



# ST4G3235

## 4-BIT DUAL SUPPLY BUS BUFFER LEVEL TRANSLATOR WITH A SIDE SERIES RESISTOR

- HIGH SPEED:  $t_{PD} = 4.3\text{ns}$  (MAX.) at  $T_A=85^\circ\text{C}$   
 $V_{CCB} = 1.65\text{V}$ ;  $V_{CCA} = 3.0\text{V}$
- LOW POWER DISSIPATION:  
 $I_{CCA} = I_{CCB} = 5\mu\text{A}$ (MAX.) at  $T_A=85^\circ\text{C}$
- SYMMETRICAL OUTPUT IMPEDANCE:  
 $|I_{OHAL}| = |I_{OLB}| = 10\text{mA}$  MIN at  
 $V_{CCA} = 2.75\text{V}$ ;  $V_{CCB} = 1.4\text{V}$  to  $3.6\text{V}$   
 $|I_{OHLB}| = |I_{OHB}| = 4\text{mA}$  MIN at  
 $V_{CCB} = 1.65\text{V}$ ;  $V_{CCA} = 1.4$  to  $3.6\text{V}$ )
- BALANCED PROPAGATION DELAYS:  
 $t_{PLH} \approx t_{PHL}$
- POWER DOWN PROTECTION ON INPUTS AND OUTPUTS
- $26\Omega$ SERIES RESISTOR ON A SIDE OUTPUTS
- OPERATING VOLTAGE RANGE:  
 $V_{CCA}(\text{OPR}) = 1.4\text{V}$  to  $3.6\text{V}$  (1.2V Data Retent)  
 $V_{CCB}(\text{OPR}) = 1.4\text{V}$  to  $3.6\text{V}$  (1.2V Data Retent)
- MAX DATA RATES:  
380 Mbps (1.8V to 3.3V translation)  
260 Mbps (<1.8V to 3.3V translation)  
260 Mbps (Translate to 2.5V)  
210 Mbps (Translate to 1.5V)
- LATCH-UP PERFORMANCE EXCEEDS 500mA (JESD 17)
- ESD PERFORMANCE:  
HBM > 2000V (MIL STD 883 method 3015);  
MM > 200V
- RoHS Compliant for FLIPCHIP Package

### DESCRIPTION

The ST4G3235 is a dual supply low voltage CMOS 4-BIT BUS BUFFER level translator fabricated with sub-micron silicon gate and five-layer metal wiring C<sup>2</sup>MOS technology. Designed for use as an interface between a 3.3V bus and a 2.5V or 1.8V bus in a mixed 3.3V/1.8V, 3.3V/2.5V, 1.8V/1.4V and 2.5V/1.8V supply systems, it achieves high speed operation while maintaining the CMOS low power dissipation.

This IC is intended for one-way asynchronous communication between data buses. The input and output power down protections disable the device when both power supply are down, so that the buses are effectively isolated.

The input tolerant buffers allow to translate  $V_{CCB}$  compatible signals and greater signals than  $V_{CCB}$  up/down to  $V_{CCA}$  and viceversa.

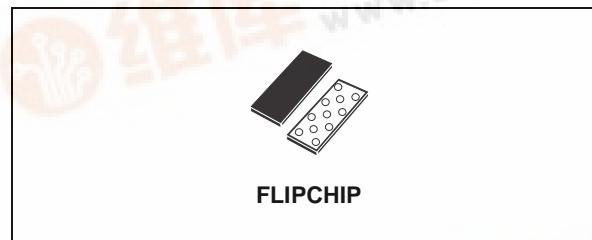
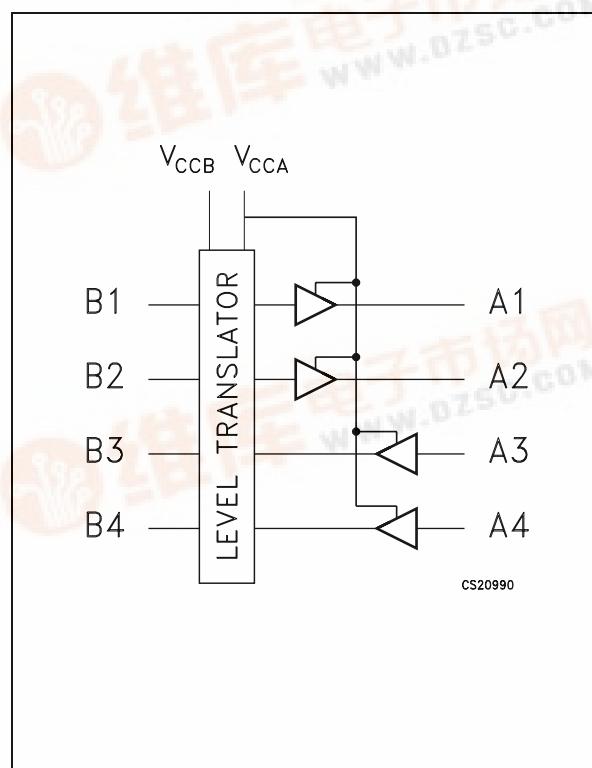


Table 1: Order Codes

PACKAGE	T & R	Comments
FLIPCHIP11	ST4G3235BJR	5000 parts per reel

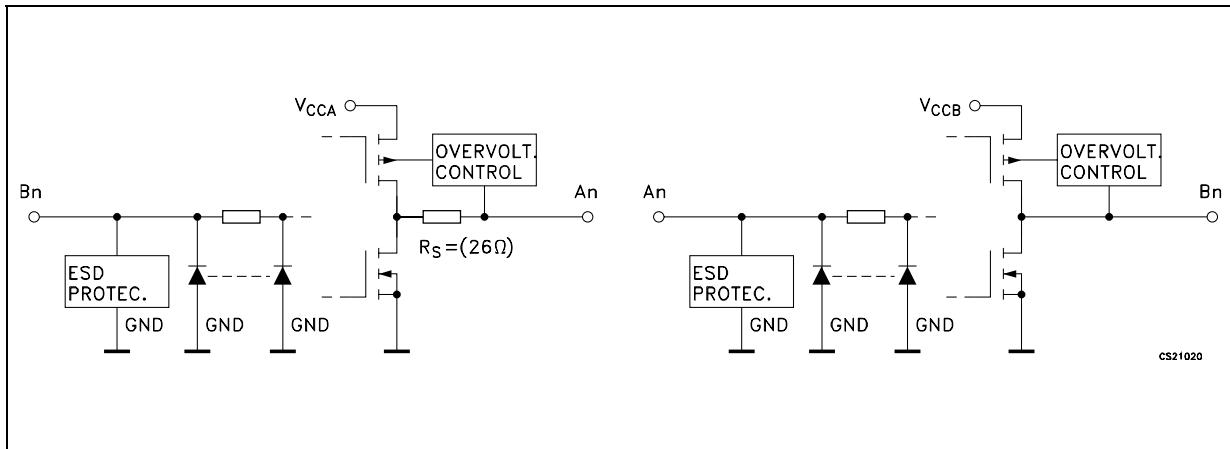
All inputs are equipped with protection circuits against static discharge, giving them ESD immunity and transient excess voltage.

Figure 1: Logic Diagram



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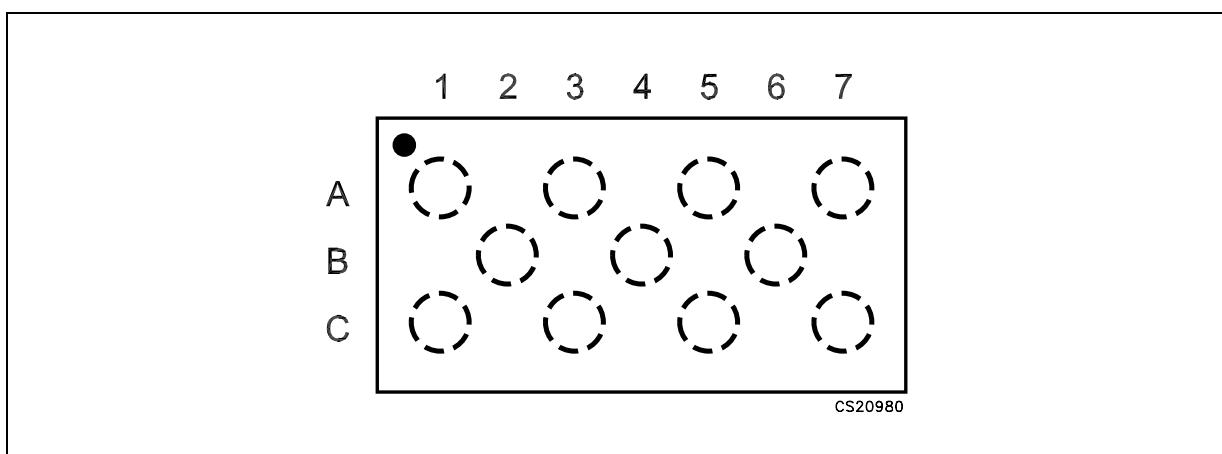
**Figure 2: Input And Output Equivalent Circuit**



**Table 2: Pin Description**

PIN°	SYMBOL	NAME AND FUNCTION
A1	A4	Data Output ( $V_{CCA}$ referred)
A3	A3	Data Output ( $V_{CCA}$ referred)
A5	A2	Data Output ( $V_{CCA}$ referred)
A7	A1	Data Output ( $V_{CCA}$ referred)
C1	B4	Data Input ( $V_{CCB}$ referred)
C3	B3	Data Input ( $V_{CCB}$ referred)
C5	B2	Data Input ( $V_{CCB}$ referred)
C7	B1	Data Input ( $V_{CCB}$ referred)
B2	GND	Ground (0V)
B6	$V_{CCA}$	Positive Supply Voltage
B4	$V_{CCB}$	Positive Supply Voltage

**Figure 3: Pin Connection (top through view)**



**Table 3: Truth Table**

INPUTS Bn ( $V_{CCB}$ Referred)		OUTPUTS An ( $V_{CCA}$ Referred)	
	L		L
	H		H

n = 1..2

INPUTS An ( $V_{CCB}$ Referred)		OUTPUTS Bn ( $V_{CCA}$ Referred)	
	L		L
	H		H

n = 3..4

**Table 4: Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$V_{CCA}$	Output Supply Voltage	-0.5 to +4.6	V
$V_{CCB}$	Input Supply Voltage	-0.5 to $V_{CCA}$ + 0.5	V
$V_O$	DC Output Voltage (Power Down Mode: $V_{CCA}=V_{CCB}=Gnd$ )	-0.5 to +4.6	V
$V_I$	DC Input Voltage (Power Down Mode: $V_{CCA}=V_{CCB}=Gnd$ )	-0.5 to +4.6	V
$V_{OA}$	DC Output Voltage (A1, A2 Outputs)	-0.5 to $V_{CCA}$ + 0.5	V
$V_{OB}$	DC Output Voltage (B3, B4 Outputs)	-0.5 to $V_{CCA}$ + 0.5	V
$V_{IA}$	DC Input Voltage (A3, A4 Outputs)	-0.5 to +4.6	V
$V_{IB}$	DC Input Voltage (B1, B2 Outputs)	-0.5 to +4.6	V
$I_{IK}$	DC Input Diode Current	-20	mA
$I_{OK}$	DC Output Diode Current	-50	mA
$I_{OA}$	DC Output Current	±50	mA
$I_{CCA}$	DC $V_{CCA}$ or Ground Current	±100	mA
$I_{CCB}$	DC $V_{CCB}$ or Ground Current	±100	mA
$P_d$	Power Dissipation	400	mW
$T_{stg}$	Storage Temperature	-65 to +150	°C
$T_L$	Lead Temperature (10 sec)	260	°C

Absolute Maximum Ratings are those values beyond which damage to the device may occur. Functional operation under these conditions is not implied.

**Table 5: Recommended Operating Conditions**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$V_{CCA}$	Supply Voltage	1.4 to 3.6	V
$V_{CCB}$	Supply Voltage	1.4 to $V_{CCA}$	V
$V_{IB}$	Input Voltage (B1, B2)	0 to $V_{CCB}$	V
$V_{IA}$	Input Voltage (A3, A4)	0 to $V_{CCA}$	V
$V_{OB}$	Output Voltage (B3, B4)	0 to $V_{CCB}$	V
$V_{OA}$	Output Voltage (A1, A2)	0 to $V_{CCA}$	V
$T_{op}$	Operating Temperature	-40 to 85	°C
$dt/dv$	Input Rise and Fall Time (note 1)	$V_{CCB} = 3.0$ to 3.6V	0 to 10
		$V_{CCB} = 2.3$ to 2.7V	0 to 20
		$V_{CCB} = 1.4$ to 1.95V	0 to 100
			ns/V

1)  $V_I$  from 0.8V to 2.0V at  $V_{CC} = 3.0V$

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**Table 6: DC Specification for  $V_{CCA}$**

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition			Value					Unit	
		$V_{CCB}$ (V) <sup>(*)</sup>	$V_{CCA}$ (V) <sup>(*)</sup>		$T_A = 25^\circ C$			$-40 \text{ to } 85^\circ C$			
					Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Max.		
$V_{IHA}$	High Level Input Voltage (A3-A4)	1.4 to 3.6V	1.4		0.65 $V_{CCA}$			0.65 $V_{CCA}$		V	
			1.8		0.65 $V_{CCA}$			0.65 $V_{CCA}$			
			2.5		1.6			1.6			
			3.3		2.0			2.0			
$V_{ILA}$	Low Level Input Voltage (A3-A4)	1.4 to 3.6V	1.4				0.35 $V_{CCA}$		0.35 $V_{CCA}$	V	
			1.8				0.35 $V_{CCA}$		0.35 $V_{CCA}$		
			2.5				0.7		0.7		
			3.3				0.8		0.8		
$V_{OHA}$	High Level Output Voltage (A1-A2)	1.4 to 3.6V	1.4	$I_O=-100\mu A$	1.2			1.2		V	
			2.75	$I_O=-0.4mA$	2.5			2.5			
			2.75	$I_O=-10mA$	2.2			2.2			
			2.3	$I_O=-6mA$	1.8			1.8			
			1.65	$I_O=-2mA$	1.4			1.4			
			1.4	$I_O=-1mA$	1.1			1.1			
$V_{OLA}$	Low Level Output Voltage (A1-A2)	1.4 to 3.6V	1.4	$I_O=100\mu A$			0.20		0.20	V	
			2.75	$I_O=1mA$			0.40		0.40		
			2.75	$I_O=10mA$			0.55		0.55		
			2.3	$I_O=6mA$			0.40		0.40		
			1.65	$I_O=2mA$			0.25		0.25		
			1.4	$I_O=1mA$			0.20		0.20		
$I_{IA}$	Input Leakage Current (A3-A4)	2.7	3.6	$V_{IA}=V_{CCA}$ or GND			$\pm 0.5$		$\pm 5$	$\mu A$	
		1.4	2.7	$V_{IA}=3.6V$ or GND			$\pm 0.5$		$\pm 5$	$\mu A$	
$I_{OFF}$	Power Off Leakage Current	0	0	$V_{IB}=GND$ to 3.6V $V_{OA}=GND$ to 3.6V $V_{IA}=GND$ to 3.6V $V_{OB}=GND$ to 3.6V			$\pm 1.0$		$\pm 10$	$\mu A$	
$I_{CCtA}$	Quiescent Supply Current	1.4 to 3.6V	1.4 to 3.6V	$V_{IA}=V_{CCA}$ or GND $V_{IB}=V_{CCB}$ or GND			0.5		5	$\mu A$	
$\Delta I_{CCtA}$	Maximum Quiescent Supply Current / Input (An)	2.7	3.6	$V_{IA}=V_{CCA} - 0.6V$					0.75	mA	
		1.95	3.6	$V_{IA}=V_{CCA}$ or GND							
		1.95	2.7	$V_{IB}=V_{CCB}$ or GND							

(\*)  $V_{CC}$  range =  $3.3 \pm 0.3$ ;  $2.5 \pm 0.2V$ ;  $1.8 \pm 0.15V$

**Table 7: DC Specification for  $V_{CCB}$** 

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition			Value					Unit	
		$V_{CCB}$ (V) <sup>(*)</sup>	$V_{CCA}$ (V) <sup>(*)</sup>		$T_A = 25^\circ C$			$-40 \text{ to } 85^\circ C$			
					Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Max.		
$V_{IHB}$	High Level Input Voltage (B1-B2)	1.4	1.4 to 3.6V		0.65 $V_{CCB}$			0.65 $V_{CCB}$		V	
		1.8			0.65 $V_{CCB}$			0.65 $V_{CCB}$			
		2.5			1.6			1.6			
		3.3			2.0			2.0			
$V_{ILB}$	Low Level Input Voltage (B1-B2)	1.4	1.4 to 3.6V				0.35 $V_{CCB}$		0.35 $V_{CCB}$	V	
		1.8					0.35 $V_{CCB}$		0.35 $V_{CCB}$		
		2.5					0.7		0.7		
		3.3					0.8		0.8		
$V_{OHB}$	High Level Output Voltage (B3-B4)	1.4	1.4 to 3.6V		$I_O=-100\mu A$	1.3		1.3		V	
		1.8			$I_O=-100\mu A$	1.6		1.6			
		2.75			$I_O=-24mA$	2.2		2.2			
		2.75			$I_O=-18mA$	1.7		1.7			
		2.3			$I_O=-4mA$	1.44		1.44			
		1.65			$I_O=-4mA$	1.5		1.5			
		1.4			$I_O=-2mA$	1.25		1.25			
$V_{OLB}$	Low Level Output Voltage (B3-B4)	1.4	1.4 to 3.6V		$I_O=100\mu A$		0.1		0.1	V	
		1.8			$I_O=100\mu A$		0.2		0.2		
		2.75			$I_O=24mA$		0.55		0.55		
		2.75			$I_O=18mA$		0.35		0.35		
		2.3			$I_O=4mA$		0.39		0.39		
		1.65			$I_O=4mA$		0.20		0.20		
		1.4			$I_O=2mA$		0.15		0.15		
$I_{IB}$	Input Leakage Current (B1-B2)	2.7	3.6	$V_{IB}=V_{CCB}$ or GND			$\pm 0.5$		$\pm 5$	$\mu A$	
		1.4	2.7	$V_{IB}=3.6V$ or GND			$\pm 0.5$		$\pm 5$	$\mu A$	
$I_{OFF}$	Power Off Leakage Current	0	0	$V_{IB}=GND$ to 3.6V $V_{OA}=GND$ to 3.6V $V_{IA}=GND$ to 3.6V $V_{OB}=GND$ to 3.6V			$\pm 1.0$		$\pm 10$	$\mu A$	
$I_{CCtB}$	Quiescent Supply Current	1.4 to 3.6V	1.4 to 3.6V	$V_{IA}=V_{CCA}$ or GND $V_{IB}=V_{CCB}$ or GND			0.5		5	$\mu A$	
$\Delta I_{CCtB}$	Maximum Quiescent Supply Current / Input (Bn)	2.7	3.6	$V_{IB}=V_{CCB} - 0.6V$				0.75	mA		
		1.95	3.6	$V_{IB}=V_{CCB}$ or GND							
		1.95	2.7	$V_{IB}=V_{CCA}$ or GND							

(\*)  $V_{CC}$  range =  $3.3 \pm 0.3$ ;  $2.5 \pm 0.2V$ ;  $1.8 \pm 0.15V$

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**Table 8: Dynamic Switching Characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition			Value					Unit	
		$V_{CCB}$ (V)	$V_{CCA}$ (V)		$T_A = 25^\circ C$			$-40 \text{ to } 85^\circ C$			
					Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Max.		
$V_{OLPA}$	Dynamic Low Level Quiet An Output	1.4	1.8	$C_L = 30\text{pF}$ $V_{ILB} = 0V$ $V_{IHB} = V_{CCB}$		0.2				V	
		1.4-1.8	2.5			0.25					
		1.8-2.5	3.3			0.35					
	Dynamic Low Level Quiet An Output	1.4	1.8			-0.2				V	
		1.4-1.8	2.5			-0.25					
		1.8-2.5	3.3			-0.35					
	Dynamic High Level Quiet An Output	1.4	1.8			1.6				V	
		1.4-1.8	2.5			2.1					
		1.8-2.5	3.3			2.7					
$V_{OLPB}$	Dynamic Low Level Quiet Bn Output	1.4	1.8-2.5	$C_L = 30\text{pF}$ $V_{ILA} = 0V$ $V_{IHA} = V_{CCA}$		0.2				V	
		1.8	2.5-3.3			0.25					
		2.5	3.3			0.6					
	Dynamic Low Level Quiet Bn Output	1.4	1.8-2.5			-0.2				V	
		1.8	2.5-3.3			-0.25					
		2.5	3.3			-0.36					
	Dynamic High Level Quiet Bn Output	1.4	1.8-2.5			1.2				V	
		1.8	2.5-3.3			1.4					
		2.5	3.3			1.9					

**Table 9: AC Electrical Characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition			Value		Unit	
		$V_{CCB}$ (V)	$V_{CCA}$ (V)		-40 to 85 °C			
					Min.	Max.		
$t_{PLH}$ $t_{PHL}$	Propagation Delay Time Bn to An	2.3 to 3.6	1.4	$C_L = 10 \text{ pF}$	2.0	6.5	ns	
		1.4 to 1.95	1.4		2.0	6.8		
		2.3 to 3.6	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	5.2		
		1.4 to 1.95	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	5.6		
		1.4 to 1.95	2.3 to 2.7		2.0	4.6		
		1.4 to 1.95	3.0 to 3.6		2.0	4.3		
		2.3 to 2.7	3.0 to 3.6		1.0	3.6		
$t_{PLH}$ $t_{PHL}$	Propagation Delay Time Bn to An	2.3 to 3.6	1.4	$C_L = 30 \text{ pF}$ $R_L = 500 \Omega$	2.0	7.5	ns	
		1.4 to 1.95	1.4		2.0	7.5		
		2.3 to 3.6	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	6.5		
		1.4 to 1.95	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	6.7		
		1.4 to 1.95	2.3 to 2.7		2.0	5.9		
		1.4 to 1.95	3.0 to 3.6		2.0	5.7		
		2.3 to 2.7	3.0 to 3.6		1.0	4.9		
$t_{PLH}$ $t_{PHL}$	Propagation Delay Time An to Bn	2.3 to 3.6	1.4	$C_L = 10 \text{ pF}$	2.0	5.5	ns	
		1.4 to 1.95	1.4		2.0	6.0		
		2.3 to 3.6	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	5.0		
		1.4 to 1.95	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	5.0		
		1.4 to 1.95	2.3 to 2.7		2.0	4.6		
		1.4 to 1.95	3.0 to 3.6		2.0	3.9		
		2.3 to 2.7	3.0 to 3.6		1.0	3.0		
$t_{PLH}$ $t_{PHL}$	Propagation Delay Time An to Bn	2.3 to 3.6	1.4	$C_L = 30 \text{ pF}$ $R_L = 500 \Omega$	2.0	7.0	ns	
		1.4 to 1.95	1.4		2.0	7.5		
		2.3 to 3.6	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	6.0		
		1.4 to 1.95	1.65 to 1.95		2.0	6.0		
		1.4 to 1.95	2.3 to 2.7		2.0	5.6		
		1.4 to 1.95	3.0 to 3.6		2.0	4.6		
		2.3 to 2.7	3.0 to 3.6		1.0	4.0		
$t_{OSLH}$ $t_{OSHL}$	Output To Output Skew Time (note1, 2)	$1.8 \pm 0.15$	$2.5 \pm 0.2$	$C_L = 30 \text{ pF}$ $R_L = 500 \Omega$		0.5	ns	
		$1.8 \pm 0.15$	$3.3 \pm 0.3$			0.5		
		$2.5 \pm 0.2$	$3.3 \pm 0.3$			0.75		

1) Skew is defined as the absolute value of the difference between the actual propagation delay for any two outputs of the same device switching in the same direction, either HIGH or LOW ( $t_{OSLH} = |t_{PLHm} - t_{PLHn}|$ ,  $t_{OSHL} = |t_{PHLm} - t_{PHLn}|$ )

2) Parameter guaranteed by design

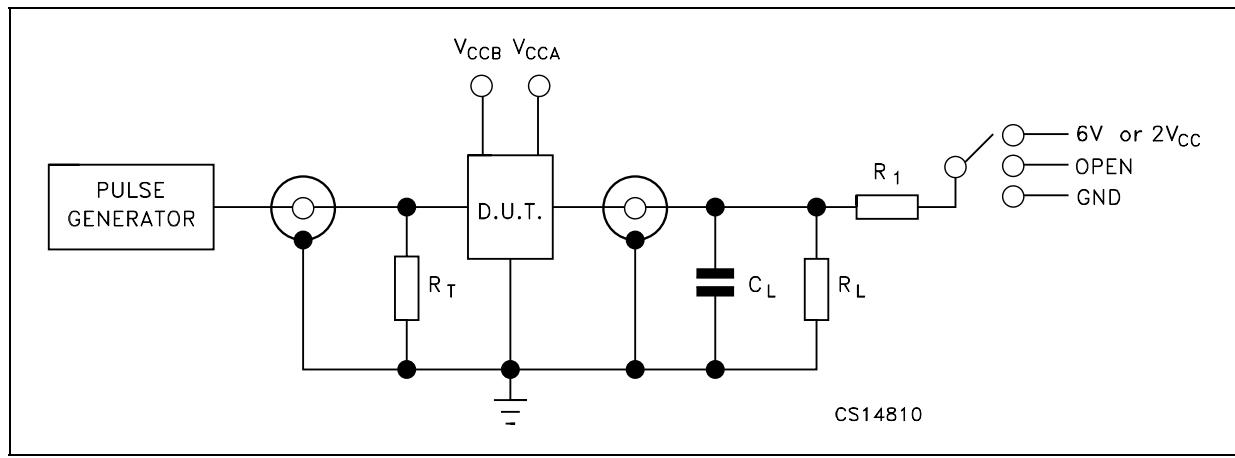
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**Table 10: Capacitance Characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition			Value				Unit	
		$V_{CCB}$ (V)	$V_{CCA}$ (V)		$T_A = 25^\circ C$		$-40 \text{ to } 85^\circ C$			
					Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.		
$C_{IN}$	Input Capacitance	open	open			6			pF	
$C_O$	Output Capacitance	1.8-2.5	2.5-3.3			9			pF	
$C_{PD}$	Power Dissipation Capacitance	2.5 1.8 1.4 1.4 3.3	3.3 3.3 2.5 1.8 1.8	f=10MHz		50 28 22 15 28			pF	

1)  $C_{PD}$  is defined as the value of the IC's internal equivalent capacitance which is calculated from the operating current consumption without load. (Refer to Test Circuit). Average current can be obtained by the following equation.  $I_{CC(\text{opr})} = C_{PD} \times V_{CC} \times f_{IN} + I_{CC}/4$  (per circuit)

**Figure 4: Test Circuit**



TEST	SWITCH
$t_{PLH}, t_{PHL}$	Open

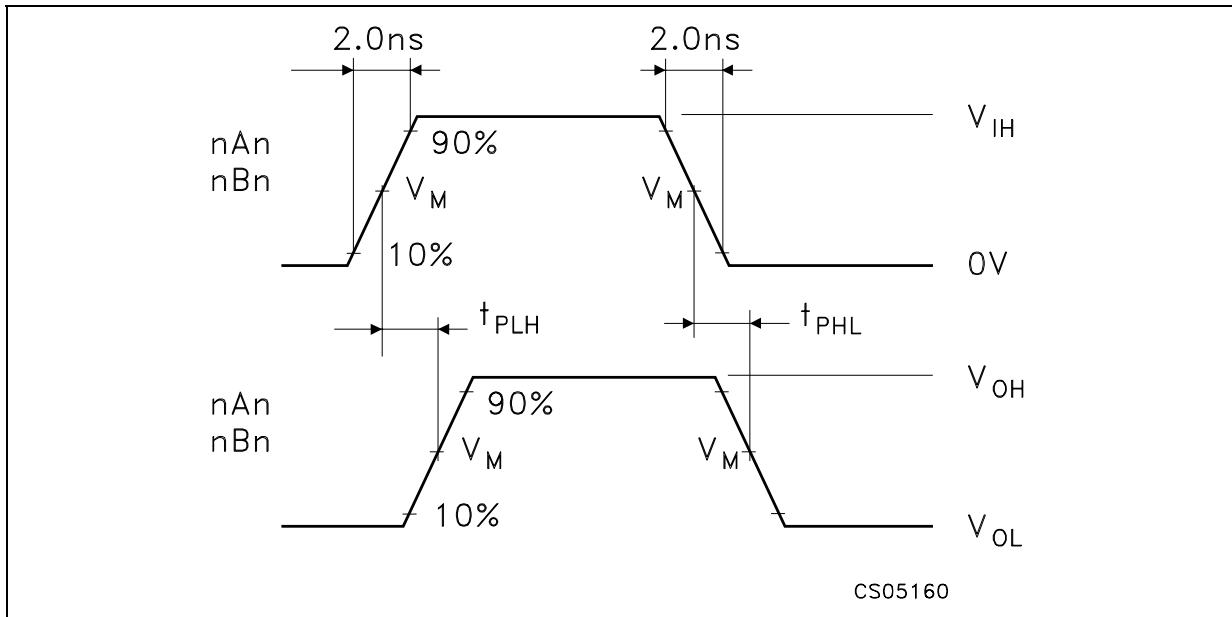
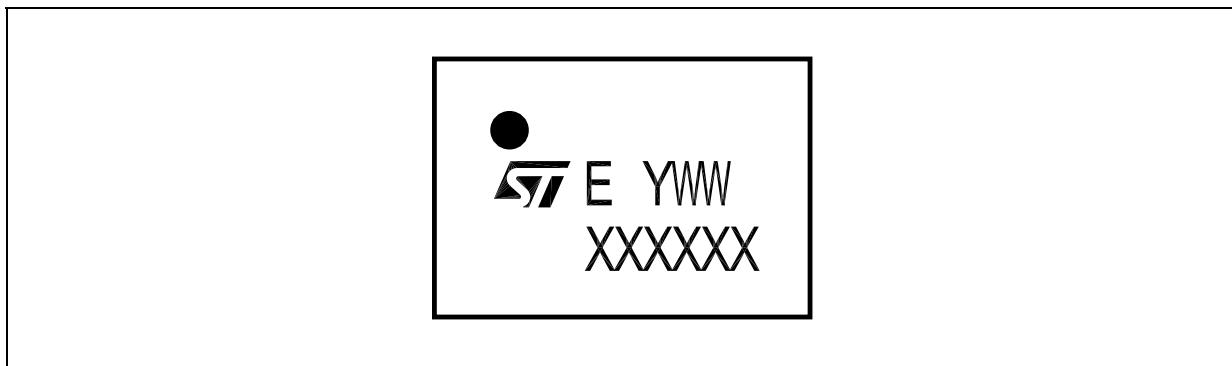
$C_L = 10/30\text{pF}$  or equivalent (includes jig and probe capacitance)

$R_L = R_1 = 500\Omega$  or equivalent

$R_T = Z_{OUT}$  of pulse generator (typically  $50\Omega$ )

**Table 11: Waveform Symbol Value**

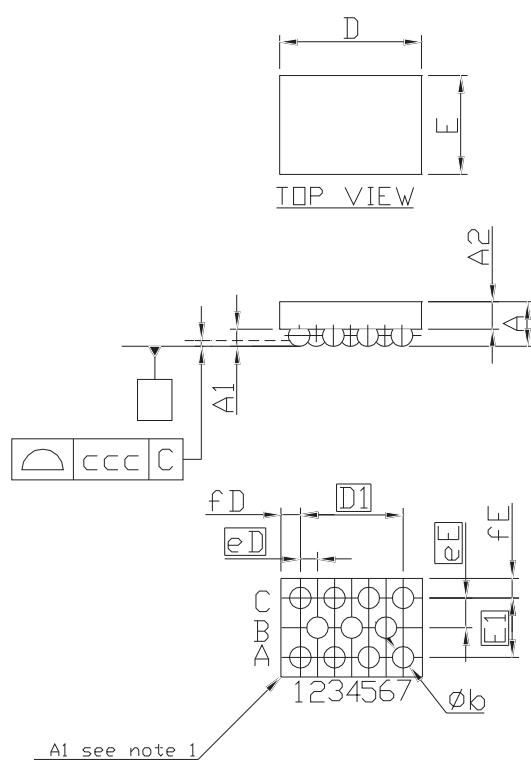
Symbol	$V_{CC}$		
	3.0 to 3.6V	2.3 to 2.7V	1.65 to 1.95V
$V_{IH}$	$V_{CC}$	$V_{CC}$	$V_{CC}$
$V_M$	1.5V	$V_{CC}/2$	$V_{CC}/2$
$V_X$	$V_{OL} + 0.3V$	$V_{OL} + 0.15V$	$V_{OL} + 0.15V$
$V_Y$	$V_{OL} - 0.3V$	$V_{OL} - 0.15V$	$V_{OL} - 0.15V$

**Figure 5: Waveform - Propagation Delay (f=1MHz; 50% duty cycle)****Figure 6: Marking**

NOTE: E = Eco Level; Y = Assy Year; WW = Assy Week; X = Marking Area; Marking Code 9521

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DIM.	mm.			mils		
	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.

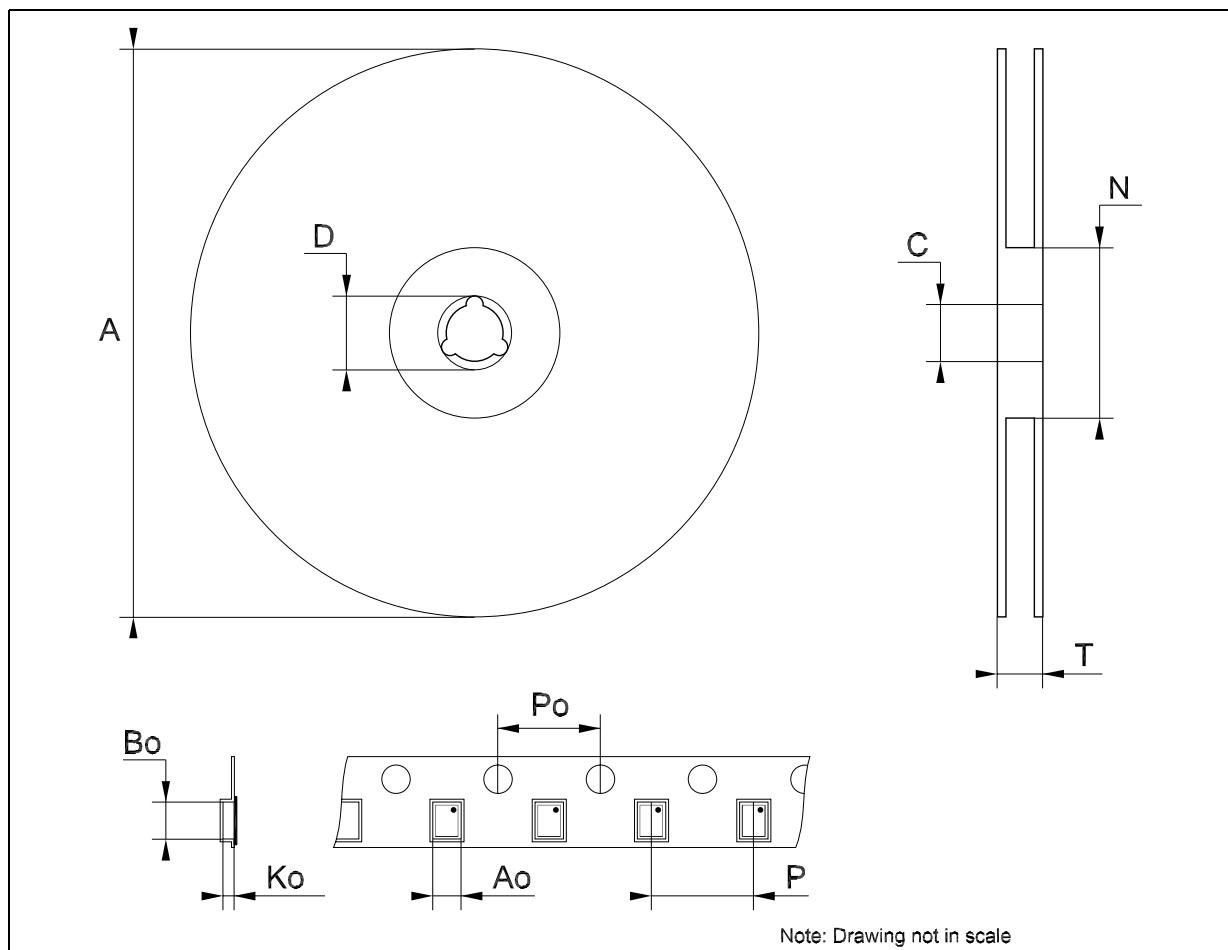
A	0.585	0.65	0.715	23.0	25.6	28.1
A1	0.21	0.25	0.29	8.3	9.8	11.4
A2		0.40			15.7	
b	0.265	0.315	0.365	10.4	12.4	14.4
D	1.99	2.04	2.09	78.3	80.3	82.3
D1		1.5			59.1	
E	1.36	1.41	1.46	53.5	55.5	57.5
E1		0.866			34.1	
eD	0.2	0.25	0.30	7.9	9.8	11.8
eE	0.383	0.433	0.483	15.1	17.0	19.0
fD		0.270			10.6	
fE		0.272			10.7	
ccc		0.080			3.1	



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**Tape & Reel Flip-Chip 11 MECHANICAL DATA**

DIM.	mm.			inch		
	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
A			178			6.926
C	12.8		13.2	0.504		0.519
D	20.2			0.795		
N	49	50	51	1.929	1.969	2.008
T			12.4			0.488
Ao	2.29	2.34	2.39	0.090	0.092	0.094
Bo	1.65	1.70	1.75	0.065	0.067	0.069
Ko	0.76	0.81	0.86	0.030	0.032	0.034
Po	3.9	4	4.1	0.153	0.157	0.161
P	3.9	4	4.1	0.153	0.157	0.161



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**Table 12: Revision History**

Date	Revision	Description of Changes
14-Oct-2004	1	First Release.
26-Oct-2004	2	Mechanical Data has been updated.
11-Feb-2005	3	Add Tape & Reel and Figure 6.
18-Feb-2005	4	Table 1 has been updated from 4000 to 5000 parts per Reel.
30-Mar-2005	5	Add Features ==> Max Data Rates.
09-May-2005	6	Table 9 and Table 10 have been updated.

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