

SN75179B Differential Driver and Receiver Pair

1 Features

- Meets or exceeds the requirements of TIA/EIA-422-B, TIA/EIA-485-A, and ITU Recommendation V.11
- Bus voltage range: -7V to 12V
- Positive- and negative-current limiting
- Driver output capability: 60mA Max
- Driver thermal-shutdown protection
- Receiver input impedance: 12kΩ Min
- Receiver input sensitivity: ±200mV
- Receiver input hysteresis: 50mV typical
- Operates from single 5V supply
- Low power requirements

2 Description

SN75179B differential is a driver receiver pair designed for balanced transmission-line applications and meets TIA/EIA-422-B, TIA/EIA-485-A, and ITU Recommendation V.11. The device is designed to improve the performance of full-duplex data communications over long bus lines.

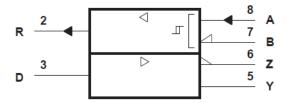
The SN75179B driver output provides limiting for both positive and negative currents. The receiver features high input impedance, input hysteresis for increased noise immunity, and input sensitivity of ±200mV over a common-mode input voltage range of -7V to 12V. The driver provides thermal shutdown for protection from line fault conditions. Thermal shutdown is designed to occur at a junction temperature of approximately 150°C. The SN75179B is designed to drive current loads of up to 60mA maximum.

The SN75179B is characterized for operation from 0°C to 70°C.

Package Information

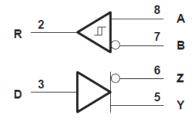
PART NUMBER	PACKAGE ⁽¹⁾	PACKAGE SIZE(2)
SN75179B	D (SOIC)	4.9mm x 6mm
	P (PDIP)	9.81mm x 9.43mm
	PS (SOP)	6.2mm x 7.8mm

- For all available packages, see Section 9.
- The package size (length × width) is a nominal value and includes pins, where applicable.



This symbol is in accordance with ANSI/IEEE Std 91-1984 and IEC Publication 617-12.

Logic Symbol



Logic Diagram (Positive Logic)



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3 Pin Configuration and Functions

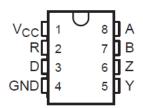


Figure 3-1. D, PS, or P Package Top View

Table 3-1. Pin Functions

PIN	PIN		DESCRIPTION	
NAME	NO.	TYPE ⁽¹⁾	DESCRIP HON	
1	V _{CC}	Р	5V Voltage Supply	
2	R	0	RS485 Logic Output	
3	D	I	RS485 Logic Input	
4	GND	G	Ground	
5	Υ	0	Non-Inverting RS485 Bus Output	
6	Z	0	Inverted RS485 Bus Output	
7	В	ı	Inverted RS485 Bus Input	
8	А	ı	Non-Inverting RS485 Bus Input	

⁽¹⁾ I = Input, O = Output, I/O = Input or Output, G = Ground, P = Power.



4 Specifications

4.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)(1)

		MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{CC}	Supply voltage ⁽²⁾		7	V
	Voltage range at any bus terminal	-10	15	V
V _{ID}	Differential input voltage (3)		±25	V
T _{stg}	Storage temperature	-65	150	°C

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, which do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under Recommended Operating Conditions. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- (2) All voltage values are with respect to network ground terminal.
- (3) Differential input voltage is measured at the noninverting input with respect to the corresponding inverting input.

4.2 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

			MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
V _{CC}	Supply voltage		4.75	5	5.25	V
V _{IH}	High-level input voltage	Driver	2			V
V _{IL}	Low-level input voltage	Driver			0.8	V
V _{IC}	Common-mode input voltage		-7 ⁽¹⁾		12	V
V _{ID}	Differential input voltage,				±12	V
	High level output ourrent	Driver			-60	mA
I _{OH}	High level output current	Receiver			-400	μA
	Low lovel output ourrent	Driver			60	mA
I _{OL}	Low level output current	Receiver			8	mA
T _A	Operating free-air temperature		0		70	°C

⁽¹⁾ The algebraic convention, where the less positive (more negative) limit is designated minimum, is used in this data sheet for common-mode input voltage and threshold voltage.

4.3 Thermal Information

	THERMAL METRIC(1)	SOIC (D)	PDIP (P)	SOP (PS)	UNIT
THERMAL METRIC(1)		8 PINS	8 PINS	8 PINS	UNII
$R_{\theta JA}$	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	116.7	109.5	84.3	
R _{0JC(top)}	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	56.3	53.9	65.4	
$R_{\theta JB}$	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	63.4	65.7	62.1	°C/W
ΨЈТ	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	8.8	11.6	31.3	0,,,
ΨЈВ	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	62.6	64.5	60.4	
R _{0JC(bot)}	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	N/A	N/A	N/A	

For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the <u>Semiconductor and IC package thermal metrics</u> application report.

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4.4 Electrical Characteristics: Driver

over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER		TEST CON	MIN	TYP ⁽¹⁾	MAX	UNIT	
V _{IK}	Input clamp voltage	I _I = -18mA				-1.5	V
Vo	Output voltage	I _O = 0		0		6	V
V _{OD1}	Differential output voltage	I _O = 0		1.5		6	V
		R _L = 100Ω	See Figure 5-1	1/2 V _{OD1}			V
V _{OD2}	Differential output voltage	N_ = 10022	See Figure 3-1	2 ⁽²⁾			V
		R _L = 54Ω	See Figure 5-1	1.5	2.5	5	V
V _{OD3}	Differential output voltage	See (4)		1.5		5	V
$\Delta V_{OD} $	Change in magnitude of differential output voltage					±0.2	V
V	Common mode output voltage	$R_1 = 54\Omega$ or 100Ω ,	See Figure 5-1			3	V
V _{oc}	Common mode output voltage	N_ = 3422 01 10022,	See Figure 3-1			-1] '
Δ V _{OC}	Change in magnitude of common-mode output voltage ⁽³⁾					±0.2	V
Io	Output current	V _{CC} = 0	V _O = -7V to 12V			±100	μA
I _{IH}	High-level input current	V _{IH} = 2.4V				20	μA
I _{IL}	Low-level input current	V _{IL} = 0.4V				-200	μA
		V _O = -7V				-250	
Ios	Short circuit output current	V _O = V _{CC}				250	mA
		V _O = 12V				250	
I _{CC}	Supply current (total package)	No load			57	70	mA

- (1) All typical values are at V_{CC} = 5V and T_A = 25°C. (2) The minimum V_{OD2} with 100 Ω load is either 1/2 VOD2 or 2V, whichever is greater
- $\Delta |V_{OD}|$ and $\Delta |V_{OC}|$ are the changes in magnitude of V_{OD} and V_{OC} , respectively, that occur when the input is changed from a high level to a low level.
- (4) See TIA/EIA-485-A, Figure 3.5, Test Termination Measurement 2.

4.5 Switching Characteristics

 V_{CC} = 5V, T_A = 25°C

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$t_{d(OD)}$	Differential output delay time	$R_L = 54\Omega$	See Figure 5-3		15	22	ns
t _{t(OD)}	Differential output transition time	$R_L = 54\Omega$	See Figure 5-3		20	30	ns

4.6 Symbol Equivalent

DATA-SHEET PARAMETER	TIA/EIA-422-B	TIA/EIA-485-A
V _O	V _{oa} , V _{ob}	V _{oa} , V _{ob}
V _{OD1}	Vo	Vo
V _{OD2}	$V_t(R_L = 100\Omega)$	$V_t(R_L = 54\Omega)$
V _{OD3}		V _t (Test Termination Measurement 2)
D V _{OD}	$ V_t - \overline{V}t_t $	V _t −
V _{oc}	V _{os}	V _{os}
D V _{oc}	V _{os} – V _{os}	V _{os} – \overline{V} _{os}
I _{OS}	I _{sa} , I _{sb}	
lo	I _{xa} , I _{xb}	I _{ia} , I _{ib}

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4.7 Electrical Characteristics: Receiver

over recommended ranges of supply voltage and operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)

	PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP ⁽¹⁾	MAX	UNIT	
V _{IT+}	Positive-going input threshold voltage	V _O = 2.7V	$I_{O} = -0.4 \text{mA}$				0.2	V
V _{IT-}	Negative-going input threshold voltage	V _O = 0.5V	I _O = 8mA		-0.2 ⁽²⁾			V
V _{hys}	Hysteresis voltage (V _{IT+} – V _{IT-})		,			50		mV
V _{OH}	High-level output voltage	V _{ID} = 200mV	I _{OH} = -400μA	See Figure 5-2	2.7			V
V _{OL}	Low-level output voltage	V _{ID} = -200mV	I _{OL} = 8mA	See Figure 5-2			0.45	V
	Line input current	Other input at 0\/	See ⁽³⁾	V _I = 12V			1	mA
"	Line input current	Other input at 0V	See (%)	$V_{l} = -7V$			-0.8	mA
r _l	Input resistance				12			kΩ
Ios	Short-circuit output current				-15		-85	mA
Ios	Supply current (total package)	No load				57	70	mA

4.8 Switching Characteristics

 V_{CC} = 5V, T_A = 25°C

	PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t _{PLH}	Propagation delay time, low- to high-level output	$V_{ID} = -1.5V$ to 1.5V		19	35	ns
t _{PHL}	Propagation delay time, high- to low-level output	C _L = 15pF See Figure 5-4		30	40	ns

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 ⁽¹⁾ All typical values are at V_{CC} = 5V and T_A = 25°C.
 (2) The algebraic convention, where the less positive (more negative) limit is designated minimum, is used in this data sheet for common-mode input voltage and threshold voltage levels only.

See TIA/EIA-422-B for exact conditions.

4.9 Typical Characteristics

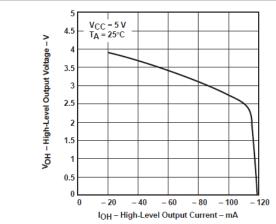


Figure 4-1. Driver High-Level Output Voltage vs High-Level **Output Current**

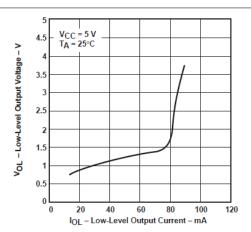
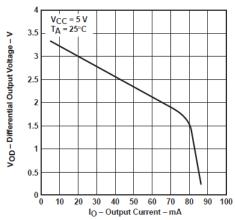


Figure 4-2. Driver Low-Level Output Voltage vs Low-Level **Output Current**



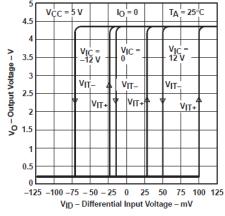


Figure 4-3. Driver Differential Output Voltage vs Output Current | Figure 4-4. Receiver Output Voltage vs Differential Input Voltage

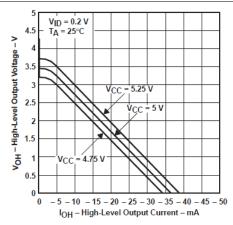


Figure 4-5. High-Level Output Voltage vs High-Level Output Current

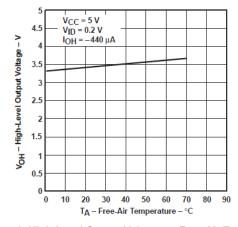


Figure 4-6. High-Level Output Voltage vs Free-Air Temperature



4.9 Typical Characteristics (continued)

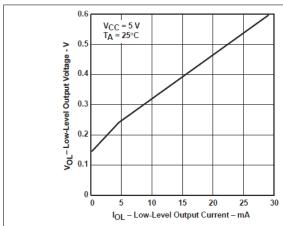


Figure 4-7. Receiver Low-Level Output Voltage vs Low-Level Output Current

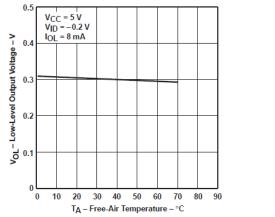


Figure 4-8. Receiver Low-Level Output Voltage vs Free-Air Temperature



5 Parameter Measurement Information

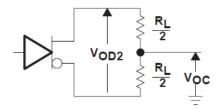


Figure 5-1. Driver V_{DD} and V_{OC}

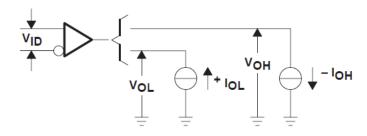
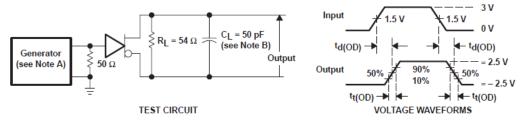
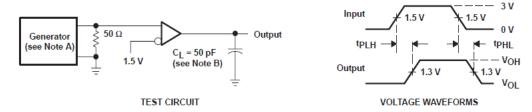


Figure 5-2. Receiver V_{OH} and V_{OL}



- A. The input pulse is supplied by a generator having the following characteristics: PRR \leq 1MHz, 50% duty cycle, $t_r \leq$ 6ns, $t_f \leq$ 6ns, $t_O = 50\Omega$.
- B. C_L includes probe and jig capacitance.

Figure 5-3. Driver Test Circuit and Voltage Waveforms



- A. The input pulse is supplied by a generator having the following characteristics: PRR ≤ 1MHz, 50% duty cycle, t_r ≤ 6ns, t_f ≤ 6ns, Z_O = 50Ω.
- B. C_L includes probe and jig capacitance.

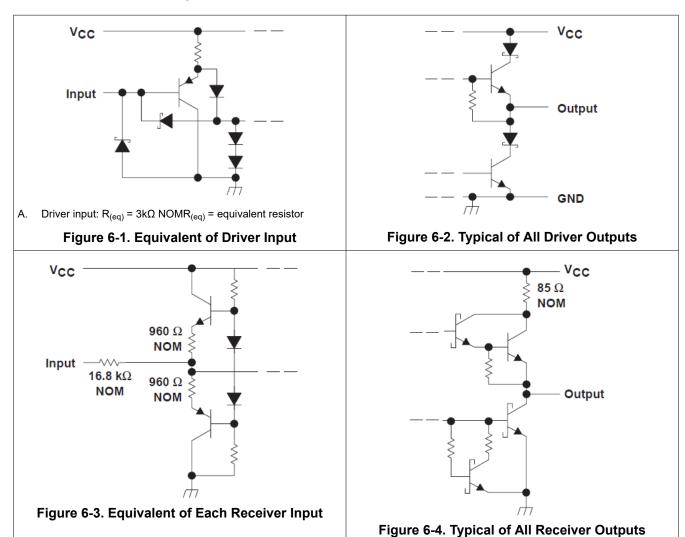
Figure 5-4. Receiver Test Circuit and Voltage Waveforms

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6 Detailed Description

6.1 Functional Block Diagram





6.2 Device Functional Modes

Table 6-1. Driver (1)

INPUT	OUTPUTS		
D	Y	Z	
Н	Н	L	
L	L	Н	

(1) H = high level, L = low level, ? = indeterminate

Table 6-2. Receiver

DIFFERENTIAL INPUTS A – B	OUTPUT ⁽¹⁾ R
V _{ID} ≥ 0.2V	Н
-0.2V < V _{ID} < 0.2V	?
V _{ID} ≤ -0.2V	L
Open	?

(1) H = high level, L = low level, ? = indeterminate

7 Device and Documentation Support

TI offers an extensive line of development tools. Tools and software to evaluate the performance of the device, generate code, and develop solutions are listed below.

7.1 Documentation Support

7.1.1 Related Documentation

7.2 Receiving Notification of Documentation Updates

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7.5 Electrostatic Discharge Caution



This integrated circuit can be damaged by ESD. Texas Instruments recommends that all integrated circuits be handled with appropriate precautions. Failure to observe proper handling and installation procedures can cause damage.

ESD damage can range from subtle performance degradation to complete device failure. Precision integrated circuits may be more susceptible to damage because very small parametric changes could cause the device not to meet its published specifications.

7.6 Glossary

TI Glossary

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

8 Revision History

NOTE: Page numbers for previous revisions may differ from page numbers in the current version.

Changes from Revision F (October 2022) to Revision G (April 2025)	Page
Updated the Package Information table	1
• Changed the I _{OH} driver max value from -602mA to -60mA in the <i>Recommended Operatin</i>	ng Conditions 4
Changes from Revision E (June 2008) to Revision F (October 2022)	Page
Changed the data sheet format to the latest data sheet format	
Changed the Thermal Information table	4

9 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

The following pages include mechanical, packaging, and orderable information. This information is the most current data available for the designated devices. This data is subject to change without notice and revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, refer to the left-hand navigation.

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PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable Device	Status	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan	Lead finish/ Ball material	MSL Peak Temp	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
SN75179BD	OBSOLETE	SOIC	D	8		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	0 to 70	75179B	
SN75179BDR	ACTIVE	SOIC	D	8	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	0 to 70	75179B	Samples
SN75179BDRG4	ACTIVE	SOIC	D	8	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	0 to 70	75179B	Samples
SN75179BP	ACTIVE	PDIP	Р	8	50	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	SN75179BP	Samples
SN75179BPE4	ACTIVE	PDIP	Р	8	50	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	SN75179BP	Samples
SN75179BPSR	ACTIVE	SO	PS	8	2000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	0 to 70	A179B	Samples

(1) The marketing status values are defined as follows:

ACTIVE: Product device recommended for new designs.

LIFEBUY: TI has announced that the device will be discontinued, and a lifetime-buy period is in effect.

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PREVIEW: Device has been announced but is not in production. Samples may or may not be available.

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- (3) MSL, Peak Temp. The Moisture Sensitivity Level rating according to the JEDEC industry standard classifications, and peak solder temperature.
- (4) There may be additional marking, which relates to the logo, the lot trace code information, or the environmental category on the device.
- (5) Multiple Device Markings will be inside parentheses. Only one Device Marking contained in parentheses and separated by a "~" will appear on a device. If a line is indented then it is a continuation of the previous line and the two combined represent the entire Device Marking for that device.
- (6) Lead finish/Ball material Orderable Devices may have multiple material finish options. Finish options are separated by a vertical ruled line. Lead finish/Ball material values may wrap to two lines if the finish value exceeds the maximum column width.



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TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION





	Dimension designed to accommodate the component width
В0	Dimension designed to accommodate the component length
K0	Dimension designed to accommodate the component thickness
W	Overall width of the carrier tape
P1	Pitch between successive cavity centers

QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE



*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing		SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
SN75179BDR	SOIC	D	8	2500	330.0	12.4	6.4	5.2	2.1	8.0	12.0	Q1
SN75179BPSR	so	PS	8	2000	330.0	16.4	8.35	6.6	2.4	12.0	16.0	Q1

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*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
SN75179BDR	SOIC	D	8	2500	356.0	356.0	35.0
SN75179BPSR	SO	PS	8	2000	356.0	356.0	35.0

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*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Name	Package Type	Pins	SPQ	L (mm)	W (mm)	T (µm)	B (mm)
SN75179BP	Р	PDIP	8	50	506	13.97	11230	4.32
SN75179BPE4	Р	PDIP	8	50	506	13.97	11230	4.32



SMALL OUTLINE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT



NOTES:

- 1. Linear dimensions are in inches [millimeters]. Dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Controlling dimensions are in inches. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
- 2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- 3. This dimension does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs. Mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs shall not exceed .006 [0.15] per side.
- 4. This dimension does not include interlead flash.
- 5. Reference JEDEC registration MS-012, variation AA.



SMALL OUTLINE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT



NOTES: (continued)

6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.

7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.



SMALL OUTLINE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT



NOTES: (continued)

- 8. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
- 9. Board assembly site may have different recommendations for stencil design.





NOTES: A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters.

B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.

C. Body dimensions do not include mold flash or protrusion, not to exceed 0,15.



P (R-PDIP-T8)

PLASTIC DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE



NOTES:

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- B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- C. Falls within JEDEC MS-001 variation BA.



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