

# SFP Copper-Cable Preemphasis Driver

MAX3982

## General Description

The MAX3982 is a single-channel, copper-cable preemphasis driver that operates from 1Gbps to 4.25Gbps. It provides compensation for copper links, such as 4.25Gbps Fibre Channel, allowing spans of up to 15m with 24AWG. The cable driver provides four selectable preemphasis levels. The input compensates for up to 10in of FR4 circuit board material at 4.25Gbps.

The MAX3982 also features SFP-compliant loss-of-signal detection with selectable sensitivity and TX\_DISABLE. Selectable output swing reduces EMI and power consumption. It is packaged in a 3mm x 3mm, 16-pin thin QFN and operates from 0°C to +85°C temperature range.

## Applications

SFP Active Copper-Cable Assemblies  
Backplanes  
1.0625Gbps, 2.125Gbps, and 4.25Gbps Fibre Channel  
1.25Gbps Ethernet  
2.488Gbps STM16  
InfiniBand  
PCI Express

## Features

- ◆ Drives Up to 15m with 24AWG Cable
- ◆ Drives Up to 30in of FR4
- ◆ 0.25W Total Power with +3.3V Supply
- ◆ Selectable 1600mVp-p or 1200mVp-p Differential Output Swing
- ◆ Selectable Output Preemphasis
- ◆ Fixed Input Equalization
- ◆ Loss-of-Signal Detection with Selectable Sensitivity
- ◆ Transmit Disable

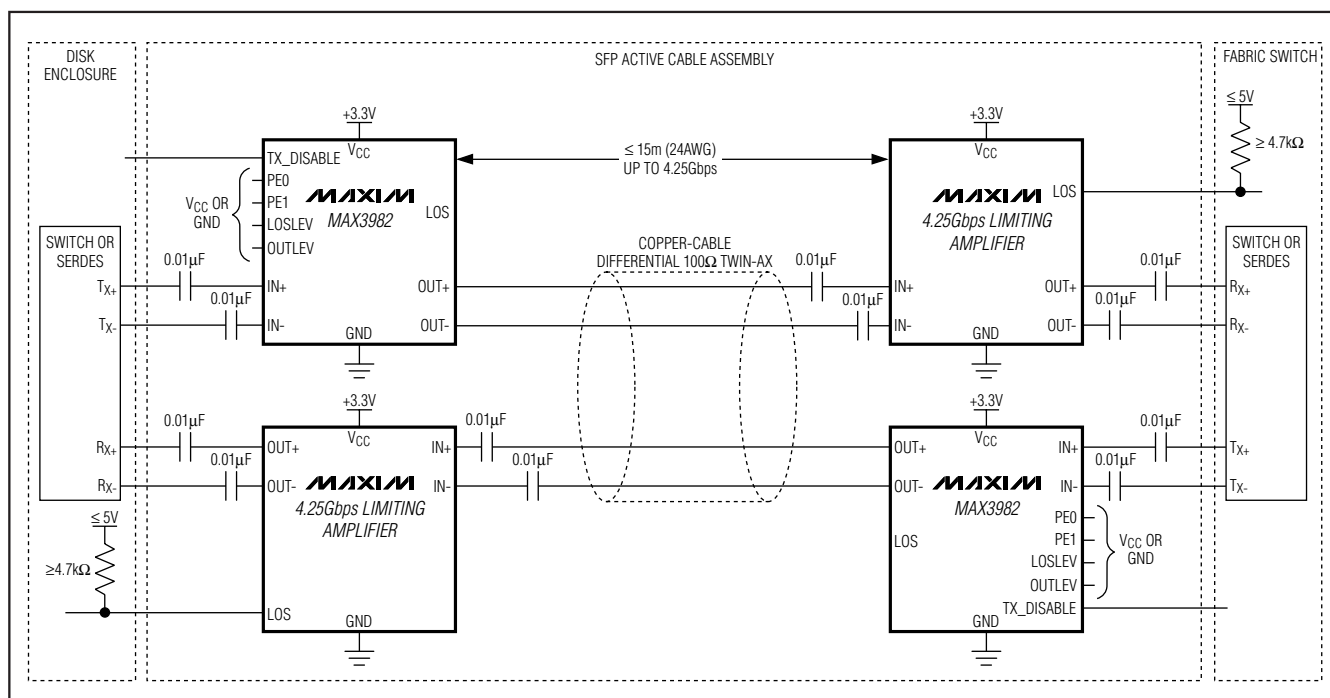
## Ordering Information

| PART        | TEMP RANGE   | PIN-PACKAGE | PKG CODE |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------|
| MAX3982UTE  | 0°C to +85°C | 16 Thin QFN | T1633-4  |
| MAX3982UTE+ | 0°C to +85°C | 16 Thin QFN | T1633-4  |

+Denotes lead-free package.

Pin Configuration appears at end of data sheet.

## Typical Application Circuit



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## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Supply Voltage,  $V_{CC}$ .....-0.5V to +6.0V  
 Continuous CML Output Current  
 at OUT+, OUT-.....-25mA to +25mA  
 Voltage at IN+, IN-, LOSLEV, LOS,  
 TX\_DISABLE, PE0, PE1, OUTLEV .....-0.5V to ( $V_{CC} + 0.5V$ )

LOS Open Collector Supply Voltage  
 with  $\geq 4.7k\Omega$  Pullup Resistor.....-0.5V to +5.5V  
 Continuous Power Dissipation at +85°C  
 (derate 20.8mW/°C above +85°C).....1.35W  
 Operating Junction Temperature Range ( $T_J$ ) ....-55°C to +150°C  
 Storage Ambient Temperature Range ( $T_S$ ) .....-55°C to +150°C

Stresses beyond those listed under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated in the operational sections of the specifications is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

( $V_{CC} = +3.0V$  to +3.6V,  $T_A = 0^\circ C$  to +85°C. Typical values are at  $T_A = +25^\circ C$  and  $V_{CC} = +3.3V$ , unless otherwise noted.)

| PARAMETER                                                   | SYMBOL   | CONDITIONS                                                                                   | MIN | TYP | MAX  | UNITS   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|------|---------|
| Supply Current                                              |          | TX_DISABLE=low                                                                               |     | 75  | 97   | mA      |
| Inrush Current                                              |          | Current beyond steady-state current                                                          |     |     | 10   | mA      |
| Power-On-Reset Delay                                        | tPOR     |                                                                                              | 1   |     | 40   | ms      |
| <b>OPERATING CONDITIONS</b>                                 |          |                                                                                              |     |     |      |         |
| Supply Voltage                                              | $V_{CC}$ |                                                                                              | 3.0 | 3.3 | 3.6  | V       |
| Supply-Noise Tolerance                                      |          | 1MHz $\leq f < 2$ GHz                                                                        |     | 40  |      | mVp-p   |
| Operating Ambient Temperature                               | $T_A$    |                                                                                              | 0   | 25  | 85   | °C      |
| Bit Rate                                                    |          | NRZ data (Note 1)                                                                            | 1.0 |     | 4.25 | Gbps    |
| CID                                                         |          | Consecutive identical digits (bits) (Note 1)                                                 |     |     | 10   | Bits    |
| <b>CONTROL INPUTS: TX_DISABLE, PE0, PE1, OUTLEV, LOSLEV</b> |          |                                                                                              |     |     |      |         |
| Voltage, Logic High                                         | $V_{IH}$ |                                                                                              | 2.0 |     |      | V       |
| Voltage, Logic Low                                          | $V_{IL}$ |                                                                                              |     |     | 0.8  | V       |
| Current, Logic High                                         | $I_{IH}$ | $V_{IH} = V_{CC} + 0.5V$                                                                     |     |     | -150 | $\mu A$ |
| Current, Logic Low                                          | $I_{IL}$ | $V_{IL} = 0.8V$                                                                              |     |     | 350  | $\mu A$ |
| <b>STATUS OUTPUT: LOS</b>                                   |          |                                                                                              |     |     |      |         |
| LOS Open Collector Current Sink                             |          | LOS asserted                                                                                 | 0   |     | 25   | $\mu A$ |
|                                                             |          | LOS unasserted, $V_{OL} \leq 0.4V$ with 4.7k $\Omega$ pullup resistor, pullup supply = 5.5V  | 1.0 |     |      | mA      |
|                                                             |          | $V_{CC} = 0V$ , pullup supply = 5.5V, external pullup resistor $\geq 4.7k\Omega$             | 0   |     | 25   | $\mu A$ |
| LOS Assert Level                                            |          | LOSLEV = high (Note 1)                                                                       | 100 |     |      | mVp-p   |
|                                                             |          | LOSLEV = low (Note 1)                                                                        | 50  |     |      | mVp-p   |
| LOS Deassert Level                                          |          | LOSLEV = high (Note 1)                                                                       |     |     | 300  | mVp-p   |
|                                                             |          | LOSLEV = low (Note 1)                                                                        |     |     | 120  | mVp-p   |
| LOS Hysteresis                                              |          | LOSLEV = high (Note 1)                                                                       | 20  |     |      | mVp-p   |
|                                                             |          | LOSLEV = low (Note 1)                                                                        |     | 4   |      | mVp-p   |
| LOS Response Time                                           |          | Time from IN dropping below assert level, or rising above deassert level to 50% point of LOS |     |     | 10   | $\mu s$ |
| LOS Transition Time                                         |          | Rise-time or fall-time (10% to 90%), external pullup resistor = 4.7k $\Omega$                |     | 250 |      | ns      |

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|------|-----|------|-------------------|-------------------|
| EQUALIZER AND CABLE DRIVER SPECIFICATIONS                                       |                                 |                                                                                                |                                 |     |      |     |      |                   |                   |
| Input Swing                                                                     |                                 | Measured differentially at point A of Figure 2 (Note 1)                                        |                                 |     |      | 600 |      | 2000              | mV <sub>P-P</sub> |
| Input Resistance                                                                |                                 | Measured differentially                                                                        |                                 |     |      | 85  | 100  | 115               | Ω                 |
| Input Return Loss                                                               |                                 | 100MHz to 2GHz (Note 1)                                                                        |                                 |     |      | 10  |      |                   | dB                |
| Differential Output Swing                                                       |                                 | Measured differentially at point B of Figure 2 (Notes 1, 2)                                    | TX_DISABLE = low, OUTLEV = high |     | 1450 |     | 1800 | mV <sub>P-P</sub> |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | TX_DISABLE = low, OUTLEV = low  |     | 1000 |     | 1350 |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | TX_DISABLE = high               |     |      | 40  |      |                   |                   |
| Common-Mode Output                                                              |                                 | (OUT+) + (OUT-), measured at point B of Figure 2; TX_DISABLE = low, OUTLEV = high (Notes 1, 2) |                                 |     |      |     |      | 60                | mV <sub>P-P</sub> |
| Output Resistance                                                               |                                 | OUT+ or OUT- to V <sub>CC</sub> , single ended                                                 |                                 |     |      | 42  | 50   | 58                | Ω                 |
| Output Return Loss                                                              |                                 | 100MHz to 2GHz (Note 1)                                                                        |                                 |     |      | 10  |      |                   | dB                |
| Output Transition Time                                                          | t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub> | 20% to 80% (Notes 1, 3)                                                                        |                                 |     |      |     | 50   | 80                | ps                |
| Random Jitter                                                                   |                                 | (Notes 1, 3)                                                                                   |                                 |     |      |     |      | 1.6               | ps <sub>RMS</sub> |
| Output Preemphasis                                                              |                                 | See Figure 1                                                                                   | PE1                             |     | PE0  |     |      | dB                |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 0                               |     | 0    | 2   |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 0                               |     | 1    | 4   |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 1                               |     | 0    | 8   |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 1                               |     | 1    | 14  |      |                   |                   |
| Residual Output Deterministic Jitter at 1.0625Gbps to 2.125Gbps (Notes 1, 4, 5) |                                 | Source to IN                                                                                   | OUT to Load                     | PE1 | PE0  |     |      | UI <sub>P-P</sub> |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 | 6 mil<br>FR4 ≤ 10in                                                                            | 1m, 24AWG                       | 0   | 0    |     |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 5m, 24AWG                       | 0   | 1    |     |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 10m, 24AWG                      | 1   | 0    |     |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 15m, 24AWG                      | 1   | 1    |     |      |                   |                   |
| Residual Output Deterministic Jitter at 4.25Gbps (Notes 1, 4, 5)                |                                 | Source to IN                                                                                   | OUT to Load                     | PE1 | PE0  |     |      | UI <sub>P-P</sub> |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 | 6 mil<br>FR4 ≤ 10in                                                                            | 1m, 24AWG                       | 0   | 0    |     |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 5m, 24AWG                       | 0   | 1    |     |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 10m, 24AWG                      | 1   | 0    |     |      |                   |                   |
|                                                                                 |                                 |                                                                                                | 15m, 24AWG                      | 1   | 1    |     |      |                   |                   |

**Note 1:** Guaranteed by design and characterization.

**Note 2:** PE1 = PE0 = 1 for maximum preemphasis, load is 50Ω ±1% at each side, and the pattern is 0000011111 at 1Gbps.

**Note 3:** Measured at point B in Figure 2 using 0000011111 at 1Gbps. PE1 = PE0 = 0 for minimum preemphasis. For transition time, the 0% reference level is the steady-state level after four zeros, just before the transition. The 100% reference level is the maximum voltage of the transition.

**Note 4:** Tested with CJTPAT, as well as this pattern: 19 zeros, 1, 10 zeros, 1010101010 (D21.5 character), 1100000101 (K28.5+ character), 19 ones, 0, 10 ones, 0101010101 (D10.2 character), 0011111010 (K28.5 character).

**Note 5:** Cables are unequalized, Amphenol Spectra-Strip 24AWG. Residual deterministic jitter is the difference between the source jitter at point A, and load jitter at point D in Figure 2. The deterministic jitter at the output of the transmission line must be from media-induced loss and not from clock-source modulation.

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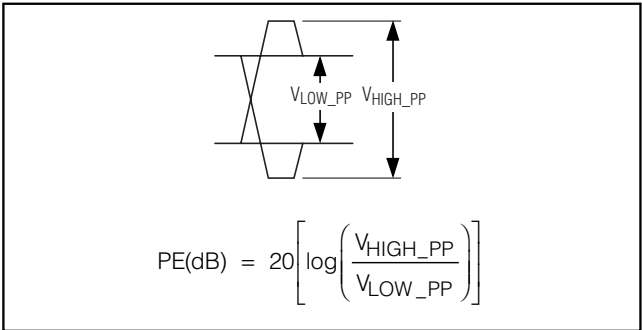


Figure 1. Illustration of Tx Preemphasis in dB

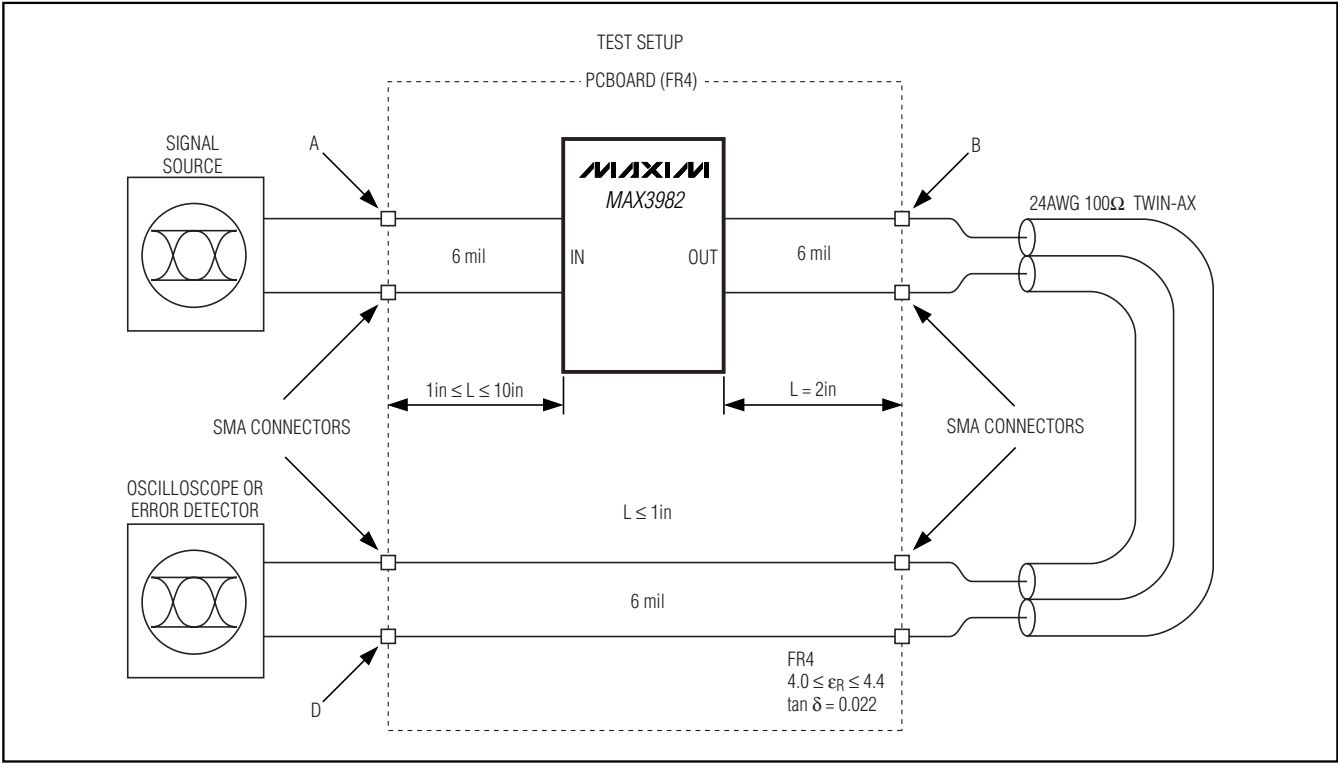


Figure 2. Test Setup. The points labeled A, B, and D are referenced for AC parameter test conditions. Deterministic jitter and eye diagrams measured at point D.

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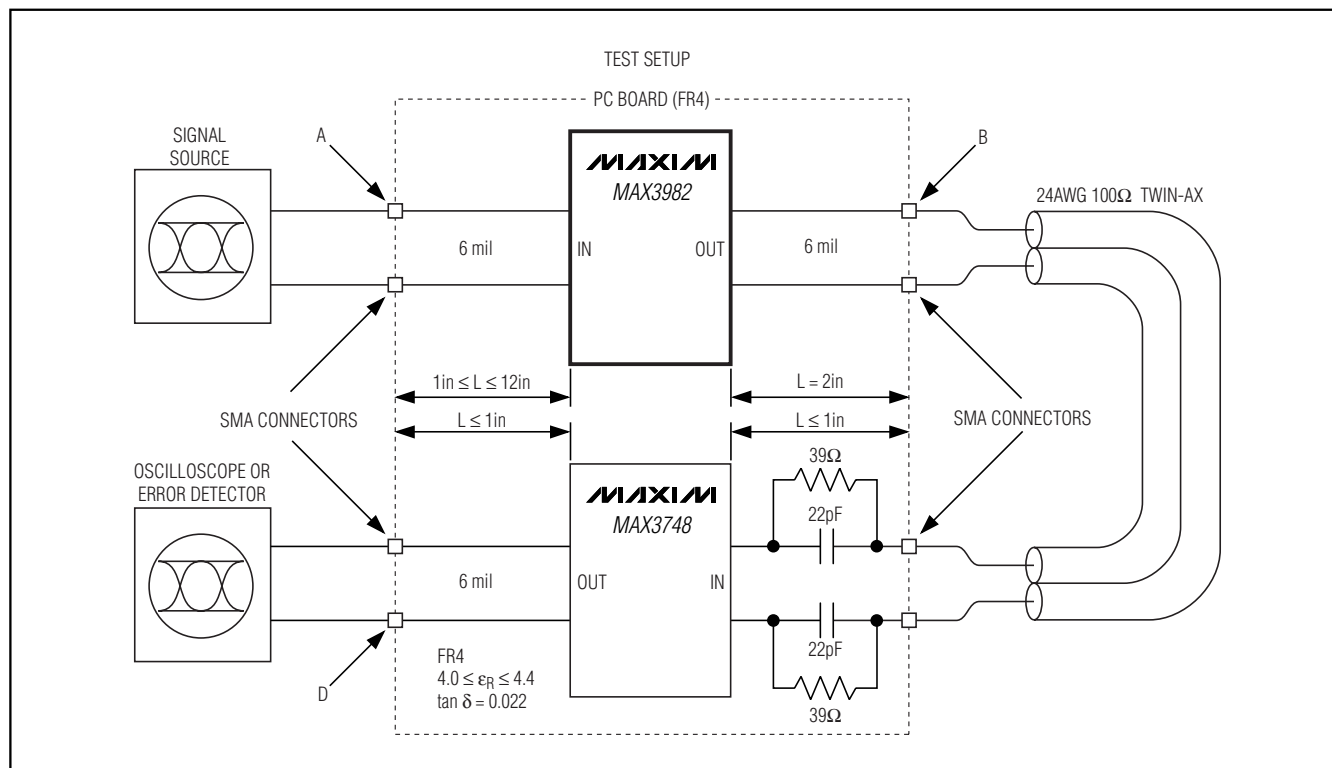
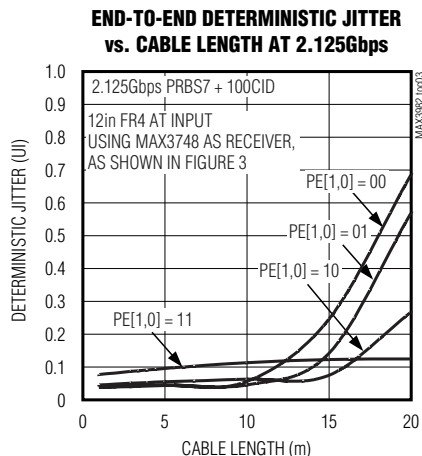
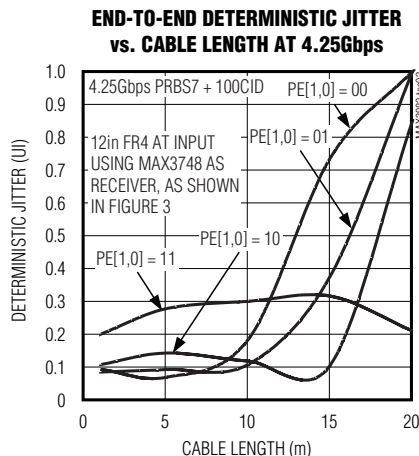
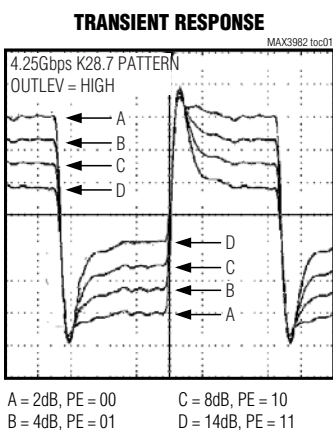


Figure 3. End-to-End Test Setup Using the MAX3748 as a Receiver. Deterministic jitter and eye diagrams measured at point D.

## Typical Operating Characteristics

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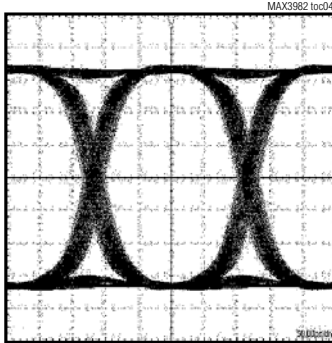


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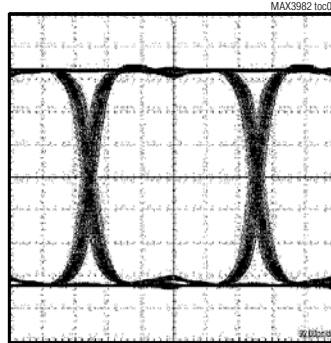
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20m 24AWG CABLE AT 4.25Gbps**



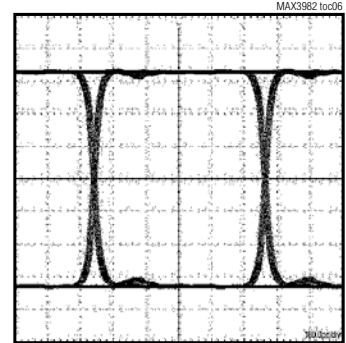
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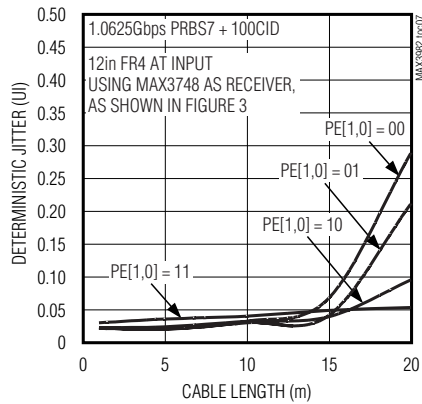
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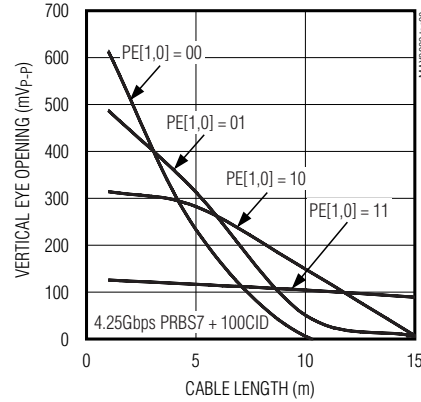


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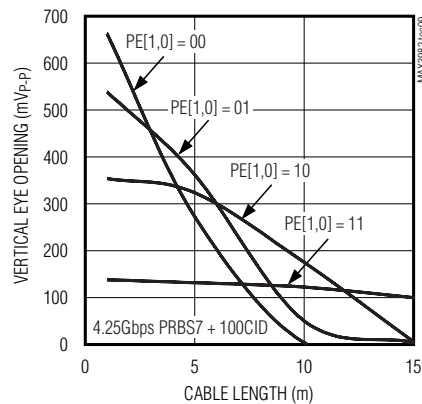
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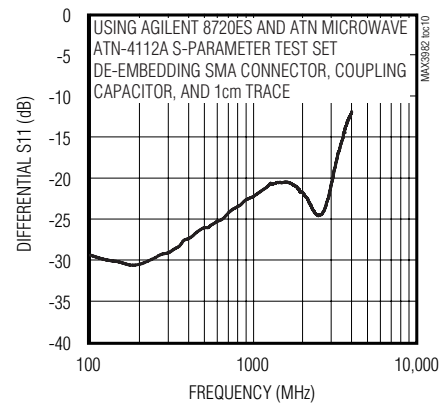
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**INPUT RETURN LOSS vs. FREQUENCY**



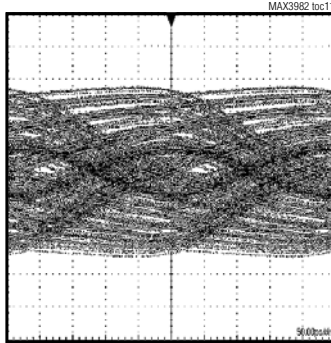
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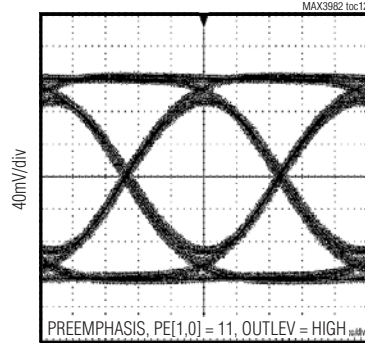
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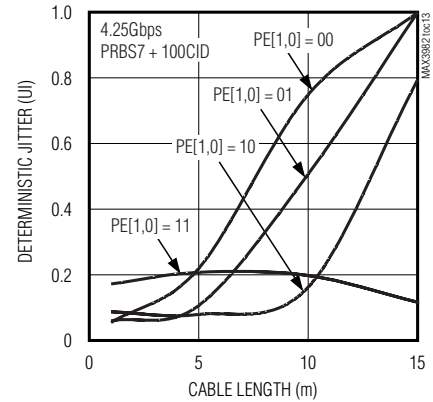
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OUTPUT WITHOUT MAX3982,  
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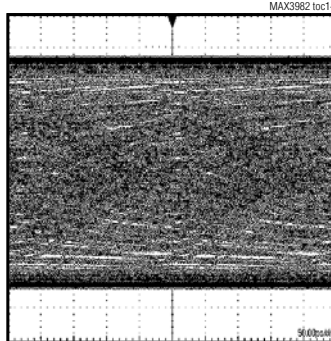
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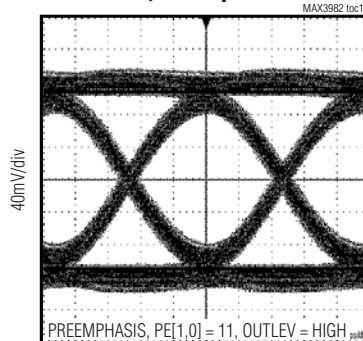
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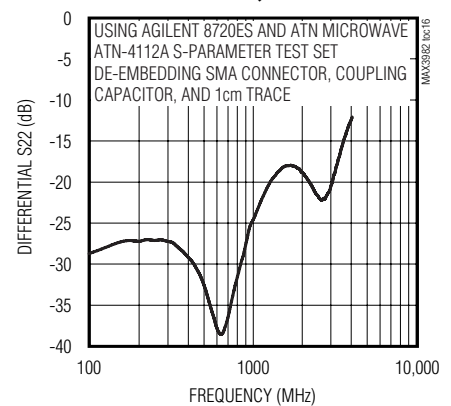
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OUTPUT RETURN LOSS  
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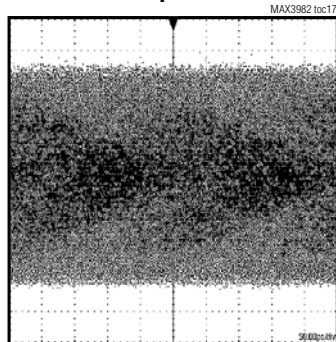


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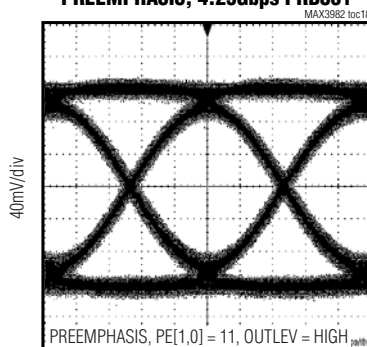
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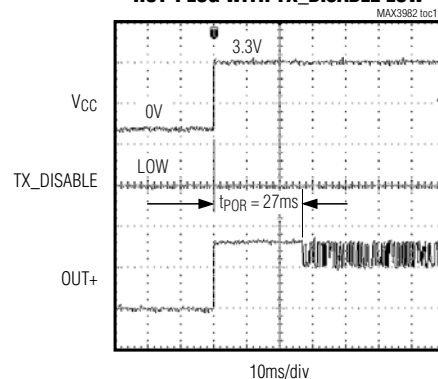
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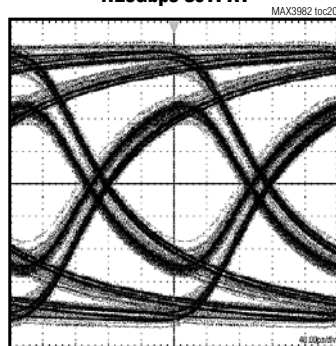
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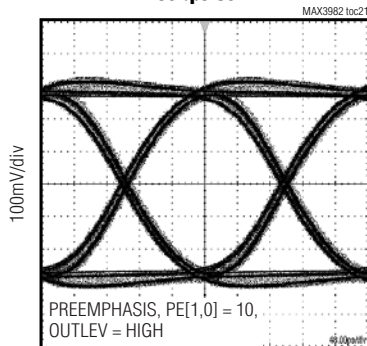
HOT-PLUG WITH TX\_DISABLE LOW



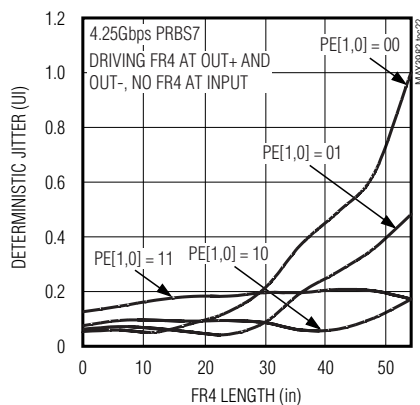
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DETERMINISTIC JITTER  
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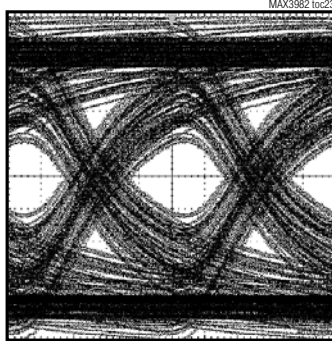
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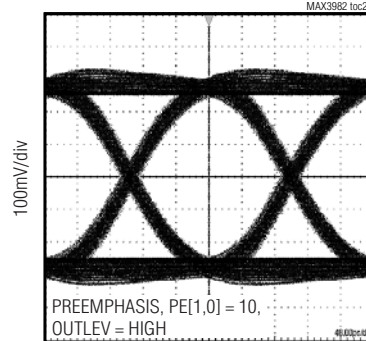
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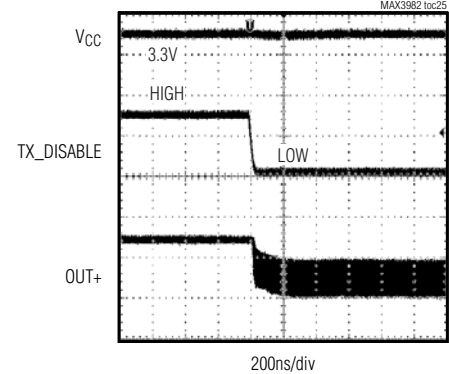
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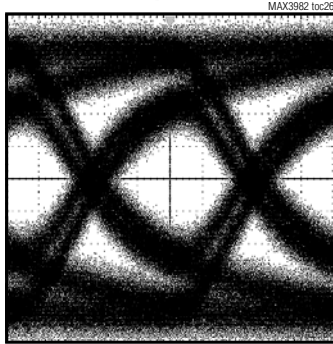
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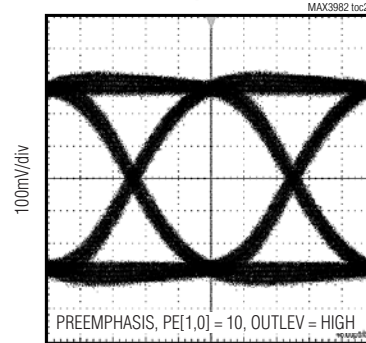
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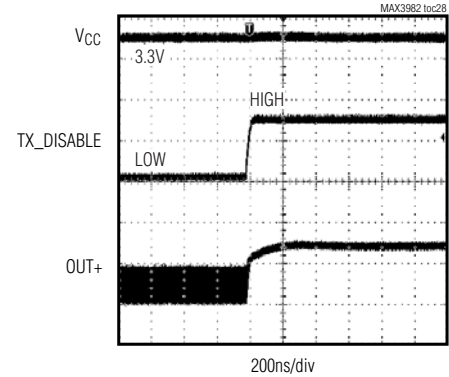
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**TRANSMITTER DISABLE**

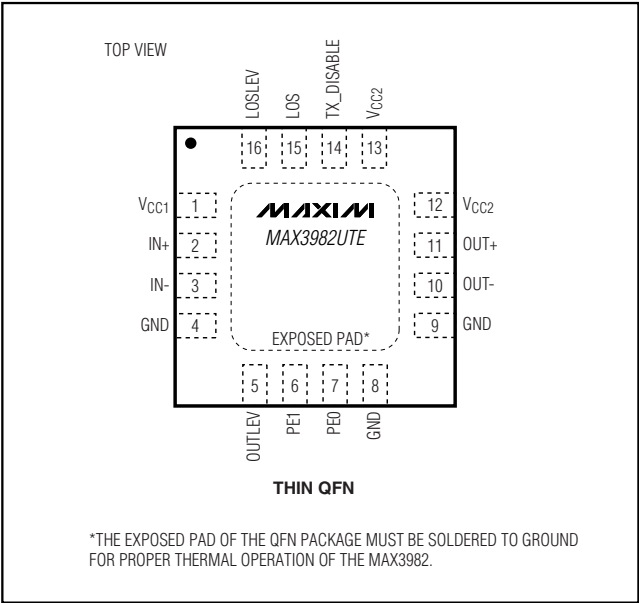


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## Pin Description

| PIN     | NAME        | FUNCTION                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|---------|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1       | VCC1        | Power-Supply Connection for Input. Connect to +3.3V.                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 2       | IN+         | Positive Data Input, CML. This input is internally terminated with 50Ω to VCC1.                                                                                                                                        |
| 3       | IN-         | Negative Data Input, CML. This input is internally terminated with 50Ω to VCC1.                                                                                                                                        |
| 4, 8, 9 | GND         | Circuit Ground                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 5       | OUTLEV      | Output-Swing Control Input, LVTTTL with 40kΩ Internal Pullup. Set to TTL high or open for maximum output swing, or set to TTL low for reduced swing.                                                                   |
| 6       | PE1         | Output Preemphasis Control Input, LVTTTL with 10kΩ Internal Pullup. This pin is the most significant bit of the 2-bit preemphasis control. Set high or open to assert this bit.                                        |
| 7       | PE0         | Output Preemphasis Control Input, LVTTTL with 10kΩ Internal Pullup. This pin is the least significant bit of the 2-bit preemphasis control. Set high or open to assert this bit.                                       |
| 10      | OUT-        | Negative Data Output, CML. This output is terminated with 50Ω to VCC2.                                                                                                                                                 |
| 11      | OUT+        | Positive Data Output, CML. This output is terminated with 50Ω to VCC2.                                                                                                                                                 |
| 12, 13  | VCC2        | Power-Supply Connection for Output. Connect to +3.3V.                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 14      | TX_DISABLE  | Transmitter Disable Input, LVTTTL with 10kΩ Internal Pullup. When high or open, differential output is 40mVp-p. Set low for normal operation.                                                                          |
| 15      | LOS         | Loss-of-Signal Detect, TTL Output. This output is open-collector TTL, and therefore requires an external 4.7kΩ to 10kΩ pullup resistor (5.5V maximum). This output sinks current when the input signal level is valid. |
| 16      | LOSLEV      | LOS Sensitivity Control Input, LVTTTL with 40kΩ Internal Pullup. Set to TTL high or open for less sensitivity (higher assert threshold). Set to TTL low for more sensitivity (lower assert threshold).                 |
| EP      | EXPOSED PAD | Exposed Pad. For optimal thermal conductivity, this pad must be soldered to the circuit board ground.                                                                                                                  |

## Pin Configuration



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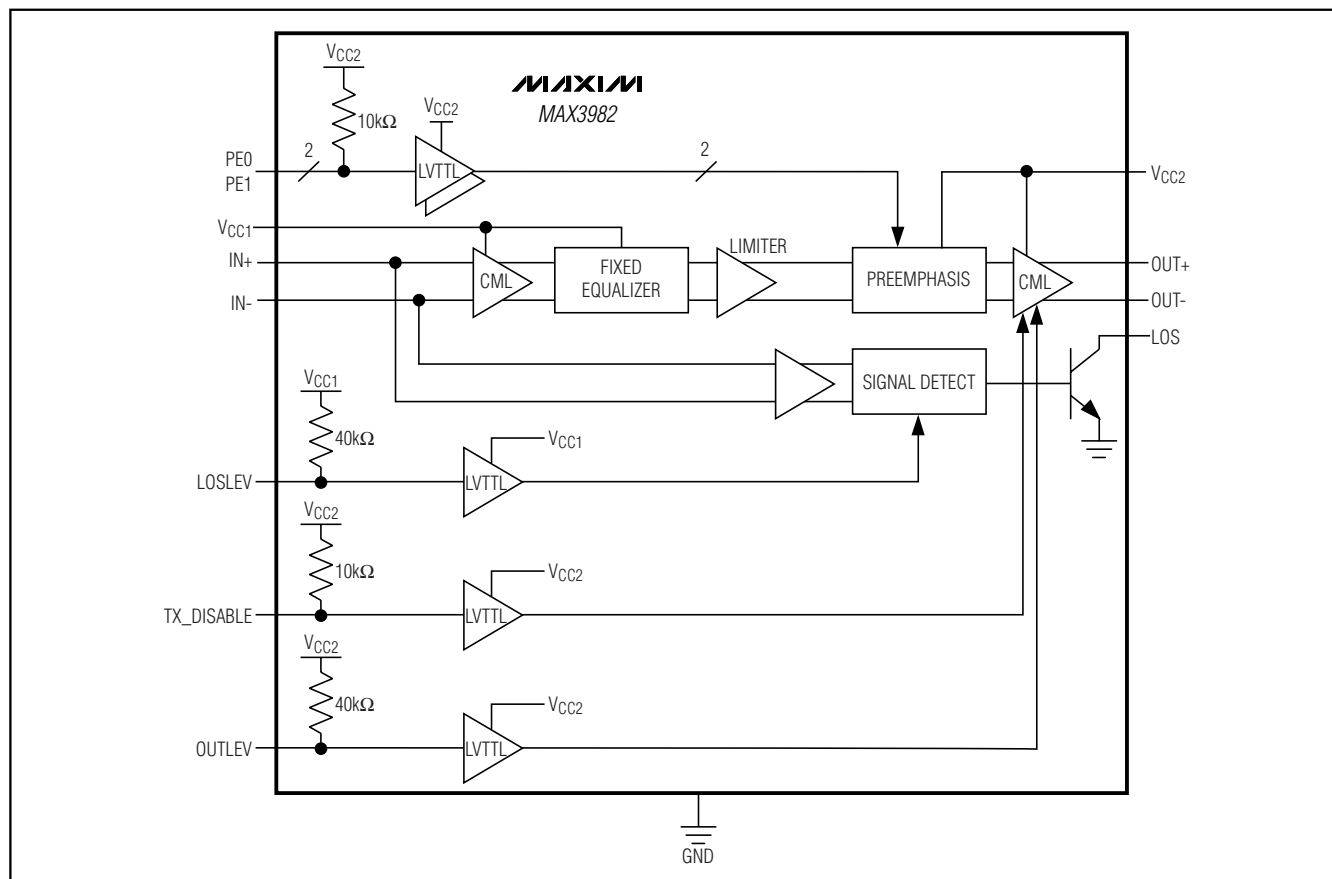


Figure 4. Functional Diagram

## Detailed Description

The MAX3982 comprises a PC board receiver, a cable driver, and a loss-of-signal detector with adjustable threshold (Figure 4). Equalization is provided in the receiver. Selectable preemphasis and selectable output amplitude are included in the transmitter. The MAX3982 also includes transmit disable control for the output.

### PC Board Receiver and Cable Driver

Data is fed into the MAX3982 through a CML input stage and fixed equalization stage. The fixed equalizer in the receiver corrects for up to 10in of PC board loss on FR4 material at 4.25Gbps.

The cable driver includes four-state preemphasis to compensate for up to 15m of 24AWG, 100Ω balanced cable. Table 1 is provided for easy translation between preemphasis expressions. The OUTLEV pin selects the output amplitude. When OUTLEV is low, the amplitude is 1200mVp-p. When OUTLEV is high, the amplitude is

1600mVp-p. Residual jitter of the MAX3982 is independent of up to 0.20UIp-p source jitter.

### Loss-of-Signal (LOS) Output

Loss-of-signal detection is provided on the data input. Pullup resistors should be connected from LOS to a supply in the range of +3.0V to +5.5V. The LOS output is not valid until power-up is complete. Typical LOS response time is 100ns.

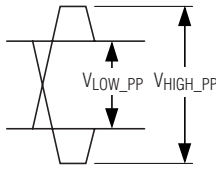
The LOS assert and deassert levels are set by the LOSLEV pin. When LOSLEV is LVTTTL high or open, the LOS assert threshold is 180mVp-p. When LOSLEV is LVTTTL low, the LOS assert threshold is 85mVp-p.

### TX Disable

Transmit disable is provided to turn off the output when desired. The TX\_DISABLE pin can be connected to LOS to automatically squelch the output when the incoming signal is below the threshold set by LOSLEV (see the Autodetect section).

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Table 1. Preemphasis Translation

| Ratio                              | $\alpha$                                                        | 10Gbase-CX4                            | IN dB                                                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $\frac{V_{HIGH\_PP}}{V_{LOW\_PP}}$ | $\frac{V_{HIGH\_PP} - V_{LOW\_PP}}{V_{HIGH\_PP} + V_{LOW\_PP}}$ | $1 - \frac{V_{LOW\_PP}}{V_{HIGH\_PP}}$ | $20 \left[ \log \left( \frac{V_{HIGH\_PP}}{V_{LOW\_PP}} \right) \right]$ |                                                                                     |
| 1.26                               | 0.11                                                            | 0.21                                   | 2                                                                        |                                                                                     |
| 1.58                               | 0.23                                                            | 0.37                                   | 4                                                                        |                                                                                     |
| 2.51                               | 0.43                                                            | 0.6                                    | 8                                                                        |                                                                                     |
| 5.01                               | 0.67                                                            | 0.8                                    | 14                                                                       |                                                                                     |

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### Autodetect

The MAX3982 can automatically detect an incoming signal and enable the data outputs. Autodetect can be accomplished by connecting the LOS pin to TX\_DISABLE. TX\_DISABLE has a 10k $\Omega$  internal pullup resistor. If a loss-of-signal is detected, the TX\_DISABLE pin is forced high and disables the outputs. Leaving the inputs to the MAX3982 open (i.e., floating) is not recommended as noise amplification may occur and create undesirable output signals. Autodetect is recommended to eliminate noise amplification or possible oscillation. For periods much greater than 100ns without data transitions, autodetect disables the output.

## Layout Considerations

Circuit board layout and design can significantly affect the performance of the MAX3982. Use good high-frequency design techniques, including minimizing ground inductance and using controlled-impedance transmission lines on the data signals. Power-supply decoupling should also be placed as close to the VCC pins as possible. This should be sufficient supply filtering. Always connect all VCC pins to a power plane. Take care to isolate the input from the output signals to reduce feedthrough.

### Exposed Pad Package

The exposed-pad, 16-pin QFN package incorporates features that provide a very low thermal resistance path for heat removal from the IC. The exposed pad on the MAX3982 must be soldered to the circuit board for proper thermal performance. For more information on exposed-pad packages, refer to Maxim Application Note HFAN-08.1: *Thermal Considerations of QFN and Other Exposed-Paddle Packages*.

## Interface Schematics

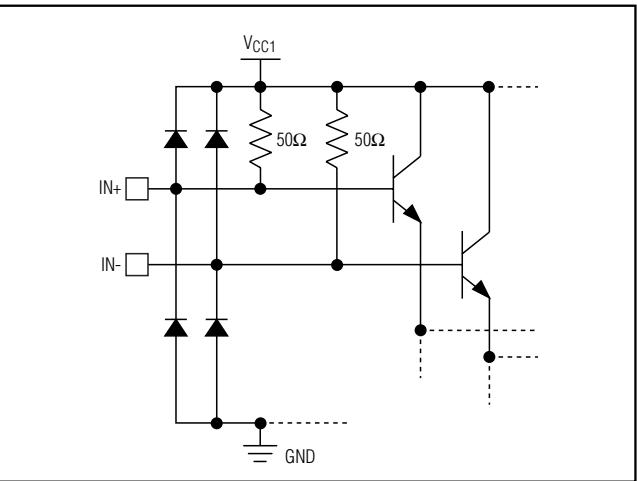


Figure 5. IN+/IN- Equivalent Input Structure

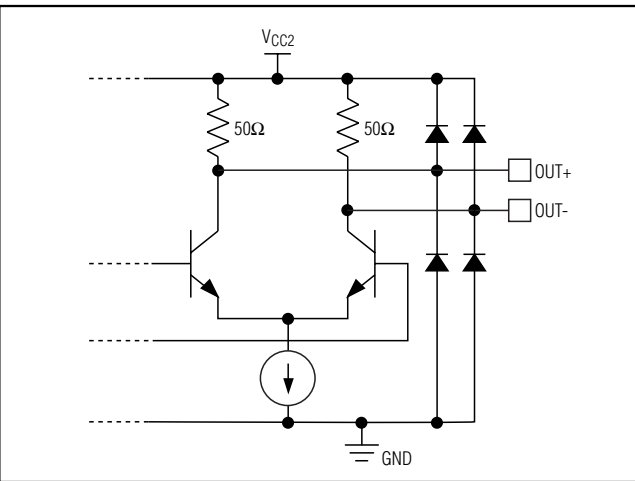


Figure 6. OUT+/OUT- Equivalent Output Structure

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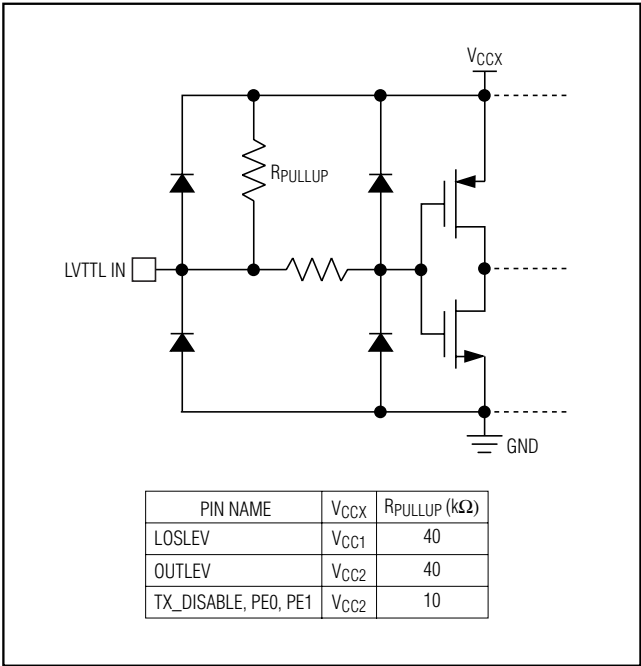


Figure 7. LVTTTL Equivalent Input Structure

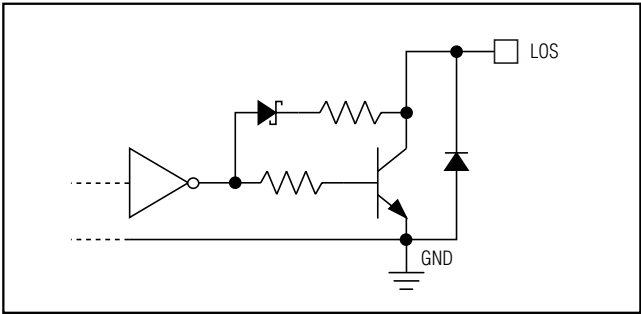


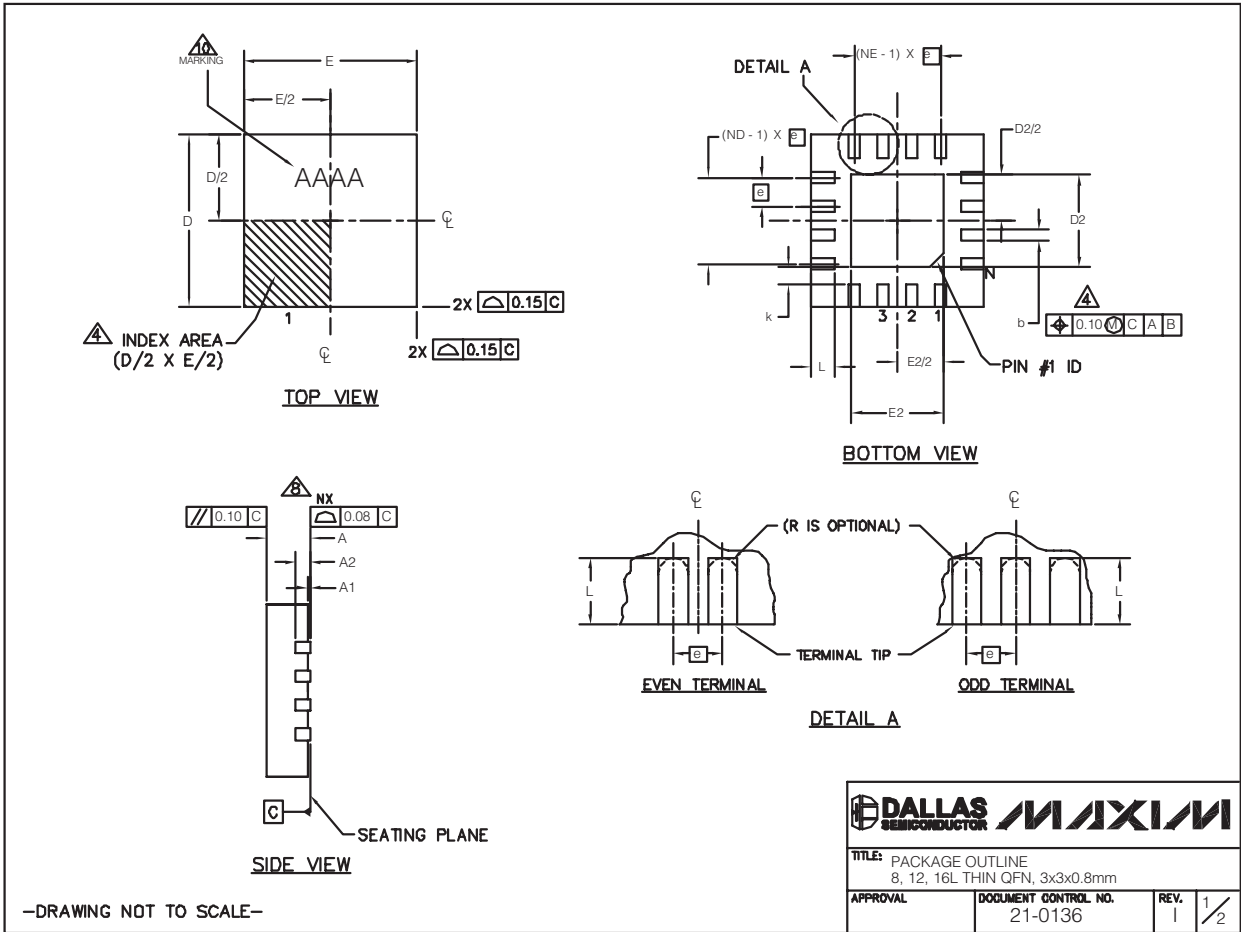
Figure 8. Loss-of-Signal Equivalent Output Structure

**Chip Information**  
TRANSISTOR COUNT: 2957  
PROCESS: SiGe Bipolar

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## Package Information

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| PKG  | 8L 3x3    |      |      | 12L 3x3   |      |      | 16L 3x3   |      |      |
|------|-----------|------|------|-----------|------|------|-----------|------|------|
| REF. | MIN.      | NOM. | MAX. | MIN.      | NOM. | MAX. | MIN.      | NOM. | MAX. |
| A    | 0.70      | 0.75 | 0.80 | 0.70      | 0.75 | 0.80 | 0.70      | 0.75 | 0.80 |
| b    | 0.25      | 0.30 | 0.35 | 0.20      | 0.25 | 0.30 | 0.20      | 0.25 | 0.30 |
| D    | 2.90      | 3.00 | 3.10 | 2.90      | 3.00 | 3.10 | 2.90      | 3.00 | 3.10 |
| E    | 2.90      | 3.00 | 3.10 | 2.90      | 3.00 | 3.10 | 2.90      | 3.00 | 3.10 |
| e    | 0.65 BSC. |      |      | 0.50 BSC. |      |      | 0.50 BSC. |      |      |
| L    | 0.35      | 0.55 | 0.75 | 0.45      | 0.55 | 0.65 | 0.30      | 0.40 | 0.50 |
| N    | 8         |      |      | 12        |      |      | 16        |      |      |
| ND   | 2         |      |      | 3         |      |      | 4         |      |      |
| NE   | 2         |      |      | 3         |      |      | 4         |      |      |
| A1   | 0         | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0         | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0         | 0.02 | 0.05 |
| A2   | 0.20 REF  |      |      | 0.20 REF  |      |      | 0.20 REF  |      |      |
| k    | 0.25      | -    | -    | 0.25      | -    | -    | 0.25      | -    | -    |

| EXPOSED PAD VARIATIONS |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |        |
|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|--------|
| PKG. CODES             | D2   |      |      | E2   |      |      | PIN ID      | JEDEC  |
|                        | MIN. | NOM. | MAX. | MIN. | NOM. | MAX. |             |        |
| TQ833-1                | 0.25 | 0.70 | 1.25 | 0.25 | 0.70 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEEC   |
| T1233-1                | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEED-1 |
| T1233-3                | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEED-1 |
| T1233-4                | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEED-1 |
| T1633-2                | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEED-2 |
| T1633F-3               | 0.65 | 0.80 | 0.95 | 0.65 | 0.80 | 0.95 | 0.225 x 45° | WEED-2 |
| T1633FH-3              | 0.65 | 0.80 | 0.95 | 0.65 | 0.80 | 0.95 | 0.225 x 45° | WEED-2 |
| T1633-4                | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEED-2 |
| T1633-5                | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.95 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 0.35 x 45°  | WEED-2 |

### NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONING & TOLERANCING CONFORM TO ASME Y14.5M-1994.
2. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS. ANGLES ARE IN DEGREES.
3. N IS THE TOTAL NUMBER OF TERMINALS.
4. THE TERMINAL #1 IDENTIFIER AND TERMINAL NUMBERING CONVENTION SHALL CONFORM TO JESD 95-1 SPP-012. DETAILS OF TERMINAL #1 IDENTIFIER ARE OPTIONAL, BUT MUST BE LOCATED WITHIN THE ZONE INDICATED. THE TERMINAL #1 IDENTIFIER MAY BE EITHER A MOLD OR MARKED FEATURE.
5. DIMENSION b APPLIES TO METALLIZED TERMINAL AND IS MEASURED BETWEEN 0.20 mm AND 0.25 mm FROM TERMINAL TIP.
6. ND AND NE REFER TO THE NUMBER OF TERMINALS ON EACH D AND E SIDE RESPECTIVELY.
7. DEPOPULATION IS POSSIBLE IN A SYMMETRICAL FASHION.
8. COPLANARITY APPLIES TO THE EXPOSED HEAT SINK SLUG AS WELL AS THE TERMINALS.
9. DRAWING CONFORMS TO JEDEC MO220 REVISION C.
10. MARKING IS FOR PACKAGE ORIENTATION REFERENCE ONLY.
11. NUMBER OF LEADS SHOWN ARE FOR REFERENCE ONLY.
12. WARPAGE NOT TO EXCEED 0.10mm.

—DRAWING NOT TO SCALE—

|                                                                                       |                                 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|  |                                 |
| TITLE: PACKAGE OUTLINE<br>8, 12, 16L THIN QFN, 3x3x0.8mm                              |                                 |
| APPROVAL                                                                              | DOCUMENT CONTROL NO.<br>21-0136 |
| REV.<br>1                                                                             | 2/2                             |

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