MONOLITHIC 5-TAP FIXED DELAY LINE
(SERIES 3D7225)

FEATURES

- All-silicon, low-power CMOS technology
- TTL/CMOS compatible inputs and outputs
- Vapor phase, IR and wave solderable
- Auto-insertable (DIP pkg.)
- Low ground bounce noise
- Leading- and trailing-edge accuracy
- Delay range: 0.75ns through 3500ns
- Delay tolerance: ±1% typical
- Temperature stability: ±2% typical (-40°C to 85°C)
- Vdd stability: ±1% typical (4.75V-5.25V)
- Minimum input pulse width: 30% of total delay
- 8-pin Gull-Wing available as drop-in replacement for hybrid delay lines

PACKAGES

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- TTL fixed delay lines
- It is offered in a standard 8-pin auto-insertable DIP and space saving surface mount packages

FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

The 3D7225 5-Tap Delay Line product family consists of fixed-delay CMOS integrated circuits. Each package contains a single delay line, tapped and buffered at 5 points spaced uniformly in time. Tap-to-tap (incremental) delay values can range from 0.75ns through 700ns. The input is reproduced at the outputs without inversion, shifted in time as per the user-specified dash number. The 3D7225 is TTL- and CMOS-compatible, capable of driving ten 74LS-type loads, and features both rising- and falling-edge accuracy.

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TABLE 1: PART NUMBER SPECIFICATIONS

<table>
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<tr>
<th>DASH NUMBER</th>
<th>TOTAL DELAY (ns) TOLERANCES</th>
<th>TAP-TAP DELAY (ns) TOLERANCES</th>
<th>INPUT RESTRICTIONS</th>
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<tr>
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<td>Rec'd Max Frequency</td>
<td>Absolute Max Frequency</td>
<td>Absolute Min Pulse Width</td>
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<td></td>
<td>166.7 MHz</td>
<td>375.0 ns</td>
<td>150 ns</td>
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<td>16.0 ns</td>
<td>30.0 ns</td>
<td>6.00 ns</td>
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<td>10.0 ns</td>
<td>37.5 ns</td>
<td>7.50 ns</td>
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<td>1.00 ns</td>
<td>300 ns</td>
<td>60.0 ns</td>
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* Total delay referenced to Tap1 output; Input-to-Tap1 = 5.0ns ± 1.0ns

NOTE: Any dash number between .75 and 700 not shown is also available as standard.

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OPERATIONAL DESCRIPTION

The 3D7225 five-tap delay line architecture is shown in Figure 1. The delay line is composed of a number of delay cells connected in series. Each delay cell produces at its output a replica of the signal present at its input, shifted in time. The delay cells are matched and share the same compensation signals, which minimizes tap-to-tap delay deviations over temperature and supply voltage variations.

INPUT SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS

The Frequency and/or Pulse Width (high or low) of operation may adversely impact the specified delay accuracy of the particular device. The reasons for the dependency of the output delay accuracy on the input signal characteristics are varied and complex. Therefore a Maximum and an Absolute Maximum operating input frequency and a Minimum and an Absolute Minimum operating pulse width have been specified.

OPERATING FREQUENCY

The Absolute Maximum Operating Frequency specification, tabulated in Table 1, determines the highest frequency of the delay line input signal that can be reproduced, shifted in time at the device output, with acceptable duty cycle distortion.

The Maximum Operating Frequency specification determines the highest frequency of the delay line input signal for which the output delay accuracy is guaranteed.

To guarantee the Table 1 delay accuracy for input frequencies higher than the Maximum Operating Frequency, the 3D7225 must be tested at the user operating frequency. Therefore, to facilitate production and device identification, the part number will include a custom reference designator identifying the intended frequency of operation. The programmed delay accuracy of the device is guaranteed, therefore, only at the user specified input frequency. Small input frequency variation about the selected frequency will only marginally impact the programmed delay accuracy, if at all. Nevertheless, it is strongly recommended that the engineering staff at DATA DELAY DEVICES be consulted.

OPERATING PULSE WIDTH

The Absolute Minimum Operating Pulse Width (high or low) specification, tabulated in Table 1, determines the smallest Pulse Width of the delay line input signal that can be reproduced, shifted in time at the device output, with acceptable pulse width distortion.

The Minimum Operating Pulse Width (high or low) specification determines the smallest Pulse Width of the delay line input signal for which the output delay accuracy tabulated in Table 1 is guaranteed.

To guarantee the Table 1 delay accuracy for input pulse width smaller than the Minimum Operating Pulse Width, the 3D7225 must be tested at the user operating pulse width. Therefore, to facilitate production and device identification, the part number will include a...
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**POWER SUPPLY AND TEMPERATURE CONSIDERATIONS**

The delay of CMOS integrated circuits is strongly dependent on power supply and temperature. The monolithic 3D7225 programmable delay line utilizes novel and innovative compensation circuitry to minimize the delay variations induced by fluctuations in power supply and/or temperature.

The thermal coefficient is reduced to 250 PPM/C, which is equivalent to a variation, over the -40C to 85C operating range, of ±2% from the room-temperature delay settings and/or 1.0ns, whichever is greater. The power supply coefficient is reduced, over the 4.75V-5.25V operating range, to ±1% of the delay settings at the nominal 5.0VDC power supply and/or 1.0ns, whichever is greater. **It is essential that the power supply pin be adequately bypassed and filtered. In addition, the power bus should be of as low an impedance construction as possible. Power planes are preferred.**

**DEVICE SPECIFICATIONS**

### TABLE 2: ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

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<tr>
<th>PARAMETER</th>
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<td>DC Supply Voltage</td>
<td>VDD</td>
<td>-0.3</td>
<td>7.0</td>
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<td>Input Pin Voltage</td>
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<td>-0.3</td>
<td>VDD+0.3</td>
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<td>-1.0</td>
<td>1.0</td>
<td>mA</td>
<td>25C</td>
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<td>TSTRG</td>
<td>-55</td>
<td>150</td>
<td>C</td>
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<td>Lead Temperature</td>
<td>TLEAD</td>
<td>300</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>10 sec</td>
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### TABLE 3: DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

(-40C to 85C, 4.75V to 5.25V)

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<td>2.0</td>
<td></td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>0.8</td>
<td>V</td>
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<td>1.0</td>
<td>µA</td>
<td>VIL = 0V</td>
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<tr>
<td>Low Level Input Current</td>
<td>IOH</td>
<td>-35.0</td>
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<td>mA</td>
<td>VDD = 4.75V</td>
<td>VDH = 2.4V</td>
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<td>4.0</td>
<td>15.0</td>
<td>mA</td>
<td>VDD = 4.75V</td>
<td>VDL = 0.4V</td>
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<tr>
<td>Output Rise &amp; Fall Time</td>
<td>TR &amp; TF</td>
<td>2.0</td>
<td>2.5</td>
<td>ns</td>
<td>CLD = 5 pf</td>
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*IDD(Dynamic) = 5 * CLD * VDD * F
where: CLD = Average capacitance load/tap (pf)
F = Input frequency (GHz)

Input Capacitance = 10 pf typical
Output Load Capacitance (CLD) = 25 pf max
SILICON DELAY LINE AUTOMATED TESTING

TEST CONDITIONS

INPUT:
- Ambient Temperature: 25°C ± 3°C
- Supply Voltage (Vcc): 5.0V ± 0.1V
- Input Pulse: High = 3.0V ± 0.1V, Low = 0.0V ± 0.1V
- Source Impedance: 50Ω Max.
- Rise/Fall Time: 3.0 ns Max. (measured between 0.6V and 2.4V)
- Pulse Width: PW_{IN} = 1.25 x Total Delay
- Period: PER_{IN} = 2.5 x Total Delay

OUTPUT:
- R_{load}: 10KΩ ± 10%
- C_{load}: 5pf ± 10%
- Threshold: 1.5V (Rising & Falling)

NOTE: The above conditions are for test only and do not in any way restrict the operation of the device.

Figure 2: Test Setup

Figure 3: Timing Diagram