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SN75491, SN75491A, SN75492, SN75492A MOS-TO-LED DRIVERS

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QUAD SEGMENT DRIVER AND HEX DIGIT DRIVER FOR INTERFACING BETWEEN MOS AND LIGHT-EMITTING-DIODE (LED) DISPLAYS

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- 50-mA Source or Sink Capability ('491, '491A)
- 250-mA Sink Capability ('492, '492A)
- Rated for 10-V Operation ('491, '492)
- Rated for 20-V Operation ('491A, '492A)
- Low Input Current for MOS Compatibility
- Low Standby Power
- High-Gain Darlington Circuits

description

The SN75491, SN75491A, SN75492, and SN75492A are monolithic integrated circuits designed to be used together with MOS integrated circuits and common-cathode LED's in serially addressed multi-digit displays. This time-multiplexed system, which uses a segment-address-and-digit-scan method of LED drive, minimizes the number of drivers required.

The SN75491 and SN75491A are quadruple segment drivers. The SN75492 and SN75492A are hex digit drivers. The SN75491 and SN75492 are characterized for operation to 10 volts. The SN75491A and SN75492A are characterized for operation to 20 volts.

The SN75491, SN75491A, SN75492, and SN75492A are characterized for operation from 0°C to 70°C.

logic diagram (each driver)

SN75491, SN75491A



SN75492, SN75492A



SN75491, SN75491A
N DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE

(TOP VIEW)

1A	1	14	4A
1E	2	13	4E
1C	3	12	4C
GND	4	11	VSS
2C	5	10	3C
2E	6	9	3E
2A	7	8	3A

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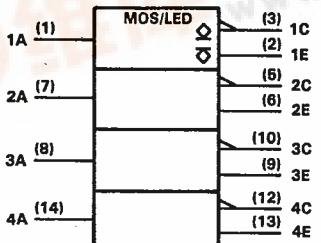
SN75492, SN75492A
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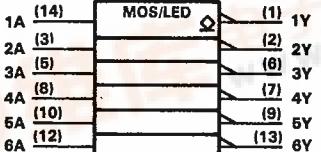
1Y	1	14	1A
2Y	2	13	6Y
2A	3	12	6A
GND	4	11	VSS
3A	5	10	5A
3Y	6	9	5Y
4Y	7	8	4A

logic symbols†

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SN75492, SN75492A



†These symbols are in accordance with ANSI/IEEE Std 91-1984 and IEC Publication 617-12.

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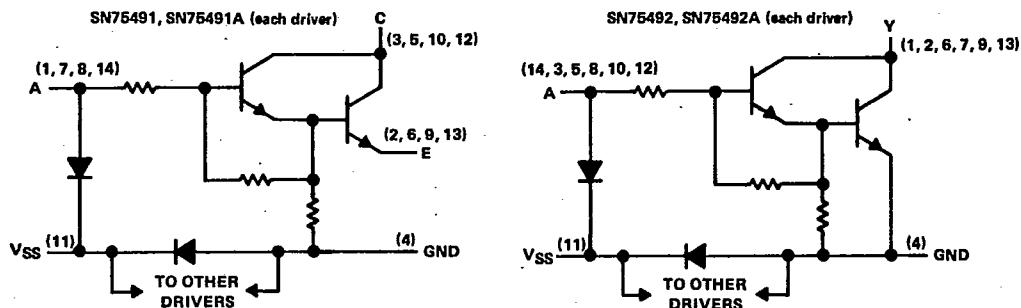
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schematics**Display Drivers****absolute maximum ratings over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)**

	SN75491	SN75491A	SN75492	SN75492A	UNIT
Input voltage range (see Notes 1 and 2)	-5 V to V _{SS}	-5 V to V _{SS}	-5 V to V _{SS}	-5 V to V _{SS}	
Collector (output) voltage, V _C	10	20	10	20	V
Collector (output)-to-input voltage	10	20	10	20	V
Emitter-to-ground voltage (V _I ≥ 5 V)	10	20			V
Emitter-to-input voltage	5	5			V
Voltage at V _{SS} terminal with respect to any other device terminal	10	20	10	20	V
Collector (output) current, I _C	Each collector (output)	50	50	250	250
	All collectors (outputs)	200	200	600	600
Continuous total dissipation at (or below) 25°C free-air temperature (see Note 3)		875	875	875	mW
Operating free-air temperature range	0 to 70	0 to 70	0 to 70	0 to 70	°C
Storage temperature range	-65 to 150	-65 to 150	-65 to 150	-65 to 150	°C
Lead temperature 1.6 mm (1/16 inch) from case for 10 seconds	260	260	260	260	°C

- NOTES: 1. All voltage values are with respect to network ground terminal.
 2. The input is the only device terminal that may be negative with respect to ground.
 3. For operation at 25°C free-air temperature, refer to Dissipation Derating Curves in Appendix A. For these devices in the N package, use the 7-mW/°C curve.

'491, '491A electrical characteristics, V_{SS} = 10 V for SN75491, V_{SS} = 20 V for SN75491A, T_A = 0°C to 70°C (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP [†]	MAX	UNIT
V _{CE(on)} On-State collector-emitter voltage	Input = 8.5 V through 1 kΩ, V _E = 5 V, I _C = 50 mA, T _A = 25°C		0.9	1.2	V
	Input = 8.5 V through 1 kΩ, V _E = 5 V, I _C = 50 mA		1.5		
I _{C(off)} Off-state collector current	V _C = V _{SS} , V _E = 0, I _I = 40 μA		100		μA
	V _C = V _{SS} , V _E = 0, V _I = 0.7 V		100		
I _I Input current at maximum input voltage	V _I = V _{SS} , V _E = 0, I _C = 20 mA	4.91	2.2	3.3	mA
	V _I = V _{SS} , V _E = 0, I _C = 0	4.91A	4.7	6.5	
I _E Emitter reverse current	V _I = 0, V _E = 5 V, I _C = 0		100		μA
I _{SS} Current into V _{SS} terminal			1		mA

[†]All typical values are at T_A = 25°C.

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'492, '492A electrical characteristics, V_{SS} = 10 V for SN75492, V_{SS} = 20 V for SN75492A,
TA = 0°C to 70°C (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP [†]	MAX	UNIT
V _{OL} Low-level output voltage	Input = 6.5 V through 1 kΩ, I _{OL} = 250 mA, TA = 25°C	0.9	1.2		V
	Input = 6.5 V through 1 kΩ, I _{OL} = 250 mA,		1.5		
I _{OH} High-level output current	V _{OH} = V _{SS} , V _I = 40 μA	200			μA
	V _{OH} = V _{SS} , V _I = 0.5 V	200			
I _I Input current at maximum input voltage	V _I = V _{SS} , I _{OL} = 20 mA	'492	2.2	3.3	mA
		'492A	4.7	6.5	
I _{SS} Current into V _{SS} terminal			1		mA

[†]All typical values are at TA = 25°C.SN75491, SN75491A switching characteristics, V_{SS} = 7.5 V, TA = 25°C

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t _{PLH} Propagation delay time, low-to-high-level output (collector)	V _{IH} = 4.5 V, V _E = 0,	100			ns
t _{PHL} Propagation delay time, high-to-low-level output (collector)	R _L = 200 Ω, C _L = 15 pF	20			ns

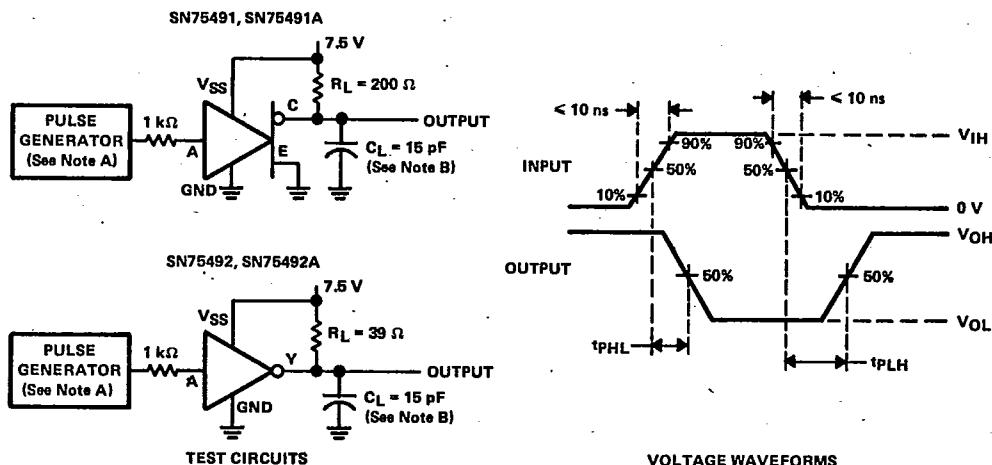
SN75492, SN75492A switching characteristics, V_{SS} = 7.5 V, TA = 25°C

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t _{PLH} Propagation delay time, low-to-high-level output	V _{IH} = 7.5 V, R _L = 39 Ω,	300			ns
t _{PHL} Propagation delay time, high-to-low-level output	C _L = 15 pF	30			ns

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PARAMETER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION



NOTES: A. The pulse generator has the following characteristics: Z_{out} = 50 Ω, PRR ≤ 100 kHz, t_w = 1 μs.
B. C_L includes probe and jig capacitance.

FIGURE 1. PROPAGATION DELAY TIMES

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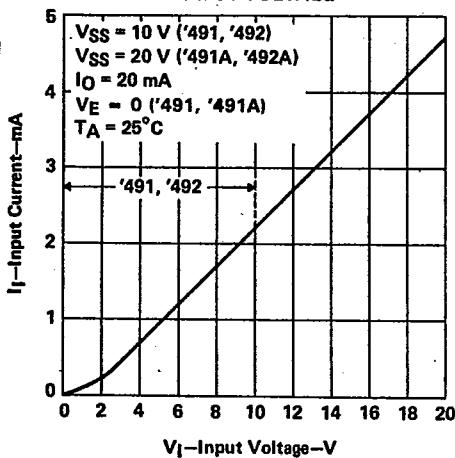
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vs
INPUT VOLTAGE

FIGURE 2

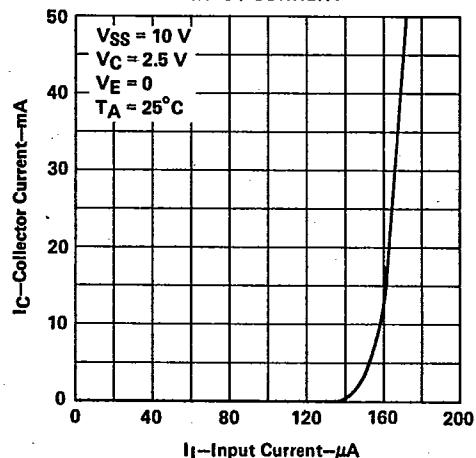
SN75491, SN75491A
COLLECTOR CURRENT
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FIGURE 3

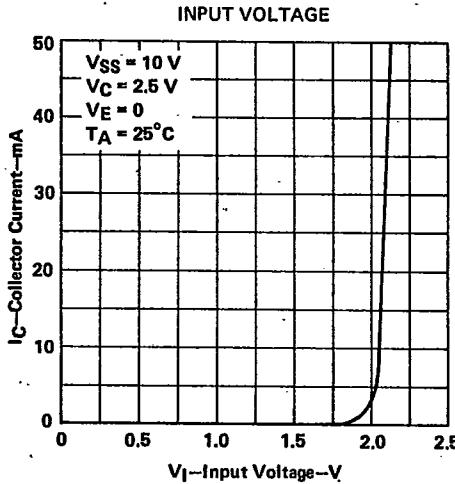
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FIGURE 4

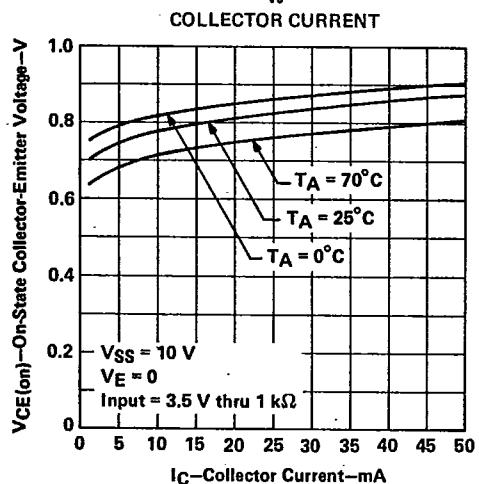
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ON-STATE COLLECTOR-EMITTER VOLTAGE
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FIGURE 5

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OUTPUT CURRENT

vs

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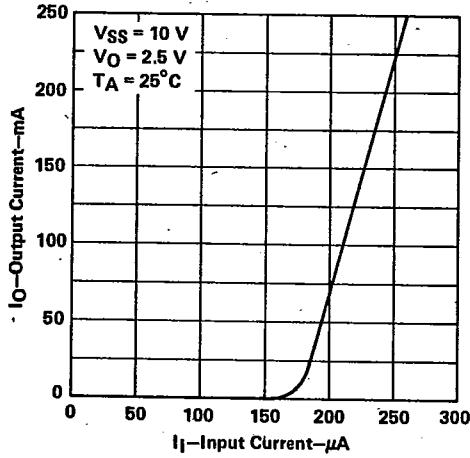


FIGURE 6

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OUTPUT CURRENT

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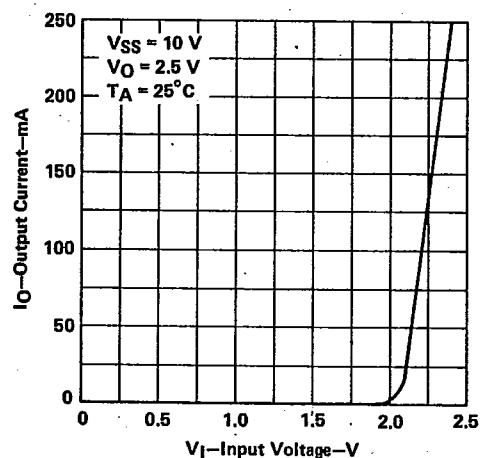


FIGURE 7

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LOW-LEVEL OUTPUT VOLTAGE

vs

OUTPUT CURRENT

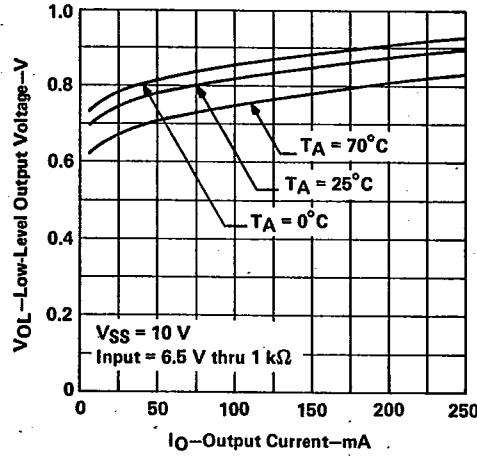


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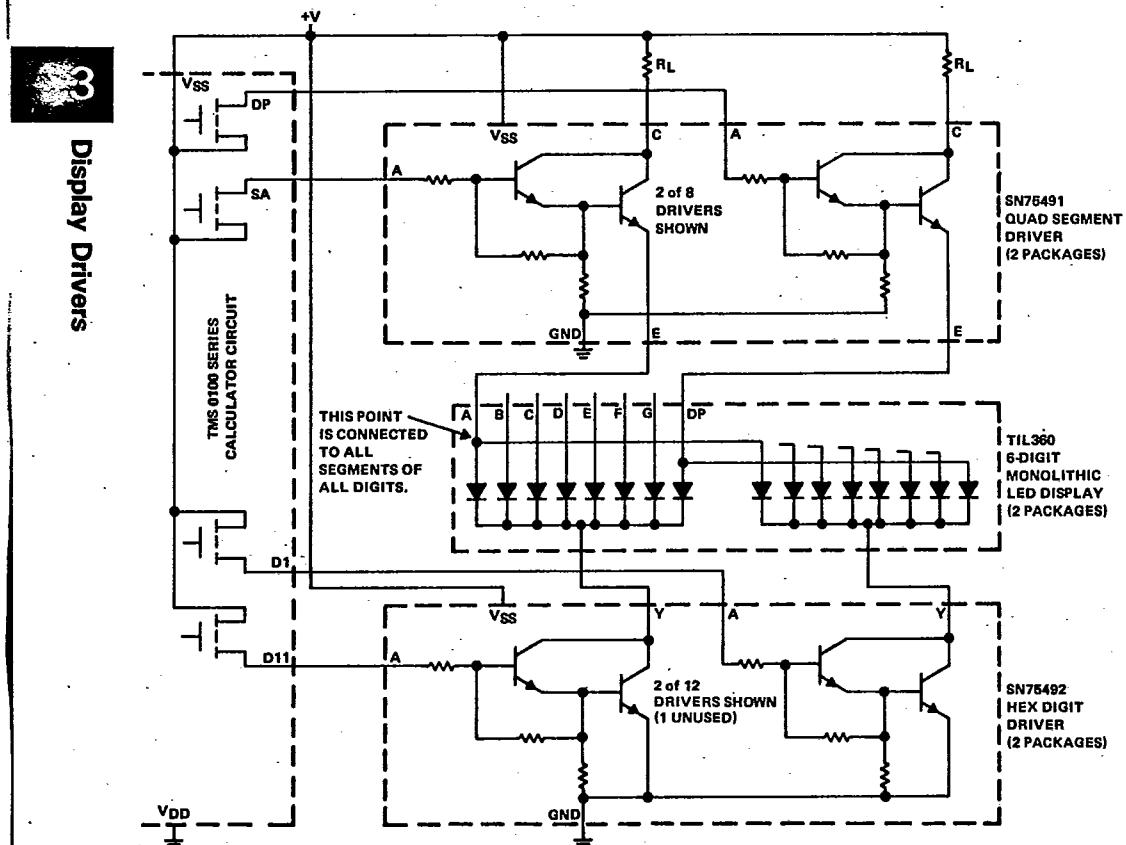
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Figure 9 is an example of time multiplexing the individual digits in a display to minimize circuitry. Up to twelve digits, each of which use a seven-segment display with decimal point, may be displayed using only two SN75491 and two SN75492 drivers.

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**FIGURE 9. INTERFACING BETWEEN MOS CALCULATOR CIRCUIT
AND LED MULTI-DIGIT DISPLAY**

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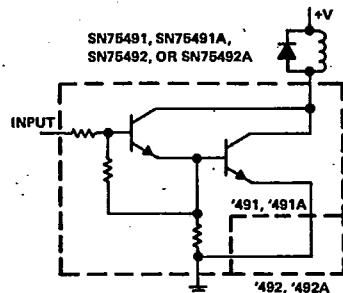
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FIGURE 10. QUAD OR HEX RELAY DRIVER

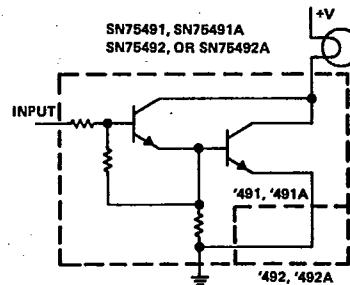


FIGURE 11. QUAD OR HEX LAMP DRIVER

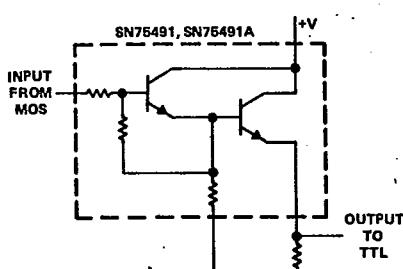


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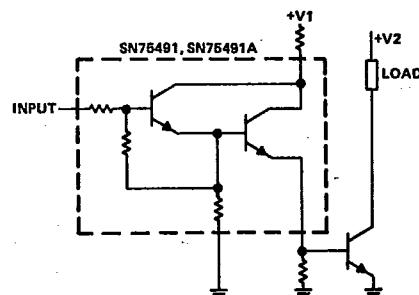
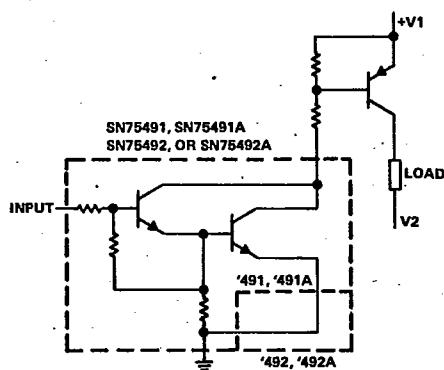


FIGURE 13. QUAD HIGH-CURRENT N-P-N TRANSISTOR DRIVER



NOTE A: This circuit may be used as a digit driver for common-mode LED displays.

FIGURE 14. QUAD OR HEX HIGH-CURRENT P-N-P TRANSISTOR DRIVER

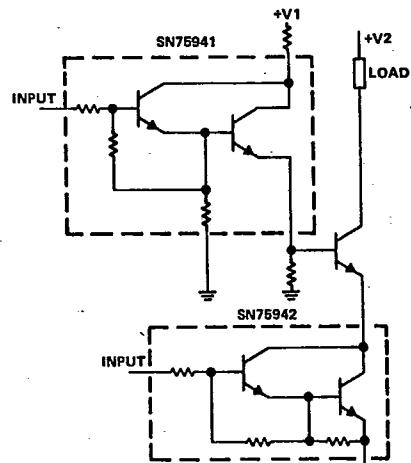


FIGURE 15. BASE/EMITTER SELECT N-P-N TRANSISTOR DRIVER

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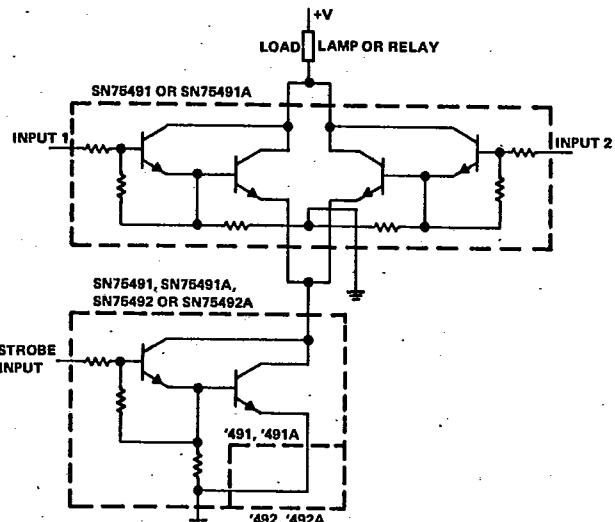


FIGURE 16. STROBED "NOR" DRIVER

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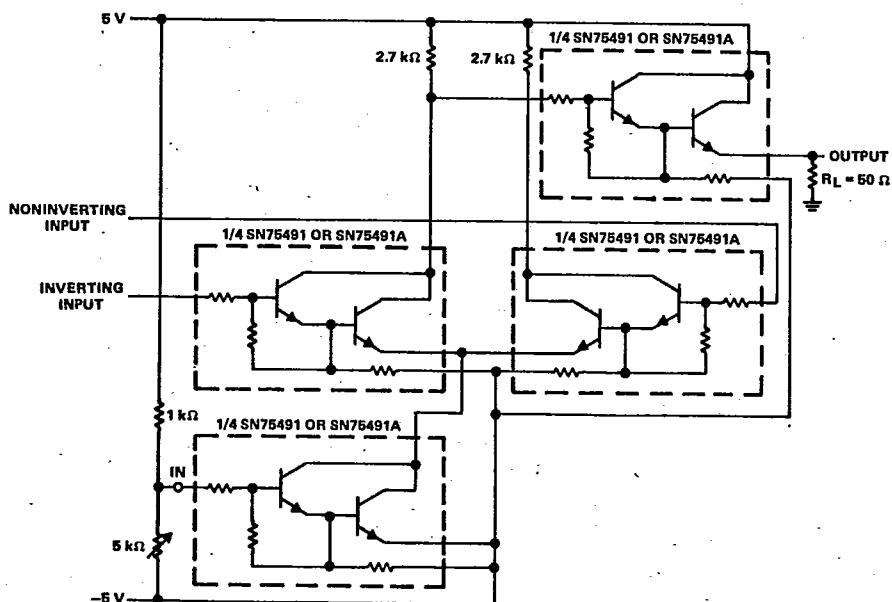


FIGURE 17. SN75491/SN75491A USED AS AN INTERFACE CIRCUIT BETWEEN THE BALANCED 30-MHz OUTPUT OF AN RF AMPLIFIER AND A COAXIAL CABLE