excursions as small as the specified minimum can cause the amplifier output to exceed the logic threshold. This function can also be called d-c restoration.
ALC (automatic level control) adjusts the gain of the amplifier. Low-amplitude excursions are amplified at full gain; high-amplitude excursions are amplified at a gain which is automatically reduced enough to prevent saturation of the output amplifier. Saturation affects propagation delay adversely so ALC is needed to allow high speed performance at high, as well as low, signal levels.

## HEWLETT-PACKARD'S FIBER OPTIC SYSTEM

A number of objectives were established as targets for this development. Convenience and simplicity of installation and operation were the primary objectives, along with a probability of error $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-9}$ at $10 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s} \mathrm{NRZ}$, over moderate distances. In addition, there were the traditional Hewlett-Packard objectives of rugged construction and reliable performance. Manufacturing costs had to be low enough to make the system attractively priced relative to its performance.
Electrical convenience is provided by several system features. The Receiver and the Transmitter require only a
single +5 -volt supply. All inputs and outputs function at TTL logic levels. No receiver adjustments are ever necessary because the dynamic range of the Receiver is 21 dB or more, accommodating fiber length variations as well as age and thermal affects. When the system is operated in its internally coded mode, it has NRZ (arbitrarily timed data) capability and is no more complicated to operate than a non-inverting logic element. Built-in performance indicators are available in the Receiver; the Link Monitor indicates satisfactory signal conditions and the Test Point allows simple periodic maintenance checks on the system's flux margin.
There are also several optical and mechanical convenience features. The optical ports of the Transmitter and Receiver are well defined by optical fiber stubs built into receptacles that mate with self-aligning connectors. Low-profile packaging and low power dissipation permit the modules to be mounted without heat-sink provision on P.C. boards spaced as close as 12.5 mm ( 0.5 in .).

The internally-coded mode of operation is the simplest way to use the Hewlett-Packard system. This mode places no restriction on the data format as long as either positive or negative pulse duration is not less than the minimum specified. The simplicity is achieved by use of a 3-level coding scheme called a PULSE BI-POLAR (PBP) code. This mode is selected simply by applying a logic low (or grounding) to the Mode Select terminal on the Transmitter - no conditioning signal or adjustment is necessary in the Hewlett-Packard Receiver because it automatically responds to the PBP code.

## Transmitter Description

Figure 8 shows symbolically the logical arrangement of the Transmitter, waveforms for the signal currents $I_{A}$ and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}}$, and the resulting waveforms for the output flux. The arrangement shown is logically correct but circuit details are not actually realized as shown. For example, the current sources actually have partial compensation for the negative temperature coefficient of the LED (or IRED). In Figure 8, there are five important things to notice.
First, notice that the bias current, Ic, is never turned off not even when the Transmitter is operated in the externally coded mode (Mode Select "high"). This is done to enhance the switching speed of the LED (or IRED) in either internally- or externally-coded mode. The bias current also stabilizes the flux excursion ratio ( $k$ in Equation 14) symmetry in the internally-coded mode.
Second, notice that
$\phi_{L}$, the low-level flux, is produced by IC
$\phi_{M}$, the mid-level flux, requires $I_{B}+I_{C}$
$\phi_{H}$, the high-level flux, requires $I_{A}+I_{B}+I_{C}$

As far as the Receiver is concerned, the excursion flux, $\Delta \phi$, produced by switching $I_{A}$ and $I_{B}$, is the important parameter of the Transmitter. Average flux is, of course, related to excursion flux but is not as important in establishing the SNR of the system.
Third, notice that with Mode Select "low" and a 500 kHz signal at Data Input, there will be only one refresh pulse generated in each logic state. The excursions $\left(\phi_{H^{-}} \phi_{M}\right)$ and ( $\phi_{\mathrm{M}}-\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ ) are nearly balanced so an average-reading flux meter will indicate the mid-level flux, $\phi_{M}$, within $+0.6 \%$ or $-0.6 \%$ depending on whether the flux excursion ratio, $k$, is at its maximum or at its minimum limit.


Figure 8. Transmitter Block Diagram and Waveforms.

Fourth, notice that, with Mode Select "Iow", any Data Input transition (either H-L or L-H) retriggers the Refresh Multivibrator to start a new train of pulses. All refresh pulses for either logic state have the same duration. This keeps the average flux very near the mid-level even when the duration in either logic state of arbitrarily timed input data is very short. Notice also that any refresh pulse is overridden (abbreviated) by the occurrence of a Data Input transition so there is no additional jitter when the duration of the Data Input in either state is at or near the same length of time as the refresh interval. The refresh interval is very long, relative to the refresh pulse duration, making a duty factor of approximately $2 \%$; this also is done to keep the average flux near mid-level regardless of how long Data Input remains in either logic state. The only condition under which the average flux can deviate significantly from the mid-level occurs when Data Input remains in one state for a period of time LESS than the duration of the refresh pulse. If this is likely to occur, the format should be configured so the numbers of 1's and 0's are balanced as they would be in Manchester code. Observing this data format allows the use of the internallycoded mode of the Hewlett-Packard system at data rates ranging from arbitrarily low to higher than 10M Baud, with the absolute limit being that at which the signal intervals become as short as tpHL and/or tpLH.

Fifth, notice that with Mode Select "high," the Q output of the Refresh Multivibrator is "high" (and $\bar{Q}$ is "low"). Under this condition, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{A}}$ and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}}$ are both ON when Data Input is "high" and both OFF when it is "low". This makes the output flux excursion a logical replica of the Data Input.

## Flux Measurement

A high-speed photodetector and oscilloscope could be used for measuring the excursion flux, but an averagereading flux meter can be used to measure $\Delta \phi$ as follows:
With Mode Select "high":

1. Apply steady-state "low" to Data Input and observe $\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ with flux meter.
2. Apply a 500 kHz square wave ( $50 \%$ duty factor) to Data Input and observe ( $\Delta \phi+\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ ) with the flux meter and subtract $\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ (Step 1) to obtain $\Delta \phi$.
This procedure also yields the proper value of the highlevel flux, $\phi_{H}$, to be used in computing the flux excursion ratio, $k$. Since $\phi_{H}=\left(\phi_{\mathrm{L}}+2 \Delta \phi\right)$, the value of $\phi_{\mathrm{H}}$ is:
(13) HIGH-LEVEL FLUX, $\phi_{\mathrm{H}}=2\left(\Delta \phi+\phi_{\mathrm{L}}\right)-(\phi)$

$$
\text { Step } 2 \text { Step } 1
$$

It appears, from the waveforms in Figure 8, that the 500 kHz signal prescribed in Step 2 is not necessary; that is, with Data Input at a steady-state high, the flux meter would read $\phi_{\mathrm{H}}$ directly, from which $\Delta \phi$ could be calculated by
subtracting $\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ (observed in Step 1) and dividing by two. However, this method would cause slightly more heating of the LED and lead to a slightly different (and incorrect) measurement of $\phi_{H}$ and $\Delta \phi$. With the values of $\phi_{H}$ and $\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$ from Step 1 and 2, the flux excursion ratio can now be computed:
(14) FLUX EXCURSION RATIO, $k=\frac{\phi_{H}-\phi_{M}}{\phi_{M}-\phi_{L}}$

In a 2-Level Code, there is, of course, no mid-level; however, the definition of flux excursion ratio is the same as for Pulse Bi-Polar code, i.e., Equation (14). It is only necessary to substitute average flux for mid-level flux, $\phi \mathrm{M}$, in Equation (14). For 2-Level Code, the average flux is:
(15) AVERAGE FLUX
(2-Leve! Code)
where $\Sigma t_{H}$ is the total time the flux is at level $\phi_{H}$ $\Sigma t_{\mathrm{L}}$ is the total time the flux is at level $\phi_{\mathrm{L}}$
Substitution of this expression for $\phi_{M}$ in Equation (14) leads to:
(16) FLUX EXCURSION RATIO $=k=\frac{\Sigma t L}{\Sigma t_{H}}$

Equation (16) shows why it is that when a 2-Level Code is used (e.g., with Mode-Select "high" in the HewlettPackard Transmitter) the data input signal must, on average, have a $50 \%$ duty factor to make $k=1$. That is, in the averaging interval, the total number of "mark" intervals should be equal to the total number of "space" intervals, such as in Manchester code.
Use of 2-Level Code also requires that the input flux remain for less than $5 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ at either high or low level. This is
necessary to avoid "pulling" the receiver dc restorer voltage too far away from the value corresponding to the average flux, and possibly losing occasional bits.

## Receiver Description

The Hewlett-Packard Receiver block diagram is shown in Figure 9. There are four functional blocks:

1. The amplifier, including a gain-control stage and splitphase outputs with a voltage divider for each.
2. The dc-restorer with a long time constant.
3. Logic comparators with an R-S latch.
4. Positive and negative peak comparator with singleended output for the ALC and link monitor circuits.
Optical flux at the input is converted by the PIN photodiode to a photocurrent, Ip, which is converted to a voltage by the PREAMPLIFIER. This voltage is amplified to a positive-going output, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P}_{1}}$, and a negative-going output, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 1}$. A rising input flux will cause $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P} 1}$ to rise and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 1}$ to fall. These voltages are applied to the differential inputs of the DC RESTORER AMPLIFIER whose output, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$, falls until it is low enough to draw the average photocurrent away from the preamplifier via the 25 k resistor. This makes $V_{P_{1}} \approx V_{N 1}$ when the input flux is at the average level. The output impedance of the dc restorer amplifier is very high, making a long time constant with the filter capacitor, $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{T}}$. The long time constant is required for loop stability when input flux levels are so low that there is little or no ALC gain reduction, with consequently high loop gain. With no input flux, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}=\mathrm{V}_{\text {tmax; }}$ as input flux rises, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$ falls proportionately, so the voltage at the TEST POINT can be used as an indicator of the average input


Figure 9. Receiver Block Diagram.
flux. With respect to the Receiver optical port, the responsivity of the PIN photodiode is approximately $0.4 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{W}$, leading to the expression:
(17)AVERAGE INPUT FLUX, $\phi_{A V}(\mu \mathrm{~W}) \approx \frac{\left[\mathrm{V}_{\text {TMAX }}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}\right](\mathrm{mV})}{10}$
where $V_{\text {TMAX }}=$ Test Point Voltage with no optical input signal.

The instrument for observing $V_{T}$ must not load the Test Point significantly, so an input resistance of $10 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ is recommended.

As described above, when the input flux is at the average level, the positive-going and negative-going output voltages $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P} 1}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 1}$ are approximately equal. Notice that this makes the outputs of both logic comparators low. A positive flux excursion, rising faster than the dc restorer (with its long time constant) can follow, will cause $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P} 1}$ to rise and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 1}$ to fall. If the positive flux excursion is high enough, the LOGIC, HIGH COMPARATOR input voltage ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P} 2}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 1}$ ) becomes positive, and a SET pulse is produced for the R-S flip-flop. [Similarly, a negative flux excursion of such amplitude would make ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 2}$ - $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P} 1}$ ) become positive and a RESET pulse would be produced.] A larger amplitude of positive flux excursion would make the POSITIVE PEAK DETECTOR input voltage ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{P} 3}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{N} 1}$ ) change from negative to positive and cause current to flow into the ALC FILTER capacitor. When the voltage $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{A}}$ starts to rise above $V_{\text {REF }}$, the ALC AMPLIFIER output will operate on the GAIN CONTROL AMPLIFIER to limit the Receiver's forward gain. Notice that the ALC action is the same for a negative flux excursion, so that the Receiver's gain limitation is determined EITHER by positive flux excursion OR by negative flux excursion - whichever is the larger. For this reason, the positive and negative excursions must be nearly balanced with respect to the average flux. The allowable imbalance is determined by the values of the resistors in the negative and positive voltage dividers. The ALC action limits the maximum excursion to a voltage lo ( $\mathbf{R}_{1}+\mathrm{R}_{2}$ ), whereas the logic threshold is only lo $R_{1}$. Actual limits are established by the tolerances on the resistors and current sources. Notice that the ALC voltage, $V_{A}$, activates both the ALC COMPARATOR and the LINK MONITOR COMPARATOR. Therefore, a "high" LINK MONITOR signifies two conditions:

1. The input flux excursions are high enough to cause ALC action (gain limitation).
2. The excursions are more than adequate for operation of the logic comparator.

Notice that the LINK MONITOR could be "high," but $k$ could be outside the specified limits such that $P$ e exceeds $10^{-9}$. Conversely, because of safety margin in the Receiver design, it is also possible to have $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-9}$ when the flux excursions are too small to make the LINK MONITOR "high".

## OPERATION OF THE HEWLETT-PACKARD SYSTEM

## With Hewlett-Packard Components Exclusively

The main concern in a fiber optic link is the flux budget. Other areas of concern are: data rate, data format, and the interface with other elements of a data transmission system.

Flux budgeting, using the Hewlett-Packard Transmitter, Receiver, Connector, and Cable components is very straightforward for most applications. It is necessary only to use the data sheet information correctly in making the coupling loss and transmission loss allowances.
When used with other Hewlett-Packard components, the characteristics of the Receivers are not critical. Their optical ports have a diameter and N.A. which are both greater than the size and N.A. of the Hewlett-Packard Cable. The Receivers also have a high responsivity and the spectral response is nearly constant over the spectrums radiated by Hewlett-Packard Transmitters.

## With Components From Other Manufacturers

When using the Hewlett-Packard Receivers with other cables, it may be necessary to account for N.A. loss and/or area mismatch loss. When other sources are used, it may be necessary to compute an effective flux ratio:
(18) EFFECTIVE FLUX RATIO, EFR $=\frac{\int \phi_{\lambda} R_{r \lambda} d_{\lambda}}{\int \phi_{\lambda} d_{\lambda}}$
(Source Spectrum)
where $R_{r \lambda}$ is the relative response of the Receiver (from data sheet)
$\phi_{\lambda}$ is the spectral flux function of the source
If the transmission loss of the cable varies sharply over the wavelength range of the source spectrum, then the spectral transmittance of the cable should be included in the computation of EFR. The spectral transmittance varies with cable length, so the integration must be performed using the cable length required in a particular installation:
(19) EFFECTIVE FLUX RATIO, EFRcs $=\frac{\int \tau_{\lambda} \phi_{\lambda} \mathrm{R}_{r \lambda} \mathrm{~d}_{\lambda}}{\int \tau_{\lambda} \phi_{\lambda} \mathrm{d}_{\lambda}}$
(Cable and Source)
where $\tau_{\lambda}$ is the spectral transmittance of a particular length of fiber optic cable, computed as:
(20) $\tau_{\lambda}=10^{-\left(\frac{\ell}{10}\right) \alpha_{0 \lambda}}$
where $\alpha_{0 \lambda}$ is the spectral function in ( $\mathrm{dB} / \mathrm{km}$ ) of the fiber optic cable and $\ell$ is the particular cable length (km)

Notice that as the length is reduced, $\tau_{\lambda}$ becomes more nearly a constant and may be factored out of both numerator and denominator of Equation (19). When EFR is significantly less than unity, it enters the flux budget expression, Equation (11).
(21) $10 \log \left(\frac{\phi_{T}}{\phi_{R}}\right)=\begin{aligned} & \alpha_{\mathrm{TC}}+\alpha_{\mathrm{CR}}+n \alpha_{\mathrm{CC}}+\alpha_{0} \ell+\alpha_{M} \\ & -10 \log (\mathrm{EFR})\end{aligned}$

See Equations 11, 18, and 19 for definition of terms.

The optical ports of Hewlett-Packard Transmitters are designed for mating with Hewlett-Packard Cable/ Connector assemblies, but their characteristics require a little more attention than do the Receiver optical ports. The Transmitter and Cable/Connector data sheets should be consulted for the correct values of size and N.A., or for the directly-given value of transmitter-to-fiber coupling loss, $\alpha_{\mathrm{TC}}$, to use in flux budgeting. In applications having very short transmission distances, but requiring a number of in-line (cable-to-cable) connections, it is likely to be advantageous to use fiber optics of larger core diameter
and N.A., such as some of the plastic types. The larger core diameter reduces the likelihood of losses in connectors due to misalignment. Depending on the size and N.A. of the Transmitter optical port, a larger core diameter and N.A. in the fiber optic cable may also reduce $\alpha_{\text {Tc }}$, but if the cable core diameter is too large, the cable-to-receiver loss, $\alpha_{C R}$, may be excessive.

## Data Rate and Format

The other areas of concern (data rate, data format, and interface) are interactive, depending on system requirements. In any single transmitter-to-receiver link, the flux budget along with probability of error Pe , establish the signaling rate, in baud units, while the data rate, in bits per second, depends also on the data format, or transmission code. NRZ (Non-Return-to-Zero) is the term for a transmission code in which the signal does not periodically return to zero. If a stream of NRZ data contains a series of consecutive " 1 's", the signal remains
at the " 1 " level; similarly, the signal remains at the " 0 " level for consecutive " 0 's". With RZ (Return-to-Zero) codes, the level periodically changes from high level to low level or back, never remaining at either level for a period of time longer than one bit interval. Some examples of codes are given in Figure 10. Notice that NRZ code uses the channel capacity most efficiently since it requires only one code interval per bit interval. The RZ codes illustrated use two code intervals per bit interval while other codes may require an even higher channel capacity for a given data rate. NRZ code requires a clock signal at the receiving end to define, for each interval, the point in time at which the data is valid. The time at which the data is clocked must be sufficiently clear of the interval edges to avoid phase-shift errors due to jitter, rise time, or propagation delay. Since the clock signal is separately transmitted, phase shift in the clock channel can contribute to the phase-shift error unless it is equal, in direction and magnitude, to the phase shift in the data channel. For this reason, fiber optic


| CODE |  | DESCRIPTION | CHANNEL REQUIRED | REQUIRES DC? | REQUIRES CLOCK? |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | NON-RETURN TO ZERO (NRZ) | High during entire "mark", low during entire "space" interval | 1 Mbaud per Mb/s | YES | YES |
| B | RETURN TO ZERO (RZ) | Low during entire "space", momentarily high during "mark" interval | 2 Mbaud per Mb/s | NO | YES |
| C | MANCHESTER (SELF-CLOCKING RZ) | Positive transition for "space", negative transition for "mark" | 2 Mbaud per Mb/s | NO | NO |
| D | BIPHASE MARK <br> (MANCHESTER II) | Each bit period begins with a transition. "Space" has NO transition during bit period "mark" has one transition during bit period | 2 Mbaud per Mb/s | NO | NO |
| E | BIPHASE SPACE | Same as Biphase Mark except "mark" and "space" reversed | 2 Mbaud per Mb/s | NO | NO |

NOTE THAT C, D, E HAVE 50\% DUTY FACTOR $(k=1.00)$
Figure 10. Examples of NRZ and RZ Code Patterns.
channels carrying clock signals should use the same type of cable and the same length, unless the transmission distance is very short. Note that the transmission time delay in an optical fiber depends on the core index of refraction:
(22) TRANSMISSION DELAY, $t_{\ell}=\left(\frac{1}{c}\right) \ell n$
where $c$ is the velocity of light in a vacuum, $c=3 \times 10^{8} \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$ $\ell$ is the fiber optic cable length ( m )
$n$ is the core index of refraction
and differential delay between a data channel and a clock channel is:
(23) DIFFERENTIAL DELAY, $t=\left(\frac{1}{c}\right)\left[\ell_{2} n_{2}-\ell_{1} n_{1}\right]$

Some RZ codes are self-clocking - i.e., a separate channel to transmit the clock signal is not required, so there is no problem with differential delay. For this reason, RZ codes may be preferred even though the data rate is less than that of NRZ. Note that in its internally coded mode, the Hewlett-Packard fiber optic system transmits either NRZ or RZ codes of arbitrary format and duty factor. In the externally coded mode, the system requires the code to be RZ; moreover, the duty factor of the code must be $50 \%$ and the signal must remain LESS than $5 \mu$ s in either high state or low state.

The Hewlett-Packard system is capable of a 10 Mbaud signaling rate. If a higher data rate is required, the data stream can be divided among additional channels. If each channel is RZ coded, such as with Manchester code, the capacity of each channel is $5 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ and if the total data rate requirement is $20 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$, four channels are required. Using NRZ, the $20 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$ data can be transmitted on two channels, with a third channel for the clock signal. Thus, if the data rate requirement exceeds $15 \mathrm{Mb} / \mathrm{s}$, the NRZ format requires fewer fiber optic channels.

## System Configuration

The simplex arrangement in Figure 11 allows data in one direction only, and the format should, therefore, include error checks, such as parity bits. The full duplex arrangement requires two Transmitter/Receiver (T/R) pairs and two cables but allows data to go in both directions simultaneously. If, at a given time, Station 1 is transmitting, the return transmission from Station 2 can be unrelated to the information from Station 1, but could also be a relay or re-transmission of the data received by Station 2, so a logic delay and comparator circuit in Station 1 can check for errors and allow corrections. The same is true for the full triplex arrangement. Extension to larger numbers of stations is possible and the benefits are the same, but the number of T/R pairs increase rapidly, as shown by the series in Figure 11, requiring $n(n-1) T / R$ pairs for $n$ stations.
Half-duplex (not illustrated) is a means for allowing two stations to alternately use the same transmission medium. With a wire cable, half-duplex operation is commonly and easily done; it can also be done with fiber optic cable but the fiber-furcating couplers for accomplishing it are very lossy, are not commonly available, and will not be discussed.
Data interchange among a large number of stations can be accomplished with fewer T/R pairs by using the Master Station Multiplex (MSM) arrangement in Figure 12. The MSM arrangement requires only $2(n-1)$ T/R pairs for $n$ stations (master $+(n-1)$ slaves). Its operation differs from the full n-plex arrangement of Figure 11 in that only the master station transmits directly to all other stations. Data from any slave station is transmitted to master and retransmitted to all slave stations according to the "retransmit enable" ( $\mathrm{E}_{1} \ldots \mathrm{Ex}^{\prime}$ ) selection made in the master station. Thus, a complete error check is possible. Regardless of how many slave stations are added, the transmission delay from any slave to any other slave is just the delay of two fiber optic links plus the propagation


| NO. OF <br> STATIONS | NO. OF <br> T/R PAIRS |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 2 |
| 3 |  | 6 |
| 4 | 12 |  |
| 5 | 20 |  |
| $n$ | $n(n-1)$ |  |

Figure 11. Simplex, Full-Duplex, Full Triplex, Full-n-plex Fiber Optic Links.


Figure 12. Master Station Multiplex Arrangement for Fiber Optic Links.
delay in the master station's relay circuit. The time delay between re-transmission from the master and the error-check return transmissions from the slaves is the same if each link length is the same, i.e., two links plus relay time. Notice that a complete error check requires an error check in the master, plus an error check in the station where the data originated. Another feature of the MSM system is that any slave station can be disconnected or turned off without affecting the other stations. With slightly more complicated relay control logic in the master stations, the MSM system can provide even more flexibility in the control of data movement - the schematic in Figure 12 is intended only to illustrate the potential flexibility of MSM.

At the expense of less flexibility and longer transmission delay, multiplex operation can be done with an even smaller number of T/R pairs by means of Looped-Station Multiplexing (LSM) as in Figure 13. In addition to requiring only $n$ T/R pairs for $n$ stations, LSM offers the advantage
that an error check is required only at the station from which the data originates. There are some disadvantages. A relatively minor disadvantage is the data delay around the loop to where the data originated. A less minor disadvantage is the fact that, even if one of the stations in the loop is designated for loop control, it does not have control as absolute as that of the master station in MSM. A major disadvantage is that removal of one or more stations from the loop may require a re-run of the fiber optic cable unless the flux budget allows insertion of a connector to replace the station(s) removed. There is some error accumulation around the loop, but this is not a disadvantage if error correction is applied.

## Error Accumulation

Where error correction is inconvenient or impossible, the accumulation of error through data relay units may be significant. With Hewlett-Packard components operated within the limits prescribed by the data sheet parameters and the flux budget, any point-to-point link has a


Figure 13. Looped-Stations Multiplex Arrangement for Fiber Optic Links.
probability of error $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-9}$. This means that $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-9}$ as long as the loss margin, $\alpha_{M}(\mathrm{~dB})$ is above zero. With a number, $n$, of repeater links, the worst case estimate of cumulative probability of error is the RMS value:

## (24)CUMULATIVE PROBABILITY

OF ERROR,

$$
P_{e, n}=1-\prod_{i=1}^{n}\left(1-P_{e, i}\right) \approx \sum_{i=1}^{n} P_{e, i}
$$

where $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}, \mathrm{i}}$ is the probability of error in link " i "

If each link has the same probability of error, $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}$, then the cumulative value of $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}$ is estimated at:

## (25) CUMULATIVE PROBABILITY OF ERROR FOR EQUAL $P_{e}$ 's $\quad P_{e, n} \approx n P_{e}$

However, as in any chain, the probability of error is usually just that of the "weakest link," that is, the link having the highest probability of error.
Measuring the probability of error can be very timeconsuming if $P_{e}$ has a very low value. For instance, if $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}=$ $10^{-9}$ at 10 Mbaud ( $\mathrm{BER}=10^{-9}$ ), this suggests that if the system is operated for 100 seconds at 10 Mbaud (accumulate 109 bits) with one error, the $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}=10^{-9}$ is verified. This is not necessarily true. The significance of $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}$ $=10^{-9}$ is that over several such periods the average error is one per 100 seconds. A less time-consuming procedure is to lower the signal (flux) level until the error rate, $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}, \mathrm{N}}$ is measurably high in a comfortable period of time, and note this flux level as $\phi_{N}$, the Noise measurement flux level. The operating flux level is designated $\phi_{0}$, and is found from the ratio:
26. $\frac{X_{0}}{X_{N}}=\frac{\phi_{0}}{\phi_{N}}$ and $X_{0}=X_{N} \frac{\phi_{0}}{\phi_{N}}$
and from the complementary error function:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}=\operatorname{erfc}\left(X_{0}\right)=1-\operatorname{erf}\left(X_{0}\right) \text { calculated for } \phi_{0} \\
& \mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}, \mathrm{~N}}=\operatorname{erfc}\left(\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{N}}\right)=1-\operatorname{erf}\left(X_{N}\right) \text { measured at } \phi_{N} \\
& \operatorname{erfc}(X) \approx \frac{.54}{X}\left(\epsilon^{-X^{2}}\right) \text { for } \mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-4}
\end{aligned}
$$

This measurement and relationship can be useful in evaluating the relative merits in the tradeoff between running a single link over a long distance versus operating with one or more repeaters. The use of repeaters usually yields the lower $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}}$, but may be "overkill" in some cases.

## INSTALLATION, MEASUREMENT, AND MAINTENANCE

The shielded metal packages of Hewlett-Packard Fiber Optic Modules are very sturdy and can be mounted in any position. Both Transmitter and Receiver dissipate very low power, so heat sinking is not required. A cool location is preferred, especially for the Transmitter. The main concern in selecting the locations of both modules is accessibility of the optical ports.

## Mounting

The preferred mounting is with two \#2-56 screws on a printed circuit board. Clearance must be provided for the Lock Nut, which protrudes 0.5 mm to 1.0 mm (depending on angular position) beyond the plane of the module's bottom surface. The usual way to deal with this is to allow the Lock Nut to overhang the edge of the P.C. board as in

Figure 14. Lock Nut clearance could also be provided by an opening in the board, or by using washers of 1 mm thickness on the \#2-56 mounting screws to space the Module bottom 1 mm from the board. Screws entering the \#2-56 tapped holes MUST NOT TOUCH BOTTOM AS THIS MAY DAMAGE THE MODULE. The \#2-56 tapped hole is 5.6 mm ( 0.22 in .) deep, which provides an ample purchase on the thread.

| P.C. Board <br> Thickness |  |
| :---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{m m}$ | $\underline{\text { in. }}$ |
| 0.79 | $1 / 32$ |
| 1.59 | $1 / 16$ |
| 2.38 | $3 / 32$ |


| Recommended <br> Screw Length - mm (in.) |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| W/O Spacer | W/1-mm Spacer |
| 4.78 (.188) | 6.35 (.250) |
| 6.35 (.250) | 6.35 (.250) |
| 6.35 (.250) | 6.35 (.250) |

The \#2-56 holes near the front of the package are the only screw holes that may be used for mounting the module. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MAY THE SCREWS ALREADY INSTALLED OR THE SET SCREW BE DISTURBED. Disturbing these may cause interior damage.
For additional support, the electrical leads may be bent down and soldered into the P.C. board. In bending the leads, care must be taken to avoid strain at the point where the leads enter the glass seal. This can be done by applying mechanical support between the module and the bending point which should be at least 1.0 mm ( 0.04 in .) from the end of the module. A needle-nose pliers can also be used to bend the leads individually, providing no bending moment is transferred to the seal. See Figure 14 for details fo these techniques.
Panel mounting can also be used. This is an especially attractive mounting when R.F. shield integrity must be maintained. As seen in Figure 15, the panel thickness must be less than 4 mm ( $5 / 32 \mathrm{in}$.) and have a counter-bore to receive the Lock Nut. This will make the mounting secure and leave enough of the Barrel outside the panel to permit installation of an external mounting nut as well as the Cable Connector.

## Fiber Optic Cable Connections

The data sheet cautions against disturbing the Lock Nut and Barrel. This is to prevent damage by someone who has not read the following material:
As seen in Figure 16, there is a clearance between the interior end of the Barrel and a shoulder on the Fiber Alignment Sleeve. If this clearance is not maintained, there is a risk that a force applied to the Barrel may be transmitted by the Fiber Alignment Sleeve to the optical fiber stub, forcing the stub against the face of the source or detector. The source (or detector) is an extremely fragile semiconductor device and even a very small force can cause severe damage. Should it be necessary to remove the Lock Nut and Barrel, they should be reinstalled with this procedure:

1. Lightly and carefully thread the Barrel into the Module body until it comes against the shoulder of the Fiber Alignment Sleeve.
2. Back the Barrel OUT ONE FULL TURN, then HOLD THE BARREL FROM TURNING while seating the Lock Nut securely against the body. During final tightening of the Lock Nut, the Barrel may be allowed to enter no more than HALF A TURN.


Figure 14. Lead Bending and P.C. Board Mounting.


Figure 15. Panel Mounting.
When Hewlett-Packard Cable Connectors are joined, either to each other or to the optical port of a Transmitter or Receiver, there is a cylindrical spring Sleeve that aligns the Ferrules. This is shown in Figures 16 and 17. It may be difficult to see, but the Sleeve does have a slightly flattened "leaf" on either side of a notch. The notch makes the leaves spring separately, allowing the Ferrules at
opposite ends of the sleeve to have slightly different diameters and yet be firmly aligned by the curved interior wall. A chamfer on the edge of the Ferrule aids insertion. In making temporary Cable-to-Cable connection, it is permissible, and often convenient, to omit the Barrel, since it does not perform an alignment function. When the Barrel is used for a more sturdy joint, the connection procedure is:

1. Install the Sleeve and Barrel on one Connector, using only FINGER TIGHTNESS of the Coupling on the Barrel.
2. Start the Ferrule of the second Connector into the Sleeve.
3. Engage the Coupling on the Barrel threads and tighten FINGER TIGHT.

Alignment of the Ferrules (and hence the fiber optics) is performed by the Sleeve; the Barrel and Couplings are intended only for tensile support, but if they are OVER tightened, they may cause misalignment. Loss of coupling due to misalignment can be observed at the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$ (Test Point) on the Receiver when the System is active: $\Delta V_{T} / \Delta \phi \approx 10 \mathrm{mV} / \mu \mathrm{W}$.


Figure 16. Opto-Mechanical Structure of T/R Modules.


Figure 17. In-LIne Connector Arrangement.

The procedure above applies also to making Cable connection at the Receiver and Transmitter, except that the Sleeve and Barrel are already installed. In manufacture, the Sleeve in the Module is pre-stressed for a tighter fit on the Ferrule in the Module than on the Ferrule in the Connector. The Sleeve is not likely to be pulled out when the Module is disconnected, but if that does happen, it can be reinstalled without removing the Barrel by using the Connector Ferrule to guide and support it.
In connecting fiber optics other than those from'HewlettPackard to a Hewlett-Packard module, it is necessary to center the fiber in a cylinder with the same outside diameter as the Hewlett-Packard Ferrule over a length (to first shoulder) equal to half the length of the Sleeve, i.e., 3.5 mm . This is adequate for a temporary connection. For a more permanent connection, add a coupling to fit the \#10-32 thread on the Barrel.

## Power Supply Requirements

Power supply lines for the Transmitter and the Receiver should each have a pi filter of two $60 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ shunt capacitors and a $2.2 \mu \mathrm{H}(<1 \Omega)$ inductor. The Transmitter needs this filter to prevent transients from reaching other equipment when the LED (or IRED) currents are switched. The Receiver needs the filter to keep line transients from interfering with its extremely sensitive amplifier. In addition, the Receiver may need its own regulator, as shown in the data sheet, to prevent low-frequency transients or ripple from interfering with the data stream. If a regulator is used, the pi filter should be between the regulator output and the Receiver supply terminal. The Transmitter needs no regulator if the supply voltage is in the specified range.

## System Performance Evaluation

System performance checks may be done by using errordetection equipment, such as the Hewlett-Packard Mod. 3760A Word Generator and 3761 Error Detector as indicated in Figure 18. The Mod. 3780A Pattern Generator/Error Detector which contains both word generator and error detector is also usable, although it has less flexibility in word generation and a lower data rate capability. These instruments have low-impedance ( $50 \Omega$
and $75 \Omega$ ) inputs and outputs. The outputs have adequate voltage swing to drive the Fiber Optic Transmitter Data Input, but ringing may occur unless the signal line is properly terminated. The low-impedance inputs require a buffer amplifier between the Receiver output and the Error Detector input. Here also the voltage swing is ample, so a simple emitter follower will do as a buffer.

With Mode Select "Iow" (on the Fiber Optic Transmitter), the Word Generator may be set for either NRZ or RZ code, and there is no restriction of any kind on word length or composition (pseudo random or selected). With Mode Select "high", the code selection can be either NRZ or RZ but in either code the word composition must be such that:

1. No interval $>5 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ of consecutive marks or consecutive spaces
2. Duty factor: . $44<\mathrm{DF}<.57$ or $.75<k<1.25$

The first condition can be examined with an oscilloscope, but if word length is such that:

$$
\frac{\text { word length (bits) }}{\text { data rate (bits/second) }}<5 \text { microseconds }
$$

then there is no way that any consecutive marks or spaces can extend over $5 \mu \mathrm{~s}$.
The easiest way to check duty factor is by observing $k$ directly on an ac coupled oscilloscope: first establish the baseline position (e.g., center of scope face) with zero signal input, then with the data signal applied:

$$
k=\frac{\text { excursion above baseline position }}{\text { excursion below baseline position }}
$$

where the oscilloscope deflects upward for positive input. For this observation, the oscilloscope need not be synchronized - it could be free-running. The word composition should be adjusted to bring $k$ within the specified limits. The word composition can be adjusted by adding zeroes, changing word length, or by handselecting the bit sequence.
Either error detector has two modes of operation: BER (Bit Error Rate) mode and "count" mode. The count mode is simplest to use and gives an earlier indication of the result of any system adjustment.


Figure 18. Bit Error Rate Measurement Arrangement.

With the System at normal operating flux level, the error rate is so low that it would take several hours or even days to make an accurate BER measurement. If the flux level is reduced, SNR falls and BER rises until it becomes measurable. Then the error function [see Equation (26)] can be applied to determine the BER at the normal flux level in terms of the ratio $\phi_{\mathrm{O}} / \phi_{\mathrm{N}}$ where $\phi_{\mathrm{O}}$ is the operating flux level and $\phi_{N}$ is the flux at the reduced level where the BER was measured. The problem now is that $\phi_{N}$ may be too low to measure with equipment at hand. The solution is in the Receiver Test Point voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$, which varies linearly as Receiver input flux - see Equation (17). But even this method has limits; when the flux becomes a small fraction of a microwatt, the voltage difference ( $V_{\text {tMAX }}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$ ) cannot be accurately observed. The solution to this problem is in the Transmitter-to-Cable connection. Just back off the Coupling, noting the number of turns while observing $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$, then plot a curve like that of Figure 19. The curve is quite repeatable if care is taken to avoid backlash and rotation of the Connector Body (rotate Coupling only) but the curve is not the same for each System.

## Operating Margin Measurement

The flux budget margin, $\alpha_{M}$, for a given $P_{e}$ can be found using the Connector on the Transmitter as an adjustable attenuator as described above, proceeding as follows:

1. Prepare a curve similar to Figure 19.
2. Count the turns, $N$, needed to get measurable error, $\mathrm{Pe}_{\mathrm{e}, \mathrm{N}}$.
3. Find $\alpha_{N}(\mathrm{~dB})$ from N and the curve from Step 1.
4. Find $X_{N}$ from erfc $\left(X_{N}\right)=P_{e, N}$ (measured).
5. Find $X_{0}$ from erfc $\left(X_{0}\right)=P_{e}$ (given).
(27) $\alpha \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{dB})=\alpha N-10 \log \frac{X_{0}}{X_{N}}$ FOR GIVEN Pe

Absolute flux levels at " $N$ " turns can be found by measuring the flux level when $\mathrm{N}=0$ and applying a ratio. A rough measurement can be made using the Test Point voltage, $V_{T}$, and Equation (15). A more precise measurement requires a calibrated radiometer, such as the EG\&G Mod. 550, used as shown in Figure 20a. With its "flat" filter installed, the EG\&G Mod. 550 reads the radiant


Figure 19. Flux Decoupling by Rotation of Connector Coupling.

(a) MEASUREMENT OF TRANSMITTER AVERAGE FLUX

(b) MEASUREMENT OF AVERAGE RECEIVER INPUT FLUX AND FLUX DECOUPLING AT TRANSMITTER CONNECTOR.

Figure 20. Flux Measurement with EG\&G Mod 550 Radiometer.
incidance, $E$, in $W / \mathrm{cm}^{2}$ on an aperture area, $A_{D}=1 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ and N.A. $=1$. With the filter removed, a fiber optic cable can be placed so close to the aperture that there is no flux loss, and since the radiometer N.A. exceeds the fiber N.A., the radiometer will have a reading in $W / \mathrm{cm}^{2}$ which is numerically equal to the flux in watts. However, a correction must be made for the removal of the filter.
The insertion loss of the filter must be evaluated at the measurement wavelength because it varies with wavelength to compensate for spectral variation in the response of the silicon detector. The arrangement shown in Figure 20 for measurement of radiant intensity is a good one for measuring insertion loss of the filter. Two observations are made - one with and one without the filter. Error due to ambient radiation is avoided by working in subdued ambient and for each observation taking two radiometer readings (source off and source on); the difference in readings is the observation of the radiant incidance, $E_{e}$, produced by the radiant intensity, $l_{e}$, of the source. The ratio of the two observations gives:

$$
\text { (28) FILTER INSERTION LOSS, } \alpha_{F}=10 \log \frac{E_{e(f i l t e r ~ o u t) ~}}{E_{e(f i l t e r ~ i n) ~}}
$$

This same arrangement can be used to measure the average flux of the Transmitter as shown in Figure 20b. From the observation of $E_{e}$ with the filter IN:
(29) AVERAGE INTENSITY, I $\left(\frac{\mu \mathrm{W}}{\mathrm{sr}}\right)=\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{e}}\left(\frac{\mu \mathrm{W}}{\mathrm{cm} \mathrm{m}^{2}}\right) \times \mathrm{d}^{2}\left(\mathrm{~cm}^{2}\right)$
(30) AVERAGE FLUX, $\phi \mathrm{e}(\mu \mathrm{W})=\mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{e}}\left(\frac{\mu \mathrm{W}}{\mathrm{sr}}\right)[\frac{\phi(\theta)}{I(0)}$ (MAX)] $\underbrace{\text { from Equation (29) }}\}$
value from radiation pattern integral $>$ in Transmitter Data Sheet

## SYSTEM MAINTENANCE

## Preventive Maintenance

Long-term degradation occurs in any LED and LED degradation affects the Hewlett-Packard Fiber Optic System in two ways: reduced average flux, affecting either externally- or internally-coded mode, and altered flux excursion ratio, affecting only the internally-coded mode. Significant degradation of either the flux or the flux excursion ratio can be detected by regular observation of the flux margin, $\alpha_{M}$, and of $k$.
$\alpha_{M}$ is evaluated as explained under Operating Margin Measurement from Equation (27). A plot of $\alpha_{M}$ against the logarithm of the cumulative hours of operation will allow an estimate to be made of the operating time remaining until $\alpha_{M}=0$ FOR THE Pe DESIRED.
$k$ must be evaluated by measuring $\phi_{H}, \phi_{M}$, and $\phi_{L}$ as explained in the Transmitter description. The Test Point voltage can be used in making this measurement - see

Equation (15). The upper and lower margins on $k$ for a particular Receiver can be found by operating the Transmitter with Mode Select "high" and a rectangular signal ( $f \approx 500 \mathrm{kHz}$ ) at Data Input. As the duty factor of the signal is varied, the limits on $k$ are found as those at which the Receiver fails to follow the Data Input signal.
(31)

$$
k=\left(\frac{1}{f t_{p}}\right)-1=\frac{1}{\frac{1}{f t_{N}}-1}
$$

where $\mathrm{ft}_{\mathrm{p}}$ is the positive-pulse duty factor $\mathrm{ft}_{\mathrm{N}}$ is the negative-pulse duty factor

Changes in $k$ do not affect externally-coded mode performance, and if this mode is used, then flux margin, $\alpha_{M}$, is the only concern.

## Corrective Maintenance

Trouble in the System may range from complete breakdown to excessive BER. The flux used in the Hewlett-Packard System is visible so the cause of complete breakdown can sometimes be localized by simply looking at the output of the Cable and the Transmitter. If there is visible output from the cable, then, when the Cable is connected to the Receiver, there should be an 8 mV change in Test Point voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}}$, as the Transmitter (Mode Select "low") is turned on and off by switching $V_{c c}$. If $\Delta V_{T}$ is more than 8 mV but the system is not working, then either the Receiver logic is not functioning properly or the flux excursion ratio, $k$, is either too high or too low. Excursion ratio can be checked as described above, using $V_{T}$. If $k$ is satisfactory, the logic malfunction could be due to incorrect supply voltage or output loading.

If the System is functioning but has excessive BER, either the flux and flux excursion ratio are marginal (can be checked as described above) or there is too much interference from noise or other effects. If the Data Input voltage levels are correct, either random noise is high or errors are occurring due to incorrect supply voltage or output loading, or due to noise on the supply line. Random noise effects can be checked by lowering the flux level to a point where $P_{e}$ is measurably high. If $P_{e}$ varies with flux level according to $P_{e}=\operatorname{erfc}(X)$, as in Equation (26), then the problem is excessive random noise. Random noise can also be checked by changing the data rate while the flux level is low enough to make $P_{e}$ measurable. If $P_{e}$ is the same at any data rate, the problem is excessive random noise. Excessive random noise is more likely to occur in the Receiver than in the Transmitter; the best way to check is by replacement of the Receiver. Noise on the supply line is difficult to trace. If there is any doubt, the Receiver should be operated from its own supply (e.g., a 5 V regulator). Receiver noise should be low enough to make $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{e}}<10^{-9}$ at 10 Mbaud with normal flux level ( $\Delta \mathrm{V}_{T}>8 \mathrm{mV}$ by the method described above indicates normal flux level).

# Interfacing the HDSP-2000 to Microprocessor Systems 

## INTRODUCTION

Over the past two years, the need for alphanumeric displays has grown very rapidly due to the extensive use of microprocessors in new systems design. The presence of the microprocessor in such systems substantially simplifies the traditionally difficult task of designing an alphanumeric display into a system. This task is further simplified by using a display element such as the HDSP2000 which has in one package a four character display, as well as most of the basic electronics necessary to drive the display. Depending upon overall systems configuration, microprocessor time available to dedicate to display support, and the type of information to be displayed, one may choose several different partitioning schemes to drive such a display.

This note will deal with four different techniques (see Figure 1) for interfacing the HDSP-2000 display to microprocessor systems:

1. The REFRESH CONTROLLER interrupts the microprocessor at a 500 Hz rate to request refresh data for the display.
2. The DECODED DATA CONTROLLER accepts $5 \times 7$ matrix data from the microprocessor and then automatically refreshes the display with the same information until new data is supplied by the microprocessor.
3. The RAM CONTROLLER accepts ASCII data and interfaces like a RAM to the microprocessor.
4. The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER (HDSP247X series) employs a dedicated single chip microprocessor as a data display/control/keyboard interface which has many of the features of a complete terminal.

The interface techniques depicted are specifically for the 8080A or 6800 microprocessor families. Extension of these techniques to other processors should be a relatively simple software chore with little or no hardware changes required.

## COMPARISON OF INTERFACE TECHNIQUES

The choice of a particular interface is an important consideration because it affects the design of the entire microprocessor system. The REFRESH CONTROLLER provides the lowest cost interface because it uses the microprocessor to provide ASCII decoding and display strobing. Because the ASCII decoder is located within the microprocessor system, the designer has total control over the display font within the program. This feature is particularly important when the system will be used to display different languages and special graphic symbols. However, the REFRESH CONTROLLER requires a significant amount of microprocessor time. Furthermore, while the interrupt allows the refresh program to operate asynchronously from the main program, this technique limits some of the software techniques that can be used in the main program.
The DECODED DATA CONTROLLER requires microprocessor interaction only when the display message is changed. Like the REFRESH CONTROLLER, the ASCII decoder is located within the microprocessor program. However, the time required to decode the ASCII string and store the resulting $5 \times 7$ display data into the interface requires several milliseconds of microprocessor time.
The RAM CONTROLL.ER also requires interaction from the microprocessor system only when the display message is changed. Because the ASCII decoder is located within the display interface, the microprocessor requires much less time to load a new message into the display.
The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER, the HDSP247X series, is the most powerful interface. The software within the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER further reduces the microprocessor interaction by providing more powerful left and right data entry modes compared to the RAM entry mode of the DECODED DATA and RAM CONTROLLERS. The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER can also provide features such as a Blinking Cursor, Editing Commands, and a Data Out function. One version of the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER allows the user to provide a custom ASCII decoder for applications needing a special character font.


Figure 1. Four Different Techniques to Interface the HDSP-2000 Alphanumeric Display to a Microprocessor System

## MICROPROCESSOR OVERVIEW

In order to effectively utilize the interface techniques listed above, an understanding of microprocessor fundamentals is required. A microprocessor system usually consists of a microprocessor, ROM memory, RAM memory, and some specific 1/O interface. The microprocessor performs the desired system function by executing a program stored within the ROM. The RAM memory is used to provide a stack for the microprocessor, as well as a temporary scratchpad memory. The I/O interface consists of circuitry that is used as an input to the system as well as an output from the system. The alphanumeric display subsystem would be considered part of this interface. The microprocessor interfaces to this system through an Address Bus, a Data Bus, and a Control Bus. The Address Bus consists of several outputs from the microprocessor ( $A_{0}, A_{1} \ldots A_{n}$ ) which collectively specify a binary number. This number or "address" uniquely specifies each word in the ROM memory, RAM memory, and I/O interface. The Data Bus consists of
several lines from the microprocessor which are used both as inputs and outputs. The Data Bus serves as an input during a memory or I/O read operation and as an output for a memory or I/O write operation. The Control Bus provides the required signals and timing to the rest of the microprocessor system to distinguish a memory read from a memory write, and in some systems an 1/O read from an I/O write. These control lines and the timing between the Address, Data, and Control Buses vary for different microprocessors.

For the 8080A microprocessor, the Address Bus consists of 16 lines, the Data Bus consists of 8 lines, and the Control Bus consists of several lines including DBIN (Data Bus In), $\overline{W R}$ (Write), and clock signals $\phi_{1}$ and $\phi 2$. DBIN and WR are used to specify a memory read or write. The 8080A microprocessor provides several other control lines which are usually decoded with DBIN and WR to generate composite control signals $\overline{M E M ~ R}$ (Memory Read), $\overline{M E M ~ W ~}$
 Write). Since the alphanumeric display subsystem is an
output of the microprocessor system, the timing between the Address Bus, Data Bus, and $\overline{W R}$ is of particular significance. This timing is generalized in Figure 2.

$t_{A W}=2 t_{C Y}-t_{D 3}-[140(A), 130(A-2), 110(A-1)]$
$t_{W A}=t_{W D}=t_{D 3}+10$
$\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{DW}}=\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CY}}-\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{D} 3}-[170(\mathrm{~A}), 170(\mathrm{~A}-2), 150(\mathrm{~A}-1)]$
From INTEL Component Data Catalog, 1978

Figure 2. Memory Write Timing for the Intel 8080A Microprocessor Family

The 6800 microprocessor has a 16 line Address Bus, 8 line Data Bus, and a Control Bus that includes the signals VMA (Valid Memory Address), R/W (Read/Write), DBE (Data Bus Enable), and clock signals $\phi_{1}$ and $\phi_{2}$. R/W specifies either a memory read or write while VMA is used in conjunction with R/W to specify a Valid Memory Address. DBE gates the internal data bus of 6800 into the Data Bus. In many applications, DBE is connected to $\phi 2$. The timing between the Address Bus, Data Bus, VMA, and R/W (when DBE $=\phi_{2}$ ) is shown in Figure 3. Additional data hold time, $t_{\mathrm{H}}$, can be achieved by delaying $\phi_{2}$ to the microprocessor or by extending DBE beyond the falling edge of $\phi 2$.
The ASCII to $5 \times 7$ dot matrix decoder used by the REFRESH CONTROLLER and DECODED DATA CONTROLLER is located within the microprocessor program. This decoder requires 640 bytes of storage to decode the 128 character ASCII set. The decoder used by these controllers is formatted so that the first 128 bytes contain column 1 information; the next 128 bytes contain column 2 information, etc. Each byte of this decoder is formatted such that $\mathrm{D}_{6}$ through $\mathrm{D}_{0}$ contain Row 7 through Row 1 display data respectively. The data is coded so that a HIGH bit would turn the corresponding $5 \times 7$ display dot ON. This decoder table is shown in Figure 20. The resulting $5 \times 7$ dot matrix display font is shown in the HDSP-2471 data sheet.


| 6800 MICROPROCESSOR | MINIMUM TIMES (ns) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathrm{t}_{1}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{AH}}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{2}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{H}}$ |  |
| $6800, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CYC}}=1000$ | 630 | 30 | 225 | 10 |  |
| $68 \mathrm{~A} 00, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CYC}}=666$ | 420 | 30 | 80 | 10 |  |
| $68 \mathrm{~B} 00, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CYC}}=500$ | 290 | 30 | 60 | 10 |  |

$t_{1}(M I N)=t_{U T}(M I N)-t_{A D}(M A X)$
$t_{2}(M I N)=t_{E H}(M I N)-t_{D D W}(M A X)$

From MOTOROLA Semiconductor MC6800 Data Sheet (DS9471), 1978

Figure 3. Memory Write Timing for the Motorola 6800 Microprocessor Family

## REFRESH CONTROLLER

The REFRESH CONTROLLER circuit depicted in Figure 4 is designed for interface to either 6800 or 8080 A microprocessors. This circuit operates by interrupting the microprocessor every two milliseconds to request a new block of display data and column select data. Display data is loaded from the data bus into the serial input of the HDSP-2000 via a 74165 parallel in, serial out shift register. The 74LS293 counter and associated gates insure that only seven clock pulses are delivered to the shift register and the HDSP-2000 for each word loaded. Column Select data is loaded into a 74174 latch which, in turn, drives the column switch transistors. The circuit timing relative to the microprocessor clock and I/O is depicted in Figure 5.
The 6800 software necessary to support this interface is divided into two separate subroutines, "RFRSH" and "LOAD" (Figure 6). This approach is desirable to minimize microprocessor involvement during display refresh. The subroutine "RFRSH" loads a new set of decoded display data from the microprocessor scratchpad memory into the interface at each interrupt request. The subroutine "LOAD" is utilized to decode a string of 32 ASCII characters into $5 \times 7$ formatted display data and store this data in the scratchpad memory used by "RFRSH".


Figure 4. $\mathbf{6 8 0 0}$ or 8080A Microprocessor Interface to the HDSP-2000 REFRESH CONTROLLER


Figure 5. REFRESH CONTROLLER Timing

Figures 7a and 7b depict two different software routines for interfacing the REFRESH CONTROLLER to an 8080A microprocessor. The two subroutines shown in Figure 7a are functional replacements for the 6800 program shown in Figure 6. The programs shown in Figures 6 and 7a require a $5 n$ byte scratchpad memory where $n$ is the display length. The routine in Figure 7b eliminates this scratchpad memory by decoding and loading data each time a new interrupt request is received.

Because the microprocessor system is interrupted every 2 ms , proper software design is especially important for the REFRESH CONTROLLER. The use of the scratchpad memory significantly reduces the time required to refresh the display. The fastest program, shown in Figure 6, uses
in-line code to access data from the buffer and output it to the display. This program requires $3.7 \%+.50 \mathrm{n} \%$ of the available microprocessor time for a. 1 MHz clock. The program shown in Figure 7a is similar to the one shown in Figure 6, except that it uses a program loop instead of the in-line code. This program uses $5.4 \%+.93 n \%$ of the microprocessor time for a 2 MHz clock. These programs utilize a subroutine "LOAD" which is called whenever the display message is changed. This subroutine executes in 10.2 ms and 7.5 ms respectively for Figure 6 and Figure 7a. The program in Figure 7b uses $7.6 \%+1.35 \mathrm{n} \%$ of the microprocessor time for a 2 MHz clock. A $50 \%$ reduction in the previously described microprocessor times can be achieved by using faster versions of the 6800 and 8080A microprocessors.


| LOC | OBJECT CODE |  | SOURCE STATEMENTS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0004 |  |  | RDVR | EQU | 0004H |
| 0005 |  |  | CDVR | EQU | 0005 H |
| E500 |  |  | DECDR | EQU | 0E500H |
|  |  |  |  | ORG | 0E000H |
| E000 | 05 E0 |  | POINT | DW | BUFFR |
| E002 | FE |  | COLMN | DB | OFEH |
| E003 | FF FF |  | COUNT | DW | OFFFFH |
| E005 | 00 |  | BUFFR | DS | 160 |
|  |  |  |  | ORG | 0E0A5H |
| E0A5 | A7 E0 |  | ASCII | DW | DATA |
| E0A7 | 00 |  | DATA | DS | 32 |
|  |  |  |  | ORG | OE400H |
| E400 | F5 |  | RFRSH | PUSH | PSW |
| E401 | C5 |  |  | PUSH | B |
| E402 | E5 |  |  | PUSH | H |
| E403 | 2A 00 | E0 |  | LHLD | POINT |
| E406 | 0620 |  |  | MVI | B, 32 |
| E408 | 3E FF |  |  | MVI | A, OFFH |
| E40A | D3 05 |  |  | OUT | CDVR |
| F40C | 7E |  | LOOP | MOV | A, M |
| E40D | D3 04 |  |  | OUT | RDVR |
| E40F | 23 |  |  | INX | H |
| E410 | 05 |  |  | DCR | B |
| E411 | C2 OC | E4 |  | JNZ | LOOP |
| E414 | 3A 02 | E0 |  | LDA | COLMN |
| E417 | D3 05 |  |  | OUT | CDVR |
| E419 | FE EF |  |  | CPI | OEFH |
| E41B | CA 28 | E4 |  | JZ | FIRST |
| E41E | 2200 | E0 |  | SHLD | POINT |
| E421 | 07 |  |  | RLC |  |
| E422 | 3202 | E0 |  | STA | COLMN |
| E425 | C3 3A | E4 |  | JMP | END |
| E428 | 2105 | E0 | FIRST | LXI | H, BUFFR |
| E42B | 2200 | E0 |  | SHLD | POINT |
| E42E | 3E FE |  |  | MVI | A, OFEH |
| E430 | 3202 | E0 |  | STA | COLMN |
| E433 | 2A 03 | E0 |  | LHLD | COUNT |
| E436 | 2B |  |  | DCX | H |
| E437 | 2203 | E0 |  | SHLD | COUNT |
| E43A | E1 |  | END | POP | H |
| E43B | Cl |  |  | POP | B |
| E43C | F1 |  |  | POP | PSW |
| E43D | C9 |  |  | RET |  |
| E43E | 1124 | E0 | LOAD | LXI | D, BUFFR+31 |
| E441 | 0E 20 |  |  | MVI | C, 32 |
| E443 | 2A A5 | E0 | LOOP1 | LHLD | ASCII |
| E446 | 7E |  |  | MOV | A, M |
| E447 | 23 |  |  | INX | H |
| E448 | 22 A5 | E0 |  | SHLD | ASCII |
| E44B | 26 E5 |  |  | MVI | H, DECDR/256 |
| E44D | 6F |  |  | MOV | L, A |
| E44E | 0605 |  |  | MVI | B, 5 |
| E450 | 7E |  | LOOP2 | MOV | A, M |
| E451 | 12 |  |  | STAX | D |
| E452 | 7D |  |  | MOV | A, L |
| E453 | C6 80 |  |  | ADI | 80H |
| E455 | 6F |  |  | MOV | L, A |
| E456 | D2 5A | E4 |  | JNC | LOOP3 |
| E459 | 24 |  |  | INR | H |
| E45A | 7B |  | LOOP3 | MOV | A, E |
| E45B | C6 20 |  |  | ADI | 32 |
| E45D | 5F |  |  | MOV | E, A |
| E45E | 05 |  |  | DCR | B |
| E45F | C2 50 | E4 |  | JNZ | LOOP2 |
| E462 | 7B |  |  | MOV | A, E |
| E463 | C6 5F |  |  | ADI | 5FH |
| E465 | 5F |  |  | MOV | E, A |
| E466 | 0D |  |  | DCR | C |
| E467 | C2 43 | E4 |  | JNZ | LOOP1 |
| E46A | C9 |  |  | RET |  |


| LOC | $\begin{gathered} \text { OBJECT } \\ \text { CODE } \end{gathered}$ |  |  | SOURCE STATEMENTS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0004 |  |  |  | RDVR | EQU | 0004H |
| 0005 |  |  |  | CDVR | EQU | 0005H |
| E500 |  |  |  | DECDR | EQU | 0 E 500 H |
|  |  |  |  |  | ORG | OE000H |
| E000 | 07 | E0 |  | ASCII |  | DATA |
| E002 | FE |  |  | COLMN | DB | OFEH |
| E003 |  | FF |  | COUNT | DW | OFFFFH |
| E005 | 00 | E5 |  | BASE | DW | DECDR |
| E007 | 00 |  |  | DATA | DS | 32 |
|  |  |  |  | ORG |  | 0E400H |
| E400 | F5 |  |  | RFRSH | PUSH | PSW |
| E401 | C5 |  |  |  | PUSH | B |
| E402 | D5 |  |  |  | PUSH | D |
| E403 | E5 |  |  |  | PUSH | H |
| E404 | 2A | 05 | E0 |  | LHLD | BASE |
| E407 | EB |  |  |  | XCHG |  |
| E408 | 2 A | 00 | E0 |  | LHLD | ASCII |
| E40B | 01 |  | 00 |  | LXI | B, 31 |
| E40E | 09 |  |  |  | DAD | B |
| E40F | 43 |  |  |  | MOV | B, E |
| E410 | 0E | 20 |  |  | MVI | C, 32 |
| E412 | 3E | FF |  |  | MVI | A, 0FFH |
| E414 | D3 | 05 |  |  | OUT | CDVR |
| E416 | 78 |  |  | LOOP | MOV | A, B |
| E417 | 86 |  |  |  | ADD | M |
| E418 | 5 F |  |  |  | MOV | E, A |
| E419 | 1 A |  |  |  | LDAX | D |
| E41A | D3 | 04 |  |  | OUT | RDVR |
| E41C | 2B |  |  |  | DCX | H |
| E41D | 0D |  |  |  | DCR | C |
| E41E | C2 | 16 | E4 |  | JNZ | LOOP |
| E421 | EB |  |  |  | XCHG |  |
| E422 | 3A | 02 | E0 |  | LDA | COLMN |
| E425 | D3 | 05 |  |  | OUT | CDVR |
| E427 | FE | EF |  |  | CPI | 0EFH |
| E429 | CA | 3B | E4 |  | JZ | FIRST |
| E42C | 07 |  |  |  | RLC |  |
| E42D | 32 | 02 | E0 |  | STA | COLMN |
| E430 | 68 |  |  |  | MOV | L, B |
| E431 | 01 | 80 | 00 |  | LXI | B, 0080 H |
| E434 | 09 |  |  |  | DAD | B |
| E435 | 22 | 05 | E0 |  | SHLD | BASE |
| E438 | C3 | 4D | E4 |  | JMP | END |
| E43B | 3E | FE |  | FIRST | MVI | A, 0FEH |
| E43D | 32 | 02 | E0 |  | STA | COLMN |
| E440 | 21 | 00 | E5 |  | LXI | H, DECDR |
| E443 | 22 | 05 | E0 |  | SHLD | BASE |
| E446 | 2 A | 03 | E0 |  | LHLD | COUNT |
| E449 | 2B |  |  |  | DCX | H |
| E44A | 22 | 03 | E0 |  | SHLD | COUNT |
| E44D | E1 |  |  | END | POP | H |
| E44E | D1 |  |  |  | POP | D |
| E44F | C1 |  |  |  | POP | B |
| E450 | F1 |  |  |  | POP | PSW |
| E45 1 | C9 |  |  |  | RET |  |

Figure 7b. 8080A Microprocessor Program that Decodes a 32 Character ASCII String Prior to Loading into the REFRESH CONTROLLER

## DECODED DATA CONTROLLER

The DECODED DATA CONTROLLER circuit schematic for a 32 character display is depicted in Figure 8. The circuit is specifically designed for interface to an 8080A microprocessor. This circuit is designed to accept and store in local memory all of the display data for a 32 character HDSP-2000 display (1120 bits). The microprocessor loads 160 bytes of display data into the two 1 KX 1 RAM's via the 74165 parallel in, serial out shift register. Each byte of data represents one column of display data. The counter string automatically generates the proper address location for each serial bit of data after initialization by MEM W, the character address, and the desired column. Once the loading is complete, the counter sequentially loads and displays each column (224 bits) of data at a 90 Hz rate ( 2 MHz input clock rate). The
timing for this circuit is shown in Figure 9. The software required to decode a 32 character ASCII string is shown in Figure 10. This program decodes the 32 ASCII characters into 160 bytes of display data which are then stored in the controller. The program requires about 6.6 ms , for a 2 MHz clock, to decode and load the message into the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER.

## RAM CONTROLLER

The RAM CONTROLLER (Figure 11a) is designed to accept ASCII coded data for storage in a local $128 \times 8$ RAM. After the microprocessor has loaded the RAM, local scanning circuitry controls the decoding of the ASCII, the display data loading, and the column select function. With minor modification, the circuit can be utilized for up to 128 display characters. The RAM used in this circuit is an MCM6810P with the Address and Data inputs isolated via 74LS367 tristate buffers. This allows the RAM to be accessed either by the microprocessor or by the local electronics. The protocol is arranged such that the microprocessor always takes precedence over the local scanning electronics. The "Write" cycle timing for the RAM CONTROLLER is depicted in Figure 11b. This circuit, as with the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER, requires no microprocessor time once the local RAM has been loaded with the desired data.

## DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER

The previously mentioned interface techniques provide only for the display of ASCII coded data. Such important features as a blinking cursor, editing routines, and character addressing must be provided by other subroutines in the microprocessor software. The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER is a system which utilizes a dedicated 8048 single chip microprocessor to provide these important features. This controller, as depicted in Figure 12, is a series of printed circuit board subsystems available from Hewlett-Packard under the following part numbers:
HDSP-2470 - Controller with 64 character ASCII to $5 \times 7$ decoder
HDSP-2471 - Controller with 128 character universal ASCII to $5 \times 7$ decoder
HDSP-2472 - Controller with socket for user supplied custom coded ROM/PROM/EPROM.

All of the controllers have the following features:

- Choice of character string length:

4-48 characters in increments of four characters

- Four modes of data entry

Left Entry
Right Entry
RAM Entry ( $\leq 32$ characters only) Block Entry

- Flashing Cursor - Left Entry Only
- Data Out ( $\leq 32$ characters only)
- Edit Functions



Figure 8. 8080A Microprocessor Interface to the HDSP-2000 DECODED DATA CONTROLLER


Figure 9. Data Entry Timing for DECODED DATA CONTROLLER

| LOC | OBJECTCODE |  |  | SOURCE STATEMENTS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| B000 |  |  |  | DISPL | EQU | OB000H |
| E500 |  |  |  | DECDR | EQU | 0E500H |
|  |  |  |  |  | ORG | 0E000H |
| E000 | 02 | E0 |  | ASCII | DW | DATA |
| E002 | 00 |  |  | DATA | DS | 32 |
|  |  |  |  |  | ORG | 0E400H |
| E400 | 11 | F8 | B0 | LOAD | LXI | D, DISPL+00F8H |
| E403 | OE | 20 |  |  | MVI | C, 32 |
| E405 | 2A | 00 | E0 | LOOP1 | LHLD | ASCII |
| E408 | 7E |  |  |  | MOV | A, M |
| E409 | 23 |  |  |  | INX | H |
| E40A | 22 | 00 | E0 |  | SHLD | ASCII |
| E40D | 26 | E5 |  |  | MVI | H, DECDR/256 |
| E40F | 6F |  |  |  | MOV | L, A |
| E410 | 06 | 05 |  |  | MVI | B, 5 |
| E412 | 7E |  |  | LOOP2 | MOV | A, M |
| E413 | 12 |  |  |  | STAX | D |
| E414 | 13 |  |  |  | INX | D |
| E415 | 7D |  |  |  | MOV | A, L |
| E416 | C6 | 80 |  |  | ADI | 80H |
| E418 | 6F |  |  |  | MOV | L, A |
| E419 | D2 | 1D | E4 |  | JNC | LOOP3 |
| E41C | 24 |  |  |  | INR | H |
| E41D | 05 |  |  | LOOP3 | DCR | B |
| E41E | C2 | 12 | E4 |  | JNZ | LOOP2 |
| E421 | 7B |  |  |  | MOV | A, E |
| E422 | D6 | 0D |  |  | SUI | 13 |
| E424 | 5 F |  |  |  | MOV | E, A |
| E425 | 0D |  |  |  | DCR | C |
| E426 | C2 | 05 | E4 |  | JNZ | LOOP 1 |
| E429 | C9 |  |  |  | RET |  |

Figure 10. 8080A Microprocessor Program that Decodes a 32 Character ASCII String Prior to Loading into the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER

These controllers have been designed to eliminate the burden of data handling between keyboard, display, and microprocessor. The product data sheet describes the technical function of the controllers in detail.

Interfacing the controller to microprocessor systems depends on the needs of the particular application. Figures 13a and 13b depict latched interfaces from a master microprocessor to the HDSP-247X series of controllers. These interfaces are utilized to avoid having the master processor wait for the controller to accept data.

In sophisticated systems, it may be desirable to have the HDSP-247X controller handle all of the keyboard/display interface while the microprocessor reads edited messages from the controller DATA OUT port. This function can be achieved through the use of peripheral interface adapters (PIA) available from the microprocessor manufacturers. Figure 14 depicts a 6800 based system in which data may enter the display from either a keyboard or a microprocessor. This interface uses a 6821 PIA configured so that PB7 controls whether the microprocessor or keyboard enters data into the controller. The 6800 program is shown in Figure 15. Subroutine "LOAD" uses $C A_{1}$ and $C A_{2}$ to provide a data entry handshake that allows the 6800 to load data into the controller as fast as the controller can accept it. After the prompting message has been loaded, the microprocessor turns the control of data entry over to the keyboard. A signal from the keyboard ("ER" in the example) sets a flag within the 6821. Depending on how the 6821 is configured, the microprocessor can either test the flag or allow the flag to automatically interrupt the microprocessor. Subroutine "READ" would then be used to read the DATA OUT


Figure 11a. 8080A Microprocessor Interface to the HDSP-2000 RAM CONTROLLER


Figure 12. HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER


Figure 11b. Memory Write Timing for the HDSP-2000 RAM CONTROLLER


Figure 13. Latched Interface to the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER


Figure 14. 6800 Microprocessor Interface Utilizing a 6820 PIA for an HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Terminal
outputs from the controller into the microprocessor system. The microprocessor uses the $\mathrm{CB}_{1}$ input of the 6821 PIA to determine when to read each of the 34 data output words into the system.
A similar PIA interface for the 8080A microprocessor is depicted in Figures 16 and 17.
The HDSP-247X series of controllers are programmed to default to "Left Entry" mode for a 32 character string of displays. If some other entry mode or string length is desired, it is necessary to either load the appropriate control word from the microprocessor or to provide a control word during POWER ON RESET. The controller
will read the DATA IN lines during RESET and interpret the contents as the control word. The circuit depicted in Figure 18 can be utilized to load any desired preprogrammed word into the HDSP-247X controller, during power on.

Under certain operating conditions, it may be desirable to vary the brightness of displays controlled by the HDSP247X controllers. The circuit depicted in Figure 19 may be utilized to provide manual brightness control of the display through pulse width modulation. Automatic control may be achieved by substituting an appropriate value photoconductor for potentiometer $\mathrm{R}_{1}$.

* PORT CONFIGURATION
- 1. PORT A:
PA0-PA7 OUTPUTS TO DATA IN OF HDSP-247X
$* \quad$ CA1 (INPUT) MODE 00 SET FLAG NEG EDGE OF READY
$*$ CA2 (OUTPUT) MODE 100 CLEARED MPU READ PRA, SET NEG EDGE OF READY
* 1. PORT B:

PB0-PB6 INPUTS DATA TO 6800 FROM DATA OUT OF HDSP-247X CB1 (INPUT) MODE 00 SETS FLAG NEG EDGE OF DATA VALID CB2 (INPUT) MODE 000 SETS FLAG NEG EDGE OF ER KEY CB2 (INPUT) MODE 001 SETS FLAG NEG EDGE OF ER KEY CAUSING IRQ

* PB7 (OUTPUT) LOW ENABLES PA0-PA7 TO MUX
* HIGH ENABLES KEYBOARD TO MUX

LOC OBJECT CODE SOURCE STATEMENT

|  | 8008 |  | PRA | EQU | \$8008 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 8008 |  | DRA | EQU | \$8008 |  |
|  | 8009 |  | CRA | EQU | \$8009 |  |
|  | 800A |  | PRB | EQU | \$800A |  |
|  | 800A |  | DRB | EQU | \$800A |  |
|  | 800B |  | CRB | EQU | \$800B |  |
| 0000 |  |  |  | ORG | \$0000 |  |
|  |  |  | MESSAGE | RMB | 2 |  |
|  |  |  |  | ORG | \$0100 |  |
| 0100 |  |  | STATUS | RMB | 1 |  |
| 0101 |  |  | CURSOR | RMB | 1 |  |
| 0102 |  |  | DATA | RMB | 32 |  |
|  |  |  |  | ORG | \$0400 |  |
| 0400 | CE | 0100 | READ | LDX | I, STATUS |  |
| 0403 | B6 | 800A | LOOP1 | LDA A | E, PRB | CLEAR CB1 AND CB2 |
| 0406 | 5F |  |  | CLR B |  |  |
| 0407 | 5C |  | LOOP2 | INC B |  |  |
| 0408 | B6 | 800B |  | LDA A | E, CRB |  |
| 040B | 2A | FA |  | BPL | LOOP2 | WAIT FOR DATA VALID |
| 040D |  | 0A |  | CMP B | I, 10 |  |
| 040F |  | F2 |  | BLS | LOOP 1 |  |
| 0411 |  | 21 |  | LDA B | I, 33 |  |
| 0413 | B6 | 800A | LOOP3 | LDA A | E, PRB | READ AND CLEAR CB1 |
| 0416 |  | 7 F |  | AND A | I, \$7F |  |
| 0418 | A7 | 00 |  | STA A | X, 0 | STORE IN RAM |
| 041A | B6 | 800B | LOOP4 | LDA A | E, CRB |  |
| 041D |  | FB |  | BPL | LOOP4 | WAIT FOR DATA VALID |
| 041 F | 08 |  |  | INX |  |  |
| 0420 | 5A |  |  | DEC B |  |  |
| 0421 | 26 | F0 |  | BNE | LOOP3 | READ DATA |
| 0423 | B6 | ${ }^{800 \mathrm{~A}}$ |  | LDA A | E, PRB |  |
| 0426 | 84 | 7 F |  | AND A | I, \$7F |  |
| 0428 | A7 | 00 |  | STA A | X, 0 |  |
| 042A | 39 |  |  | RTS |  |  |
| 042B |  | 00 | LOAD | LDX | D, MESSGE |  |
| 042D |  | 00 | LOOP10 | LDA A | X, 0 |  |
| 042F | 08 |  |  | INX |  |  |
| 0430 |  | FF |  | CMP A | I, \$FF | LAST WORD IN STRING |
| 0432 |  | OD |  | BEQ | ENDL | JUMP WHEN DONE |
| 0434 |  | 8008 |  | STA A | E, PRA |  |
| 0437 | 7D | 8008 |  | TST | E, PRA | CLEAR CA1 AND CA2 |
| 043A | B6 | 8009 | LOOP 11 | LDA A | E, CRA |  |
| 043D | 2A | FB |  | BPL | LOOP11 | WAIT |
| 043F | 20 | EC |  | BRA | LOOP10 |  |
| 0441 | DF | 00 | ENDL | STX | D, MESSGE |  |
| 0443 | 39 |  |  | RTS |  |  |


|  |  |  |  | ORG | \$0500 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0500 | 7F | 8009 | START | CLR | E, CRA |
| 0503 | 7F | 800B |  | CLR | E, CRB |
| 0506 | 86 | FF |  | LDA A | I, \$FF |
| 0508 | B7 | 8008 |  | STA A | E, DRA |
| 050B | 86 | 24 |  | LDA A | I, \$24 |
| 050D | B7 | 8009 |  | STA A | E, CRA |
| 0510 | 86 | 80 |  | LDA A | I, \$80 |
| 0512 | B7 | 800A |  | STA A | E, DRB |
| 0515 | 86 | 04 |  | LDA A | I, \$04 |
| 0517 | B7 | 800B |  | STA A | E, CRB |


|  |  | $*$ | PROCEDURE TO LOAD HDSP-247X SYSTEM |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 051A | OE | CLI |  |  |  |
| 051 E | 7 F | 800 A | CLR | E, PRB | DISABLE KEYBD FROM MUX |
| 051E | BD | 042 B | JSR | E, LOAD |  |


|  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0521 | 7D 800A | TST | E, PRB | CLEAR CB1, CB2 |
| 05.24 | 8680 | LDA A | I, \$80 |  |
| 0526 | B7 800A | STA A | E. PRB | ENABLE KEYBD TO MUX |
| 0529 | 86 0C | LDA A | I, \$0C |  |
| 042B | B7 800B | STA A | E. CRB | ENABLE IRQ, |
| 052 E . | 0 F | SEI |  | IRQ CAUSE JSR TO READ |

Figure 15. 6800 Microprocessor Program that Interfaces to the Circult shown in Figure 14.


Figure 16. 8080A Microprocessor Program that Interfaces to the Circult shown in Figure 17.


Figure 17. 8080A Microprocessor Interface Utilizing an 8255 PIA for an HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Terminal


Figure 18. External Circuitry to Load a Control Word into the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric System upon Reset


Figure 19. External CIrcuitry to Vary Luminous Intensity of the HDSP-2470/-2471/-2472 Alphanumeric Display System

| DECODER ADDRESS FOR FIG. 7a, 7b, 10 | DECODER ADDRESS FOR FIG. 6 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { HDSP-2471 } \\ & \text { ROM } \\ & \text { ADDRESS } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | HEXID | ECI | MAL | DAT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| E500 | 0600 | 080 | 08 | 30 | 45 | 70 | 70 | 38 | 7E | 30 | 60 | 1E | 3E | 62 | 40 | 08 | 38 | 41 | $\mathrm{COLUMN}_{1}$ |
|  |  | 090 | 10 | 18 | 5 E | 78 | 38 | 78 | 38 | 3 C | 38 | 3 C | 38 | 08 | 20 | 12 | 48 | 01 |  |
|  |  | OAO | 00 | 00 | 00 | 14 | 24 | 23 | 36 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 08 | 08 | 00 | 08 | 00 | 20 |  |
|  |  | OBO | 3E | 00 | 62 | 22 | 18 | 27 | 3C | 01 | 36 | 06 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 14 | 41 | 06 |  |
|  |  | OCO | 3E | 7E | 7 F | 3E | 7F | 7F | 7 F | 3E | 7 F | 00 | 20 | 7F | 7F | 7F | 7 F | 3E |  |
|  |  | 000 | 7F | 3E | 7F | 26 | 01 | 3F | 07 | 7 F | 63 | 03 | 61 | 00 | 02 | 41 | 04 | 40 |  |
|  |  | OEO | 00 | 38 | 7F | 38 | 38 | 38 | 08 | 08 | 7 F | 00 | 20 | 00 | 00 | 78 | 7 C | 38 |  |
|  |  | OFO | 7 C | 18 | 00 | 48 | 04 | 3C | 1C | 3C | 44 | 04 | 44 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 08 | 2A |  |
| E580 | 0680 | 100 | 1 C | 48 | 29 | 09 | 09 | 44 | 01 | 4A | 50 | 04 | 49 | 14 | 3 C | 7 C | 44 | 63 | $\mathrm{COLUMN}_{2}$ |
|  |  | 110 | 08 | 24 | 61 | 14 | 44 | 15 | 45 | 43 | 45 | 41 | 42 | 08 | 7E | 19 | 7E | 12 |  |
|  |  | 120 | 00 | 57 | 03 | 7 F | 2A | 13 | 49 | OB | 00 | 41 | 2A | 08 | 58 | 08 | 30 | 10 |  |
|  |  | 130 | 51 | 42 | 51 | 41 | 14 | 45 | 4A | 71 | 49 | 49 | 36 | 5B | 08 | 14 | 22 | 01 |  |
|  |  | 140 | 41 | 09 | 49 | 41 | 41 | 49 | 09 | 41 | 08 | 41 | 40 | 08 | 40 | 02 | 04 | 41 |  |
|  |  | 150 | 09 | 41 | 09 | 49 | 01 | 40 | 18 | 20 | 14 | 04 | 51 | 00 | 04 | 41 | 02 | 40 |  |
|  |  | 160 | 07 | 44 | 48 | 44 | 44 | 54 | 7E | 14 | 08 | 44 | 40 | 7F | 41 | 04 | 08 | 44 |  |
|  |  | 170 | 14 | 24 | 7C | 54 | 3E | 40 | 20 | 40 | 28 | 48 | 64 | 08 | 00 | 41 | 04 | 55 |  |
| E600 | 0700 | 180 | 3E | 45 | 11 | 11 | 05 | 44 | 29 | 40 | 48 | 04 | 49 | 08 | 20 | 04 | 44 | 55 | $\mathrm{COLUMN}_{3}$ |
|  |  | 190 | 78 | 7E | 01 | 15 | 45 | 14 | 44 | 42 | 44 | 40 | 40 | 2A | 02 | 15 | 49 | 7 C |  |
|  |  | 1A0 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 14 | 7F | 08 | 56 | 07 | 3E | 3E | 1 C | 3E | 38 | 08 | 30 | 08 |  |
|  |  | 1 BO | 49 | 7F | 49 | 49 | 12 | 45 | 49 | 09 | 49 | 49 | 36 | 3B | 14 | 14 | 14 | 51 |  |
|  |  | 1 CO | 5 D | 09 | 49 | 41 | 41 | 49 | 09 | 41 | 08 | 7F | 40 | 14 | 40 | OC | 08 | 41 |  |
|  |  | 100 | 09 | 51 | 19 | 49 | 7F | 40 | 60 | 18 | 08 | 78 | 49 | 7F | 08 | 7 F | 7F | 40 |  |
|  |  | 1 E | OB | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 54 | 09 | 54 | 04 | 70 | 44 | 10 | 7F | 18 | 04 | 44 |  |
|  |  | $1 F 0$ | 24 | 14 | 08 | 54 | 44 | 40 | 40 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 54 | 36 | 77 | 36 | 08 | 2A |  |
| E680 | 0780 | 200 | 7F | 40 | 29 | 21 | 05 | 38 | 2E | 49 | 50 | 38 | 49 | 10 | 20 | 7 C | 3 C | 49 | $\mathrm{COLUMN}_{4}$ |
|  |  | 210 | 08 | 24 | 61 | 14 | 3C | 15 | 3 D | 43 | 45 | 41 | 42 | 1C | 02 | 12 | 41 | 12 |  |
|  |  | 220 | 00 | 00 | 03 | 7F | 2A | 64 | 20 | 00 | 41 | 00 | 2A | 08 | 00 | 08 | 00 | 04 |  |
|  |  | 230 | 45 | 40 | 49 | 49 | 7F | 45 | 49 | 05 | 49 | 29 | 00 | 00 | 22 | 14 | 08 | 09 |  |
|  |  | 240 | 55 | 09 | 49 | 41 | 41 | 49 | 09 | 51 | 08 | 41 | 40 | 22 | 40 | 02 | 10 | 41 |  |
|  |  | 250 | 09 | 21 | 29 | 49 | 01 | 40 | 18 | 20 | 14 | 04 | 45 | 41 | 10 | 00 | 02 | 40 |  |
|  |  | 260 | 00 | 3C | 44 | 44 | 48 | 54 | 02 | 54 | 04 | 40 | 3D | 28 | 40 | 04 | 04 | 44 |  |
|  |  | 270 | 24 | 7 C | 04 | 54 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 40 | 28 | 08 | 4C | 41 | 00 | 08 | 10 | 55 |  |
| E700 | 0800 | 280 | 00 | 30 | 45 | 70 | 79 | 44 | 10 | 30 | 60 | 40 | 3E | 60 | 1 C | 02 | 04 | 41 | $\mathrm{COLUMN}_{5}$ |
|  |  | 290 | 04 | 18 | 5 E | 78 | 40 | 78 | 40 | 3 C | 38 | 3 C | 38 | 08 | 02 | 00 | 42 | 01 |  |
|  |  | 2AO | 00 | 00 | 00 | 14 | 12 | 62 | 50 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 08 | 08 | 00 | 08 | 00 | 02 |  |
|  |  | 2 BO | 3 E | 00 | 46 | 36 | 10 | 39 | 30 | 03 | 36 | 1E | 00 | 00 | 41 | 14 | 00 | 06 |  |
|  |  | 2 CO | 1 E | $7 E$ | 36 | 22 | 3E | 41 | 01 | 72 | 7 F | 00 | 3 F | 41 | 40 | 7 F | 7F | 3E |  |
|  |  | 200 | 06 | 5E | 46 | 32 | 01 | 3F | 07 | 7F | 63 | 03 | 43 | 41 | 20 | 00 | 04 | 40 |  |
|  |  | 2E0 | 00 | 40 | 38 | 20 | 7F | 08 | 00 | 3C | 78 | 00 | 00 | 44 | 00 | 78 | 78 | 38 |  |
|  |  | 2FO | 18 | 40 | 04 | 20 | 00 | 7C | 1C | 3 C | 44 | 04 | 44 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 08 | 2A |  |

Figure 20. 128 Character ASCII Decoder Table Used by the 6800 Refresh Program in Figure 6, 8080A Refresh Programs in Figures 7a, 7b, and 10, and the HDSP-2471 DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. Decoded 5x7 Display Font is shown in the HDSP-247X Data Sheet

## APPLICATION NOTE 1002

# Consideration of CTR Variations in Optically Coupled Isolator Circuit Designs 

## INTRODUCTION - Optocouplers Aging Problem

A persistent, and sometimes crucial, concern of designers using optocouplers is that of the current transfer ratio, CTR, changing with time. The CTR is defined as the ratio of the output current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$, of the optocoupler divided by the input current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, to the light emitting diode expressed as a percentage value at a specified input current. The resulting optocoupler's gain change, $\Delta \mathrm{CTR}^{+}$, with time is referred to as CTR degradation. This change, or degradation, must be accounted for if long, functional lifetime of a system is to be guaranteed.

A number of different sources for this degradation will be explained in the next section, but numerous studies have demonstrated that the predominant factor for degradation is reduction of the total photon flux being emitted from the LED, which, in turn, reduces the device's CTR. This degradation occurs to some extent in all optocouplers.
${ }^{+} \Delta C T R=$ CTR $_{\text {final }}-$ CTR $_{\text {initial }}$

## Causes

The main cause for CTR degradation is the reduction in efficiency of the light emitting diode within the optocoupler. Its quantum efficiency, $\eta$, defined as the total photons per electron of input current, decreases with time at a constant current. The LED current is comprised primarily of two components, a diffusion current component, and a space-charge recombination current:


Diffusion
Space-Charge Recombination
where $A$ and $B$ are independent of $V_{F}$, $q$ is electron
charge, k is Boltzmann's constant, T is temperature in degrees Kelvin, and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ is the forward voltage across the light emitting diode.

The diffusion current component is the important radiative current and the non-radiative current is the space-charge recombination current. Over time, at fixed $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$, the total current increases through an increase in the value of $B$. From another point of view, with fixed total current, if the space-charge recombination current increases, due to an increase in the value of $B$, then the diffusion current, the radiative component, will decrease. The specific reasons for this increase in the space-charge recombination current component with time are not fully understood.

The reduction in light output through an increase in the proportion of recombination current at a specific $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ is due to both the junction current density, J , and junction temperature, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}$. In any particular optocoupler, the emitter current density will be a function of not only the required current necessary to produce the desired output, but also of the junction geometry and of the resistivity of both the $P$ and N regions of the diode. For this reason, it is important not to operate a coupler at a current in excess of the manufacturer's maximum ratings. The junction temperature is a function of the coupler packaging, power dissipation and ambient temperature. As with current density, high $\mathrm{T}_{\mathbf{J}}$ will promote a more rapid increase in the proportion of recombination current.

The junction and IC detector temperature of HewlettPackard optocouplers can be calculated from the following expressions:

$$
\begin{align*}
& T_{J}=T_{A}+\theta_{J A}\left(V_{F} I_{F}\right)+\theta_{D-E}\left(V_{0} I_{0}+V_{c c} \prime_{c c}\right) \\
& T_{D}=T_{A}+\theta_{E-D}\left(V_{F} \prime_{F}\right)+\theta_{D A}\left(V_{0} I_{0}+V_{c c}{ }_{c c}\right) \tag{3}
\end{align*}
$$

where the $T_{J}$ is the junction temperature of the LED emitter, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{D}}$ is the junction temperature of the detector IC, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ is ambient temperature, and the thermal resistances are the emitter junction to ambient, $\theta_{\mathrm{JA}}=370^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}=\theta_{\mathrm{DA}}$ detector to ambient, and the detector to emitter thermal resistance is $\theta_{\text {D-E }}=170^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}=\theta_{\mathrm{E}-\mathrm{D}} . \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ are the forward LED voltage and current; $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{o}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{o}}$ are the output stage voltage, and current and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{cc}}$ are the power supply voltage and current to the device. In general, it is desirable to maintain $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}} \leqslant 125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

A useful model can be constructed to describe the basic optocoupler's parameters which are capable of influencing the current transfer ratio. The 6 N 135 optocoupler, Figure 1 is the simplest device and one which is easily accessible for needed parameter measurements. However, any optocoupler can be modeled in this fashion within its linear region. Figure 1 shows the system block diagram which yields the relationship of input current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, to output current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{o}}$. The resulting expression for CTR is:

CTR $=\frac{I_{\mathbf{o}}}{I_{F}}(100 \%)=K R \eta\left(I_{F}, t\right) \beta\left(I_{p}, t\right)$
where $K$ represents the total transmission factor of the optical path, generally considered a constant as is $R$, the responsivity of the photodetector, defined in terms of electrons of photocurrent per photon. $\eta$ is the quantum
efficiency of the emitter defined as the photons emitted per electron of input current and depends upon the level of input current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, and upon time. Finally, $\beta$ is the gain of the output amplifier and is dependent upon $I_{P}$, the photocurrent, and time. Temperature variations would, of course, cause changes in $\eta, \beta$ as well.

From Equation (4), a normalized change in CTR, at constant $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, can be expressed as:
$\frac{\Delta \mathbf{C T R}}{\mathbf{C T R}}=\left(\frac{\Delta \eta}{\eta}\right)_{\mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{F}}}+\left(\frac{\Delta \eta}{\eta}\right)_{\mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{F}}}\left(\frac{\partial \ln \beta}{\partial \ln \mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{P}}}\right)_{\mathbf{t}}+\left(\frac{\Delta \beta}{\beta}\right)_{\mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{P}}}$

The first term, $\Delta \eta / \eta$, represents the major contribution to $\Delta C T R$ due to the relative emitter efficiency change; generally, over time, $\Delta \eta$ is negative. This change is strongly related to the input current level, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, as discussed earlier and more elaboration will be given later. The second term, $(\Delta \eta / \eta) \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}} \quad\left(\partial \ln \beta / \partial \ln \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}\right)_{\mathrm{t}}$, represents a second order effect of a shift, positive or negative, in the operating point of the output amplifier as the emitter efficiency changes. The third term, $(\Delta \beta / \beta) \mathrm{IP}$, is a generally negligible effect which represents a positive or negative change in the output transistor gain over time. The parameters $K$ and $R$ are considered constants in this model.


Figure 1. System Model for an Optocoupler

## Degradation Model

In this section, an extensive test program conducted at Hewlett-Packard to characterize the CTR degradation of optocouplers is discussed. The development which will follow is mainly of interest to those concerned with reliability and quality assurance. From the basic data, the CTR degradation equations will be developed in order to predict the percentage change in CTR with time. Complete data and analysis of CTR degradation will be found in an internal Hewlett-Packard report.

This study is based on a total of 640 optocouplers of the 6 N 135 type (Figure 1) with $700 \mathrm{~nm} \mathrm{GaAs} .7{ }^{\mathrm{P}} .3$ LEDs from twenty different epitaxial growth lots representing a range of n-type doping and radiance. The 6N135 allows access to measurement of the emitter degradation via the relative percentage change in photodiode current, $\Delta \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}} / \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}$, as well as output amplifier $\beta$ change. Stress currents of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}=.6,7.5,25$ and 40 mA were applied to different groups of optocouplers, and at each measurement time of $\mathrm{t}=0,24,168,1000,2000,4000$ and 10,000 hours, measurement currents of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FM}}=.5,1.6,7.5,25$ and 40 mA were used to determine the CTR.

The important results to be noted are the following. First, a factor of major significance in the study of CTR degradation is the $\Delta \mathrm{CTR}$ varies as a function of the ratio of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}} / \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FM}} \equiv \mathrm{R}$. Large values of R will result in greater CTR degradation than at lower $R$ values with the same magnitude of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$. However, knowledge of the ratio of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}} / \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FM}}$ alone does not give a complete picture of degradation because $\triangle \mathrm{CTR}$ is also dependent upon the absolute magnitude of the stress current, $\left|\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}\right|$. The following data will allow the derivation of the necessary equations with which to predict $\Delta \mathrm{CTR}$ as a function of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FM}}$ and time.

Figure 2 displays the mean and mean plus $2 \sigma$ values of emitter degradation versus R for $1 \mathrm{~K}, 4 \mathrm{~K}$, and 10 K hours at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Accelerated degradation can be seen at larger R values.

The data of Figure 2 can be replotted to illustrate the percentage degradation versus time as a function of $R$. Figure 3 illustrates the mean and mean plus $2 \sigma$ distribution with $\mathrm{R}=1$ and 50 .

From this curve, a useful expression which relates the average degradation in emitter efficiency to time is obtained for the mean or mean plus $2 \sigma$ distributions. [The symbol "D" will refer to CTR degradation due solely to emitter degradation, $\Delta \eta / \eta$, whereas $\Delta \mathrm{CTR} / \mathrm{CTR}$ will refer to total CTR degradation as expressed in Equation (5)] .

$$
\begin{equation*}
D_{\bar{x}} \text { or } D_{\bar{x}}+2 \sigma \equiv \frac{-\Delta I_{P}}{I_{P}}=A_{o} R^{\alpha_{t} n(R)} \text { for } I_{F S}=\bar{I}_{F S} \text { in } \% \tag{6}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $t$ is in $10^{3}$ hours and $A_{o}$ and $\alpha$ differ for mean or mean plus $2 \sigma$. Equation (6) represents an average degradation corresponding to a specific $\mathrm{R}, \mathrm{t}$, and an average stress current $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$. A knowledge of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ and the actual device operating stress $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ can be utilized to correct D to reflect the absolute magnitude of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$. This will be shown in the development of Equations (11) and (13). The data shows that $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ increases with R and can be represented as follows:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\bar{I}_{F S}(R)=14.13+9.06 \log _{10} R \quad, T_{A}=25^{\circ} C \tag{7}
\end{equation*}
$$



Figure 2. Emitter Degradation vs. R (Ratio of Stress Current to Measurement Current) for $\mathbf{1 k}, \mathbf{4 k}$, and 10k Hours, Mean, Mean $+2 \sigma$ Distribution, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure 3. Degradation vs. Time at $R=1$ and $R=50$ for Mean, Mean $+2 \sigma$ Distributions, $\mathbf{T}_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathbf{C}$.

These equations are obtained from averaged degradation data versus $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ at different measurement times.

The expression for $n(R)$ was found to obey the relationship
$n(R)=.0475 \log _{10} R+.25$
$\mathrm{A}_{\mathrm{o}}$ and $\alpha$ were determined from degradation data versus R and are found in Figure 7, "Matrix of Coefficients."

Equation (6) gives a direct relationship between the average degradation, $\overline{\mathrm{D}}$, and time. As mentioned earlier, the magnitude of the stress current also determines the amount of degradation. In order to allow for the effect of $\left|\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}\right|$, empirical observations were made on D at different $I_{\text {FS }}$ and at different times for several values of R. The dependence of degradation on stress current is linear up to $I_{F S}=40 \mathrm{~mA}$, for all values of R . From these observations, the average rate of change, or slope, $S(R, t)$, of degradation D with $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ over time was found to behave in the following fashion for any R :
$S \equiv \frac{\partial D}{\partial I_{F S}}=\alpha(R) \log _{10} t+\beta(R) \quad \% / m A$
where $t$ is in $10^{3}$ hours, the coefficients $\alpha(R)$ and $\beta(R)$ can be found on Figure 7.

Along with Equation (10), the mean distribution degradation, $D_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}$, can be estimated for any specific stress current, $I_{F S}$, ratio $R$, and time $t$ via the subsequent expression:
$D_{\bar{x}}=\bar{D}_{\bar{x}}+S\left[I_{F S}-\bar{I}_{F S}\right] \quad \%$
or substituting Equation (6),
$D_{\bar{x}}=A_{o} R^{\alpha}{ }^{n(R)}+S\left[I_{F S}-\bar{I}_{F S}\right] \quad \%$
where, again, $D_{x}$ is the average degradation at time $t$, in units of $10^{3}$ hours, corresponding to a stress current, $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, given by Equations (7) and (8); $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ is the actual stress current and $\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}} / \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FM}}$; S is the expression (10) for the change of slope of $D$ versus $I_{F S}$ with time; $n(R)$ is a power of $t$, given by Equation (9), and $A_{0}, \alpha$ are found in Figure 7.

Equation (12) gives the mean distribution degradation by using a degradation value, $\overline{\mathrm{D}}$ (first term), corresponding to the ratio of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}} / \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FM}}$, or a stress current, $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, and then applying a correction quantity (second term) to $\overline{\mathrm{D}}$ due to the magnitude of the actual stress current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, yielding the actual degradation $D$.

The expression for the mean $+2 \sigma$ distribution degradation, $\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma$, (worst case) is almost of the same form as Equation (12). The dissimilarity arises from the fact that the standard deviation, $\sigma$, is dependent upon the stress current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, the ratio R , and upon time. This complex dependency was analytically deduced from the data to be the following expression:
$\mathbf{D}_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}+2 \sigma}=\overline{\mathrm{D}}_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}+2 \sigma}+[\mathrm{S}+2 \mathrm{P}]\left[I_{\mathrm{FS}}-\bar{T}_{\mathrm{FS}}\right] \%$
or substituting Equation (6)
$D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}=A_{0} R^{\alpha_{t} n(R)}+[S+2 P]\left[I_{F S}-T_{F S}\right]$
where $\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma$ is the degradation for $\overline{\mathrm{x}}+2 \sigma$ distribution corresponding to the stress current $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, Equations (7)
and (8). $A_{o}$ and $\alpha$ are found in Figure 7 under the $\bar{X}+2 \sigma$ category. $S$ [Equation (10)] represents the slope to correct for actual $I_{F S}$ versus $\bar{I}_{F S}$ current levels, and $P$ [Equation (15)] is the new term which is a slope to correct for the $a$ variation with $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}, \mathrm{R}$ and t . The coefficients $\gamma(\mathrm{R}), \delta(\mathrm{R})$ in $\mathbf{P}$ are found in Figure 7.
$P=\gamma(R) \log _{10} t+\delta(R) \quad \% / m A$
where $t$ is in $10^{3}$ hours.

The degradation Equations (11) and (13) are considered accurate for the ranges of $I_{F S} \leqslant 40 \mathrm{~mA}$ and $\mathrm{R} \leqslant 20$; outside this range, the model does not predict degradation as well. Hence, check to see if $I_{F S}$ and $R$ satisfy the above conditions. If $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ or R exceed these limits, predition of $D$ will be, in general, greater than the actual degradation due to large values for $S$ and $P$ which do not reflect actual $S$ and $P$. If $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ is approximately equal to the actual $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, then the second term in the degradation equations need not be determined. Otherwise, the second term needs to be determined to obtain true emitter degradation, D. If $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}<\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, then the degradation, D , will be less than the degradation, $\overline{\mathrm{D}}$, corresponding to $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$, and vice versa when $\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}>\overline{\mathrm{I}}_{\mathrm{FS}}$. A quick and coarse estimate for degradation $\overline{\mathrm{D}}$ can be obtained by using $\overline{\mathrm{D}}=\mathrm{A}_{0} \mathrm{R}^{\alpha} \mathrm{t}^{n(R)}$ for a specific $R$ with approximate values for $\alpha \approx 0.4$ and $n \approx 0.3$. Figure 4 represents plots of Equations (11) and (13) for $\mathrm{R}=1$ and $\mathrm{IFS}=1.6,6.3$, and 16 mA at both $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. These plots are very useful in making a quick approximation of $D$ for the specific conditions for which the plots have been made. These conditions represent the recommended operating conditions for the three HP optocoupler families.

This discussion of reliability data and its interpretation with model equations is qualified to specific optocouplers, 6N135 and 6N138, where continuous LED operation was maintained, and extrapolation of data for times beyond 10,000 hours is assumed to be valid. Different types of LEDs or preparation processes may produce different results than those presented in this section. These expressions only incorporate the first order effect, emitter degradation $\Delta \eta / \eta$, whereas comments about higher order effects upon total CTR degradation will be given in the following section. With these expressions for degradation, accelerated testing may be accomplished by employing large values of R. Such testing can provide a means by which to determine acceptable emitter lots for optocoupler fabrication, acceptable degradation performed for lot selection, or predict functional lifetime expectance for optocouplers under specific operational conditions.

An important point to note is that the total operational life of an optocoupler is greater than the worst case mean plus $2 \sigma$ distribution implies. Specifically, the worst case degradation given in Figures $4 \mathrm{a}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ and $4 \mathrm{~b}\left(85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ are for the continuous operation of the 6 N 135 optocoupler.

The actual lifetime for an optocoupler is greater than Figures 4 a and 4 b would indicate since the majority of units will be centered around the mean distribution lifetime. Secondly, the optocoupler which is operated at some signal duty factor less than $100 \%$, for example $50 \%$, would increase the optocoupler's life by a factor of two. Third, the fact that an optocoupler is used within equipment which may have a typical 2000 hours per year ( 8 hours/day - 5 days/week - 50 weeks/year) instrument or system operating time, could expect to increase the optocoupler's life by another factor of 4.4 in terms of years of useful life.


Figure 4. Calculated Curves of Relative Emitter Efficiency vs. Time for $P=1: I_{F S}=I_{F M}=1.6,6.3$, and 16mA which are Recommended IF for 6N138, 6N137, and 6N135 Optocouplers Respectively. Mean, Mean + 2 $\sigma$ Distributions. a) $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, b) $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

The appropriate operating time considerations will vary depending upon the designer's knowledge of the system in which the optocoupler will be used. The operating lifetime of an optocoupler can be expressed, for a maximum allowable degradation at a particular IFS, by using Figures 4 a and 4 b for $\mathrm{t}_{\text {continuous lifetime }}$ and the following expression:
$\underset{\text { continuous }}{\mathbf{t i f e t i m e}^{\text {con }}}=\left[\begin{array}{c}\mathrm{t}_{\text {system }} \\ \text { lifetime }\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{c}\text { Data Duty } \\ \text { Factor }\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{c}\text { System Use } \\ \text { Data Factor }\end{array}\right]$
(16)

Another equally important point to observe is that of the worst case conditions under which the optocoupler is used. As will be illustrated in the design examples, the worst possible combination of variations in $V_{\mathrm{cc} 1}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{cc} 2}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{in}}$, CTR, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}$, and temperature still result in the optocoupler functioning over an extended length of time ( $10^{5}$ hours) for a particular maximum allowable degradation. However, the likelihood of seven parameters all deviating in their worst directions at the same time is extremely remote. A thorough statistical error accumulation analysis would illustrate that this worst-worst case is not a representative situation from which to design.

## Higher Order Effects

The first order effect of emitter degradation, $\Delta \eta / \eta$, has a pronounced influence upon the $\Delta \mathrm{CTR}$ as explained in the previous sections; however, consideration of higher order effects is important as well.

Consider the second term in Equation (5) $(\Delta \eta / \eta) \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ $(\partial \operatorname{In} \beta / \partial \operatorname{InI} \mathrm{P})$ t, the emitter degradation part has been explained; however, $(\partial \operatorname{In} \beta / \partial \operatorname{InIP})_{t}$ represents a shift in the operating point of the output amplifier of an optocoupler. The term $\left(\partial \ln \beta / \partial \ln \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}\right)$ can be rewritten as $(1 / 2.3 \beta)\left(\partial \beta / \partial \log _{10} \mathrm{I} \mathrm{P}\right)$ which is more convenient to use with the accompanying typical curves of $\beta$ versus $\log _{10} I_{P}$ for the two optocouplers 6 N 135 and 6 N 138 , given in Figure 5a.

If the operating photocurrent, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}$, is to the right of the maximum $\beta$ point of either curve, then with reduced emitter efficiency over time, $I_{P}$ will decrease, but the increasing $\beta$ will tend to compensate for this degradation. However, if the operating $I_{P}$ is to the left of the maximum $\beta$ and then $I_{P}$ decreases, the $\beta$ change will accentuate the emitter's degradation, yielding a larger CTR loss. The magnitude of the contributions of $\partial \ln \beta / \partial \ln \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}$ to overall CTR degradation can be illustrated by the following examples.

Consider a 6 N 138 optocoupler of Figure 5 c operating at its recommended $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$ which corresponds to an $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}} \approx 1.6 \mu \mathrm{~A}$. (An $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ to $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}$ relationship for HewlettPackard optocouplers is 1 mA input current yields approximately $1 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ of photodiode current.) At $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}=1.6 \mu \mathrm{~A}$, the slope of the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CE}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ curve is equal to $-15,000$ and the
gain is $\beta=26,000$; hence, $\partial \ln \beta / \partial \ln \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}} \approx-0.25$. If, for instance, the emitter degradation $\Delta \eta / \eta$ is $-10 \%$, then the second order term would improve the overall CTR degradation, i.e.,

$$
\frac{\Delta \text { CTR }}{\operatorname{CTR}}=\left(\frac{\Delta \eta}{\eta}\right)+\left(\frac{\Delta \eta}{\eta}\right)\left(\frac{\partial \ln \beta}{\left.\partial \ln \right|_{\mathrm{P}}}\right)+\ldots=-10 \%+2.5 \%=-7.5 \%
$$

This improvement is what was expected while operating on the right side of the $\beta$ maximum. In fact, with an $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=4 \mathrm{~mA}$ or $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}} \approx 4 \mu \mathrm{~A}$, the term $\partial \ln \beta / \partial \ln \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}=-0.8$, and again, if $\Delta \eta / \eta=-10 \%$, the resulting $\Delta \mathrm{CTR} / \mathrm{CTR}=-2 \%$, nearly cancelling the emitter's degradation.


Figure 5. a) DC Current Gain, $\beta$, vs. Photocurrent, Ip, for 6N135 and 6N138 Optocouplers. Current Diagrams and Typical Values of $I_{F}$ and CTR for Hewlett-Packard Optocouplers, b) 6N135, c) 6 N 138 .

With the 6 N 135 optocoupler, Figure $5 b$ operating at $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=10 \mathrm{~mA}$, or $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}} \approx 10 \mu \mathrm{~A}$, which corresponds to the maximum $\beta$ point on the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CE}}=.4 \mathrm{~V}$ curve, the slope is zero and the total CTR degradation is basically the emitter's degradation.

Another subtle effect is seen from the third term in Equation (5), ( $\Delta \beta / \beta) \mathrm{I} P$, over time. At constant IP, $\beta$ can increase or decrease by a few percent over 10,000 hours. This change is so small that the third term is generally neglected.


Figure 6. a) Output Current, IO, vs. Photocurrent, Ip, for 6N137 Optocoupler.
b) Circuit Diagram and Typical Values of IF and CTR for 6N137 Optocoupler.

For the optocouplers containing an output amplifier, such as the 6 N 137 , which switches abruptly about a particular threshold input current, the actual emitter degradation can be determined from Equations (11) and (13). An appropriate $\mathrm{I}_{\text {initial }}$ can be determined to provide for adequate guard band current which will allow the optocoupler emitter to degrade while maintaining sufficient $I_{P}$ to switch the amplifier. An actual design procedure to determine the needed $I F_{\text {initial }}$ for proper operation of Hewlett-Packard optocouplers is given in the design examples section.

|  | MATRIX OF COEFFICIENTS |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
|  | $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$ | $\overline{\mathbf{X}}+2 \sigma$ | $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$ |  | $\overline{\mathrm{X}}+2 \sigma$ |  |
|  |  |  | $\mathrm{R}<6$ | 6 $\leqslant$ R | R<8 | $8 \leqslant R$ |
| A | 4.95 | 9.7 | 6.8 | 5.0 | 15.0 | 11.0 |
| $\alpha$ | . 388 | . 428 | . 302 | . 467 | . 284 | . 430 |
|  | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
|  | $\mathrm{R} \leqslant 1$ | $\mathrm{R} \geqslant 1$ | $\mathrm{R} \leqslant 1$ |  | $R \geqslant 1$ |  |
| $\alpha(\mathrm{R})$ | . $19 \mathrm{R}^{.052}$ | . $19 \mathrm{R}{ }^{.32}$ | . 32 R 08 |  | . 32 R ${ }^{30}$ |  |
| $\beta(\mathrm{R})$ | . 055 | . 055 R ${ }^{.68}$ | . 11 R | . 25 | . 11 | . 65 |
|  | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |
| $\gamma(\mathrm{R})$ | . 063 R ${ }^{\text {. }}$ |  | . 154 R ${ }^{26}$ |  |  |  |
| $\delta(\mathrm{R})$ | . 081 R ${ }^{.38}$ |  | . 196 R ${ }^{39}$ |  |  |  |

Figure 7. Matrix of Coefficients.

1. Specify $I_{\text {FS }}, I_{\text {FM }}$
2. Determine $R=I_{F S} / I_{F M} \leqslant \mathbf{2 0}$

Degradation Model Equations (11) and (13) Valid
3. First Approximation of Degradation

$$
\begin{array}{cc}
\bar{D}_{\bar{x}}=A_{o} R^{\alpha} t^{n} & \text { (\%) } \quad \text { with } \alpha \approx .4, A_{o}(\text { Figure } 7) \\
\text { or } & n \approx .3, t \text { in } 10^{3} \text { hours } \\
\bar{x}+2 \sigma & \\
& \\
& \\
& \\
& \\
& \text { corresponds to } \left.I_{F S}\right)
\end{array}
$$

4. Calculate $\bar{I}_{F S}=\left\{\begin{array}{l}14.13+9.06 \log _{10} R @ 25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \\ 10.5+5.76 \log _{10} R @ 85^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \\ \text { If } \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}} \approx \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}, \text { Step } 6 \text { and the second terms in }\end{array}\right.$ Equations (11) and (13) do not need to be calculated.
5. Calculate $n(R)=.0475 \log _{10} R+.25$
6. Calculate

$$
\mathbf{S}=\alpha(\mathbf{R}) \log _{10} t+\beta(\mathbf{R})
$$

$$
\alpha(R), \beta(R) \quad \text { Figure } 7
$$

Equation (7)
Equation (8)

$$
P=\gamma(R) \log _{10} t+\delta(R)
$$

7. Calculate Mean, Mean + 2 $\sigma$ Degradation

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
D_{\bar{x}}=A_{o} R^{\alpha_{t}}{ }^{n(R)}+S\left[I_{F S}-I_{F S}\right] & \% \\
D_{\bar{x}}+2 \sigma=A_{o} R^{\alpha_{t}}{ }^{n(R)}+[S+2 P]\left[I_{F S}-I_{F S}\right] & \% \\
\left(A_{0}, \alpha \text { via Figure } 7, t \text { in } 10^{3} \text { hours }\right) &
\end{array}
$$

8 For Second Order Effect, Determine Slope

$$
\frac{\partial \ln \beta}{\partial \ln I_{P}}=\frac{1}{2.3 \beta} \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial \log _{10^{\prime} P}} \quad \begin{aligned}
& \text { Figure } 5 a-\text { typical curves with an approximation } \\
& \text { for } H P \text { optocouplers of } I_{F}=1 \mathrm{~mA} \text { yields } I_{P} \approx 1 \mu \mathrm{~A}
\end{aligned}
$$

9a. Total CTR Degradation for Mean Distribution

$$
\frac{\Delta C T R}{\text { CTR }}=D_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}}+D_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}} \frac{\partial \ln \beta}{\partial \ln I_{P}}
$$

9b. Total CTR Degradation for Mean $+2 \sigma$ Distribution

$$
\frac{\Delta C T R}{C T R}=D_{\bar{x}}+2 \sigma+D_{\bar{x}}+2 \sigma \frac{\partial \ln \beta}{\partial \ln i_{P}}
$$

## Practical Application

A very common application of an optocoupler is to function as the interfacing element between digital logic. In this section, the designer will be shown an approach which will insure the initial and long term performance of such an interface, and take into account the practical aspects of the system that surrounds it. These system elements include the data rate, the logic families being interfaced, the variations of the power supply, the tolerances of the components used, the operational temperature range, and lastly the expected lifetime of the system.

The system data speed can be considered as the primary selection criteria for selecting a specific optocoupler family. Figure 9 lists the ranges of data rates for four HewlettPackard optocoupler families when driven at specified LED input current, IF. With this table, and the knowledge of the system data rate requirements, it is possible to select an optimum coupler.

An example of an optocoupler interconnecting two logic gates is shown in Figure 8. A logic low level is insured when the saturated output sinking current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$, is greater than the combined sourcing currents of the pull-up resistor, and the logic low input current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}$, of the interconnecting gate. Using the coupler specifications selected from Figure 9 and the corresponding CTR (MIN) from Figure 10,


Figure 8. Typical Digital Interface Using an Optocoupler.

$$
\begin{align*}
& I_{F(M I N)}=\frac{v_{c c 1}(M I N)-V_{F(M A X)}-v_{O L}}{R_{\text {in }}(M A X)}  \tag{18}\\
& I_{F \text { (MAX) }}=\frac{V_{\text {cc1 }} \text { (MAX) }-V_{F(M I N)}-v_{O L}}{R_{\text {in (MIN) }}} \tag{19}
\end{align*}
$$

$$
\begin{align*}
& I_{F}=\frac{I_{0} \times 100}{\operatorname{CTR}(\text { MIN })}  \tag{20}\\
& R_{\text {in }}=\frac{v_{\text {cc1 }}-v_{F}-v_{O L}}{I_{F}} \tag{21}
\end{align*}
$$

| FAMILY | NRZ DATA RATE BITS/S | INPUT CURRENT - IF |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | . 5 mA | 1.0 mA | 1.6 mA | 7.5 mA | 10 mA | 12 mA | 16 mA |
|  | MIN |  |  |  |  |  |  | 333k |
| $\checkmark$ | TYP |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2M |
|  | MIN | 12k |  | 22k |  |  | 125k |  |
| [ $4^{5030}$ | TYP | 100k |  | 200k |  |  | 840k |  |
|  | MIN |  |  |  |  | 1.8k |  |  |
|  | TYP |  | 640 |  |  | 6.5k |  |  |
| 6N137 <br> $14 \mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{cc}}{ }^{8}$ <br> ANODE [2] $7 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{E}}$ | MIN |  |  |  | 6.7M |  |  |  |
| GATE 杖 GND 5 | TYP |  |  |  | 10M |  |  |  |

Figure 9. Figure 13.5-2. Optocoupler Data Rates Specifications.

| FAMILY |  | \% CTR @ $I_{F}=(m A)$ |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { TEMP } \\ & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | $v_{\mathrm{OL}}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | . 5 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 5 | 10 | 16 |  |  |
| SINGLE <br> TRANSISTOR | 6N135 |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 25 | 0.4 |
|  | 6N136 |  |  |  |  |  | 19 |  |  |
| SPLIT DARLINGTON | 6N138 |  | 300 |  |  |  |  | 0-70 | 0.4 |
|  | 6N139 | 400 | 500 |  |  |  |  | 0-70 | 0.4 |
| DARLINGTON | 4N45 |  | 250 |  |  | 200 |  | 0-70 | 1.0 |
|  | 4N46 | 350 | 500 |  |  | 200 |  | 0-70 | 1.0 |
| OPTICALLY COUPLED GATE | 6N137 |  |  |  | 400 |  |  | 0-70 | 0.6 |

Figure 10. Optocoupler CTR (MIN).
it is possible to determine from Equation (20) the minimum initial value of $I_{F}$ for the coupler. The design criteria is that $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}} \geqslant \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}+\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$ for the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IL}}$ specified in Figure 11.

Using Equation (21), the typical value of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{in}}$ can be calculated for the selected $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ and the logic low output voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$, of the driving gate. The $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ of the logic family is given in Figure 11. The next step is to determine the worst case value of the LED input current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$, resulting from the tolerance variations of the LED current limiting resistor, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{in}}$, and the power supply voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc} 1}$. The conditions of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (MIN) and the initial CTR (MIN) are then used to determine the initial worst case value of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}(\mathrm{MIN}) \text {. Conversely, the worst case CTR }}$ degradation will occur when the LED is stressed at $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (MAX) conditions; thus, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (MAX) will be used to determine the worst case degradation of the optocoupler performance. Using the maximum $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc} 1}$ and the minimum $\mathrm{R}_{\text {in }}$ will accomplish this worst case calculation, as shown in Equation (19).

| TTL FAMILY | $I_{I L}$ | $V_{I L}$ | $I_{I H}$ | $V_{I H}$ | $I_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $V_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $I_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 74 S | -2 mA | .8 V | $50 \mu \mathrm{AA}$ | 2 V | 20 mA | .5 V | $-1000 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2.7 V |
| 74 H | -2 mA | .8 V | $50 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2 V | 20 mA | .4 V | $-500 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2.4 V |
| 74 | -1.6 mA | .8 V | $40 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2 V | 16 mA | .4 V | $-400 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2.4 V |
| 74 LS | -.36 mA | .8 V | $20 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2 V | 8 mA | .5 V | $-400 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2.7 V |
| 74 L | -.18 mA | .7 V | $10 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2 V | 3.6 mA | .4 V | $-200 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ | 2.4 V |

Figure 11. Logic Interface Parameters.
The change in CTR from the initial value at time $t=0$ to a final value at some later time can be compensated by
choosing a value of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ which is consistent with $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{o}(\mathrm{MIN})}-\mathrm{mI}_{\mathrm{IL}}$ at the end of system life. Equation (22) describes this worst case calculation.
(22)

$\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{x}}+2 \sigma=$ worst case CTR degradation
The selection of the maximum value of $R_{L}$ is also of important in that its value insures that the collector is pulled up to the logic one voltage conditions, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IH}}$, under the conditions of maximum $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ of the coupler, and the ${ }^{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IH}}}$ of the interconnecting gate.
$R_{L(M A X)} \leqslant \frac{V_{c c 2}(\text { MIN })^{-} V_{I H}}{\mathrm{IOH}_{(\text {MAX }}+m \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IH}}}$
The selection of the value of $R_{L}$ between the boundaries of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L} \text { (MIN), }}$, and $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ (MAX) has certain trade offs. As in any open collector logic system, $\mathrm{T}_{\text {PLH }}$ increases with increasing $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$. Conversely, as $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ is increased above $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{LMIN}}$, a larger guardband between $\mathrm{I}_{\text {OMIN }}$ and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}+\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}$ is achieved. Engineering judgement should be employed here to achieve the optimum trade off for desired performance.

Using the coefficient Figure 7 and Equations (11) and (13), the following examples are developed to demonstrate the methods of optocoupler system design in the presence of the mean and mean plus two sigma CTR degradation.

## Example 1.

## System Specifications

Data Rate
Logic Family
Power Supply $1 \& 2$
Component Tolerances
Temperature Range
Expected System Lifetime

20 k bit NRZ
Standard TTL
$5 \mathrm{~V} \pm 5$
$\pm 5 \%$
$0-70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
$350 \mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr} \mathrm{(40} \mathrm{yr)} \mathrm{at} 50 \%$ system use time and 50\% Data Duty Factor
$I_{F(\text { MIN })}=\frac{4.75-1.7-.4}{1890 \Omega}=1.4 \mathrm{~mA}$

Step 3. $I_{F}$ (MAX)
$I_{F(\text { MAX })}=\frac{V_{c c 1} \text { (MAX) }-V_{F(\text { MIN })}-V_{O L}}{R_{\text {in (MIN) }}}$
$I_{F(M A X)}=\frac{5.25-1.4-.4}{1710 \Omega}=2.02 \mathrm{~mA}$

Step 4. Determine continuous operation time for LED emitter.

Interface Specifications
$\underline{\text { Coupler 6N139 }}$
CTR (MIN) $=500 \% @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}(\mathrm{MAX})}=.4 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$
$\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}(\mathrm{MAX})}=250 \mu \mathrm{~A} @ \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{cc} 2}=7 \mathrm{~V}$
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}(\mathrm{MAX})}=1.7 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$
$\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{F}(\mathrm{MIN})}=1.4 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$
$\mathrm{F}(\mathrm{MIN})$
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}(\mathrm{TYP})}=1.6 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$
Logic Standard TTL

| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}$ | $=1.6 \mathrm{~mA}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IH}}$ | $=40 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| ---: | :--- | ---: | :--- |
| $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IL}}$ | $=.8 \mathrm{~V}$ | $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IH}}$ | $=2 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ | $I_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | $=400 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $=.4 \mathrm{~V}$ | $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | $=2.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |

Step 1. $\quad R_{\text {in }}$ (TYP)
$R_{i n}=\frac{V_{c c 1}-V_{F(T Y P)}-V_{O L}}{I_{F}(T Y P)}$
$\left.\left.R_{\text {in }}=\frac{5.0-1.6-.4}{1.6 \times 10^{-3}}=\begin{array}{l}1.87 \mathrm{k} \Omega \text {, select } 1.8 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm 5 \% \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ R_{(\text {MIN })}=1710 \Omega\end{array}\right)=1890 \Omega\right)$

Step 2. $I_{\text {F (MAX) }}$
$I_{F(\text { MIN })}=\frac{V_{\text {cc1 }} \text { (MIN) }-V_{F(M A X)}-V_{O L}}{R_{\text {in (MAX) }}}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \begin{array}{c}
\mathbf{t}_{\text {continuous }} \\
\text { lifetime }
\end{array}=\left[\begin{array}{c}
\mathrm{t}_{\text {system }} \\
\text { lifetime }
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{c}
\text { Data Duty } \\
\text { Factor }
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{l}
\text { System Use } \\
\text { Duty Factor }
\end{array}\right] \\
&=(40 \mathrm{yr} \times 8.76 \mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr} / \mathrm{yr})(50 \%)(50 \%) \\
& \mathrm{t}_{\text {continuous }}^{\text {cifetime }}
\end{aligned}=87.60 \mathrm{~K} \mathrm{hr}
$$

Step 5. Obtain the mean and mean $+2 \sigma$ CTR degradation at $I_{F}$ (MAX) and ${ }^{t}$ continuous lifetime ${ }^{\text {either as an }}$ approximation from Figure 4 or by calculations as shown below.

Step 5a. Determine $D_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}}$
$D_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}=\mathrm{A}_{\mathrm{o}} \mathrm{r}^{25}+\mathrm{S}\left[\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}-\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{FS}}\right]$
$\left.D_{\bar{x}}=4.95 t_{(k ~ h r}{ }^{.25}+\left[.186 \log t_{(k ~ h r}\right)+.055\right]$
$\left[I_{\text {(MAX) }}-14.13 \mathrm{~mA}\right]$
$D_{\bar{x}}=4.95(87.6) .25+(.186 \log 87.6+.055)$
( $2.02 \mathrm{~mA}-14.13 \mathrm{~mA})$
$D_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}}=10.10 \%$ for 40 yr system operation
Step 5b. Determine $\overline{\mathrm{D}}_{\mathrm{x}}+2 \sigma$
$D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}=A_{o} t^{25}+[S+2 P]\left[I_{F S}+\bar{I}_{F S}\right]$
$\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma=9.7 \mathrm{t}(\mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr}) .25+\left[2\left(.063 \log \mathrm{t}_{(\mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr})}+.081\right)\right.$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left.\left.+\left(.186 \log t_{(k ~ h r}\right)+.055\right)\right] \\
& \times\left[I_{F(M A X)}-14.13 \mathrm{~mA}\right] \\
D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}= & 9.7(87.6)^{.25}+[2(.063 \log 87.6+.081) \\
& +(.186 \log 87.6+.055)] \\
& x[2.02 \mathrm{~mA}-14.13 \mathrm{~mA}] \\
D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}= & 19.71 \%
\end{aligned}
$$

## Step 6. Guardband the worst case value of CTR

 degradation.It is often desirable to add some additional operating margin over and above conditions dictated by simple worst case analysis. The use of engineering judgement to increase the worst possible CTR degradation by an additional $5 \%$ margin would insure that the entire distribution would fall within the analysis. Thus,
$D_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma+5 \%=24.71 \%$

## Step 7. Selecting $R_{L}($ MIN $)$ for guardbanded worst case

$D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}+5 \% \quad, m=1$


$R_{L(M I N)}=1.32 \mathrm{k} \Omega$

Step 8. $\quad$ Select $R_{L}$ (MAX)
(29)
$R_{L(M A X)} \leqslant \frac{V_{c c 2}(M A X)-V_{O L}}{I_{O H}(M A X)+m I_{I H}}$
$R_{L(M A X)} \leqslant \frac{4.75-2.4}{250 \mu A+40 \mu A}=8.1 k$

The range of $R_{L}$ is from $1.32 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ to $8.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. It is desirable to select a pull-up resistor which optimizes both speed performance and additional $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ guardband. This criteria leads to a tradeoff between a value close to $R_{L}$ (MIN) for speed performance and one bordering near RL(MAX) for $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ guardbanding. In this design example, the system's lifetime has a higher priority than does the moderate speed performance demanded from the optocoupler. An $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ of $3.3 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm 5 \%$ is selected under this condition.

An additional guardband of $5 \%$ was added to the worst case $\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma$ CTR degradation guardband to insure that even a greater percentage of the distribution would be accounted for. The actual percentage difference between $I_{O L}$ (MAX) and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (MIN) ${ }^{\text {at the end of system life is shown below: }}$

$I_{O L}(M A X)=\frac{V_{c c 2}(M A X)-V_{O L}}{R_{L(T Y P-5 \%)}}+m\left|I_{I L}\right|$
\% Guardband $=\left[1-\frac{I_{O L}(\text { MAX })}{I_{O}(\text { MIN ) }}\right] \times 100$
For the example shown, the additional end of system life $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ guardband results from the selection of an $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ greater than the $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ (MIN) ${ }^{\text {as shown in Steps } 9,10 \text {, and } 11 \text {. }}$

Step 9. $\quad \mathbf{O}$ (MIN) ${ }^{\text {at end }}$ of system life
$I_{0(\text { MIN })}=\frac{500 \% \cdot 1.4 \mathrm{~mA} \cdot\left(1-\begin{array}{c}19.17 \% \\ 100\end{array}\right)}{100}=5.65 \mathrm{~mA}$
Step 10. $I_{O L}($ MAX $)$ for worst case of $I_{R(M A X)}+I_{I L}$
$I_{O L}($ MAX $)=\frac{5.25-.4}{3.13 \mathrm{k} \Omega}+1.6 \mathrm{~mA}=3.14 \mathrm{~mA}$
Step 11. \% Guardband
$\%=1-\frac{3.14 \mathrm{~mA}}{5.65 \mathrm{~mA}} \quad 100=44.4 \%$

Thus, this circuit interface design offers an additional 44.4\% $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ guardband beyond the $19.71 \%$ required to compensate for the CTR change caused by 86.7 k hr of continuous operation at an $I_{F}$ (MAX) of 2 mA . This extra guardband results from having chosen an $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=3.3 \mathrm{k}$ rather than the lowest allowable value of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ plus the engineering guardband chosen in Step 6.

## Example 2.

## System Specifications

| Data Rate | 250 K bit NRZ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Logic Family | TTL to LSTTL |
| Power Supply 1 and 2 | $5 \mathrm{~V} \pm 5 \%$ |
| Component Tolerance | $\pm 5 \%$ |
| Temperature Range | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Expected System Lifetime | $175 \mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr} \mathrm{(20} \mathrm{yr)} \mathrm{at}$ |
|  | $50 \%$ System Use Time |
|  | and $50 \%$ Data Duty |
|  | Factor |

## Interface Conditions

Coupler 6N136

| $\mathrm{CTR}_{(\mathrm{MIN})}$ | $=19 \% @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $=.4 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | $=500 \mathrm{nA} @ \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{cc} 2}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{F}(\mathrm{TYP})}$ | $=1.6 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\left.\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{F}} \mathrm{MIN}\right)$ | $=1.5 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{F}(\mathrm{MAX})}$ | $=1.7 \mathrm{~V} @ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=16 \mathrm{~mA}$ |

Logic LSTTL
$\begin{array}{ll}\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}=.36 \mathrm{~mA} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OL}}=8 \mathrm{~mA} \\ \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IL}}=.8 \mathrm{~V} & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OL}}=.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IH}}=40 \mu \mathrm{~A} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}=400 \mu \mathrm{~A} \\ \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{IH}}=2 \mathrm{~V} & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OH}}=2.7 \mathrm{~V}\end{array}$
Again using Figure 7, the data rate dictates the use of a 6 N 136 at an $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (TYP) of 16 mA . Using the same 12 step worst case analysis, it is possible to determine the values of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{in}}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ and the degree of guardbanding of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ at end of system lifetime.

Step 1. $R_{\text {in }}=187 \Omega$, select $180 \Omega \pm 5 \%$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& R_{L}(M I N)=179 \Omega \\
& R_{L}(M A X)=189 \Omega
\end{aligned}
$$

Step 2. $\quad I_{F(M I N)}=14.02 \mathrm{~mA}$
Step 3. $I_{F(M A X)}=19 \mathrm{~mA}$

Step 4. System Lifetime
$t=43.8 \mathrm{khr}$

Step 5. $D_{\bar{x}}$ and $D_{\bar{x}}+2 \sigma^{\text {for }} I_{F}(M A X)$ of 19 mA
by calculation or from Figure 4
\(\left.\begin{array}{l}D_{\bar{x}}=14.5 \% <br>

D_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}}+2 \sigma=28.5 \%\end{array}\right\} \quad\)| 43.8 k hr |
| :--- |
| continuous lifetime |

Step 6. Engineering Guardband of 5\%,

$$
D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}+5 \%=33.5 \%
$$

Step 7. $\quad R_{L}$ selection with guardbanding of $D_{X+2 \sigma}+5 \%$
$R_{L(\text { MIN })}=3.44 k \Omega$
Step 8. $R_{L}(M A X)=50 k \Omega$
Step 9. $\quad R_{L(T Y P)}=5.1 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm 5 \%, R_{L}(T Y P-5 \%)$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =4.84 \mathrm{k} \Omega, R_{\mathrm{L}}(\mathrm{MAX}+5 \%) \\
& =5.35 \mathrm{k} \Omega
\end{aligned}
$$

Step 10. End of System Life $\mathbf{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (MIN)

$$
{ }^{1} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{MIN})=1.5 \mathrm{~mA}
$$

Step 11. $\mathbf{I O L}_{(\mathrm{MAX})}=1.36 \mathrm{~mA}$
Step 12. Engineering \% Guardband of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$ (MIN) $=9.3 \%$

## Example 3.

If a particular design requirements specifies a maximur tolerable degradation over a system lifetime, the optimun. value of IF (TYP) can be obtained from Figure 12. For example, if a maximum acceptable degradation, $\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma$, is $40 \%$, and a continuous operation of 400 k hr is desired, this curve specifies that $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (TYP) should be less than or equal to 10 mA . A 400 k hr continuous operation with $100 \%$ system duty factor as might be encountered in telephone switching equipment is equivalent to 45 years of system lifetime.

If a 6 N139 split Darlington were used to interface an LSTTL logic gate with the system specifications stated, a collector pull-up resistor of as low as $160 \Omega$ could be used. If an $R_{L}$ of 1 k were selected, this optocoupler would offer an additional end of life guardband of $81.8 \%$. This worst case analysis points out that with the knowledge of selecting proper values of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$, the CTR performance of the


Figure 12. Stress Current ( $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FS}}$ ) vs. Time vs. \% Degradation.
coupler far exceeds the normal MTBF requirements for most commercial electronic systems.

## Consideration of the Optically Coupled Gate

System data speed requirements in the multi-megabit range can also be communicated through an optocoupler. The first three coupler families listed in Figure 9 are not applicable in these very high speed data interface applications; however, the optically coupled gate, 6N137, will function to speeds of up to 10 MHz . This type of coupler differs in operation from the single transistor and Darlington style units in that it exhibits a non-linear transfer relationship of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ to $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$. This is shown in Figure 13. The relationship is described as a minimum threshold of LED input current, IFth which is required to cause the output transistor to sink the current supplied by the pull-up resistor and interconnected gate. As the LED degrades, the effect is that a larger value of $I_{F}$ th is required to create the same detector photodiode current necessary to switch the output gate.

In the previous interface examples, the worst case analysis and guardbanding is based on the output collector current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{O}}$. With the optically coupled gate, worst case guardbanding is concerned with the selection of the initial value of the $I_{F}$, which at end of system lifetime will generate the necessary threshold photocurrent demanded by the gate's amplifier to change state.


Figure 13. 6N137 Input - Output Characteristics.

The calculation of the required $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ to allow for worst case LED degradation is approached by guardbanding the guaranteed minimum isolator input current, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{FH}}$, for a specified IOL and VOL interface. Equation (35) shows the relationship of the IP to $I_{F}$ for this coupler.

$$
\begin{equation*}
I_{P} \alpha\left(I_{F}\right)^{n} \quad, \text { where } 1.1 \leqslant n \leqslant 1.3 \tag{35}
\end{equation*}
$$

Using the concept that the guardbanding of the initial value of $I_{F}$ will result in a similarly guardbanded $I_{P}$, the relationship presented in Equation (36) results:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left[1-\frac{\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma}{100}\right]=\left[\frac{I_{\mathrm{PH}}}{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}}\right]=\left[\frac{I_{\mathrm{FH}}}{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}}\right]^{\mathrm{n}} \tag{36}
\end{equation*}
$$

$I_{F}=\frac{I_{F H}}{\left[1-\frac{\mathrm{D}_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}}{100}\right]^{n}}$

The previous interface example showed that the first term of the $\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{X}}+2 \sigma$ equation dominated the magnitude of the worst case degradation. This term, $A_{0} R^{\alpha} t^{n(R)}$, i.e., ( $9.7 \mathrm{t}_{(\mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr})}{ }^{.25}$ ), does not contain an $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ current dependent term; thus, an approximation of the worst case LED degradation can be made that relates to the system's lifetime. This initial value of $\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{x}}+2 \sigma$ can be used in Equation (37) to calculate the initial value of the IF. With this initial IF, a more accurate degradation value can be calculated using Equation (28). This procedure results in an iterative process to zero in on a value of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ that will insure reliable operation.

The following example will illustrate this approach.

## Example 4.

## System Specifications

| Data Rate | 6 MHz NRZ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Logic Family | LSTTL to TTL |
| Power Supply 1 and 2 | $5 \mathrm{~V} \pm 5 \%$ |
| Component Tolerance | $\pm 5 \%$ |
| Temperature Range | $0-70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Expected System Lifetime | $203 \mathrm{kr}(23$ yr) at $50 \%$ |
|  | System Use Time and |
|  | $50 \%$ Data Duty Factor |

Step 1. Determine the continuous operation time for LED emitter


Step 2. Calculate the worst case LED degradation
$\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{x}+2 \sigma} \approx 9.7 \mathrm{t}_{(\mathrm{k} \mathrm{hr})} .25$
$D_{x+2 \sigma} \approx 9.7(50.3) .25$
$D_{x+2 \sigma} \approx 26 \%$
Step 3. Calculate the first approximation of guardbanded $I_{F}, n=1.2$
$I_{F}=\frac{I_{F H}}{\left[1-\frac{\left(\approx D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}\right)}{100}\right]^{1 / n}}=\frac{5 \mathrm{~mA}}{.78}=6.41 \mathrm{~mA}$

Step 4. Calculate input resistor $\mathbf{R}_{\text {in }}$
$R_{i n} \leqslant \frac{V_{c c 1}(\text { MIN })-V_{F(M A X)}-V_{O L}}{I_{F}}$
$R_{\text {in }} \leqslant \frac{4.75-1.7-.4}{.00641}$
$R_{\text {in }} \leqslant 413 \Omega$ selecf $R_{\text {in }}=390 \Omega \pm 5 \%$
Rin (MAX)
$R_{\text {in }(M A X)}=409 \Omega$
$R_{\text {in (MIN) }}=370 \Omega$

Step 5. Calculate the $I_{F}($ MAX $)$
$I_{F(\text { MAX })}=\frac{V_{\text {cc1 }} \text { (MAX) }-V_{F(\text { MIN })}-V_{\text {OL }}}{R_{\text {in (MIN) }}}$
$I_{F}=\frac{5.25-1.4 \cdot .4}{370}$
$I_{F}=9.32 \mathrm{~mA}$

Step 6. Calculate the worst case $\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}}+2 \sigma^{\text {for }} \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (MAX)
$D_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}+2 \sigma}=25.8 \%+.747(9.32 \mathrm{~mA}-14.13 \mathrm{~mA})$
$D_{\bar{x}+2 \sigma}=22.2 \%$

Step 7. Calculate the new minimum required $I_{F}$ at end of life based on degradation found in Step 6.
$I_{(E O L)}=\frac{I_{F H}}{\left[1-\frac{22.2}{100}\right]^{1 / 1.2}}=\frac{5}{.81}=6.16 \mathrm{~mA}$
Step 8. Calculate $I_{F}$ (MIN)
$\left.I_{F(\text { MIN })}=\frac{V_{c c 1}(\text { MIN })}{}-V_{F(\text { MAX })}-V_{O L}\right) ~ R_{\text {in (MAX) }}$
$I_{F(M I N)}=\frac{4.75-1.7-.4}{409}$
$I^{(\mathrm{MIN})}=6.47 \mathrm{~mA}$

Step 9. $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}($ MIN $) \quad, m=1$
$R_{L(M I N)}=\frac{V_{c c 2}(M A X)-V_{O L}}{I_{O L}(M I N)^{-m I_{I L}}}$

$$
=\frac{5.25-.6}{.016-.0016}
$$

$R_{L(\text { MIN })}=332 \Omega$
Step 10. $R_{L}(M A X) \quad, m=1$
$R_{L}(M A X)=\frac{v_{c c 2}(M A X)-V_{O H}}{I_{O H}(M A X)+m I_{I H}}$
$R_{L(M A X)}=\frac{4.75-2.4}{250 \mu A+40 \mu A}$
$R_{L(M A X)}=8.1 k \Omega$

Step 11. Minimum \% Emitter Degradation Guardband
$\%_{(M I N)}=\left[1-\frac{I_{F}(E O L)}{I_{F}(M I N)} \quad 100\right]$
$4.8 \%=\left[\begin{array}{ll}1-\frac{6.16 \mathrm{~mA}}{6.47 \mathrm{~mA}} & 100\end{array}\right]$
where IF (EOL) represents the switching threshold at the end of life.

Step 12. Maximum \% Emitter Degradation Guardbarid
$\%_{(M A X)}=\left[1-\frac{I_{F}(E O L)}{I_{F}(M A X)}\right] 100$
$34 \%=\left[\begin{array}{ll}1-\frac{6.16 \mathrm{~mA}}{9.32 \mathrm{~mA}} & 100\end{array}\right]$

The conclusions that are to be drawn from this analysis are that as long as the $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ (MAX) is less than $\overline{\mathrm{FS}}=14.13 \mathrm{~mA}$, the worst-worst case CTR degradation may be calculated using only the first term, $\mathrm{A}_{0} \mathrm{R}^{\alpha} \mathrm{t}^{\mathrm{n}(\mathrm{R})}$, of the $\mathrm{D}_{\overline{\mathrm{x}}}+2 \sigma$ case. In the example presented, $26 \%$ degradation was determined from the first term, and when the more accurate calculation using Equation (28) was used, a $22 \%$ degradation resulted. The end of life IF guardband may be calculated using Equations (38) and (39). Using Equation (38), the minimum guardband is $5.7 \%$, and with Equation (39), the maximum guardband is $35 \%$.

# Interfacing 18 Segment Displays to Microprocessors 

## INTRODUCTION

Over the past four years, the need for alphanumeric displays has grown very rapidly due to the extensive use of microprocessors in new system designs. The HDSP-6508 and HDSP-6300 alphanumeric displays were developed to provide a low cost, easy-to-use alternative to $5 \times 7$ dot matrix displays. These displays use an 18 segment display font that includes a centered decimal point and colon for increased readability. This font is capable of displaying the 64 character ASCII subset (numbers, punctuation symbols, and upper case alphabet) as well as many special purpose symbols. The HDSP-6504 and HDSP6508 are $3.81 \mathrm{~mm}\left(0.150^{\prime \prime}\right)$ red 4 or 8 character displays in a dual-in-line package. The HDSP-6300 is a 3.56 mm ( 0.140 ") red 8 character display in a dual-in-line package. The HDSP-6508 has character-to-character spacing on 6.35 mm ( $0.250^{\prime \prime}$ ) centers while the HDSP-6300 has character-to-character spacing on 5.08 mm ( $0.200^{\prime \prime}$ ) centers. Paralleling the development of these alphanumeric displays have been the introduction of several new display interface circuits that simplify the use of the 18 segment display. These circuits include an ASCII to 18 segment decoder/driver and improved NPN Darlington digit drivers that are designed to interface directly to 5 volt digital logic. This Application Note deals with several techniques to interface the 18 segment display to microprocessor systems. Depending upon the overall system configuration, microprocessor time available to dedicate to display support, and the type of information to be displayed, the system designer would choose the best interface technique to drive an 18 segment display.

## DISPLAY INTERFACE TECHNIQUES

This application note will deal with four different techniques, as shown in Figure 1a-d, for interfacing the HDSP-6508 and HDSP-6300 displays to microprocessor systems.
1a. The REFRESH CONTROLLER interfaces the microprocessor system to a multiplexed LED display. The controller periodically interrupts the microprocessor and after each interrupt, the microprocessor supplies new display data for the next refresh cycle of the display.

1b. The DECODED DATA CONTROLLER refreshes a multiplexed LED display independently from the microprocessor system. A local RAM stores decoded display data. This data is continuously read from the RAM and then used to refresh the display. Whenever the display message is changed, the microprocessor decodes each character in software and writes the decoded data into the local RAM.

1c. The CODED DATA CONTROLLER also refreshes a multiplexed LED display independently from the microprocessor system. The local RAM stores ASCII data which is continuously read from the RAM, decoded, and used to refresh the display. The display message is changed by writing new ASCII characters within the local RAM.

1d. The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER uses a separate microprocessor to drive the LED display. This microprocessor provides ASCII storage, ASCII decode, and display refresh independently from the main microprocessor system. Software within the dedicated microprocessor provides many powerful features not available in the other controllers. The main microprocessor updates the LED display by sending new ASCII characters to the slave microprocessor.

## COMPARISON OF INTERFACE TECHNIQUES

The choice of a particular interface is an important consideration because it affects the design of the entire microprocessor system. Each interface requires one or more memory or I/O addresses. These addresses are generated by decoding the microprocessor address bus. The display decoder can be located within the microprocessor program or as circuitry within the display interface. Location of the display decoder within the microprocessor program gives the designer total control of the display font within the program. This feature can be particularly important if the display will be used to display different languages and special graphics symbols. The interface technique chosen may limit or interfere with some programming techniques used in the rest of the microprocessor program. For example, the use of an


Figure 1a. REFRESH CONTROLLER Display Interface


Figure 1c. CODED DATA CONTROLLER Display Interface


Figure 1b. DECODED DATA CONTROLLER Display Interface


Figure 1d. DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER Display Interface
interrupt may restrict the use of some programming techniques used in the interruptable portions of the microprocessor program.
The REFRESH CONTROLLER requires continuous interaction from the microprocessor system. Since the microprocessor actively strobes the LED display, the display interface circuitry is reduced. Generally, this technique provides the lowest hardware cost for any given display length. The display decoder can be located either within the microprocessor program or as circuitry within the interface. Display strobing is accomplished through use of the microprocessor interrupt circuitry. Demands upon microprocessor time are directly proportional to display length.

The DECODED DATA CONTROLLER and CODED DATA CONTROLLER require microprocessor interaction only when the display message is changed. Both techniques employ a local RAM memory that is continuously scanned by the display interface electronics. For the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER, the display decoder is located within the microprocessor software and the local RAM stores decoded display data. The CODED DATA CONTROLLER includes the display decoder within the display interface circuitry and the local RAM stores ASCII data. Since ASCII data is more compact than decoded display data, the CODED DATA CONTROLLER uses a smaller RAM than the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER. Both techniques allow the microprocessor to individually
change each display character by a memory or I/O write to a specific display address. These interface techniques can accept new data at a very high rate.
The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER, like the previously defined CODED and DECODED DATA CONTROLLERS, requires microprocessor interaction only when the display message is changed. By using a dedicated microprocessor, the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER provides many additional display features. These features include multiple entry modes, a blinking cursor, editing commands, and a data output function. The software with the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER further reduces microprocessor interaction by providing more sophisticated data entry modes compared to the RAM entry mode provided by the DECODED DATA and CODED DATA CONTROLLERS. The display decoder can either be designed into the dedicated display microprocessor or can be located within a separate PROM. The use of a PROM allows the user to provide a special character font with additional circuitry. The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER does not allow as high a data entry rate as either the DECODED DATA or CODED DATA CONTROLLERS.

## MICROPROCESSOR OPERATION

In order to effectively utilize the interface techniques outlined in the following sections, an understanding of microprocessor fundamentals is required. A brief description of microprocessor fundamentals is included in the following section. A microprocessor system usually consists of a microprocessor, ROM memory, RAM memory, and a specific I/O interface as outline in Figure 2. The microprocessor performs the desired system function by executing a program stored within the ROM. The RAM memory provides temporary storage for the microprocessor system. The I/O interface consists of circuitry that is used as an input to the system or as an output from the system. The microprocessor interfaces to this system
through an address bus, data bus, and control bus. The address bus consists of several outputs ( $A_{0}, A_{1}, \ldots A_{n}$ ) from the microprocessor which collectively specify a binary number. This number or "address" uniquely specifies each word in the ROM memory, RAM memory, and I/O interface. The data bus serves as an input to the microprocessor during a memory or input read and as an output from the microprocessor during a memory or output write. The control bus provides the required timing and signals to the microprocessor system to distinguish a memory read from a memory write, and in some systems an I/O read from an I/O write. These control lines and the timing between the address bus, data bus, and control bus vary for different microprocessors.

The address, data, and control buses provide the flow of instructions and data into the microprocesor. Program execution consists of a series of memory reads (instruction fetches) which are sometimes followed by a memory read or write (instruction execution). The microprocessor performs a memory read by outputting the memory address of the word to be read on the address bus. This address uniquely specifies a word within the memory system. The microprocessor also outputs a signal on the control bus, which instructs the memory system to perform a memory read. The address selects one memory element, either RAM or ROM, within the memory system. Then, the desired word within the selected memory element is gated on the data bus by the read signal. Meanwhile, the unselected memory elements tristate their output lines so that only the selected memory element is active on the data bus. After sufficient delay, the microprocessor reads the word that appears on the data bus. Similarly, for a memory write, the microprocessor outputs the memory address of the word to be written on the address bus. After sufficient delay, the microprocessor outputs a signal on the control bus, which instructs the memory system to perform a memory write.


Figure 2. Block Diagram of a Typical Microprocessor System

The microprocessor also outputs the desired memory word on the data bus. The address selects one RAM memory element within the memory system. The write signal causes the memory element to read the word on the data bus and store it at the desired location. After the write cycle has been completed, the new word will have replaced the previous word within the RAM memory. During the memory write, outputs from the unselected memory elements remain tristated so that only the microprocessor is active on the data bus. These control lines and the timing for the address bus, data bus, and control bus vary for different microprocessors.
Some microprocessors, such as the Motorola 6800 microprocessor family, handle memory and I/O in exactly the same way. Memory and I/O occupy a common address space and are accessed by the same instructions. With this type of microprocessor, the hardware decoding of the address bus determines whether the read or write is to a memory or I/O element. Other microprocessors, such as the intel 8080A, Intel 8085A, and the Zilog Z-80 have separate address spaces for memory and I/O. These microprocessors use different instructions for a memory access or an I/O access and provide signals on the control bus to distinguish between memory and I/O. One advantage of this approach is that the I/O address space can be made smaller to simplify device decoding. However, the I/O instructions that are available are usually not as powerful as the memory reference instructions. Of course, the user can always locate specific I/O devices within the memory address space through proper decoding of the address and control buses. This would allow these I/O devices to be accessed with memory reference instructions.

The 6800 microprocessor family has a 16 line address bus, 8 line data bus, and a control bus that includes the signals VMA (Valid Memory Address), R/W (Read/Write), DBE (Data Bus Enable), and clock signals $\phi_{1}$ and $\phi_{2}$. R/W specifies either a memory read or write while VMA is used in conjunction with $R / \bar{W}$ to specify a valid memory address. DBE gates the internal data bus of the 6800 to the external data bus. In many applications, DBE is connected to $\phi 2$. Additional data hold time, $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{H}}$, can be achieved by delaying $\phi 2$ to the microprocessor or by extending DBE beyond the falling edge of $\phi_{2}$. The timing between the address bus, data bus, VMA, and R/W for a memory write is shown in Figure 3.

For the 8080A microprocessor, the address bus consists of 16 lines, the data bus consists of 8 lines, and the control bus consists of several lines including DBIN (Data Bus In), WR (Write), SYNC (Synchronizing Signal), READY, and clock signals $\phi_{1}$ and $\phi_{2}$. DBIN and WR are used to specify a read or write operation. The 8080A microprocessor distinguishes memory from I/O through the use of a status word that precedes every machine cycle. When SYNC is high, the status word should be loaded into an octal latch on the positive edge of $\phi_{1}$. The outputs from the latch can then be decoded to specify whether the machine cycle is a memory write, memory read, I/O write, or I/O read. The Intel 8228 or 8238 System Controller provides this status latch and additionally encodes the outputs of the status latch with DBIN and $\overline{W R}$ to generate four timing signals $\overline{\text { MEM R (Memory Read), MEM W (Memory Write), } \overline{1 / O ~ R}}$ (I/O Read), and I/O W (I/O Write). However, the 8228 and 8238 do not provide the outputs of the status latch. The timing between the address bus, data bus, WR, and SYNC


Figure 3. Memory Write Timing for the Motorola 6800 Microprocessor Family.
for both a memory write and an I/O write is shown in Figure 4. The 8080A also provides an input, READY, which allows the memory system to extend the time the address and data bus is valid by integral clock cycles.

## REFRESH CONTROLLERS

Figure 5 shows a REFRESH CONTROLLER for a 16 character 18 segment alphanumeric display. The circuit operates by interrupting the microprocessor at a 1600 Hz rate. Following each interrupt, the microprocessor responds by outputting a new ASCII character to the Texas Instruments AC5947 ASCII to 18 Segment Decoder/Driver and a new digit word to the 74LS174. The character font for the AC5947 is shown in Figure 6. The outputs of the 74LS174 are decoded such that digit word $00_{16}$ turns the leftmost display character on, digit word $0 F_{16}$ turns the rightmost display character on, and digit word $1 F_{16}$ turns all digits off. The interface can be expanded to 24 characters with an additional Signetics NE590 driver. This change would also require modifications in IF peak, and the interrupt rate.

MEMORY AND I/O WRITE BUS TIMING


| 8080 MICROPROCESSOR <br> WITH 8228 CLOCK | MINIMUM TIMES (nS) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ${ }^{\mathrm{t}}$ AW | ${ }^{\mathrm{t}}$ WA | ${ }^{\mathrm{t}}$ DW | ${ }^{\mathrm{t}}$ WD |
| $8080 \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{t} \mathrm{CY}=480$ | 740 | 90 | 230 | 90 |
| $8080 \mathrm{~A}-2, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{t}} \mathrm{CY}=380$ | 560 | 80 | 140 | 80 |
| $8080 \mathrm{~A}-1, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CY}}=320$ | 470 | 70 | 110 | 70 |

${ }^{t_{A W}}{ }^{2}={ }^{2 t_{C Y}}{ }^{-t_{D 3}-[140(A), 130(A-2), 110(A-1)]}$
$t_{W A}=t_{W D}=t_{D 3}+10$
${ }^{t_{D W}}={ }^{t_{C Y}}{ }^{-t_{D 3}}-[170(A), 170(A-2), 150(A-1)]$
From INTEL Component Data Catalog, 1978
NOTE 1: Status Word should be loaded
into an octal latch when
SYNC $=1$ on positive edge of $\phi_{1}$.
NOTE 2: Additional wait cycles can be inserted here. A wait cycle is added by forcing READY low prior to the falling edge
of $\phi_{2}$ during the clock cycle
preceeding the falling edge of $\overline{W R}$.

Figure 4. Memory and I/O Write Timing for the Intel 8080A Microprocessor Family


Figure 5. 6800 or 8080A Microprocessor Interface to the HDSP-6508 REFRESH CONTROLLER Utilizing the Texas Instruments AC5947 ASCII to 18 Segment Decoder/Driver


Figure 6. 18 Segment Display Font for the Texas Instrumenis AC5947 ASCII to 18 Segment Decoder/Driver

A 6800 microprocessor program that interfaces to this REFRESH controller is shown in Figure 7. Following each interrupt, the program "RFRSH" is executed. The program uses a scratch pad register "POINT" that points to the location within a 16 byte ASCII message of the next ASCII character to be stored in the display interface. The scratch pad register "DIGIT" contains the next digit word to be loaded into the display interface. The program interfaces to the circuit through two memory or 1/O addresses. A memory write to address "SEG" writes a six bit word into the AC5947, and a memory write to address "DIG" writes a five bit word into the 74LS174. To prevent undesirable ghosting, the digit drivers are turned off prior to loading the next ASCII character into the AC5947. After sufficient
delay, the next digit is turned on. Registers "POINT" and "DIGIT" are then updated by the program. Following execution of the "RTI" instruction, execution of the main program is resumed. A similar program written for an 8080A microprocessor is shown in Figure 8. The 6800 microprocessor program shown in Figure 7 operated with a 1 MHz clock requires $0.11 \%+0.72 \mathrm{n} \%$ of the available microprocessor time to refresh the display at a 100 Hz refresh rate, where n is the display length. The 8080A microprocessor program shown in Figure 8 when operated with a 2 MHz clock requires $0.31 \%+0.96 \mathrm{n} \%$ of the available microprocessor time to refresh the display at a 100 Hz refresh rate, where n is the display length. For example, the 16 character display shown in Figure 5


Figure 7. $\mathbf{6 8 0 0}$ Microprocessor Program and Flowchart that Interfaces to the REFRESH CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 5


Figure 8. 8080A Microprocessor Program and Flowchart that Interfaces to the REFRESH CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 5
requires $11.6 \%$ of the 6800 microprocessor time or $15.7 \%$ of the 8080A microprocessor time to refresh the display at a 100 Hz refresh rate. Faster versions of the 6800 and 8080A microprocessors can reduce this microprocessor time by $50 \%$.

## DECODED CONTROLLERS

Figure 9 shows a DECODED DATA CONTROLLER designed for a 32 character 18 segment alphanumeric display. To simplify the circuitry, the display is configured as a 14 segment display with decimal point and colon. This allows each display character to be specified by two 8 bit words. One possible display font is shown in Figure 10. The Motorola 6810 RAM stores 64 bytes of display data that are continually read and displayed. The display data is organized within the RAM such that addresses $A_{5}, A_{4}$, $A_{3}, A_{2}$, and $A_{1}$ specify the desired character and address Ao differentiates between the two words of display data for each character. The display data is formatted such that word 0 ( $D_{7}-D_{0}$ ) is decoded as $G_{2}, G_{1}, F, E, D, C, B$, and $A$; and word $1\left(D_{7}-D_{0}\right)$ is decoded as COLON, DP, M, L, $K, J$, I , and H . The display data is coded low true such that a low output turns the appropriate segment on. Strobing of the display is accomplished with the 74LS14 oscillator and 74LS393 counter. The counter continuously reads display data from the RAM and enables the appropriate digit driver. The time allotted to each digit is broken into four segments. During the first segment of time, the display is turned off and work 0 is read from the RAM and stored in the 74LS273 octal register. During the next three segments of time, word 1 is read from the RAM and the display is turned on. Thus, the display duty factor is $(1 / 32)$
( $3 / 4$ ) or $1 / 42.6$. For values of $R$ and $C$ specified, the display is strobed at a 130 Hz refresh rate.

Data is entered into the RAM from the address and data bus of the microprocessor via two control lines, Chip $\overline{\text { Select }}$ and Write. When Chip Select goes low, the address generated by the counter is disabled and the microprocessor address and data bus is gated to the RAM. Then, after sufficient delay, the Write input is pulsed, which stores the data within the RAM. The data entry timing for the 18 segment DECODED DATA CONTROLLER is shown in Figure 11. Because of the requirement that the address inputs of the 6810RAM must be stable prior to the falling edge of Write, Chip Select should go low for time tcw prior to the falling edge of Write. To guarantee that the address and data inputs of the RAM remain stable until after $\bar{W}$ rite goes high, $\overline{\text { Chip Select }}$ should remain low for time $\mathrm{tcH}_{\mathrm{CH}}$ following the rising edge of $\overline{\text { Write. This requirement for two separate timing signals is }}$ also required for the CODED DATA CONTROLLER shown in Figure 15. Because this interface timing is somewhat more difficult than the previously described circuits, the following methods are presented for interfacing to commonly used microprocessors.
Interface to the 6800 microprocessor family is accomplished by NANDing together VMA and some specified combination of high order address lines to generate Chip $\overline{\text { Select }}$ and using $\phi_{2}$ to generate Write.

For the 8080A and 8085A microprocessor families, the limited flexibility of the output instruction requires that the 18 segment DECODED DATA CONTROLLER must be addressed as memory instead of I/O. The 8080A micro-


Figure 9. 6800, 8080A, and General Interface to the HDSP-6508 DECODED DATA CONTROLLER


Figure 10. One Possible 16 Segment Display Font (14 Segments Plus Decimal Point and Colon) for the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 9.
processor requires an external status latch to hold status information provided during program execution. This status latch function can be implemented with an octal register such as the Intel 8212 or 74LS273. A Memory Write signal can be generated by NORing together all outputs of this status latch. This signal can then be NANDed with some specified combination of high order address lines to generate Chip Select. The 8080A WR output can then be connected to Write. The Intel 8238 System Controller, which is commonly used with the 8080A microprocessor, prevents direct access to the outputs of the status latch. An example of an interfacing to
a system utilizing the 8238 is illustrated in Figure 9. $\overline{\text { MEM }}$ W from the 8238 is inverted and then NANDed with some specified combination of high order address lines to generate Chip Select. The 74LS113 generates Write from the microprocessor clock, $\phi_{2}$ (TTL).
Interface to the 8085A microprocessor family can be accomplished by inverting the $1 / O / \bar{M}$ output and NANDing the resulting signal with the So output and some specified combination of high order address lines to generate $\overline{\text { Chip Select. The } \overline{W R} \text { output from the }}$ microprocessor is connected directly to Write.

GENERAL INTERFACE


| PARAMETER | SYMBOL | MIN. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| WRITE CYCLE | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {WC }}$ | 425 ns |
| WRITE DELAY | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {AW }}$ | 65 ns |
| CHIP ENABLE TO WRITE | $\mathbf{t}_{\mathbf{C W}}$ | 65 ns |
| DATA SETUP | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {WW }}$ | 210 ns |
| DATA HOLD | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {DH }}$ | 35 ns |
| WRITE PULSE | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {WP }}$ | 325 ns |
| WRITE RECOVERY | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {WR }}$ | 25 ns |
| CHIP ENABLE HOLD | $\mathbf{t}_{\mathbf{C H}}$ | 35 ns |



Figure 11. Data Entry Timing for the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 9

| LOC | OBJECT CODE |  |  | SOURCE STATEMENTS |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | BF00 |  | DSPLY | EQU | \$BF00 |
|  | 0600 |  | DECDR | EQU | \$0600 |
| 0000 | 0006 |  | ASCII | FDB | MESSGE |
| 0002 | BF00 |  | PADI | FDB | DSPLY |
| 0004 | 0600 |  | PAD2 | FDB | DECDR |
| 0006 |  |  | MESSGE | RMB | 32 |
| 0400 |  |  |  | ORG | \$0400 |
| 0400 | CE | BF00 | LOAD | LDX | I,DSPLY |
| 0403 | DF | 02 |  | STX | D,PADI |
| 0405 | CE | 0600 |  | LDX | 1,DECDR |
| 0408 | DF | 04 |  | STX | D,PAD2 |
| 040A | DE | 00 | LOOP1 | LDX | D,ASCII |
| 040C | A6 | 00 |  | LDA A | X,0 |
| 040E | 08 |  |  | INX |  |
| 040F | DF | 00 |  | STX | D,ASCII |
| 0411 | 48 |  |  | ASL A |  |
| 0412 | 97 | 05 |  | STA A | D,PAD2+1 |
| 0414 | DE | 04 |  | LDX | D,PAD2 |
| 0416 | A6 | 00 |  | LDA A | X,0 |
| 0418 | E6 | 01 |  | LDA B | X,1 |
| 041 A | DE | 02 |  | LDX | D,PADI |
| 041C | A? | 00 |  | STA A | X,0 |
| 041E | 08 |  |  | INX |  |
| 041 F | E7 | 00 |  | STA B | X, 0 |
| 0421 | 08 |  |  | INX |  |
| 0422 | DF | 02 |  | STX | D,PAD1 |
| 0424 | 8C | BF40 |  | CPX | I,DSPLY+64 |
| 0427 | 26 | E1 |  | BNE | LOOP1 |
| 0429 | 39 |  |  | RTS |  |



Figure 12. 6800 Microprocessor Program and Flowchart that Interfaces to the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 9

The simplest interface to the Z-80 microprocessor family is accomplished by addressing the 18 segment DECODED DATA CONTROLLER as I/O instead of memory. An example of this interface is shown in Figure 15. The $\overline{\text { IORQ output is inverted and NANDed with some specified }}$ combination of address lines to generate Chip Select. The 74LS113 circuit generates Write from the inverted microprocessor clock $\bar{\phi}$.

A 6800 microprocessor program that interfaces to the 18 segment DECODED DATA CONTROLLER is shown in Figure 12. This program decodes 32 ASCII characters and stores the resulting decoded display data within the display. The scratch pad register "ASCII" points to the location of the next ASCII character to be decoded. The program reads the first ASCII character, increments the point, "ASCII," and then looks up two words of display data within the 64 character ASCII look-up table "DECDR." These words of display data are then stored at the two addresses for the leftmost display location. Subsequent ASCII characters are decoded, and stored at the appropriate address within the display until all 32 characters have been decoded. After the program is finished, the pointer "ASCII" will have been incremented by 32. This program requires 2.4 ms for a 1 MHz clock to decode and load 32 ASCII characters into the 18 segment

DECODED DATA CONTROLLER. The corresponding 8080A microprocessor program is shown in Figure 13. This program requires 1.4 ms for a 2 MHz clock to decode and load 32 ASCII characters into the 18 segment DECODED DATA CONTROLLER.

The 64 character ASCII font shown in Figure 10 can be generated using the table shown in Figure 14. This ASCII decoder uses two 8 bit words to represent each ASCII character. The format of the decoder is consistent with either the 6800 microprocessor program shown in Figure 12 or the 8080A microprocessor program shown in Figure 13.

## CODED DATA CONTROLLERS

Figure 15 shows a CODED DATA CONTROLLER designed for a 32 character 18 segment alphanumeric display. Operation of this circuit is similar to the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER shown in Figure 9 except that the Motorola 6810 RAM stores 32 six bit ASCII words and the Texas Instruments AC5947 decodes this ASCII data into 18 segment display data. The resulting display font is shown in Figure 6. Strobing of the display is accomplished by the 74LS14 oscillator and 74LS393 counter. Because the long propagation delay through the AC5947 tends to cause display ghosting, the display is


Figure 13. 8080A Microprocessor Program and Flowchart that Interfaces to the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 9

| ASCII | SYMBOL | WORD 0 | WORD 1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20 | (SPACE) | FF | FF |
| 21 | $!$ | FF | BD |
| 22 | " | DF | FD |
| 23 | \# | 36 | ED |
| 24 | \$ | 12 | ED |
| 25 | \% | 1 B | D2 |
| 26 | \& | F2 | CA |
| 27 | , | FF | FD |
| 28 | ( | FF | F3 |
| 29 | ) | FF | DE |
| 2A | * | 3 F | C0 |
| 2B | + | 3F | ED |
| 2 C | , | FF | DF |
| 2D | $-$ | 3F | FF |
| 2 E |  | FF | BF |
| 2 F | 1 | FF | DB |
| 30 | 0 | C0 | DB |
| 31 | 1 | FF | ED |
| 32 | 2 | 24 | FF |
| 33 | 3 | 30 | FF |
| 34 | 4 | 19 | FF |
| 35 | 5 | 96 | F7 |
| 36 | 6 | 02 | FF |
| 37 | 7 | F8 | FF |
| 38 | 8 | 00 | FF |
| 39 | 9 | 18 | FF |
| 3 A | . | FF | 3F |
| 3B | ; | FF | 5 F |
| 3 C | $<$ | 7F | FB |
| 3D | $=$ | 37 | FF |
| 3E | > | BF | FE |
| 3F | ? | 7C | EF |


| ASCII | SYMBOL | WORD 0 | WORD 1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 40 | @ | 44 | FD |
| 41 | A | 08 | FF |
| 42 | B | 70 | ED |
| 43 | C | C6 | FF |
| 44 | D | F0 | ED |
| 45 | E | 86 | FF |
| 46 | F | 8 E | FF |
| 47 | G | 42 | FF |
| 48 | H | 09 | FF |
| 49 | I | F6 | ED |
| 4A | J | E1 | FF |
| 4B | K | 8 F | F3 |
| 4 C | L | C7 | FF |
| 4D | M | C9 | FA |
| 4E | N | C9 | F6 |
| 4F | 0 | C0 | FF |
| 50 | P | 0 C | FF |
| 51 | Q | C0 | F7 |
| 52 | R | 0 C | F7 |
| 53 | S | 12 | FF |
| 54 | T | FE | ED |
| 55 | U | C1 | FF |
| 56 | V | CF | DB |
| 57 | W | C9 | D7 |
| 58 | X | FF | D2 |
| 59 | Y | FF | EA |
| 5A | Z | F6 | DB |
| 5B | [ | 7F | F3 |
| 5 C | 1 | FF | F6 |
| 5D | ] | BF | DE |
| 5 E | $\wedge$ | FF | D7 |
| 5 F |  | F7 | FF |

Figure 14. 64 Character ASCII Decoder Table for the Microprocessor Programs Shown in Figures 12 and 13. 18 Segment Display Font is Shown in Figure 10.


Figure 15. General Interfaces to the HDSP-6508 CODED DATA CONTROLLER
GENERAL INTERFACE


| PARAMETER | SYMBOL | MIN. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| WRITE CYCLE | $\mathbf{t}_{\text {WC }}$ | 455 ns |
| WRITE DELAY | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {AW }}$ | 65 ns |
| CHIP ENABLE TO WRITE | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CW}}$ | 65 ns |
| DATA SETUP | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{DW}}$ | 215 ns |
| DATA HOLD | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{DH}}$ | 50 ns |
| WRITE PULSE | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{WP}}$ | 340 ns |
| WRITE RECOVERY | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{WR}}$ | 40 ns |
| CHIP ENABLE HOLD | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{CH}}$ | 50 ns |

Figure 16. Data Entry Timing for the CODED DATA CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 15
blanked momentarily after each new character is read from the RAM. This is accomplished by breaking the total time allotted for each digit into four segments. During the first segment, the display is turned off to allow data to ripple through the AC5947 and during the next three segments, the display is turned on. The resulting display duty factor is $(1 / 32)(3 / 4)$ or $1 / 42.6$. The display is strobed at a 130 Hz refresh rate.

Data is entered into the RAM from the address and data bus of the microprocessor via two control lines Chip $\overline{\text { Select }}$ and Write. When Chip Select goes low, the address from the counter is tristated and the microprocessor address bus and data bus is gated to the RAM. Then after sufficient delay, the Write input is pulsed, which stores the data within the RAM. Data entry timing for the 18 segment CODED DATA CONTROLLER is shown in Figure 16. Since this timing is very similar to the DECODED DATA CONTROLLER shown in Figure 9, interface to the various microprocessor families is the same as described in the section on DECODED DATA CONTROLLERS.

## DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLERS

The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER provides a powerful, smart interface which performs many of the functions normally found in a small terminal. The DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER is designed around a slave microprocessor or custom LSI integrated circuit that provides display storage and multiplexing with a very minimum of circuit complexity. The simplest DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER designed for a 16 digit 18 segment alphanumeric display is shown in Figure
17. This circuit is designed around the Intel 8279 Programmable Keyboard/Display Interface. This LSI chip contains the circuitry necessary to interface directly to a microprocessor bus and provides a $16 \times 8$ RAM, programmable scan counter, and keyboard debounce and control logic. While the 8279 is specifically designed for 7 segment displays, inclusion of the Texas Instruments AC5947 ASCII to 18 segment decoder/driver allows the use of an 18 segment alphanumeric display. The 8279 Keyboard/Display Controller interfaces to a microprocessor via an eight line bidirectional Data Bus, control lines $\overline{R D}(\overline{\text { Read }}), \overline{W R}(\overline{\text { Write }}), \overline{\mathrm{CS}}$ ( $\overline{\text { Chip Select }}$ ), $A_{0}$ (Command/Data), RESET, IRQ (Interrupt Request), and a clock input, CLK. The display is scanned by outputs $A_{0-3}$ and $\mathrm{B}_{0-3}$ which are connected to the inputs of the AC5947, and outputs $\mathrm{SL}_{0-3}$ which are connected to the digit scanning circuitry. The 74LS122 is used to provide interdigit blanking to prevent display ghosting. In addition to display scanning, the 8279 also has the ability to scan many different types of encoded or decoded keyboards, X-Y matrix keyboards, or provide a strobed data input to the microprocessor. The 8279 provides for either block data entry, where data enters from left to right across the display overflowing to the leftmost display location; right data entry, where data enters at the righthand side of the display and previous data shifts toward the left; and RAM data entry, where a four bit field in the control word specifies the address at which the next data word will be written. The 8279 allows data written into the display to be read by the microprocessor, and provides commands to either blank or clear the display.

The HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER shown in Figure 18 is designed to provide a flexible 18 segment display interface for displays up to 40 characters in length. This circuit utilizes a dedicated Intel 8048 single chip microprocessor to provide features such as a blinking cursor, display editing routines, multiple data entry modes, variable display string length, and data out. This controller is available as a series of printed circuit board subsystems of $16,24,32$, and 40 characters in length. The user interfaces to the 8048 microprocessor through eight Data In inputs, six Address inputs, a Chip Select input, $\overline{\text { Reset }}$ input, $\bar{B} \operatorname{lank}$ input, six Data Out outputs, Data Valid output, $\overline{\text { Refresh }}$ output, and Clock output. The software within the 8048 microprocessor provides four data entry modes - Left Entry with a blinking cursor, Right Entry, Block Entry, and RAM Entry. The Data Out port allows the user to read the ASCII data stored within the display, determine the configured data entry mode and display length, and locate the position of the cursor within the display. Since the Data Out port is separate from the Data In port, the 18 segment DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER can be used for text editing independent of the main microprocessor system. In Left Entry mode, the controller provides the Clear, Carriage Return, Backspace, Forwardspace, Insert, and Delete editing functions; while in Right Entry mode, the controller provides Clear and Backspace editing functions. The controller can also be expanded into multiple line panels.

The 8048 microprocessor interfaces to the display via the Port 2 output. The output is configured to enable the microprocessor to send a six bit word to one of three destinations as selected by $\mathrm{P}_{26}$ and $\mathrm{P}_{27}$. The $\overline{\text { PROG output }}$


Figure 17. HDSP-6508 DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER Utilizing the Intel 8279 Programmable Keyboard Display Interface
is then used to store this word at the specified destination. Destinationo is the 74LS174 hex register. The outputs of this register are decoded by the 74LS259 addressable latches and Sprague ULN 2815 digit drivers. Output $3 F_{16}$ is decoded to turn on the rightmost display digit while the address of the leftmost display digit varies from 1816 for a 40 character display to $30_{16}$ for a 16 character display. Destination 1 is the AC5947 18 segment decoder/driver. The positive edge of PROG stores a six bit ASCII code within the AC5947. Because destination ${ }_{1}$ is pulsed once every time a digit is refreshed, this output is also used as the Refresh output. Destination2 is the Data Valid output of the Data Out port. Thus, Data Out actually consists of a series of six bit words that are sent to Destination2. Display refresh is accomplished by first turning off the digit drivers by outputting a $0_{16}$ to the 74LS174. Then a new ASCII character is stored within the AC5947. Finally, a new digit
word is stored within the 74LS174. The actual time that each digit is on varies according to the configured display length so as to provide a fixed 100 Hz refresh rate.

Interfacing the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER shown in Figure 18 to microprocessor systems depends on the needs of the particular application. Since the information on the Data In and Address inputs is loaded into the controller through a program within the 8048 microprocessor, the time required to read these inputs varies from about 100 to 700 microseconds. A latch as shown in the HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 Data Sheet can be used as a buffer between these inputs and the data bus and address bus of the main microprocessor system. The latch provides temporary storage to avoid making the main microprocessor wait for the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER to accept data.


Figure 18. HDSP-8716/-8724/-8732/-8740 DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER

The 18 segment DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER shown in Figure 18 can also be interfaced to the main microprocessor system through a Peripheral Interface Adapter (PIA). The Data In inputs of the controller would be connected to an output port of the PIA. In RAM Entry mode, the Address inputs of the controller would be connected to another output port of the PIA. The PIA provides a handshake back to the main microprocessor system that tells when the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER is ready to accept another data input word from the main microprocessor. This allows the microprocessor to load data into the controller at the highest possible rate. A PIA can also be used to allow the 18 segment DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER to act as a buffer between a keyboard and the main microprocessor. In this configur-
ation, the main processor could output a prompting message to the user via the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. The user could then enter data from the keyboard into the display utilizing the controller's editing capability. After the message has been entered and edited, the user would instruct the main microprocessor to read the final edited message from the Data Out port. One port from the PIA can be used to control the Data In inputs of the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER and another port of the PIA can be used to read the Data Out port. Figure 19 shows a 6800 microprocessor system using a Motorola 6821 PIA to control the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER shown in Figure 18. The $\mathrm{PB}_{7}$ output of the PIA determines whether data is entered into the controller


Figure 19. 6800 Microprocessor Interface to the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 18 Utilizing a Motorola 6821 PIA


Figure 20. $\mathbf{6 8 0 0}$ Microprocessor Program and Flowchart that Interfaces to the Circuit Shown in Figure 19
from the microprocessor system or from the keyboard. Control lines CA ${ }_{1}$ and CA 2 are used to provide a data entry handshake to allow data to be loaded into the controller at the highest possible rate. Data is read into the main microprocessor system through Port B of the PIA using the $\mathrm{CB}_{1}$ input as a data strobe.
The 6800 microprocessor program shown in Figure 20 is used to operate the PIA interface described in Figure 19. The microprocessor program following "START" is used to initialize the 6821 PIA. Once initialized, the PIA can be used either to load data into the controller via the main microprocessor, allow data to be loaded into the controller via the keyboard, or to read data from the Data Out port into the main microprocessor. The instruction CLR E, PRB at location 051B ${ }_{16}$ forces PB7 low to connect the outputs of Port $A$ to the Data In inputs of the controller.

Subroutine "LOAD" then loads a series of eight bit words into the controller. "LOAD" continues to output words until it reads an $\mathrm{FF}_{16}$ to denote the end of the prompting message. The instruction sequence LDA AI, $\$ 80$ and STA A E, PRB at location 052616 forces $\mathrm{PB}_{7}$ high to connect the output of the keyboard to the Data In inputs of the controller. In this mode, the user can enter or edit data into the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. The 4B input of the 74LS157 has been grounded to prevent the keyboard from loading a control word into the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. The instructions LDA A I, \$OE and STA A E, CRB at location 052B $\mathrm{B}_{16}$ enables the "ER" key on the keyboard to interrupt the microprocessor when the edited message is complete. Subroutine "READ" would then be used to read data into the 6800 system. First, subroutine "READ" outputs a special control word,


Figure 21. 8080A Microprocessor Interface to the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER Shown in Figure 18 Utilizing an Intel 8255 PIA


Figure 22. 8080A Microprocessor Program and Flowchart that Interfaces to the Circuit Shown in Figure 21

FF16, to the Data In inputs of the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. This control word causes the controller to begin its data output sequence. The controller outputs a series of data output words that define the configured entry mode and display length, location of the cursor, and the ASCII text stored within the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. "LOOP 1" within the program continu-- ously reads the Data Valid output and waits until the controller outputs the STATUS word. This STATUS word, the subsequent CURSOR ADDRESS word, and the string of ASCII characters are then stored in consecutive words of scratch pad memory starting at address "STATUS."
A similar PIA interface designed for an 8080A microprocessor system that uses an Intel 8255A PIA is shown in Figure 21. This interface operates in much the same way as the 6821 PIA interface that was previously described. The PC 4 output of the PIA determines whether the Data In inputs of the 18 segment DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER shown in Figure 18 are connected to the PIA or to the keyboard. Control lines $\mathrm{PC}_{6}$ and $\mathrm{PC}_{7}$ are used to provide a data entry handshake between the 8080A microprocessor and the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. Data is read into the 8080A microprocessor system through Port B of the PIA using PC2 as the data strobe.

The 8080A microprocessor program shown in Figure 22 is used to operate the PIA interface described in Figure 21. The microprocessor program following "START" is used to initialize the 8255A PIA. The instructions MVI A, 08H and OUT CNTRL at location E45716 force $\mathrm{PC}_{4}$ low to connect Port A of the PIA to the Data In inputs of the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. Subroutine "LOAD" would then be used to load a prompting message into the controller. The instructions MVI A, 09H and OUT CNTRL at location E45E ${ }_{16}$ connect the keyboard to the Data In inputs of the controller. In this mode, the user can enter data into the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER, or to edit an existing line. Subroutine "READ" would then be used to read the data from the Data Out port into the 8080A microprocessor system.
Subroutine "READ" begins the data output sequence by outputting the special control word $\mathrm{FFH}_{H}$ to the Data In inputs of the DISPLAY PROCESSOR CONTROLLER. Then, the subroutine reads the series of data output words that are outputted by the controller and stores them in consecutive words of scratch pad memory starting at address STAT.

# Threshold Sensing For Industrial Control Systems With the HCPL-3700 Interface Optocoupler 

## INTRODUCTION

The use of electronic logic circuitry in most applications outside of a controlled environment very quickly brings the design engineer into contact with the problems and hazards involved in interfacing between the logic function and the controlled function. These problems have always been particularly evident in the field of industrial control where the electrically "noisy" environment produced by motors, power lines, lightning and other sources of interference may mask the desired signal, and in some cases even result in the destruction of the logic control system itself. In these situations, the designer must resort to solutions which will provide isolation between the logic system and the input or output function Traditional methods of isolation involve the use of such devices as capacitors, relays, tranformers, and optocouplers. Of these methods, the optocoupler provides an ideal combination of speed, dc response, high common mode rejection, and low input to output coupling capacitance.

In the implementation of an interface from an electrically noisy environment into logic systems, it is often desirable, if not mandatory, to establish some current or voltage switching point or threshold at which the input signal is considered true. Since the input, or feedback, signal in industrial control systems may be ac or dc and may range from low, 5 volt, levels to 110 or $\mathbf{2 4 0}$ volts ac, the design of such a threshold switching system can become more than a trivial problem. This is especially true when using the optocoupler, considering the relatively large range of current transfer ratio (CTR) found in most devices.

The problem of establishing an input switching threshold is resolved in the design of the Hewlett-Packard HCPL-3700 optocoupler. This device combines an ac or dc voltage and/ or current detection function with a high insulation voltage optocoupler in a single eight pin plastic dual in-line package.

As shown in the block diagram of Figure 1, this device con-


Figure 1. Block Diagram of the HCPL-3700
sists of a full-wave bridge rectifier and threshold detection, integrated circuit, an LED, and an optically coupled detector integrated circuit. The detector circuit is a combination of a photodiode and a high current gain, split Darlington, amplifier.

The input circuit will operate from an ac or dc source and provide a guaranteed, temperature compensated threshold level with hysteresis. The device may be programmed for higher switching thresholds through the use of a single external resistor.

With threshold level detection provided prior to the optical isolation path and subsequent gain stage, variations in the current transfer ratio of the device with time or from unit to unit are no longer important.

In addition to allowing ac or dc input signals, the Zener diodes of the bridge circuit also provide input voltage clamping to protect the threshold circuitry and LED from over voltage/current stress conditions. The LED current is provided by a switched current source.

The HCPL-3700 optocoupler output is an open collector, high gain, split Darlington configuration. The output is compatible with TTL and CMOS logic levels. High common mode rejection, or transient immunity of $600 \mathrm{~V} / \mu \mathrm{s}$, allows excellent isolation. Insulation capability is 3000 volts dc. The recommended operating temperature range is $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

The HCPL-3700 meets the requirements of the industrial control environment for interfacing signals from ac or dc power equipment to logic control electronics. Isolated monitoring of relay contact closure or relay coil voltages, monitoring of limit or proximity switch operation or sensor signals for temperature or pressure, etc., can be accomplished by the HCPL-3700. The HCPL-3700 may also be used for sensing low power line voltage (Brown Out) or loss of line power (Black Out).

## Device Characteristics

The function of the HCPL-3700 can best be understood through a review of the input $\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{I}$ function and the input to output transfer function. Figure 2 shows the input characteristics, $I_{I N}(m A)$ versus $V_{I N}$ (volts), for both the ac and dc cases.

The dc input of the HCPL-3700 appears as a $1000 \Omega$ resistor in series with a one volt offset. If the ac pins $(1,4)$ are left unconnected, the dc input voltage can increase to 12 V (two Zener diode voltages) before the onset of input voltage clamping occurs. If the ac pins $(1,4)$ are connected to ground or to dc pins $(2,3)$ respectively, the dc input voltage will clamp at 6.0 V (one Zener diode voltage). Under clamping conditions, it is important that the maximum input current limits not be exceeded. Also, to prevent excessive current flow in a substrate diode, the dc input can not be backbiased more than -0.5 V . The choice of the input voltage clamp level is determined by the requirements of the system design. The advantages of clamping the input at a low voltage level is in limiting the magnitude of forward current to the LED as well as limiting the input power


Figure 2. Typical Input Characteristics, IIN vs. VIN


Figure 3. Typical Transfer Characteristics of the HCPL-3700
to the device during large voltage or current transients in the industrial control environment. The internal limiting will in some cases eliminate the need for additional protection components.

The ac input appears similar to the dc input except that the circuit has two additional diode forward voltages. The ac input voltage will clamp at 6.7 V (one Zener diode voltage plus one forward biased diode voltage), and is symmetric for plus or minus polarity. The ac voltage clamp level can not be changed with different possible dc pin connections.

The transfer characteristic displayed in Figure 3 shows how the output voltage varies with input voltage, or current, levels. Hysteresis is provided to enhance noise immunity, as well as to maintain a fast transition response ( $t_{r}, t_{f}$ ) for slowly changing input signals.

The hysteresis of the device is given in voltage terms as $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{HYS}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}-}$, or in terms of current as $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{HYS}}=$ $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}{ }^{-} \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}}$. The optocoupler output is in the high state until the input voltage (current) exceeds $\left.\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}{ }^{(1} \mathrm{TH}_{+}\right)$. The output state will return high when the input voltage (current) becomes less than $\left.\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}{ }^{\left(I_{\mathrm{TH}}\right.}{ }^{\prime}\right)$.

As is shown in Figure 3, the HCPL-3700 has preprogrammed ac and dc switching threshold levels. Higher input switching thresholds may be programmed through the use of a single series input resistance as defined in Equation (1). In some cases, it may be desirable to split this resistance in half to achieve transient protection on each input lead and reduce the power dissipation requirement of each of the resistors.

Figure 4 illustrates three typical interface situations which a designer may encounter in utilizing a microprocessor as a controller in industrial environments.

Example 1. A dc voltage applied to the motor is monitored as an indication of proper speed and/ or load condition.


Figure 4. Applications of the HCPL-3700 for Interfacing AC and DC Voltages to a Microprocessor

Example 2. A limit switch uses a 115 V ac or 220 V ac control loop to improve noise immunity and because it is a convenient high voltage for that purpose.

Example 3. An HCPL-3700 is used to monitor a computer power line to sense a loss of line power condition. Use of a resistive shunt for improvement of threshold accuracy is analyzed in this example.

Also illustrated is an application in which two HCPL-3700's are used to monitor a window of safe operating temperatures for some process parameters. This example also requires a rather precise control of the optocoupler switching threshold. An additional dedicated leased line system example is also shown (Example 4).

## Example 1. DC Voltage Sensing

The dc motor monitor function is established to provide an indication that the motor is operating at a minimum desired speed prior to the initiation of another process phase. If the applied voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{M}}$, is greater than 5 V , it is assumed that the desired speed is obtained. The maximum applied voltage in the system is 10 V . The HCPL-3700 circuit configuration for this dc application is shown in Figure 5.


Figure 5. Interfacing a DC Voltage to an MPU using the HCPL-3700

NOTE: See Appendix for a definition of terms and symbols for this and all other examples.

The following conditions are given for the external voltage threshold level and input requirements of the HCPL-3700:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { External Voltage Levels }-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{M}} \\
& \mathrm{~V}_{+}=5 \mathrm{~V} \mathrm{dc}(50 \%) \\
& \mathrm{V}_{\text {peak }}=10 \mathrm{~V} \text { dc }
\end{aligned}
$$

HCPL-3700 Input Levels

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}=3.8 \mathrm{~V} \\
& \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{TH}-}=2.6 \mathrm{~V} \\
& \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{ICH} 3}=12 \mathrm{~V} \\
& \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}=2.5 \mathrm{~mA} \\
& \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}}=3=1.3 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

For the 5 V threshold, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$ is calculated via the expression:
$R_{x}=\frac{V_{+}-V_{T H+}}{I_{T H+}}$
$=\frac{5 \mathrm{~V}-3.8 \mathrm{~V}}{2.5 \mathrm{~mA}}$
$R_{x}=480 \Omega \quad(470 \Omega \pm 5 \%)$
The resultant lower threshold level is formed by using the following expression:
$V_{-}=I_{T H-} R_{x}+V_{T_{H-}}$
$V_{-}=3.21 \mathrm{~V}$

With the possible unit to unit variations in the input threshold levels as well as $\pm 5 \%$ tolerance variations with $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$, the variation of $V_{+}$is $+12.4 \%,-15 \%$ and $V_{-}$varies $+14 \%$, $-23.5 \%$. (NOTE: With a low, external, voltage threshold level, $\mathrm{V}_{+}$, which is comparable in magnitude to the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}$ voltage threshold level of the optocoupler $\left(\mathrm{V}_{+} \leqslant 10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}\right)$ the tolerance variations are not significantly improved by the use of a $1 \%$ precision resistor for $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$. However, at a large external voltage threshold level compared to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}+$ $\left(\mathrm{V}_{+}>10 \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{TH}}\right.$ ), the use of a precision $1 \%$ resistor for $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$ does reduce the variation of $V_{+}$.)

For simultaneous selection of external upper, $\mathrm{V}_{+}$, and lower, $\mathrm{V}_{-}$, voltage threshold points a combination of a series and parallel input resistors can be used. Refer to the example on "ac operation with improved threshold control and accuracy" for detailed information.

Calculation of the maximum power dissipation in $R_{x}$ is determined by knowing which of the following inequalities is true:
$\frac{V_{+}}{V_{\text {peak }}}>\frac{V_{\text {TH }}}{V_{\text {IHC }}}$
( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$ will not clamp)
$\frac{\mathrm{V}_{+}}{\mathrm{V}_{\text {peak }}}<\frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{V}_{\text {IHC }}}$

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { ( } \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }} \text { will clamp) } \tag{4}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IHC }}$ is the particular input clamp voltage listed on the data sheet.

For this dc application with ac pins $(1,4)$ open, input voltage clamping will not occur, i.e.,
$\frac{\mathbf{V}_{+}}{\mathbf{V}_{\text {peak }}}>\frac{\mathbf{V}_{\text {TH }}}{\mathbf{V}_{\text {IHC3 }}}$
$\frac{5 \mathrm{~V}}{10 \mathrm{~V}}>\frac{3.8 \mathrm{~V}}{12.0 \mathrm{~V}}$

Consequently, a conservative value for the maximum power dissipation in $R_{x}$ for the unclamped input voltage condition ignoring the input offset voltage is given by:
$P_{R_{X}}=\frac{\left[V_{\text {peak }}\left(\frac{R_{x}}{R_{x}+1 k \Omega}\right)\right]^{2}}{R_{x}}$ (Unclamped Input)

$P_{R_{X}}=21.8 \mathrm{~mW}$

If $\mathrm{V}_{+} / \mathrm{V}_{\text {peak }}<\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+} / \mathrm{V}_{\text {IHC }}$ was true (clamped input voltage condition), then the formula for the maximum power dissipation in $R_{x}$ becomes:
$P_{R_{X}}=\frac{\left(V_{\text {peak }}-V_{\text {IHC }}\right)^{2}}{R_{X}} \quad$ (Clamped Input)

The maximum input current or power must be determined to ensure that it is within the maximum input rating of the HCPL-3700. For the clamped input voltage condition,

$$
\begin{equation*}
I_{I N}=\frac{v_{\text {peak }}-V_{I H C}}{R_{X}}<I_{I N(\max )} \tag{7}
\end{equation*}
$$

or
Clamped
Condition
(8)


Figure 6. Interfacing an AC Voltage to an MPU using the HCPL-3700

For the unclamped input voltage condition, the maximum input current, or power will not be exceeded, because maximum input current and power will occur only under clamp conditions.

An output load resistance is not needed in this application because the peripheral interface adapter, such as MC6821, has an internal pullup resistor connected to its input.

## Example 2. AC Operation

As shown in Figure 6, an ac application is that of a monitored 115 V ac limit switch. Ac sensing is commonly used and the HCPL- 3700 conveniently provides an internal rectification circuit. With the HCPL-3700 interfacing to the P.I.A., a choice can be made not to filter the ac signal or to filter the ac signal at the input or output of the device. All three conditions will be explored. Simplicity is obtained with no filtering at all, but software detection techniques must be used. Output filtering is a standard method, but may present problems with slow RC rise time of the output waveform when TTL logic is used. Input filtering avoids the RC rise time problem of output filtering, but introduces an extra time delay at the input.

## AC Operation With No Filtering

In this example, a $\mathrm{V}_{+}$value of 98 V is selected based on a criteria of $60 \%$ of $\mathrm{V}_{\text {peak }}$. Monitoring a limit switch for a $60 \%$ level of the signal will give sufficient noise immunity from an open 115 V ac line while allowing the HCPL-3700 to turn on under low line voltage conditions of $-15 \%$ from nominal values when the limit switch is closed.

The value of $R_{\mathbf{x}}$ for the upper threshold detection level without the filter capacitor, $C$, across the dc input, can be obtained from the following expression.

$$
\begin{equation*}
R_{\mathbf{x}}=\frac{v_{+}-v_{T H+}}{I_{T H+}} \tag{9}
\end{equation*}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}=5.1 \mathrm{~V} \\
& \quad \text { (ac instantaneous) } \\
& \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}=2.5 \mathrm{~mA}
\end{aligned}
$$

Figure 7. Typical External Threshold Characteristic, $\mathbf{V}_{ \pm}$vs. $R_{X}$
$R_{x}=\frac{98 V-5.1 V}{2.5 m A}$
$R_{x}=37.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \quad$ (use $R_{x} / 2=18.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega, 1 \%$ resistor for each input lead)

The resulting lower threshold point is

$$
\begin{aligned}
V_{-} & =I_{T H-} R_{x}+V_{T H-} \\
& =(1.3 \mathrm{~mA})(37.4 \mathrm{k} \Omega)+3.8 \mathrm{~V} \\
V_{-} & =52.4 \mathrm{~V}
\end{aligned}
$$

(32\% of peak input voltage)

Figure 7 provides a convenient, graphical choice for the external series resistor, $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{x}}$, and a particular external threshold voltage $\mathrm{V}_{ \pm}$.

The corresponding $R_{x}$ value and output waveform of the HCPL-3700 for a $V_{+}=98 \mathrm{~V}$ ( $60 \%$ of peak) is shown in Figure 8.


Figure 8. Output Waveforms of the HCPL-3700 Design in Figure 7 with no Filtering Applied


Figure 9. Determination of Off/On State Time
To determine the time in the high state, refer to Figure 9 and Equation (11).

Due to symmetry of sinusoidal waveform, the high state time is $t_{-}+t_{+}$where $t_{ \pm}$is given by:
$t_{ \pm}=\frac{T}{360^{\circ}} \sin ^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{ \pm}}{V_{\text {peak }}}\right)$
where arc sine is in degrees and $T=$ period of sinusoidal waveform.

In the unfiltered condition, the output waveform of Figure 8 must be used as sensed information. Software can be created in which the microprocessor will examine the waveform from the optocoupler at specific intervals to determine if ac is present or absent at the input to the HCPL3700. This technique eliminates the problem of filtering, and accompanying delays, but requires more sohpisticated software implementation in the microprocessor.

## Input Filtering for AC Operation

A convenient method by which to achieve a continuous output low state in the presence of the applied ac signal is to filter the input dc terminals (pins 2-3) with a capacitance $C$ while the ac signal is applied to the ac input (pins $1-4$ ) of the full wave rectifier bridge. Input filtering allows flexibility in using the HCPL-3700 output for direct interfacing with TTL or CMOS devices without the slow rise time which would be encountered with output filtering. In addition, the input filter capacitor provides extra transient and contact bounce filtering. Because filtering is done after $R_{x^{\prime}}$ the capacitor working voltage is limited by the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IHC}}$ clamp voltage rating which is 6.7 V peak for ac operation. The disadvantage of input filtering is that this technique introduces time delays at turn on and turn off of the optocoupler due to initial charge/discharge of the input filter capacitor.


Figure 10. Input Filtering with the HCPL-3700

The application of ac input filtering is illustrated in Figure 10 and is described in the following example. The ac input conditions are the same as in the previous example of the 115 V ac limit switch.

The minimum value of capacitance $C$ to ensure proper ac filtering is determined by the parameters of the optocoupler. At low ac input voltage, the capacitor must charge to at least $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}$ in order to turn on, but must not discharge to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}$ _ during the discharge cycle. A conservative estimate for the minimum value of $C$ is given by the following equations.
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}-}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+} \mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{t} / \tau}, \tau=\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{IN}} \mathrm{C}_{\text {min }}$
where $R_{I N}$ is the equivalent input resistance of the HCPL3700.
t
$c_{\text {min }}=\frac{R_{\mathrm{IN}^{\prime}} \ln \left(\frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}}}\right)}{}$
with $R_{I N}=1 \mathrm{k} \Omega, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}=3.8 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{TH}}=2.6 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{t}=$ 8.33 ms for 60 Hz or $\mathrm{t}=10 \mathrm{~ms}$ for 50 Hz .
$C_{\text {min }}=7.23 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ for 60 Hz
$C_{\text {min }}=8.68 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ for 50 Hz
To ensure proper filtering, the recommended value of $C$ should be large enough such that with the tolerance variation, $C$ will always be greater than $C_{\min }$ ( $C$ should otherwise be kept as small as possible to minimize the inherent delay times which are encountered with this technique). Since the filter capacitor affects the input impedance, a slightly different value of $R_{x}$ is required for the input filtered condition. Figure 11 shows the $R_{x}$ versus $V_{ \pm}$ threshold voltage for $C=10 \mu \mathrm{~F}, 22 \mu \mathrm{~F}$, and $47 \mu \mathrm{~F}$. For an application of monitoring a 115 V RMS line for $65 \%$ of nominal voltage condition ( 75 V RMS), an $R_{x}=26.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm$ $1 \%$ with $C=10 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ will yield the desired threshold. The power dissipation for $R_{x}$ is determined from the clamped


Figure 11. External Threshold Voltage versus $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{X}}$ for Applications Using an Input Filter Capacitor C (Figure 10)
condition $\left(\mathrm{V}_{+} / \mathrm{V}_{\text {peak }}<\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+} / \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{ICH} 2}\right)$ and is 455 mW (see Figure 6) which suggests $R_{x} / 2$ of $1 / 2$ watt resistors for each input lead.

## Example 3. AC Operation with Improved Threshold Control and Accuracy

Some applications may occur which require threshold level detection at specific upper and lower threshold points. The ability to independently set the upper and lower threshold levels will provide the designer with more flexibility to meet special design criteria. As illustrated in Figure 12, a computer power line is monitored for a power failure condition in order to prevent loss of memory information during power line failure.

In this design, the HCPL-3700 optocoupler monitors the computer power line and the output of the optocoupler is interfaced to a TTL Schmitt trigger gate (7414).

In the earlier ac application of the HCPL-3700 (limit switch example), a single external series resistor, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{x}^{\prime}}$, was used to determine one of the threshold levels. The other threshold level was determined by the hysteresis of the device, and not the designer. A potential problem of single threshold


Figure 12. An AC Power Line Monitor with Simultaneous Selection of Upper and Lower Threshold Levels and Output Filtering
selection with 115 V line application would be to determine $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$ for a lower threshold level of $50 \%$ of nominal peak input voltage, only to find that the upper threshold level is $90 \%$ of peak input voltage. With the possible ac line voltage variations ( $+10 \%,-15 \%$ ), it would be possible that the optocoupler could never reach the upper threshold point with an ac line that is at $-15 \%$ of nominal value. To give the designer more control over both threshold points, a combination of series resistance, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}^{\prime}}$ and parallel resistance, $R_{p}$, may be used, as shown in Figure 12.

Two equations can be written for the two external threshold level conditions. At the upper threshold point,
$v_{+}=R_{x}\left(I_{T H+}+\frac{v_{T H+}}{R_{P}}\right)+v_{T H+}$
and at the lower threshold point,
$v_{-}=R_{x}\left(I_{T_{-}-}+\frac{v_{T_{H}-}}{R_{P}}\right)+v_{T_{H-}}$
Solving these equations for $R_{x}$ and $R_{p}$ yield the following expressions:
$R_{X}=\frac{V_{T_{H-}}\left(V_{+}\right)-V_{T_{H}+}\left(V_{-}\right)}{I_{T_{+}+}\left(V_{T_{H}-}\right)-I_{T_{H}-}\left(V_{T_{+}+}\right)}$
$R_{P}=\frac{V_{T_{H-}}\left(V_{+}\right)-V_{T_{H}+}\left(V_{-}\right)}{I_{T_{H}+}\left(V_{-}-V_{T_{H}-}\right)+I_{T H-}\left(V_{T_{H}+}-V_{+}\right)}$
Equations (16) and (17) are valid only if the conditions of Equations (18) or (19) are met. The desired external voltage threshold levels, $\mathrm{V}_{+}$and $\mathrm{V}_{-}$, are established and the values for $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH} \pm}$ and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH} \pm}$ are found from the data sheet. With the $V_{T H \pm}{ }^{\prime}{ }^{1} H \pm$ values, the denominator of $R_{x}$, Equation (16) is checked to see of it is positive or negative. If it is positive, then the following ratios must be met:
$\frac{\mathrm{V}_{+}}{\mathrm{V}_{-}} \geqslant \frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}_{+}}}{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}_{-}}}$and $\frac{\mathrm{V}_{+}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{V}_{-}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}_{-}}}<\frac{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}_{-}}}$
Conversely, if the denominator of $R_{x}$ Equation (16) is negative, then the following ratios must hold:
$\frac{\mathrm{V}_{+}}{\mathrm{V}_{-}} \leqslant \frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}_{-}}}$and $\frac{\mathrm{V}_{+}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{V}_{-}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}_{-}}}>\frac{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}_{-}}}$

Consider that the computer power line is monitored for a $50 \%$ line drop condition and a $75 \%$ line presence condition. The 115 V 60 Hz ac line ( 163 V peak) can vary from $85 \%$ (139V) to $110 \%$ ( 179 V ) of nominal value.

Require:
$V_{-}=81.5 \mathrm{~V}(50 \%)-$ Turn off threshold
$V_{+}=122.5 \mathrm{~V}(75 \%)-$ Turn on threshold

Given:


Using the Equations $(16,17)$ for $R_{x}, R_{p}$ with the conditions of Equations $(18,19)$ being met yields
$R_{x}=17.4 k \Omega \quad$ use $18 \mathrm{k} \Omega \quad 5 \%$
$R_{p}=1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \quad$ use $1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \quad 5 \%$
To complete the input calculations for maximum input current, $I_{I N}$, to the device and maximum power dissipation in $R_{x}$ and $R_{p}$, a check must be made to determine if the input voltage will clamp at peak applied voltage. Using Equations (3) and (4) to determine if a clamp or no clamp exists, it is found that the ratios
$0.75=\frac{V_{+}}{V_{\text {peak }}} \approx \frac{V_{\mathrm{TH}+}}{V_{\mathrm{IHC2}}}=0.76$
indicate that $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$ slightly entered clamp condition. In this application, the operating input current, $I_{I N}$, is given approximately by

$$
\begin{align*}
I_{I N} & =\frac{V-\frac{V_{I H C 2}}{\sqrt{2}}}{R_{x}}-\frac{\frac{V_{I H C 2}}{\sqrt{2}}}{R_{P}}<I_{I N(\max )}  \tag{20}\\
& =\frac{115 V-\frac{6.7 V}{\sqrt{2}}}{18 \mathrm{k} \Omega}-\frac{\frac{6.7 V}{\sqrt{2}}}{1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega}
\end{align*}
$$

$I_{I N}=2.18 \mathrm{~mA}$ RMS $<34.3 \mathrm{~mA}$

Power dissipation in $R_{x}$ is determined from the following equation,
$P_{R_{X}}=\frac{\left(V-\frac{V_{1 H C 2}}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{2}}{R_{x}}$
which yields 0.675 W . With the clamp condition existing, the maximum power dissipation for $R_{P}$ is 18.7 mW which is determined from
$P_{R_{P}}=\frac{\left(\frac{V_{I H C 2}}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{2}}{R_{P}}$

## Output Filtering

The advantages of filtering at the output of the HCPL-3700 are that it is a simple method to implement. The output waveform introduces only one additional delay time at turn off condition as opposed to the input filtering method which introduces additional delay times at both the turn on and turn off conditions due to initial charge or discharge of the input filter capacitor. The disadvantage of output filtering is that the long transition time, $t_{r}$, which is introduced by the output RC filter requires a Schmitt trigger logic gate to buffer the output filter circuit from the subsequent logic circuits to prevent logic chatter problems. The determination of load resistance and capacitance is illustrated in the following text.

The following given values specify the interface conditions.

$$
\text { HCPL- } 3700
$$

$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}$
${ }^{\prime} \mathrm{OL}=4.2 \mathrm{~mA}$
$\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ max
$V_{C C}=5.0 \mathrm{~V} \pm 5 \%$
7414
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\min )}=1.5 \mathrm{~V}$
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\max )}=2.0 \mathrm{~V}$
Schmitt trigger upper
threshold level
$I_{I H}=40 \mu A$ max
$I_{I L}=-1.2 m A$ max
With the current convention shown in Figure 12, the minimum value of $R_{L}$ which ensures that the output transistor remains in saturation is:

$$
\begin{align*}
\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}(\min )} & \geqslant \frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}(\max )}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}}{\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OL}}+\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IL}}}  \tag{23}\\
& =\frac{5.25 \mathrm{~V}-0.4 \mathrm{~V}}{4.2 \mathrm{~mA}-1.2 \mathrm{~mA}}=1.62 \mathrm{k} \Omega
\end{align*}
$$

The maximum value for $R_{L}$ is calculated allowing for a guardband of 0.4 V in $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\max )}$ parameter, or $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IH}}=$ $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\max )}+0.4 \mathrm{~V}$.


Figure 13. Output Waveforms of the HCPL-3700

$$
\begin{align*}
R_{L(\max )} & \leqslant \frac{V_{C C}(\min )-V_{I H}}{I_{O H}-I_{I H}}  \tag{24}\\
& =\frac{4.75 \mathrm{~V}-2.4 \mathrm{~V}}{0.1 \mathrm{~mA}+0.04 \mathrm{~mA}}=16.8 \mathrm{k} \Omega
\end{align*}
$$

$R_{L}$ is chosen to be $1650 \Omega$.
$C_{L}$ can be determined in the following fashion. As illustrated in Figure 8, the output of the optocoupler will be in the high state for a specific amount of time dependent upon the selected $\mathrm{V}_{+}$levels. In this example, $\mathrm{V}_{+}=122.5 \mathrm{~V}$ $(75 \%)$ and $V_{-}=81.5 \mathrm{~V}(50 \%)$ and allowing for a minimum peak line voltage of $138 \mathrm{~V}(-15 \%)$, the high state time (without $C_{L}$ ) is from Equation (11), 4.58ms. With the appropriate $C_{L}$ value, the output waveform (solid line) shown in Figure 13 is filtered.

The maximum ripple amplitude above $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ is chosen to be 0.6 V ; that is, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}+\Delta \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}=1.0 \mathrm{~V}$. This gives a 0.5 V noise margin before $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\min )}=1.5 \mathrm{~V}$ is reached. The exponential ripple waveform is caused by the $C_{L}$ being charged through $R_{L}$ and input resistance, $R_{I N}{ }_{T T L}$, of TTL gate. An expression for the allowable change in $V_{O L}$ can be written:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Delta v_{\mathrm{OL}}=\left(\mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{OH}}-\mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{OL}}\right)\left(1-\mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{t} / \tau}\right) \tag{25}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\tau=\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}^{\prime} \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}$ with $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ equal to parallel combination of $R_{L}$ and RINTTL.

Below $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+}=1.5 \mathrm{~V}(\mathrm{~min}), \mathrm{R}_{1 N_{T T L}}$ is constant and nominally $6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. Hence:

$$
\begin{align*}
R_{L}^{\prime} & =\frac{R_{L} R_{I N}}{R_{L T L}+R_{I N}}  \tag{26}\\
& =\frac{(1.65 \mathrm{k} \Omega)(6 \mathrm{k} \Omega)}{1.65 \mathrm{k} \Omega+6 \mathrm{k} \Omega} \\
R_{L}^{\prime} & =1.29 \mathrm{k} \Omega
\end{align*}
$$

Solving Equation (25) for $\tau$ yields
$\tau=\frac{t}{\ln \left(\frac{\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OH}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}}{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}-\Delta \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}}\right)}$
(27)
and substituting previous parameter values and using $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}-\left(\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}+\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{IH}}\right) \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ results in

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =\frac{4.58 \mathrm{~ms}}{\ln \left(\frac{4.8 \mathrm{~V}-0.4 \mathrm{~V}}{4.8 \mathrm{~V}-0.4 \mathrm{~V}-0.6 \mathrm{~V}}\right)} \\
\tau & =31.24 \mathrm{~ms}
\end{aligned}
$$

$C_{L}$ can be calculated directly,
$\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=\frac{\tau}{\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}^{\prime}}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =\frac{31.24 \mathrm{~ms}}{1.29 \mathrm{k} \Omega} \\
\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}} & =24.2 \mu \mathrm{~F}
\end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned}
& \\
&
\end{aligned} \quad \text { use } 27 \mu \mathrm{~F} \pm 10 \%
$$

With this value of $C_{L}$, the time the $R_{L}^{\prime} C_{L}$ filter network takes to reach $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+}$ of the TTL gate is found as follows.
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}+\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}\right)\left(1-\mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{t} / \tau}\right)=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+}$
Solving for $t$,
$\mathrm{t}=\tau \ln \left(\frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}}{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\min )}}\right)$
and substituting $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}=4.8 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{OL}}=0.4 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{T}+(\text { min })}=$ 1.5 V , and $\tau=31.24 \mathrm{~ms}$ yields

## $t=9.0 \mathrm{~ms}$

This is the delay time that the system takes to respond to the ac line voltage going below the $50 \%\left(\mathrm{~V}_{-}\right)$threshold level. In essence, the response time is slightly more than a half cycle ( 8.33 ms ) of 60 Hz ac line with worst case line variation taken into account. This delay time is acceptable for system power line protection. In this example, a complete worst case analysis was not performed. A worst case analysis should be done to ensure proper function of the circuit over variations in line voltage, unit to unit device parameter variations, component tolerances and temperature.

## Threshold Accuracy Improvement

In the above example on output filtering, the two external threshold levels were selected for turn on conditions at $\mathrm{V}_{+}=122.5 \mathrm{~V}(75 \%)$ and turn off at $\mathrm{V}_{-}=81.5 \mathrm{~V}(50 \%)$. The calculated external resistor values were $R_{x}=17.4 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ and $R_{p}=1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. Using standard $5 \%$ resistors of $18 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ and $1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ respectively, the upper threshold voltage was actually 126.6 V nominal.

Examination of the worst possible combination of variations of the HCPL-3700 optocoupler $V_{\mathrm{TH}+}{ }^{1}{ }^{1} \mathrm{TH}+$, levels from unit to unit, and the $\pm 5 \%$ variations of $R_{X}$ and $R_{P}$ can result in the $V_{+}$level changing $+23 \%$ to $-25 \%$ from design nominal.

If higher threshold accuracy is desired, it can be accomplished by decreasing the value of $R_{p}$ in order to allow $R_{p}$ to dominate the input resistance variations of the optocoupler. Using a $1 \%$ resistor for $R_{P}$ and resistance of sufficiently small magnitude, the $\mathrm{V}_{+}$tolerance variations can be significantly improved. The following analysis will allow the designer to obtain nearly optimum threshold accuracy from unit to unit. It should be noted that the HCPL-3700 demonstrates excellent threshold repeatability once the external resistors are adjusted for a particular level and unit. The compromise which is made for the added control on threshold accuracy is that more input power must be consumed within the $R_{p}, R_{x}$ resistors.

In Figure 14, assume the circuit is at the upper threshold point. At constant $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}$, it is desired to maintain $I_{+}$to within $\pm 5 \%$ variation of nominal value while allowing $\pm 1 \%$ variation in $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}_{+}}$. With this requirement, Equations (31) and (32) can be written and solved for the magnitude of $I_{P_{+}}$ which is needed to maintain the desired condition on $I_{+} \cdot I_{+}$ is the sum of $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}+}$ and $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}$.

$$
\left.\begin{array}{l}
1.05 \mathrm{I}_{+}=1.01 \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}_{+}}+\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+(\max )}  \tag{31}\\
0.95 \mathrm{I}_{+}=0.99 \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}_{+}}+\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+(\min )}
\end{array}\right\} \text { at constant } \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}
$$

where
$I_{T H+(\max )}=3.11 \mathrm{~mA}$
$I_{\mathrm{TH}+(\mathrm{min})}=1.96 \mathrm{~mA}$


Figure 14. Threshold Accuracy Improvement through the Use of External $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{X}}$ and $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{p}}$ Resistors

Solving for $I_{P+}$ yields

$$
I_{P_{+}}=11.2 \mathrm{~mA},
$$

and

$$
\begin{align*}
R_{P} & =\frac{V_{T H+}}{I_{P+}}  \tag{33}\\
& =\frac{5.1 \mathrm{~V}}{11.2 \mathrm{~mA}} \\
R_{P} & =433 \Omega \quad \text { (use } 453 \Omega, 1 \% \text { resistor) }
\end{align*}
$$

This new value of $R_{P}$ replaces the earlier $R_{P}=1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$, and the circuit requires a new $R_{x}$ value to maintain the same $V_{+}$ threshold level.

$$
\begin{align*}
R_{X} & =\frac{V_{+}-V_{T H+}}{I_{+}} \text {where } \quad \begin{aligned}
I_{+} & =I_{P_{+}}+I_{T H+} \\
& =11.2 \mathrm{~mA}+2.5 \mathrm{~mA} \\
& =\frac{122.5 \mathrm{~V}-5.1 \mathrm{~V}}{13.7 \mathrm{~mA}} \\
R_{X} & =8.57 \mathrm{k} \Omega \quad \text { (use } 8.66 \mathrm{k} \Omega, 1 \% \text { resistor) }
\end{aligned} \tag{34}
\end{align*}
$$

With the possible variation of $\pm 1 \%$ in $R_{P}$ and $R_{x}$, as well as unit to unit variations in the optocoupler $V_{T H+} I_{\mathrm{TH}+}$, the upper threshold level $\mathrm{V}_{+}$will vary significantly less thán in the $5 \%$ resistor design case. The variations in $V_{+}$, which is given by $\mathrm{V}_{+}=\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}} \mathrm{I}_{+}+\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{TH}+}$, where $\mathrm{I}_{+}=\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}_{+}}{ }^{+} \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TH}+}$, are compared in Table 1.

Table 1 illustrates the possible improvements in $\mathrm{V}_{+}$tolerance as $R_{x}$ and $R_{P}$ are adjusted to limit the variation of the external input threshold current, $I_{+}$, to the resistor network and optocoupler. This table is centered at a nominal external input threshold voltage of $\mathrm{V}_{+}=122.5 \mathrm{~V}$. It is the designer's compromise to keep power consumption low, but threshold accuracy high.

NOTE: $\quad$ The above method for selection of $R_{p}$ and $R_{x}$ can be adapted for applications where larger sense currents (wet sensing) may be appropriate.

## Example 4. Dedicated Lines for Remote Control

In situations involving a substantial separation between the signal source and the receiving station, it may be desirable to lease a dedicated private line metallic circuit (dc path) for supervisory control of remote equipment. The HCPL3700 can provide the interface requirements of voltage threshold detection and optical isolation from the metallic line to the remote equipment. This greatly reduces the expense of using a sophisticated modem system over a convention telephone line.

| $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{x}}$ | T O L. | $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{p}}$ | T 0 $L$ | $I_{+}$TOLERANCE | $\mathbf{V}_{+}$TOLERANCE |  | MAXIMUM TOTAL POWER IN $R_{x}+R_{p}$ (RMS) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $18 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 5\% | $1.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 5\% | $\begin{aligned} & +17.5 \% \\ & -21.2 \% \end{aligned}$ | + 23\% | - 25\% | 0.69 W |
| $8.66 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 1\% | $453 \Omega$ | 1\% | $\pm 5 \%$ | +12.7\% | $-19.3 \%$ | 1.45 W |
| $4.32 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 1\% | $205 \Omega$ | 1\% | $\pm 3 \%$ | +11.2\% | -18.9\% | 2.92 W |
| $2.15 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 1\% | $97.5 \Omega$ | 1\% | $\pm 2 \%$ | +10.6\% | -18.8\% | 5.89 W |

Table 1. Comparison of the $\mathbf{V}_{+}$Threshold Accuracy Improvement versus $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{x}}$ and $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{p}}$ and Power Dissipation for a Nominal $\mathrm{V}_{+}=122.5 \mathrm{~V}$

Figure 15 represents the application of the HCPL-3700 for a line which is to control tank levels in a water district.

Some comments are needed about dedicated metallic lines. The use of a private metallic line places restrictions upon the designer's signal levels. The line in this example would be used in the interrupted dc mode (duration of each interruption greater than one second), the maximum allowed voltage between any conductor and ground is $\leqslant 135$ volts. Maximum current should be limited to 150 mA if the cable has compensating inductive coils in it. Balanced operation of the line is strongly recommended to reduce possible cross talk interference as well as to allow larger signal magnitudes to be used. Precaution also should be taken to protect the line and equipment. The line needs to be fused to ensure against equipment failure causing excessive current to flow through telephone company equipment. In addition, protection from damaging transients must be taken via spark gap arrestors and commercial transient suppressors. Details of private line metallic circuits can be founded in the American Telephone and Telegraph Company publication 43401.

In this application, a 48 V dc floating power source supplies the signal for the metallic line. The HCPL-3700 upper voltage threshold level is set for $\mathrm{V}_{+}=36 \mathrm{~V}$ (75\%). Consequently, $R_{x}$ is

$$
\begin{align*}
R_{x} & =\frac{V_{+}-V_{T H+}}{I_{T H}}  \tag{35}\\
& =\frac{36 \mathrm{~V}-3.8 \mathrm{~V}}{2.5 \mathrm{~mA}} \\
& =12.9 \mathrm{k} \Omega
\end{align*}
$$

(use $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}} / \mathbf{2}=6.49 \mathrm{k} \Omega$, 1\% resistor in each input level)

The resulting lower voltage threshold level is

$$
\begin{align*}
V_{-} & =R_{x} I_{T H-}+V_{T H-}  \tag{36}\\
& =13 \mathrm{k} \Omega(1.3 \mathrm{~mA})+2.6 \mathrm{~V} \\
V_{-} & =19.5 \mathrm{~V}
\end{align*}
$$



FLOAT SWITCH AND WATER PUMP ARE REMOTELY LOCATED WITH RESPECT TO EACH OTHER.
Figure 15. Application of the HCPL-3700 to Private Metallic Telephone Circuits for Remote Control
yielding $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{HYS}}=16.5 \mathrm{~V}$. The average induced ac voltage from adjacent power lines is usually less than 10 volts (reference ATT publication 43401) which would not falsely turn on, or off, the HCPL-3700, but could affect conventional optocouplers.

Under normal operation (full reservoir), the optocoupler is off. When the float switch is closed (low reservoir), the optocoupler output ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ ) needs inversion, via a transistor, to drive the power Darlington transistor which controls a motor starting relay. The relay applies ac power to the system water pump. With $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=10 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}_{2}}=0.5 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}_{1}}=$ 0.5 mA .

$$
\begin{aligned}
R_{1} & =\frac{V_{C C}-2 V_{B E}}{I_{B 2}} \\
& =\frac{10 \mathrm{~V}-1.4 \mathrm{~V}}{0.5 \mathrm{~mA}} \\
\mathrm{R}_{1} & =17.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\
\left(\mathrm{R}_{1}\right. & =18 \mathrm{k} \Omega) \\
\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}} & =\frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}-\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{BE}}}{\mathrm{I}_{1}} \\
& =\frac{10 \mathrm{~V}-0.7 \mathrm{~V}}{0.5 \mathrm{~mA}} \\
\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}} & =18.6 \mathrm{k} \Omega \\
\left(R_{L}\right. & =18 \mathrm{k} \Omega)
\end{aligned}
$$

For this application, the ac inputs could also be used, which would remove any concern about the polarity of the input signal.

## General Protection Considerations for the HCPL-3700

The HCPL-3700 optocoupler combines a unique function of threshold level detection and optical isolation for interfacing sensed signals from electrically noisy, and potentially harmful, environments. Protection from transients which could damage the threshold detection circuit and LED is provided internally by the Zener diode bridge rectifier and an external series resistor. By examination of Figure 1, it is seen that an input ac voltage clamp condition will occur at a maximum of a Zener diode voltage plus a forward biased diode voltage.

At clamp condition, the bridge diodes limit the applied input voltage at the device and shunt excess input current which could damage the threshold detection circuit or cause excessive stress to the LED.

The HCPL-3700 optocoupler can tolerate significant input current transient conditions. The maximum dc input current into or out of any lead is 50 mA . The maximum
input surge current is 140 mA for 3 ms at 120 Hz pulse repetition rate, and the maximum input transient current is 500 mA for $10 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ at 120 Hz pulse repetition rate. The use of an external series resistor, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{x}^{\prime}}$ provides current limiting to the device when a large voltage transient is present. The amplitude of the acceptable voltage transient is directly proportional to the value of $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{x}}$.

However, in order to protect the HCPL-3700 when the input voltage to the device is clamped, the maximum input current must not be exceeded. An external means by which to enhance transient protection can be seen in Figure 16.

A transient $R_{x} C_{P}$ filter can be formed with $C_{P}$ chosen by the designer to provide a sufficiently low break point for the low pass filter to reduce high frequency transients. However, the break point must not be so low as to attenuate the signal frequency. Consider the previous ac application where no filtering was used. In that application, $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}=$ $37.4 \mathrm{k} \Omega$, and if the bandwidth of the transient filter needs to be 600 Hz , then $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{P}}$ is:

$$
C_{P}=\frac{1}{2 \pi f R_{x}}
$$

$$
C_{P}=0.0071 \mu \mathrm{~F} \quad \text { (use } 0.0068 \mu \mathrm{~F} \text { capacitor @ } 50 \mathrm{~V} \mathrm{dc} \text { ) }
$$

Should additional protection be needed, a very effective external transient suppression technique is to use a commercial transient suppressor, such as a Transzorb ${ }^{\circledR}$, or metal oxide varistor, MOV ${ }^{\circledR}$, at the input to the resistor network prior to the optocoupler. The Transzorb ${ }^{\circledR}$ will provide extremely fast transient response, clamp the input voltage to a definite level, and absorb the transient energy. Selection of a Transzorb ${ }^{\circledR}$ is made by ensuring that the reverse stand off voltage is greater than the continuous peak operating voltage level. Transzorbs ${ }^{\circledR}$ can be stacked in series or parallel for higher peak power ratings. Depending upon the designer's potential transient problems, a solution may warrent the expense of a commercial suppression device.

## Thermal Considerations

Thermal considerations which should be observed with the HCPL-3700 are few. The plastic 8 pin DIP package is designed to be operated over a temperature range of $-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The absolute maximum ratings are established for


Figure 16. $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}} \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{p}}$ Transient Filter for the HCPL-3700
a $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient temperature requiring slight derating to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. In general, if operation of the HCPL-3700 is at ambient temperature of $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ or less, no heat sinking is required. However, for operation between $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient temperature, the maximum ratings should be derated per the data sheet specifications.

## Mechanical and Safety Considerations

## Mechanical Mounting Considerations

The HCPL-3700 optocoupler is a standard 8 pin dual-inline plastic package designed to interface ac or dc power systems to logic systems. This optocoupler can be mounted directly onto a printed circuit board by wave soldering.

## Electrical Safety Considerations

Special considerations must be given for printed circuit board lead spacing for different safety agency requirements. Various standards exist with safety agencies (U.L., V.D.E., I.E.C., etc.) and should be checked prior to PC board layout. The HCPL-3700 optocoupler component is recognized under the Component Program of Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. in file number E55361. This file qualifies the component to specific electrical tests to 220 V ac operation.

The spacing required for the PC board leads depends upon the potential difference that would be observed on the board. Some standards that could pertain to equipment which would use the HCPL-3700 are UL1244, Electrical and Electronic Measuring and Testing Equipment, UL1092, Process Control Equipment, and IEC348, Electronic Measuring Apparatus. Spacing for the worst case in an uncontrolled environment with a 2000 volt-amperes maximum supplying source rating must be 3.2 mm ( 0.125 inches) for $51-250$ volts RMS potential difference over a surface (creepage distance), and 3 mm ( 0.118 inches)
through air (bare wire). These separations are between any uninsulated live part and uninsulated live part of opposite polarity, or uninsulated ground part other than the enclosure or an exposed metal part.

An uncontrolled environment is an environment which has contaminants, chemical vapors, particulates or any substances which would cause corrosion, decrease resistance between PC board traces or, in general, be an unhealthy environment to human beings.

For $0-50$ volts RMS, the spacing is 1.6 mm ( 0.063 inches) through air or over surfaces.

## Electrical Connectors

The HCPL-3700 provides the needed isolation between a power signal environment and a control logic system. However, there exists a physical requirement to actually interconnect these two environments. This interconnection can be accomplished with barrier strips, edge card connectors, and PCB socket connectors which provide the electrical cable/field wire connection to the I/O logic system. These connectors provide for easy removal of the PC board for repair or substitution of boards in the I/O housing and are needed to satisfy the safety agency (U.L., V.D.E., I.E.C.) requirements for spacing and insulation. Connectors are readily available from many commercial manufacturers, such as Connection Inc., Buchanan, etc. The style of connector to choose is dependent upon the application for which the PC board is used. If possible it is wise to choose a style which does not mount to the PC board. This would enable the PC card to be removed without having to disconnect field wires. The use of connectors which are called "gas tight connectors" provide for good electrical and mechanical reliability by reducing corrosion effects over time.

| V | $\equiv$ Externally Applied Voltage |
| :---: | :---: |
| $V_{+}$ | 三 External Upper Threshold Voltage Level |
| $V_{-}$ | $\equiv$ External Lower Threshold Voltage Level |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IHC} 1}$ | ```= Device* Input Voltage Clamp Level; Low Voltage DC Case``` |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IHC2 }}$ | = Low Voltage AC Case |
| $V_{\text {IHC3 }}$ | = High Voltage DC Case |
| IIN | Device Input Current |
| $V_{\text {IN }}$ | $=$ Device Input Voltage |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {TH+ }}$ | = Device Upper Voltage Threshold Level |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {TH- }}$ | = Device Lower Voltage Threshold Level |
| ${ }^{\text {TH }}$ + | = Device Upper Input Current Threshold Level |
| $\begin{aligned} & { }^{\mathrm{T}} \mathrm{RH}_{-} \\ & \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}} \end{aligned}$ | = Device Lower Input Current Threshold Level <br> = External Series Resistor for Selection of External Threshold Level |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{P}}$ | = External Parallel Resistor for Simultaneous Selection/Accuracy Improvement of External Threshold Voltage Levels |
| $I_{+}$ | $=$ Total Input Current at Upper Threshold Level to External Resistor Network ( $\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{x}}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{p}}$ ) and Device |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}+}$ | $=$ Current in $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{P}}$ at Upper Threshold Levels |
| $V_{\text {peak }}$ | $=$ Peak Externally Applied Voltage |
| $\mathrm{V}_{0}$ | = Output Voltage of Device |


| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ | $=$ Output Low Voltage of Device |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | = Output High Voltage of Device |
| ${ }^{1} \mathrm{OH}$ | $=$ Output High Leakage Current of Device |
| ${ }_{\text {IOL }}$ | = Output Low Sinking Current of Device |
| $I_{\text {IH }}$ | $=$ Input High Current of Driven Gate |
| IIL | = Input Low current of Driven Gate |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | = Positive Supply Voltage |
| $\mathrm{R}_{1 \mathrm{~N}}$ | = Input Resistance of HCPL-3700 |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{T}+}$ | ```\equiv Schmitt Trigger Upper Threshold Voltage of TTL Gate (7414)``` |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}$ | $=$ Output Pullup Resistance |
| ${ }^{\text {c }}$ L | = Output Filter Capacitance |
| C | = Input Filter Capacitor |
| $\mathrm{TH}_{+}$ | = Upper Threshold Level |
| TH_ | = Lower Threshold Level |
| $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{R}_{\mathbf{x}}}$ | $=$ Power Dissipation in $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$ |
| $\mathrm{P}_{\text {IN }}$ | $=$ Power Dissipation in HCPL-3700 Input IC |
| PA | = Input Signal Port to P.I.A. |
| $\mathrm{t}_{+}$ | $=$ Turn On Time |
| t | = Turn Off Time |
| T | = Period of Waveform |
| $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{P}}$ | $=$ Similar to $\mathrm{R}_{P}$ |

# Operational Considerations for LED Lamps and Display Devices 

In the design of a display system, which incorporates LED lamps and display devices, the objective is to achieve an optimum between light output, power dissipation, reliability, and operating life. The performance characteristics and capabilities of each LED device must be known and understood so that an optimum design can be achieved. The primary source for this information is the LED device data sheet.

The data sheet typically contains Electrical/Optical Characteristics that list the performance of the device and Absolute Maximum Ratings in conjunction with characteristic curves and other data which describe the capabilities of the device. A thorough understanding of this information and its intended use provides the basis for achieving an optimum design.

This application note presents an in-depth discussion of the theory and use of the electrical and optical information contained within a data sheet. Two designs using this information in the form of numerical examples are presented, one for dc operation and one for pulsed (strobed) operation. The calculated results for each example are underlined and accented by an arrow ( - ) for each identification. Specific information on operation without derating and the soldering of plastic LED devices is also presented.

## Typical Data Sheet Information

A data sheet typically contains Absolute Maximum Ratings, Electrical/Optical Characteristics, and typical operating graphs. The Absolute Maximum Ratings list such items as the maximum allowed forward currents, power dissipation, and operating ambient temperature range. The Electrical/Optical Characteristics list such data as the luminous intensity specification ( $I_{\mathrm{V}}$ ), forward voltage ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}}$ ), peak wavelength ( $\lambda_{\text {PEAK }}$ ), dominant wavelength ( $\lambda_{d}$ ), and the device thermal resistance LED junction-to-pin on a per LED element basis ( $\mathrm{R} \theta_{J-\mathrm{PIN}}$ ).
The five graphs that are usually contained within a data sheet are:

Figure 1: Pulsed Mode Operating Curves
Figure 2: Current Derating vs. Temperature
Figure 3: Relative Luminous Efficiency
Figure 4: Forward Voltage Characteristic
Figure 5: Light Output vs. DC Drive Current

The data sheet also provides an equation to calculate the expected maximum forward voltage at a given current.

## Design Criteria

This application note assumes that the objective of a specific design is to achieve a maximum light output from a display that is operated in an elevated ambient temperature. The two criteria that establish the operating limits are the maximum drive current and the maximum LED junction temperature. The maximum drive current has been established to ensure a long operating life and the maximum LED junction temperature is governed by the device package. The data sheet will list the maximum allowed drive currents for a specific device. The absolute maximum allowed LED junction temperature ( $T_{J} M A X$ ) differs for the various device package configurations. For most plastic display devices, $\mathrm{T}_{\jmath} \mathrm{MAX}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; for most plastic lamps, $T_{j} M A X=110^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; and for alphanumeric PC board monolithic displays, $T_{J} M A X=110^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (for some PC board monolithic displays, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}} \mathrm{MAX}=80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ).

## Thermal Resistance

The LED junction temperature is the sum of the ambient temperature $\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)$ and the temperature rise above ambient $\left(\Delta T_{j}\right)$, which is the product of the power dissipated within the junction ( $P_{D}$ ) times the thermal resistance LED junction-to-ambient ( $R \theta_{J A}$ ).

$$
\begin{align*}
& T_{J}\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}+\Delta \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}  \tag{1}\\
& \mathrm{~T}_{J}\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}+\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{D}} \mathrm{R} \theta_{J A}
\end{align*}
$$

The cathode pins of an LED device are the primary thermal paths for heat dissipation from the LED junction into the surrounding environment. The data sheet lists the thermal resistance LED junction-to-pin ( $\mathrm{R} \theta_{J-\mathrm{PIN}}$ ) for the device. This device junction-to-pin thermal resistance is added to the thermal resistance-to-ambient of the PC board mounting assembly ( $\mathrm{R} \theta_{\mathrm{PC}-\mathrm{A}}$ ) to obtain the overall value of $R \theta_{J A}$ on a per LED element basis. (NOTE: For monolithic displays, thermal resistance is calculated on a per digit basis.)

$$
\begin{align*}
\mathrm{R} \theta \mathrm{JA} & =\mathrm{R} \theta \mathrm{~J}-\mathrm{PIN}+\mathrm{R} \theta \mathrm{PC}-\mathrm{A}  \tag{2}\\
& ={ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \mathrm{LED} \text { Element }
\end{align*}
$$



Figure 1. Maximum Tolerable Peak Current vs. Puise Duration


Figure 2. Maximum Allowable DC Current per Segment vs. Ambient Temperature. Deratings Based on Maximum Allowed Thermal Resistance Values, LED Junction-toAmbient on a per Segment Basis. $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}} \mathrm{MAX}=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


Figure 4. Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage Characteristic


Figure 3. Relative Luminous Efficiency (Luminous Intensity per Unit Current) vs. Peak Segment Current


For reliable operation, it is recommended that the value of R $\theta$ PC-A be designed low enough to ensure that the LED junction temperature does not exceed the maximum allowed value.

## Derating vs. Temperature

The derating vs. temperature, Figure 2, is derived from the LED junction temperature rise above ambient as estabby the maximum allowed power dissipation (PD MAX) which is derated linearly to zero power when $T_{A}=T_{J} M A X$. The values of R $\theta_{J A}$ shown on Figure 2 are derived from the quotient of $\triangle T J$ and $P D M A X$ for a specified operating temperature.
R фJA $\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} / \mathrm{LED}\right)=$

$$
\begin{equation*}
\frac{\Delta T_{J}\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)}{P_{D} \operatorname{MAX}(W)}=\frac{T_{J} M A X-T_{A} \text { OPERATING }}{P_{D} M A X} \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

The value of PD MAX is the power dissipation within a maximum forward voltage device when driven at the maximum data sheet current. Thus, R $\theta$ JA is determined on the basis of worst case power dissipation.
The derating curve with the largest R $\theta_{J A}$ value in Figure 2, normally a derating from $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, represents a mandatory derating for a typical application that utilizes a single sided PC board with 0.51 mm ( 0.020 inch) wide traces, assuming that no other provision is provided for heat dissipation. The other derating curves from higher ambient temperatures, shown as dashed lines on Figure 2, represent allowed increased drive currents when the design incorporates a more elaborate PC board mounting assembly to obtain a lower R OJA $^{2}$ value for increased heat dissipation. The temperature deratings of Figure 2 ensure reliable operation for both dc and pulsed mode operation.

## Worst Case Power Calculation

The worst case power is that power dissipated within the junction of a maximum forward voltage device. The worst case power is used for determining the worst case $T_{J}$ that will result from a specific drive current and thermal resistance, see Equation 1. The expected maximum forward voltage ( $V_{F}$ MAX) at a selected drive current is determined by an equation on the data sheet of the form:
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} \mathrm{MAX}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{ON}}+($ IPEAK $)($ LED Dynamic Resistance $)$
The worst case power is the product of the time average current under pulsed operation (dc current for dc operation) times $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{F}} \mathrm{MAX}$ :

Pworst Case $=(\operatorname{ldc})\left(V_{F}\right.$ MAX $)$; For DC Operation
Pworst case $=($ IPEAK $)($ DUTY FACTOR $)($ VF MAX at IPEAK $) ;$ For Pulsed Operation

## Current Limiting

An LED is a current operated device and some kind of current limiter must be incorporated as part of the drive circuitry. This current limiter usually takes the form of a resistor placed in series with the LED. The typical forward voltage characteristic of Figure 4 is used to calculate the series current limiter for each LED element.

RLIMIter $=$
VCC(POWER SUPPLY) - $\mathrm{VSAT}_{\text {SAT }}$ (DRIVE TRANSISTORS) - $\mathrm{V}_{\text {F(FIGURE 4) }}$ Ipeak current per led element

## Light Output

The time averaged luminous intensity ( Iv ) at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for a particular drive condition may be calculated using the relative luminous intensity characteristic of Figure 5 for dc operation or the relative efficiency characteristic ( $\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}$ ) of Figure 3 for pulsed operation. For dc operation, $I_{v}\left(T_{A}=\right.$ $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) is equal to the product of the data sheet luminous intensity specification times the relative factor for a specific dc current from Figure 5.

Iv $D C=$
(Iv DATA SHEET) (FACTOR FROM FIGURE 5)
FOR: $T_{A}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
For pulsed operation, the time averaged luminous at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=$ $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ is calculated using the following equation:

Iv TIME AVG =
$\left[\frac{I_{\text {aVg }}}{I_{\text {IVG }} \text { DATA SHEET }}\right]\left[\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}\right]\left[I_{\mathrm{IV}}\right.$ DATA SHEET]
Where: $l_{\mathrm{AVG}}=$ The average forward current through an LED element
lavg DATA SHEET $=$ The average current at which $I_{V}$ DATA SHEET is measured

The luminous intensity value at $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ is adjusted by the following exponential equation to obtain the light output value at the operating ambient temperature.
$\operatorname{Iv}\left(T_{A}\right.$ OPERATING $)=\operatorname{Iv}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \mathrm{e}^{\left[\mathrm{k}\left(T_{A}-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)\right]}$

| LED | $k$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Standard Red | $-.0188 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| High Efficiency Red | $-.0131 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Yellow | $-.0112 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Green | $-.0104 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Pulsed Mode vs. DC Operation

When operating an LED device under dc drive conditions, the junction temperature is a linear function of the dc power dissipation multiplied by R日JA. The light output is proportional to the dc drive current as expressed in Equation 7.

The use of a 50 or 60 Hertz half or full-wave rectified ac as the drive current for LED devices is not recommended, since the rms power in a rectified sine wave is greater than the time averaged power of a rectangular waveform of an equivalent peak value. Pulsed drive conditions are based on the assumption that the drive current pulses are a rectangular waveform. If a rectified sine wave is to be used, in no case should the value of the peak current exceed the maximum allowed dc current value.

When operating an LED device in a pulsed mode, it is the peak junction temperature (not the average) that governs
the performance of the device as to the allowed time average power dissipation and light output. The lower the peak junction temperature ( $T$ J PEAK) is in relationship to the time average junction temperature ( $T J$ AVG), the greater is the light output of the device. At slow refresh rates (the number of times per second a device is pulsed)
in the range of $100 \mathrm{~Hz}, \mathrm{~T}_{J}$ PEAK is greater than TJ AVG. As the refresh rate approaches 1000 Hz , the value of TJ PEAK approaches the value of TJ AVG. Therefore, it is recommended that whenever possible LED devices be refreshed at a 1 KHz rate or faster, since at these faster pulse rates $T_{J}$ PEAK is assumed to be equal to TJ AVG and the light output is a function of TJ AVG.

## Design Steps

In order to determine the derated drive conditions from the data sheet for an elevated ambient temperature, a value for R $\theta$ Ja must be selected. Once a value for R $\theta$ Ja has been selected, the required current derating can be determined for the operating ambient temperature directly from Figure 2. As illustrated in the pulsed mode design example, the dc derating is used to determine the pulsed current derating.
The four basic design steps are:

1. Determine derated drive currents.
2. Calculate the required value of $R \theta P C-A$ for the $P C$ board mounting configuration.
3. Calculate the value of the current limiting resistor. Use the nearest standard value resistor larger than the calculated value.
4. Calculate the light output.

## DC Design Example

A high efficiency red seven segment display is to be operated in an ambient of $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Pertinent data for this device are:

Maximum DC Current per segment ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) $=20 \mathrm{~mA}$
Maximum Average Power Dissipation ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) $=81 \mathrm{~mW}$
Iv TYPICAL $=300 \mu \mathrm{~cd}$ per segment at $\mathrm{IDC}=5 \mathrm{~mA}$
R $\theta J-$ PIN $=282^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment
$V_{F} M A X=1.60 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IDC}(45 \Omega)$; for $5 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \mathrm{IDC} \leq 20 \mathrm{~mA}$
$T J M A X=100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
The data sheet curves on page 2 apply to this device. It is assumed that a value of R $\theta_{J A}=494^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment or less will be incorporated into the display system design.
Step 1.
The derated dc drive current is determined from Figure 2.
At $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and R $\theta_{\mathrm{JA}} \leq 494^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment,
IDC MAX $=17.5 \mathrm{~mA} \longleftarrow$ IDC MAX
Step 2.
The required maximum thermal resistance for the PC board assembly is calculated from Equation 2:
$R \theta$ PC-A $\leq(494-282)=212^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment $-R \theta \mathrm{PC}-A$
Step 3.
A value of $V_{S A T}=0.4$ volts is assumed for the LED drive transistors. From Figure 4,
$V_{F} \operatorname{TYP}(17.5 \mathrm{~mA})=2.0 \mathrm{~V}$

From Equation 6 and assuming $\mathrm{VCc}=5 . \mathrm{OV}$ :
RLIMITER $=\frac{5.0 \mathrm{~V}-0.4 \mathrm{~V}-2.0 \mathrm{~V}}{0.0175 \mathrm{~A}}=\underline{\underline{149 \Omega}<\text { RLIMITER }}$
Use a $150 \Omega$ standard value resistor.
Step 4.
From Figure 5, the normalized light at 17.5 mA is a factor of $4.4 \times$ the light output at 5 mA .
From Equation 7 :
$\operatorname{Iv}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(300 \mu \mathrm{~cd})(4.4)=1320 \mu \mathrm{~cd} /$ segment
Using Equation 9 to adjust the light output for $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ :
Iv $\left(65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(1320 \mu \mathrm{~cd}) \mathrm{e}^{\left[-.0131 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}(65-25)^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right]}$
Iv $\left(65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(1320)(0.592)=782 \mu \mathrm{~cd} /$ segment $\longleftarrow \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{V}}$

## Pulsed Mode Design Example

A four digit display using the same high efficiency red seven segment display described in the DC Design Example is to be operated in a pulsed mode in an ambient of $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Additional pertinent data for this device are:

Maximum Peak Current per Segment

$$
\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \text { Pulse Width }=2 \mathrm{~ms}\right)=60 \mathrm{~mA}
$$

$V_{F} M A X=1.75 \mathrm{~V}+\operatorname{IPEAK}(38 \Omega)$; for IPEAK $\geq 20 \mathrm{~mA}$
It is assumed that a value of $\mathrm{R} \theta_{\mathrm{JA}}=494^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ segment or less will be incorporated into the display system design.
Figure 1 is used to select the refresh conditions for pulsed operation. These refresh conditions are junction temperature related to the dc current deratings of Figure 2. Figure 1 relates the ratio of maximum-peak current to temperature derated maximum dc current (IPEAK MAX/IDC MAX) and pulse duration ( $t_{p}$ ) as a function of refresh rate (f). The allowed average power dissipation decreases below $f=1 \mathrm{kHz}$ since the difference between TJPEAK and TJ AVG increases with decreasing refresh rates. This condition is illustrated by the dashed line shown on Figure 1, which shows the ratio of IPEAK MAX to IdC MAX decreasing with slower refresh rates with the duty factor fixed at 1 of 4.

Step 1.
For best performance, a refresh rate of 1 kHz will be used:


A four digit display sets the duty factor (D.F.) at one of four:

$t_{p}=(1 / \mathrm{f})($ D.F. $)=(1 / 1000 \mathrm{~Hz})(1 / 4)=250 \mu \mathrm{~s} \longleftarrow \square t_{p}$
From Figure 1:
IPEAK/IDC MAX $=3.3$; for $t_{p}=250 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ and $\mathrm{f}=1 \mathrm{kHz}$
From Figure 2:
IDC MAX, at $T_{A}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $R \theta J A=494^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment, is 17.5 mA

IPEAK $=($ IPEAK MAX/IDC MAX)(IDC MAX from Figure 2)
IPEAK $=(3.3)(17.5 \mathrm{~mA})=57.8 \mathrm{~mA}$ per Segment $\longleftarrow$ IPEAK
$I_{\text {AVG }}=($ IPEAK $)(\mathrm{D} . \mathrm{F})=.(57.8 \mathrm{~mA})(1 / 4)=14.5 \mathrm{~mA} \longleftarrow \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{AVG}}$
These are the maximum pulsed mode drive currents for this design as defined by $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and R $\theta \mathrm{JA} \leq 494^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ segment.

Step 2.
The required maximum thermal resistance for the PC board assembly is calculated from Equation 2:

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R0PC-A \leq (494-282) =
212*}\textrm{C}/\textrm{W}/\mathrm{ segment }\longleftarrow~\mathrm{ ROPC-A MAX
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Step 3.
A value of $V_{S A T}=1.2$ volts is assumed for the LED drive transistors. From Figure 4,
$V_{F} \operatorname{TYP}(57.8 \mathrm{~mA})=2.85 \mathrm{~V}$
From Equation 6 and assuming $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{cc}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ :
RLIMITER $=\frac{5.0 \mathrm{~V}-1.2 \mathrm{~V}-2.85 \mathrm{~V}}{0.578 \mathrm{~A}}=16 \Omega \longleftarrow$ R LIMITER
Use a $17 \Omega$ standard value resistor.
Step 4.
From Figure 3, the relative efficiency for IPEAK $=57.8 \mathrm{~mA}$ is:
$\eta_{\text {IPEAK }}=1.61$
From Equation 8:
$\operatorname{lv}\left(25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=\left[\frac{14.5 \mathrm{~mA}}{5 \mathrm{~mA}}\right][1.61][300 \mu \mathrm{~cd}]=$
$1401 \mu \mathrm{~cd}$ per segment
Using Equation 9 to adjust the light output for $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ : $\operatorname{lv}\left(65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(1401 \mu \mathrm{Cd}) \mathrm{e}^{\left[-.0131 /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}(65-25)^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right]}$
Iv $\left(65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=(1401)(0.592)_{2}=829 \mu$ cd per Segment - Iv

## Operation Without Derating

LED lamp and display devices may be operated in elevated ambient temperature environments without derating only when the PC board mounting configuration is designed for a sufficiently low thermal resistance. The critical criterion is that the LED junction temperature must not exceed the TJ MAX value for the device. This low thermal resistance design will typically include such items as a maximum metallized PC board and possible heat sinking to ensure adequate heat dissipation. In no situation should the absolute maximum current limitations be exceeded.
The necessary thermal resistance requirements for operation without derating are calculated using the value for worst case power dissipation. A numerical example using the LED display device from the above two examples will illustrate the calculation procedure.
Step 1.
Determine the maximum permissible value for Roja.
The absolute maximum power dissipation as listed on the data sheet for this particular LED device is 81 mW . The operating ambient temperature is to be $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Referring to Equation 3
R JJA MAX $\leq \frac{T_{J} \text { MAX }- \text { TA OPERATING }}{P_{\text {MAX }} \text { DATA SHEET }}$
For this example:
R JJA MAX $\leq \frac{100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}}{.081 \mathrm{~W}}=432^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment
The required limit on the thermal resistance for the PC board mounting configuration is derived by rewriting Equation 2:

R $\theta_{\text {PC }}-A M A X \leq R \theta_{J A} M A X-R \theta_{J}-P I N$

For this example:
R PPC-A $\leq(432-282)=150^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ segment $-R \theta P C-A M A$
The particular LED display device used in this example may be operated at maximum power dissipation in an ambient of $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ without derating as long as the PC board mounting configuration is designed to have R $8 \mathrm{PC}-\mathrm{A}$ $\leq 150^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W} /$ Segment.

CAUTION: Since these calculations are based on only TJ AVG and exclude the consideration of TJ PEAK, pulsed operation without derating is only recommended for refresh rates of 1 kHz or faster.

## Soldering Plastic LED Devices

Because plastic LED devices utilizing a lead frame construction have the LED dice attached directly to the cathode lead, the cathode lead is the direct thermal and mechanical stress path to the LED dice. For this reason, it is necessary to carefully control the solder temperature and dwell time in the solder wave to ensure subsequent reliable operation. LED devices can be effectively wave soldered with a wave temperature of $245^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and a dwell time of $11 / 2$ to 2 seconds.

The post solder cleaning process is also crucial to ensuring reliable performance. In order to optimize device optical performance, specially developed plastics are used which restrict the solvents that may be used for cleaning. It is recommended that only mixtures of Freon (F113) and alcohol be used for vapor cleaning processes, with an immersion time in the vapors of less than two (2) minutes maximum. Some suggested vapor cleaning solvents are Freon TE, Genesolv DI-15 or DE-15, Arklone A or K. A $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(140^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ water cleaning process may also be used, which includes a neutralizer rinse ( $3 \%$ ammonia solution or equivalent), a surfactant rinse ( $1 \%$ detergent solution or equivalent), a hot water rinse and a thorough air dry. Room temperature cleaning may be accomplished with Freon T-35 or T-P35, Ethanol, Isopropanol or water with a mild detergent.

Some LED devices may require special handling during soldering, during post solder cleaning, or may not lend themselves to a wave soldering process. Three specific considerations are:

1. Plastic LED Lamps: The plastic encapsulant that forms the lamp package is the only supporting element for the leads. It is important to prevent stresses from entering the device package which could damage the LED die attach and wire bonds. The leads of a lamp may be bent to a desired angle by observing the following procedure. Firmly grasp the leads at the base of the lamp package with a pair of needle nose pliers to support the lamp while bending the leads. Overheating during soldering will cause melting of the plastic, allowing possible lead movement to occur which may result in the catastrophic failure of the die attach or wire bonds. Care should be taken to ensure that no stresses are applied to the leads during the soldering process. External stresses applied to the leads during soldering could induce strains within the device package that may induce latent failure. Once properly soldered in place, an LED lamp will typically exhibit a very high degree of reliability.
2. PC Board Monolithic Displays: Many PC board monolithic displays do not lend themselves to a wave soldering process. The plastic lens that covers the LED chips and wire bonds is attached to the PC board without forming a seal. The chemicals used in a wave soldering process can collect underneath the lens. The post solder cleaning process may not remove all of the trapped chemicals and prolonged exposure of the LED dice and wirebonds to these chemicals can cause permanent damage. Also, the plastic used to make some of the lenses is susceptible to damage from rosin fluxes and hydrocarbon cleaners. The two recommended installation procedures are either to hand solder flexible cable to the display contacts or use solderless connector pins such as the 022-002 series
supplied by JAV Manufacturing, 125 Wilbur Place, Bohemia, NY 11716. Effective room temperature cleaning may be accomplished using Freon TP-35 or TE-35, solvent temperature $\leq 30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and an immersion time $\leq 2$ minutes.
3. Silver Lead Frames: Many plastic LED devices utilize a silver plated lead frame. Silver plating provides excellent solderability as long as the leads are kept free from tarnish buildup due to coming in contact with sulfur compounds. Application Bulletin 3 offers specific information on the effective use and soldering of silver lead frame devices.

It is suggested that the device data sheet be consulted for specific information on wave soldering.


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[^2]:    Output voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OUT }}$, is positive as the photocurrent, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{P}}$, flows back through the photodiode making the anode positive.

[^3]:    **6.3mA condition permits at least 20\% CTR degradation guardband. Initial switching threshold is 5 mA or less.

[^4]:    *Panel-Mount versions of all of the above are available per the selection matrix on this page.

[^5]:    NOTE: Universal pinout brings the anode and cathode of each segment's LED out to separate pins. See internal diagram D.

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[^10]:    NOTE 1. Leave Pin unconnected

[^11]:    *5082-7447 is a 5082-7444 with a slide-in cylindrical lens to provide added magnification

[^12]:    *More than 10 segments may be illuminated in a given character, provided the maximum allowed character power dissipation, temperature derated, is not exceeded.

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