

FOUR AND FIVE-CHANNEL DIGITAL ISOLATORS

Features

- High-speed operation
 - DC to 150 Mbps
- No start-up initialization required
- Wide Operating Supply Voltage: 2.70–5.5 V
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- Ultra low power (typical)
 - 5 V Operation:
 - < 1.6 mA per channel at 1 Mbps
 - < 6 mA per channel at 100 Mbps
 - 2.70 V Operation:
 - < 1.4 mA per channel at 1 Mbps
 - < 4 mA per channel at 100 Mbps
- High electromagnetic immunity
- Up to 2500 V_{RMS} isolation
- 60-year life at rated working voltage
- Precise timing (typical)
 - <10 ns worst case
 - 1.5 ns pulse width distortion
 - 0.5 ns channel-channel skew
 - 2 ns propagation delay skew
 - 6 ns minimum pulse width
- Transient Immunity 25 kV/μs
- Wide temperature range
 - –40 to 125 °C at 150 Mbps
- RoHS-compliant packages
 - QSOP-16

Applications

- Industrial automation systems
- Hybrid electric vehicles
- Isolated switch mode supplies
- Isolated ADC, DAC
- Motor control
- Power inverters
- Communications systems

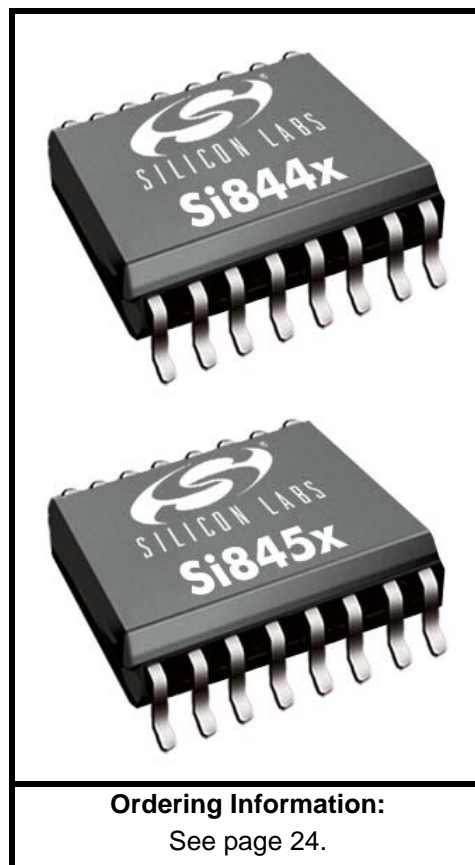
Safety Regulatory Approvals

- CSA component notice 5A approval
- VDE certification conformity
 - IEC 60747-5-2 (VDE0884 Part 2)

Description

Silicon Lab's family of ultra-low-power digital isolators are CMOS devices offering substantial data rate, propagation delay, power, size, reliability, and external BOM advantages when compared to legacy isolation technologies. The operating parameters of these products remain stable across wide temperature ranges throughout their service life. For ease of design, only VDD bypass capacitors are required.

Data rates up to 150 Mbps are supported, and all devices achieve worst-case propagation delays of less than 10 ns. All products are safety certified by UL, CSA, and VDE and support withstand voltages of up to 2.5 kVrms. These devices are available in a 16-pin QSOP package.



Ordering Information:
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1. Electrical Specifications

Table 1. Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------|-----|-----|------|
| Ambient Operating Temperature* | T_A | 150 Mbps, 15 pF, 5 V | -40 | 25 | 125 | °C |
| Supply Voltage | V_{DD1} | | 2.70 | — | 5.5 | V |
| | V_{DD2} | | 2.70 | — | 5.5 | V |

***Note:** The maximum ambient temperature is dependent on data frequency, output loading, number of operating channels, and supply voltage.

Table 2. Absolute Maximum Ratings¹

| Parameter | Symbol | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--|--------------------|------|-----|----------------|-----------|
| Storage Temperature ² | T_{STG} | -65 | — | 150 | °C |
| Ambient Temperature Under Bias | T_A | -40 | — | 125 | °C |
| Supply Voltage | V_{DD1}, V_{DD2} | -0.5 | — | 6.0 | V |
| Input Voltage | V_I | -0.5 | — | $V_{DD} + 0.5$ | V |
| Output Voltage | V_O | -0.5 | — | $V_{DD} + 0.5$ | V |
| Output Current Drive Channel | I_O | — | — | 10 | mA |
| Lead Solder Temperature (10 s) | | — | — | 260 | °C |
| Maximum Isolation (Input to Output) (1 sec) QSOP-16 | | — | — | 3600 | V_{RMS} |

Notes:

1. Permanent device damage may occur if the absolute maximum ratings are exceeded. Functional operation should be restricted to conditions as specified in the operational sections of this data sheet.
2. VDE certifies storage temperature from -40 to 150 °C.

Table 3. Electrical Characteristics $(V_{DD1} = 5 V \pm 10\%, V_{DD2} = 5 V \pm 10\%, T_A = -40 \text{ to } 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C})$

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|----------|---------------|
| High Level Input Voltage | V_{IH} | | 2.0 | — | — | V |
| Low Level Input Voltage | V_{IL} | | — | — | 0.8 | V |
| High Level Output Voltage | V_{OH} | $I_{OH} = -4 \text{ mA}$ | $V_{DD1}, V_{DD2} - 0.4$ | 4.8 | — | V |
| Low Level Output Voltage | V_{OL} | $I_{OL} = 4 \text{ mA}$ | — | 0.2 | 0.4 | V |
| Input Leakage Current | I_L | | — | — | ± 10 | μA |
| Output Impedance ¹ | Z_O | | — | 85 | — | Ω |
| Enable Input High Current | I_{ENH} | $V_{ENx} = V_{IH}$ | — | 2.0 | — | μA |
| Enable Input Low Current | I_{ENL} | $V_{ENx} = V_{IL}$ | — | 2.0 | — | μA |
| DC Supply Current (All inputs 0 V or at Supply) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 1.6 | 2.4 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 2.9 | 4.4 | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 7.0 | 10.5 | |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 3.1 | 4.7 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 2.3 | 3.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 2.3 | 3.5 | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 4.5 | 6.8 | |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 4.5 | 6.8 | |
| 1 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 500 kHz square wave, $C_I = 15 \text{ pF}$ on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 3.5 | 5.3 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 3.6 | 5.4 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 3.6 | 5.4 | |
| 10 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 5 MHz square wave, $C_I = 15 \text{ pF}$ on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 4.8 | 6.7 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.2 | 5.9 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 4.2 | 5.9 | |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| 1. The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately 85Ω , $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces. | | | | | | |
| 2. $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature. | | | | | | |
| 3. Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output. | | | | | | |

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Table 3. Electrical Characteristics (Continued)

($V_{DD1} = 5 V \pm 10\%$, $V_{DD2} = 5 V \pm 10\%$, $T_A = -40$ to 125 °C)

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----|------|------|-------------|
| 100 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 50 MHz square wave, CI = 15 pF on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.6 | 6.9 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 24 | 30 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 11.8 | 14.8 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 11.8 | 14.8 | |
| Timing Characteristics | | | | | | |
| Si845xAx, Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| Maximum Data Rate | | | 0 | — | 1.0 | Mbps |
| Minimum Pulse Width | | | — | — | 250 | ns |
| Propagation Delay | t_{PHL} , t_{PLH} | See Figure 2 | — | — | 35 | ns |
| Pulse Width Distortion $ t_{PLH} - t_{PHL} $ | PWD | See Figure 2 | — | — | 25 | ns |
| Propagation Delay Skew ² | $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ | | — | — | 40 | ns |
| Channel-Channel Skew | t_{PSK} | | — | — | 35 | ns |
| Si845xBx, Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| Maximum Data Rate | | | 0 | — | 150 | Mbps |
| Minimum Pulse Width | | | — | — | 6.0 | ns |
| Propagation Delay | t_{PHL} , t_{PLH} | See Figure 2 | 3.0 | 6.0 | 9.5 | ns |
| Pulse Width Distortion $ t_{PLH} - t_{PHL} $ | PWD | See Figure 2 | — | 1.5 | 2.5 | ns |
| Propagation Delay Skew ² | $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ | | — | 2.0 | 3.0 | ns |
| Channel-Channel Skew | t_{PSK} | | — | 0.5 | 1.8 | ns |
| All Models | | | | | | |
| Output Rise Time | t_r | $C_L = 15$ pF See Figure 2 | — | 3.8 | 5.0 | ns |
| Output Fall Time | t_f | $C_L = 15$ pF See Figure 2 | — | 2.8 | 3.7 | ns |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity | CMTI | $V_I = V_{DD}$ or 0 V | — | 25 | — | kV/ μ s |
| Enable to Data Valid | t_{en1} | See Figure 1 | — | 5.0 | 8.0 | ns |
| Enable to Data Tri-State | t_{en2} | See Figure 1 | — | 7.0 | 9.2 | ns |
| Start-up Time ³ | t_{SU} | | — | 15 | 40 | μ s |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately 85Ω, $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces. $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature. Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output. | | | | | | |

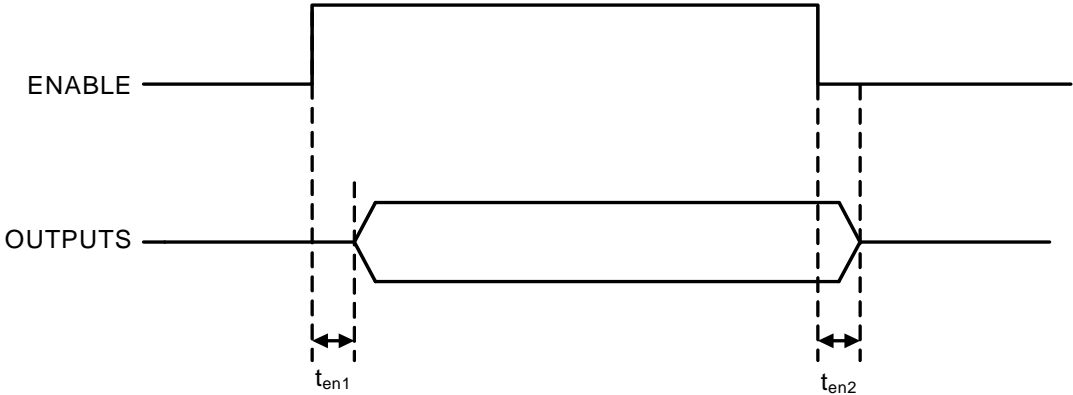


Figure 1. ENABLE Timing Diagram

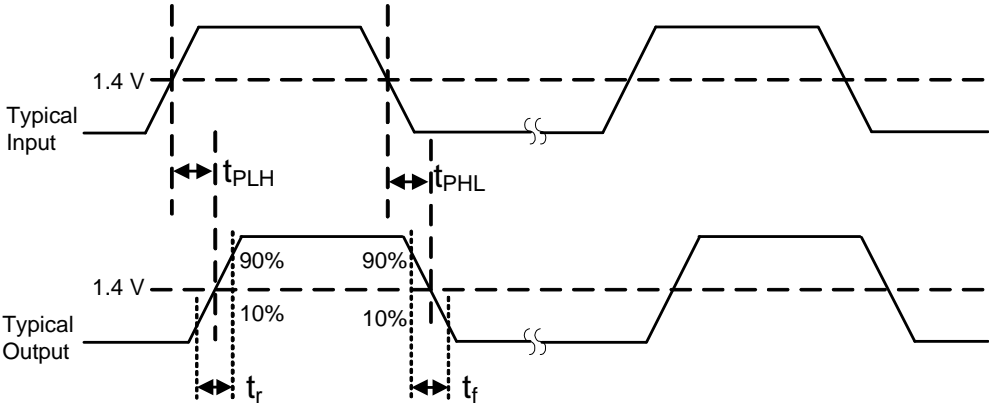


Figure 2. Propagation Delay Timing

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Table 4. Electrical Characteristics

($V_{DD1} = 3.3\text{ V} \pm 10\%$, $V_{DD2} = 3.3\text{ V} \pm 10\%$, $T_A = -40\text{ to }125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; applies to narrow and wide-body SOIC packages)

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--|-----------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----|----------|---------------|
| High Level Input Voltage | V_{IH} | | 2.0 | — | — | V |
| Low Level Input Voltage | V_{IL} | | — | — | 0.8 | V |
| High Level Output Voltage | V_{OH} | $I_{OH} = -4\text{ mA}$ | $V_{DD1}, V_{DD2} - 0.4$ | 3.1 | — | V |
| Low Level Output Voltage | V_{OL} | $I_{OL} = 4\text{ mA}$ | — | 0.2 | 0.4 | V |
| Input Leakage Current | I_L | | — | — | ± 10 | μA |
| Output Impedance ¹ | Z_O | | — | 85 | — | Ω |
| Enable Input High Current | I_{ENH} | $V_{ENx} = V_{IH}$ | — | 2.0 | — | μA |
| Enable Input Low Current | I_{ENL} | $V_{ENx} = V_{IL}$ | — | 2.0 | — | μA |
| DC Supply Current (All inputs 0 V or at supply) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 0 dc | — | 1.6 | 2.4 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 0 dc | — | 2.9 | 4.4 | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 1 dc | — | 7.0 | 10.5 | |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 1 dc | — | 3.1 | 4.7 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 0 dc | — | 2.3 | 3.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 0 dc | — | 2.3 | 3.5 | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 1 dc | — | 4.5 | 6.8 | |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 1 dc | — | 4.5 | 6.8 | |
| 1 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 500 kHz square wave, CI = 15 pF on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 3.5 | 5.3 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 3.6 | 5.4 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 3.6 | 5.4 | |
| 10 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 5 MHz square wave, CI = 15 pF on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 4.8 | 6.7 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.2 | 5.9 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 4.2 | 5.9 | |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately $85\ \Omega$, $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces. $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature. Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output. | | | | | | |

Table 4. Electrical Characteristics (Continued) $(V_{DD1} = 3.3 V \pm 10\%$, $V_{DD2} = 3.3 V \pm 10\%$, $T_A = -40$ to 125 °C; applies to narrow and wide-body SOIC packages)

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------------|-----|------|------|-------------|
| 100 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 50 MHz square wave, CI = 15 pF on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.4 | 6.6 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 16.8 | 21 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 8.6 | 10.8 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 8.6 | 10.8 | |
| Timing Characteristics | | | | | | |
| Si845xBx, Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| Maximum Data Rate | | | 0 | — | 1.0 | Mbps |
| Minimum Pulse Width | | | — | — | 250 | ns |
| Propagation Delay | t_{PHL}, t_{PLH} | See Figure 2 | — | — | 35 | ns |
| Pulse Width Distortion $ t_{PLH} - t_{PHL} $ | PWD | See Figure 2 | — | — | 25 | ns |
| Propagation Delay Skew ² | $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ | | — | — | 40 | ns |
| Channel-Channel Skew | t_{PSK} | | — | — | 35 | ns |
| Si845xBx, Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| Maximum Data Rate | | | 0 | — | 150 | Mbps |
| Minimum Pulse Width | | | — | — | 6.0 | ns |
| Propagation Delay | t_{PHL}, t_{PLH} | See Figure 2 | 3.0 | 6.0 | 9.5 | ns |
| Pulse Width Distortion $ t_{PLH} - t_{PHL} $ | PWD | See Figure 2 | — | 1.5 | 2.5 | ns |
| Propagation Delay Skew ² | $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ | | — | 2.0 | 3.0 | ns |
| Channel-Channel Skew | t_{PSK} | | — | 0.5 | 1.8 | ns |
| All Models | | | | | | |
| Output Rise Time | t_r | $C_L = 15$ pF See Figure 2 | — | 4.3 | 6.1 | ns |
| Output Fall Time | t_f | $C_L = 15$ pF See Figure 2 | — | 3.0 | 4.3 | ns |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Output | CMTI | $V_I = V_{DD}$ or 0 V | — | 25 | — | kV/ μ s |
| Enable to Data Valid | t_{en1} | See Figure 1 | — | 5.0 | 8.0 | ns |
| Enable to Data Tri-State | t_{en2} | See Figure 1 | — | 7.0 | 9.2 | ns |
| Start-up Time ³ | t_{SU} | | — | 15 | 40 | μ s |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| 1. The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately 85Ω , $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces. | | | | | | |
| 2. $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature. | | | | | | |
| 3. Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output. | | | | | | |

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Table 5. Electrical Characteristics¹

($V_{DD1} = 2.70\text{ V}$, $V_{DD2} = 2.70\text{ V}$, $T_A = -40\text{ to }125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; applies to narrow and wide-body SOIC packages)

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--|-----------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----|----------|---------------|
| High Level Input Voltage | V_{IH} | | 2.0 | — | — | V |
| Low Level Input Voltage | V_{IL} | | — | — | 0.8 | V |
| High Level Output Voltage | V_{OH} | $I_{oh} = -4\text{ mA}$ | $V_{DD1}, V_{DD2} - 0.4$ | 2.3 | — | V |
| Low Level Output Voltage | V_{OL} | $I_{ol} = 4\text{ mA}$ | — | 0.2 | 0.4 | V |
| Input Leakage Current | I_L | | — | — | ± 10 | μA |
| Output Impedance ² | Z_O | | — | 85 | — | Ω |
| Enable Input High Current | I_{ENH} | $V_{ENx} = V_{IH}$ | — | 2.0 | — | μA |
| Enable Input Low Current | I_{ENL} | $V_{ENx} = V_{IL}$ | — | 2.0 | — | μA |
| DC Supply Current (All inputs 0 V or at supply) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 1.6 | 2.4 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 2.9 | 4.4 | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 7.0 | 10.5 | |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 3.1 | 4.7 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 2.3 | 3.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 0 DC | — | 2.3 | 3.5 | |
| V_{DD1} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 4.5 | 6.8 | |
| V_{DD2} | | All inputs 1 DC | — | 4.5 | 6.8 | |
| 1 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 500 kHz square wave, $C_I = 15\text{ pF}$ on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 3.5 | 5.3 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 3.6 | 5.4 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 3.6 | 5.4 | |
| 10 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 5 MHz square wave, $C_I = 15\text{ pF}$ on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 4.8 | 6.7 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V_{DD1} | | | — | 4.2 | 5.9 | mA |
| V_{DD2} | | | — | 4.2 | 5.9 | |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| 1. Specifications in this table are also valid at $V_{DD1} = 2.6\text{ V}$ and $V_{DD2} = 2.6\text{ V}$ when the operating temperature range is constrained to $T_A = 0\text{ to }85\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$. | | | | | | |
| 2. The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately $85\ \Omega$, $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces. | | | | | | |
| 3. $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature. | | | | | | |
| 4. Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output. | | | | | | |

Table 5. Electrical Characteristics¹ (Continued)(V_{DD1} = 2.70 V, V_{DD2} = 2.70 V, T_A = -40 to 125 °C; applies to narrow and wide-body SOIC packages)

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------|-----|------|------|------|
| 100 Mbps Supply Current (All inputs = 50 MHz square wave, CI = 15 pF on all outputs) | | | | | | |
| Si8455Bx | | | | | | |
| V _{DD1} | | | — | 4.3 | 6.5 | mA |
| V _{DD2} | | | — | 13.3 | 16.6 | |
| Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| V _{DD1} | | | — | 7.2 | 9.0 | mA |
| V _{DD2} | | | — | 7.2 | 9.0 | |
| Timing Characteristics | | | | | | |
| Si845xBx, Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| Maximum Data Rate | | | 0 | — | 1.0 | Mbps |
| Minimum Pulse Width | | | — | — | 250 | ns |
| Propagation Delay | t _{PHL} , t _{PLH} | See Figure 2 | — | — | 35 | ns |
| Pulse Width Distortion t _{PLH} - t _{PHL} | PWD | See Figure 2 | — | — | 25 | ns |
| Propagation Delay Skew ³ | t _{PSK(P-P)} | | — | — | 40 | ns |
| Channel-Channel Skew | t _{PSK} | | — | — | 35 | ns |
| Si845xBx, Si8442Bx | | | | | | |
| Maximum Data Rate | | | 0 | — | 150 | Mbps |
| Minimum Pulse Width | | | — | — | 6.0 | ns |
| Propagation Delay | t _{PHL} , t _{PLH} | See Figure 2 | 3.0 | 6.0 | 9.5 | ns |
| Pulse Width Distortion t _{PLH} - t _{PHL} | PWD | See Figure 2 | — | 1.5 | 2.5 | ns |
| Propagation Delay Skew ³ | t _{PSK(P-P)} | | — | 2.0 | 3.0 | ns |
| Channel-Channel Skew | t _{PSK} | | — | 0.5 | 1.8 | ns |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| 1. Specifications in this table are also valid at V _{DD1} = 2.6 V and V _{DD2} = 2.6 V when the operating temperature range is constrained to T _A = 0 to 85 °C. | | | | | | |
| 2. The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately 85 Ω, ±40%, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces. | | | | | | |
| 3. t _{PSK(P-P)} is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature. | | | | | | |
| 4. Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output. | | | | | | |

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Table 5. Electrical Characteristics¹ (Continued)

($V_{DD1} = 2.70\text{ V}$, $V_{DD2} = 2.70\text{ V}$, $T_A = -40$ to $125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; applies to narrow and wide-body SOIC packages)

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|
| All Models | | | | | | |
| Output Rise Time | t_r | $C_L = 15\text{ pF}$ See Figure 2 | — | 4.8 | 6.5 | ns |
| Output Fall Time | t_f | $C_L = 15\text{ pF}$ See Figure 2 | — | 3.2 | 4.6 | ns |
| Common Mode Transient Immunity at Logic Low Output | CMTI | $V_I = V_{DD}$ or 0 V | — | 25 | — | kV/ μs |
| Enable to Data Valid | t_{en1} | See Figure 1 | — | 5.0 | 8.0 | ns |
| Enable to Data Tri-State | t_{en2} | See Figure 1 | — | 7.0 | 9.2 | ns |
| Start-up Time ⁴ | t_{SU} | | — | 15 | 40 | μs |

Notes:

- Specifications in this table are also valid at $V_{DD1} = 2.6\text{ V}$ and $V_{DD2} = 2.6\text{ V}$ when the operating temperature range is constrained to $T_A = 0$ to $85\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$.
- The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately $85\ \Omega$, $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces.
- $t_{PSK(P-P)}$ is the magnitude of the difference in propagation delay times measured between different units operating at the same supply voltages, load, and ambient temperature.
- Start-up time is the time period from the application of power to valid data at the output.

Table 6. Regulatory Information*

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| CSA |
| The Si84xx is certified under CSA Component Acceptance Notice 5A. For more details, see File 232873. |
| VDE |
| The Si84xx is certified according to IEC 60747-5-2. For more details, see File 5006301-4880-0001. |
| 60747-5-2: Up to $560\text{ V}_{\text{peak}}$ for basic insulation working voltage. |
| *Note: Regulatory Certifications apply to $2.5\text{ kV}_{\text{RMS}}$ rated devices which are production tested to $3.0\text{ kV}_{\text{RMS}}$ for 1 sec. For more information, see "4. Ordering Guide" on page 24. |

Table 7. Insulation and Safety-Related Specifications

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Value | Unit |
|--|-----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|
| | | | QSOP-16 | |
| Nominal Air Gap (Clearance) | L(IO1) | | 3.6 | mm |
| Nominal External Tracking (Creepage) | L(IO2) | | 3.6 | mm |
| Minimum Internal Gap (Internal Clearance) | | | 0.008 | mm |
| Tracking Resistance (Proof Tracking Index) | PTI | IEC 60112 | 600 | V _{RMS} |
| Erosion Depth | ED | | 0.031 | mm |
| Resistance (Input-Output) ¹ | R _{IO} | | 10 ¹² | Ω |
| Capacitance (Input-Output) ¹ | C _{IO} | f = 1 MHz | 2.0 | pF |
| Input Capacitance ² | C _I | | 4.0 | pF |
| Notes: | | | | |
| 1. To determine resistance and capacitance, the Si84xx is converted into a 2-terminal device. Pins 1–8 are shorted together to form the first terminal and pins 9–16 are shorted together to form the second terminal. The parameters are then measured between these two terminals. | | | | |
| 2. Measured from input pin to ground. | | | | |

Table 8. IEC 60664-1 (VDE 0844 Part 2) Ratings

| Parameter | Test Conditions | Specification |
|-----------------------------|---|---------------|
| Basic Isolation Group | Material Group | I |
| Installation Classification | Rated Mains Voltages ≤ 150 V _{RMS} | I-IV |
| | Rated Mains Voltages ≤ 300 V _{RMS} | I-III |
| | Rated Mains Voltages ≤ 400 V _{RMS} | I-II |
| | Rated Mains Voltages ≤ 600 V _{RMS} | I-II |

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Table 9. IEC 60747-5-2 Insulation Characteristics for Si84xxxB*

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Characteristic | Unit |
|---|------------|--|----------------|----------|
| Maximum Working Insulation Voltage | V_{IORM} | | 560 | V peak |
| Input to Output Test Voltage | V_{PR} | Method b1 ($V_{IORM} \times 1.875 = V_{PR}$, 100% Production Test, $t_m = 1$ sec, Partial Discharge < 5 pC) | 1050 | V peak |
| Transient Overvoltage | V_{IOTM} | $t = 60$ sec | 4000 | V peak |
| Pollution Degree (DIN VDE 0110, Table 1) | | | 2 | |
| Insulation Resistance at T_S , $V_{IO} = 500$ V | R_S | | $>10^9$ | Ω |

***Note:** Maintenance of the safety data is ensured by protective circuits. The Si84xx provides a climate classification of 40/125/21.

Table 10. IEC Safety Limiting Values¹

| Parameter | Symbol | Test Condition | Min | Typ | Max | | Unit |
|---|--------|---|-----|-----|-------------------|-------------------|------|
| | | | | | Si844x QSOP-16 | Si845x QSOP-16 | |
| Case Temperature | T_S | | — | — | 150 | 150 | °C |
| Safety input, output, or supply current | I_S | $\theta_{JA} = 105$ °C/W (QSOP-16), $V_I = 5.5$ V, $T_J = 150$ °C, $T_A = 25$ °C | — | — | 210 | 215 | mA |
| Device Power Dissipation ² | P_D | | — | — | 275 | 415 | mW |

Notes:

1. Maximum value allowed in the event of a failure; also see the thermal derating curve in Figures 3 and 4.
2. The Si84xx is tested with $VDD1 = VDD2 = 5.5$ V, $T_J = 150$ °C, $CL = 15$ pF, input a 150 Mbps 50% duty cycle square wave.

Table 11. Thermal Characteristics

| Parameter | Symbol | Si84xx QSOP-16 | Unit |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| IC Junction-to-Air Thermal Resistance | θ_{JA} | 105 | $^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$ |

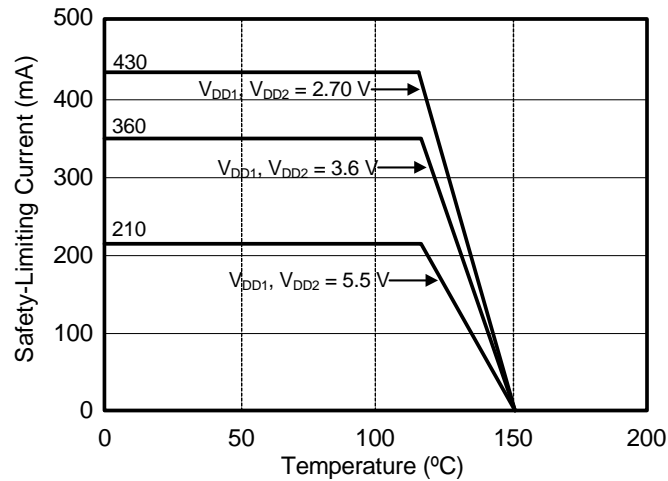


Figure 3. (Si844x, QSOP-16) Thermal Derating Curve, Dependence of Safety Limiting Values with Case Temperature per DIN EN 60747-5-2

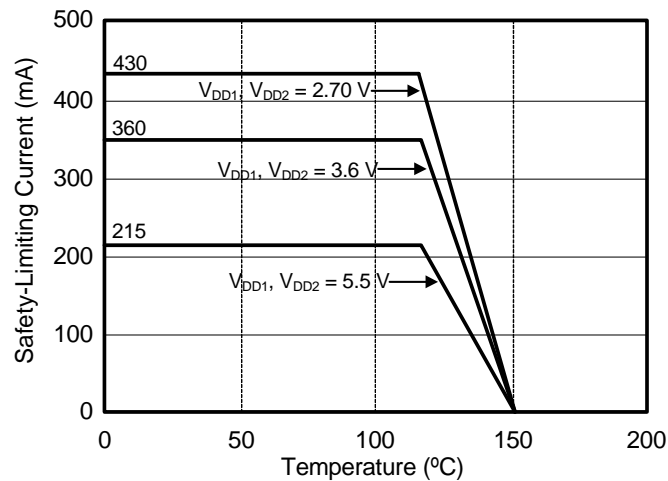


Figure 4. (Si845x, QSOP-16) Thermal Derating Curve, Dependence of Safety Limiting Values with Case Temperature per DIN EN 60747-5-2

2. Functional Description

2.1. Theory of Operation

The operation of an Si84xx channel is analogous to that of an opto coupler, except an RF carrier is modulated instead of light. This simple architecture provides a robust isolated data path and requires no special considerations or initialization at start-up. A simplified block diagram for a single Si84xx channel is shown in Figure 5.

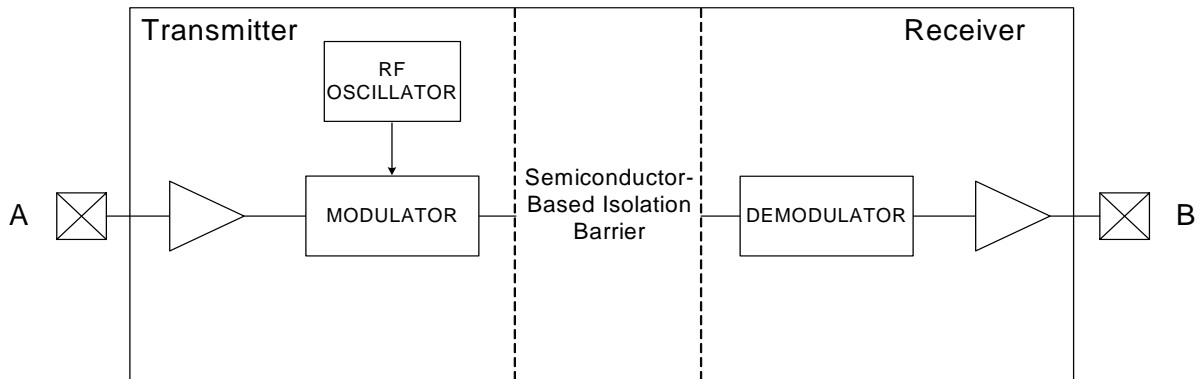


Figure 5. Simplified Channel Diagram

A channel consists of an RF Transmitter and RF Receiver separated by a semiconductor-based isolation barrier. Referring to the Transmitter, input A modulates the carrier provided by an RF oscillator using on/off keying. The Receiver contains a demodulator that decodes the input state according to its RF energy content and applies the result to output B via the output driver. This RF on/off keying scheme is superior to pulse code schemes as it provides best-in-class noise immunity, low power consumption, and better immunity to magnetic fields. See Figure 6 for more details.

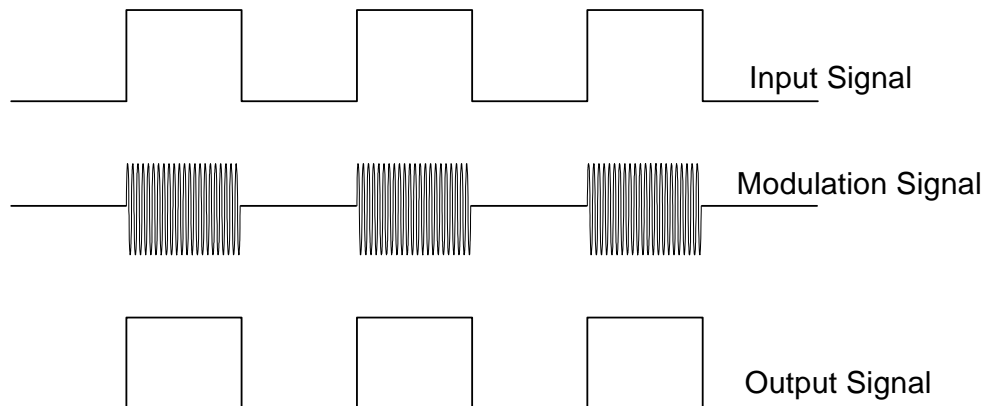


Figure 6. Modulation Scheme

2.2. Eye Diagram

Figure 7 illustrates an eye-diagram taken on an Si8455. For the data source, the test used an Anritsu (MP1763C) Pulse Pattern Generator set to 1000 ns/div. The output of the generator's clock and data from an Si8455 were captured on an oscilloscope. The results illustrate that data integrity was maintained even at the high data rate of 150 Mbps. The results also show that 2 ns pulse width distortion and 250 ps peak jitter were exhibited.



Figure 7. Eye Diagram

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2.3. Device Operation

Device behavior during start-up, normal operation, and shutdown is shown in Table 12. Table 13 provides an overview of the output states when the Enable pins are active.

Table 12. Si84xx Logic Operation Table

| V _I Input ^{1,2} | EN Input ^{1,2,3} | VDDI State ^{1,4,5} | VDDO State ^{1,4,5} | V _O Output ^{1,2} | Comments |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| H | H or NC | P | P | H | Enabled, normal operation. |
| L | H or NC | P | P | L | |
| X ⁶ | L | P | P | Hi-Z ⁷ | Disabled. |
| X ⁶ | H or NC | UP | P | L | Upon transition of VDDI from unpowered to powered, V _O returns to the same state as V _I in less than 1 μs. |
| X ⁶ | L | UP | P | Hi-Z ⁷ | Disabled. |
| X ⁶ | X ⁶ | P | UP | Undetermined | Upon transition of VDDO from unpowered to powered, V _O returns to the same state as V _I within 1 μs, if EN is in either the H or NC state. Upon transition of VDDO from unpowered to powered, V _O returns to Hi-Z within 1 μs if EN is L. |

Notes:

1. VDDI and VDDO are the input and output power supplies. V_I and V_O are the respective input and output terminals. EN is the enable control input located on the same output side.
2. X = not applicable; H = Logic High; L = Logic Low; Hi-Z = High Impedance.
3. It is recommended that the enable inputs be connected to an external logic high or low level when the Si84xx is operating in noisy environments.
4. "Powered" state (P) is defined as 2.70 V < VDD < 5.5 V.
5. "Unpowered" state (UP) is defined as VDD = 0 V.
6. Note that an I/O can power the die for a given side through an internal diode if its source has adequate current.
7. When using the enable pin (EN) function, the output pin state goes into a high-impedance state when the EN pin is disabled (EN = 0).

Table 13. Enable Input Truth Table¹

| P/N | EN1 ^{1,2} | EN2 ^{1,2} | Operation |
|--------|--------------------|--------------------|---|
| Si8442 | H | X | Outputs A3 and A4 are enabled and follow input state. |
| | L | X | Outputs A3 and A4 are disabled and Logic Low or in high impedance state. ³ |
| | X | H | Outputs B1 and B2 are enabled and follow input state. |
| | X | L | Outputs B1 and B2 are disabled and Logic Low or in high impedance state. ³ |
| Si8455 | — | — | Outputs B1, B2, B3, B4, B5 are enabled and follow input state. |

Notes:

1. Enable inputs EN1 and EN2 can be used for multiplexing, for clock sync, or other output control. These inputs are internally pulled-up to local VDD by a 3 μ A current source allowing them to be connected to an external logic level (high or low) or left floating. To minimize noise coupling, do not connect circuit traces to EN1 or EN2 if they are left floating. If EN1, EN2 are unused, it is recommended they be connected to an external logic level, especially if the Si845x is operating in a noisy environment.
2. X = not applicable; H = Logic High; L = Logic Low.
3. When using the enable pin (EN) function, the output pin state goes into a high-impedance state when the EN pin is disabled (EN = 0).

2.4. Layout Recommendations

To ensure safety in the end user application, high voltage circuits (i.e., circuits with $>30 V_{AC}$) must be physically separated from the safety extra-low voltage circuits (SELV is a circuit with $<30 V_{AC}$) by a certain distance (creepage/clearance). If a component, such as a digital isolator, straddles this isolation barrier, it must meet those creepage/clearance requirements and also provide a sufficiently large high-voltage breakdown protection rating (commonly referred to as working voltage protection). Table 6 on page 12 and Table 7 on page 13 detail the working voltage and creepage/clearance capabilities of the Si84xx. These tables also detail the component standards (UL1577, IEC60747, CSA 5A), which are readily accepted by certification bodies to provide proof for end-system specifications requirements. Refer to the end-system specification (61010-1, 60950-1, etc.) requirements before starting any design that uses a digital isolator.

2.4.1. Supply Bypass

The Si84xx family requires a $1 \mu F$ bypass capacitor between V_{DD1} and GND1 and V_{DD2} and GND2. The capacitor should be placed as close as possible to the package. To enhance the robustness of a design, it is further recommended that the user include 100Ω resistors in series with the inputs, outputs, and supply pins if the system is excessively noisy.

2.4.2. Pin Connections

No connect pins are not internally connected. They can be left floating, tied to V_{DD} , or tied to GND.

2.4.3. Output Pin Termination

The nominal output impedance of an isolator driver channel is approximately 85Ω , $\pm 40\%$, which is a combination of the value of the on-chip series termination resistor and channel resistance of the output driver FET. When driving loads where transmission line effects will be a factor, output pins should be appropriately terminated with controlled impedance PCB traces.

2.5. Typical Performance Characteristics

The typical performance characteristics depicted in the following diagrams are for information purposes only. Refer to Tables 3, 4, and 5 for actual specification limits.

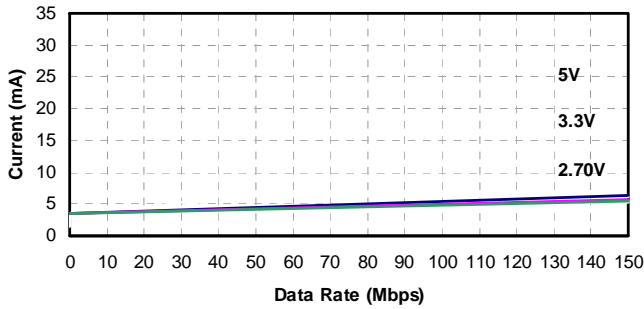


Figure 8. Si8455 Typical V_{DD1} Supply Current vs. Data Rate 5, 3.3, and 2.70 V Operation

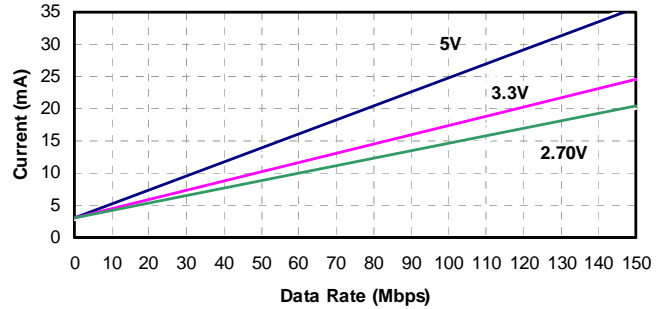


Figure 10. Si8455 Typical V_{DD2} Supply Current vs. Data Rate 5, 3.3, and 2.70 V Operation (15 pF Load)

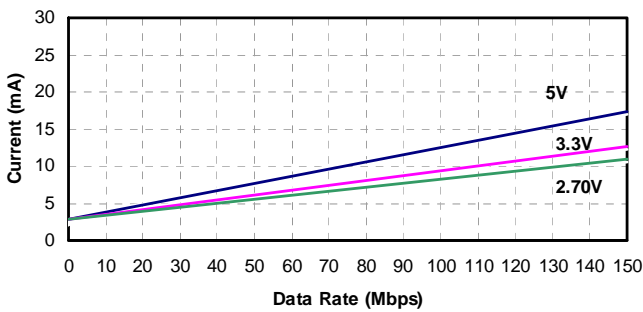


Figure 9. Si8442 Typical V_{DD1} or V_{DD2} Supply Current vs. Data Rate 5, 3.3, and 2.70 V Operation (15 pF Load)

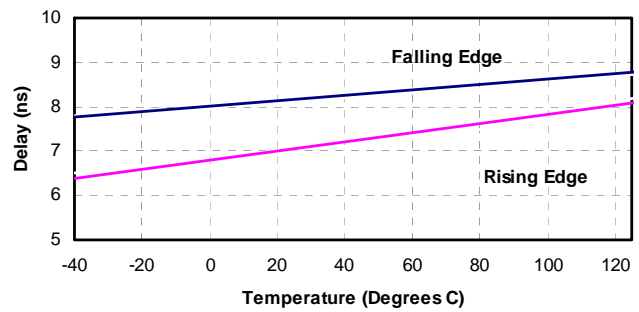


Figure 11. Propagation Delay vs. Temperature

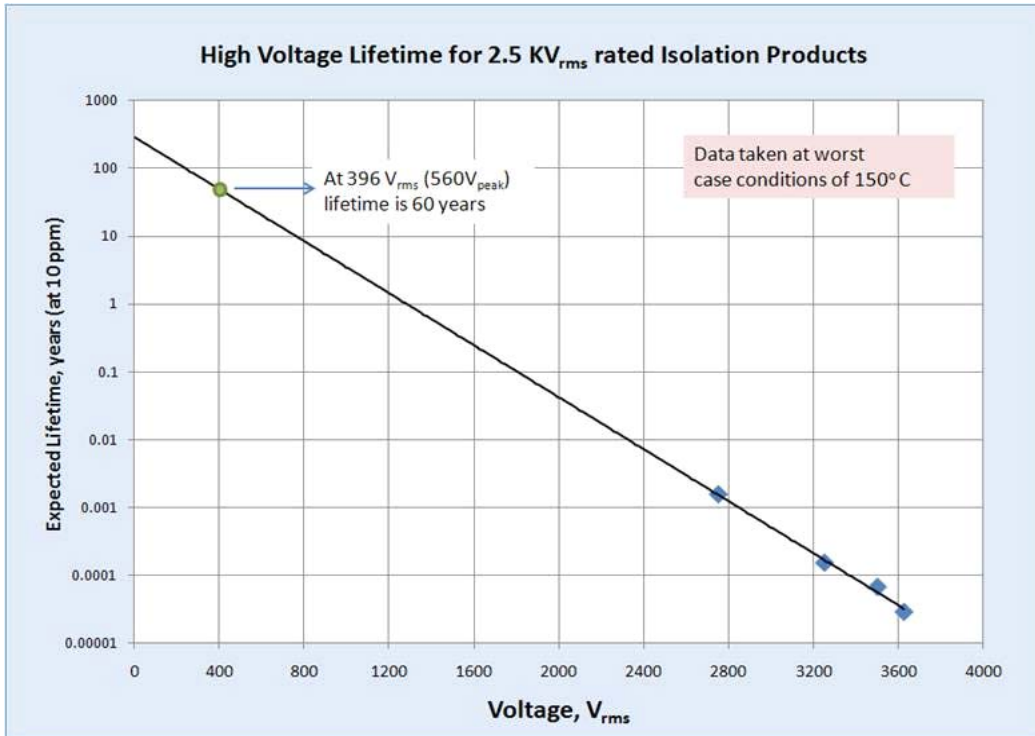
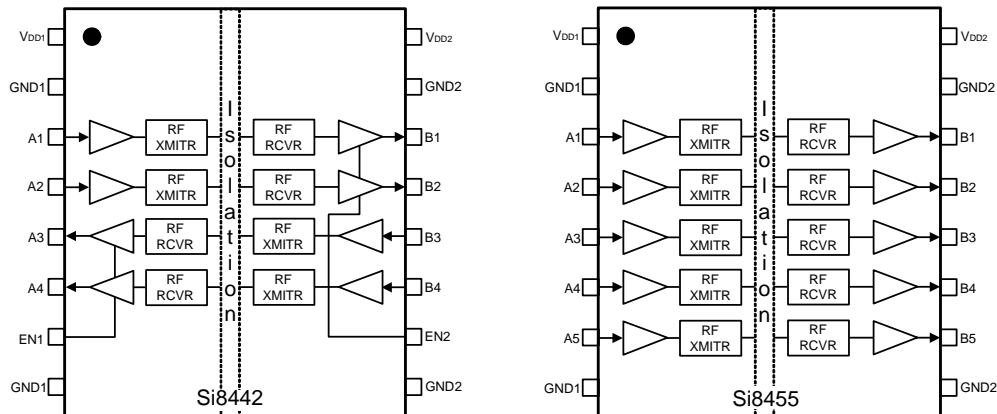


Figure 12. Si84xx Time-Dependent Dielectric Breakdown

3. Pin Descriptions



| Name | SOIC-16 Pin# | Type | Description (Si8442) | Description (Si8455) |
|------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| V _{DD1} | 1 | Supply | Side 1 power supply | Side 1 power supply |
| GND1 | 2 | Ground | Side 1 ground | Side 1 ground |
| A1 | 3 | Digital Input | Side 1 digital input | Side 1 digital input |
| A2 | 4 | Digital Input | Side 1 digital input | Side 1 digital input |
| A3 | 5 | Digital I/O | Side 1 digital output | Side 1 digital input |
| A4 | 6 | Digital I/O | Side 1 digital output | Side 1 digital input |
| A5/EN1 | 7 | Digital Input | Side 1 active high enable | Side 1 digital input |
| GND1 | 8 | Ground | Side 1 ground | Side 1 ground |
| GND2 | 9 | Ground | Side 2 ground | Side 2 ground |
| B5/EN2 | 10 | Digital Input or Enable | Side 2 active high enable | Side 2 digital output |
| B4 | 11 | Digital I/O | Side 2 digital input | Side 2 digital output |
| B3 | 12 | Digital I/O | Side 2 digital input | Side 2 digital output |
| B2 | 13 | Digital Output | Side 2 digital output | Side 2 digital output |
| B1 | 14 | Digital Output | Side 2 digital output | Side 2 digital output |
| GND2 | 15 | Ground | Side 2 ground | Side 2 ground |
| V _{DD2} | 16 | Supply | Side 2 power supply | Side 2 power supply |

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4. Ordering Guide

Table 14. Ordering Guide for Valid OPNs*

| Ordering Part Number (OPN) | Number of Inputs VDD1 Side | Number of Inputs VDD2 Side | Maximum Data Rate (Mbps) | Isolation Rating | Temp Range | Package Type |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Si8442BA-D-IU | 2 | 2 | 150 | 1 kVrms | -40 to 125 °C | QSOP-16 |
| Si8455BA-B-IU | 5 | 0 | 150 | 1 kVrms | | |

***Note:** All packages are RoHS-compliant. Moisture sensitivity level is MSL2A with peak reflow temperature of 260 °C according to the JEDEC industry standard classifications and peak solder temperature.

5. Package Outline: 16-Pin QSOP

Figure 13 illustrates the package details for the Si84xx in a 16-pin QSOP package. Table 15 lists the values for the dimensions shown in the illustration.

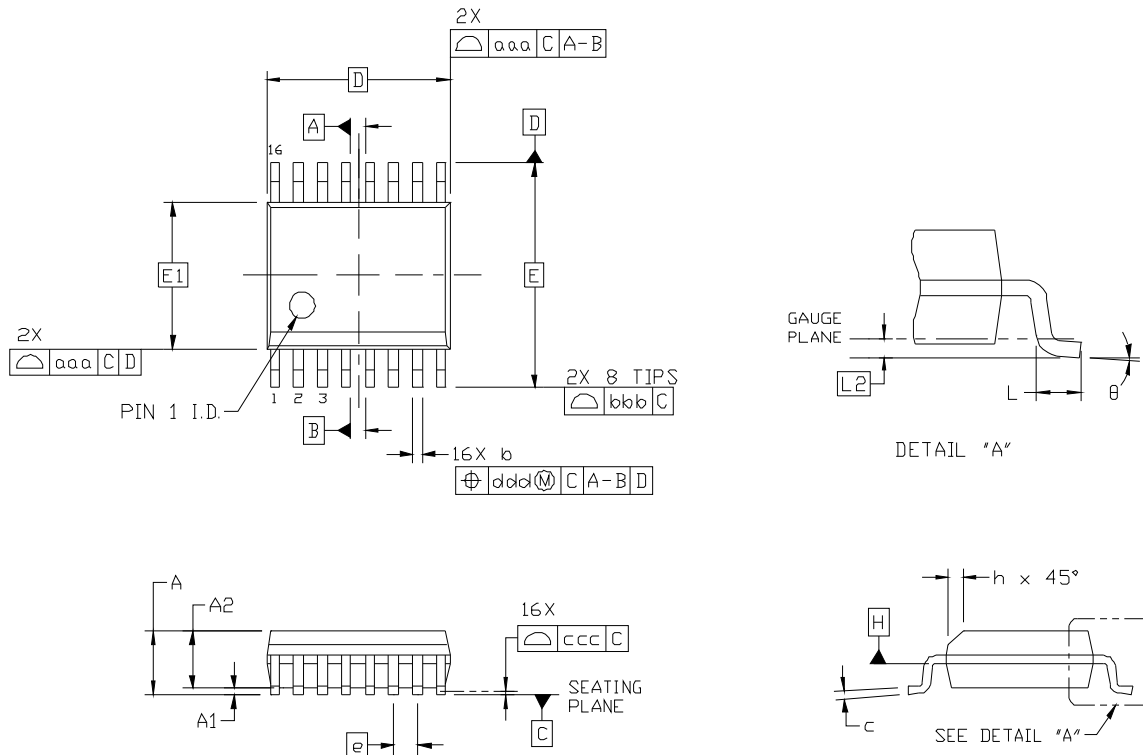


Figure 13. 16-pin QSOP Package

Table 15. Package Diagram Dimensions

| Dimension | Min | Max |
|-----------|-----------|------|
| A | — | 1.75 |
| A1 | 0.10 | 0.25 |
| A2 | 1.25 | — |
| b | 0.20 | 0.30 |
| c | 0.17 | 0.25 |
| D | 4.89 BSC | |
| E | 6.00 BSC | |
| E1 | 3.90 BSC | |
| e | 0.635 BSC | |
| L | 0.40 | 1.27 |
| L2 | 0.25 BSC | |
| h | 0.25 | 0.50 |

Table 15. Package Diagram Dimensions (Continued)

| Dimension | Min | Max |
|--|------|-----|
| θ | 0° | 8° |
| aaa | 0.10 | |
| bbb | 0.20 | |
| ccc | 0.10 | |
| ddd | 0.25 | |
| Notes: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. All dimensions shown are in millimeters (mm) unless otherwise noted.2. Dimensioning and Tolerancing per ANSI Y14.5M-1994.3. This drawing conforms to the JEDEC Solid State Outline MO-137, Variation AB.4. Recommended card reflow profile is per the JEDEC/IPC J-STD-020 specification for Small Body Components. | | |

6. Land Pattern: 16-Pin QSOP

Figure 14 illustrates the recommended land pattern details for the Si84xx in a 16-pin QSOP. Table 16 lists the values for the dimensions shown in the illustration.

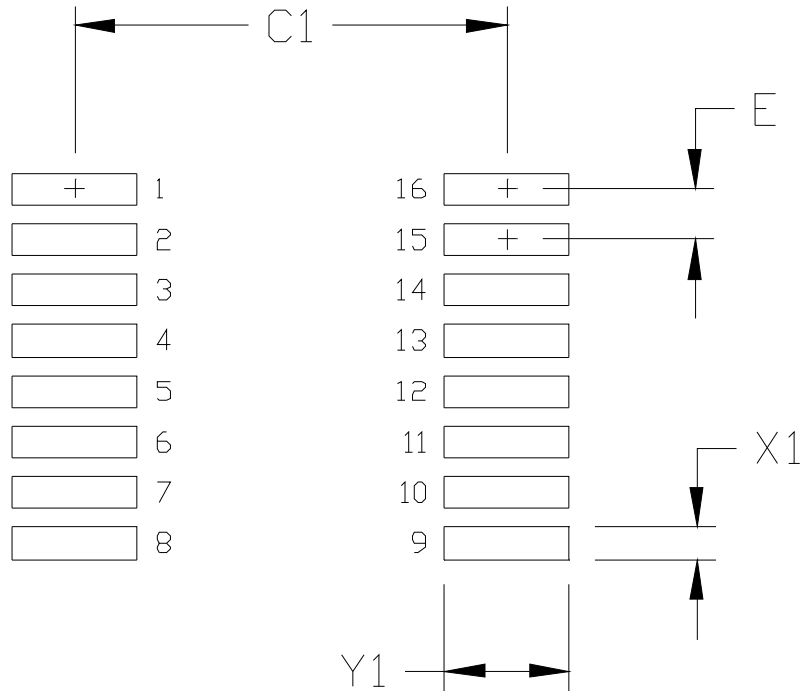


Figure 14. 16-Pin QSOP PCB Land Pattern

Table 16. 16-Pin QSOP Land Pattern Dimensions

| Dimension | Feature | (mm) |
|--|--------------------|-------|
| C1 | Pad Column Spacing | 5.40 |
| E | Pad Row Pitch | 0.635 |
| X1 | Pad Width | 0.40 |
| Y1 | Pad Length | 1.55 |
| Notes: | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This Land Pattern Design is based on IPC-7351 pattern SOP63P602X173-16N for Density Level B (Median Land Protrusion). 2. All feature sizes shown are at Maximum Material Condition (MMC) and a card fabrication tolerance of 0.05 mm is assumed. | | |

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7. Top Marking: 16-Pin QSOP

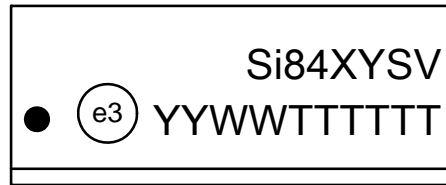


Figure 15. 16-Pin QSOP Top Marking

Table 17. 16-Pin QSOP Top Marking Table

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| Line 1 Marking: | Base Part Number Ordering Options (See Ordering Guide for more information). | Si84 = Isolator product series XY = Channel Configuration X = # of data channels (5, 4) Y = # of reverse channels (2, 0)* S = Speed Grade A = 1 Mbps; B = 150 Mbps V = Insulation rating A = 1 kV; B = 2.5 kV |
| | Line 2 Marking: | |
| | Circle = 1.2 mm Diameter | "e3" Pb-Free Symbol |
| | YY = Year WW = Work Week | Assigned by the assembly subcontractor. Corresponds to the year and work week of the mold date. |
| | TTTTTT = Mfg code | Manufacturing code from assembly purchase order form. |
| | Circle = 1.2 mm diameter | "e3" Pb-Free Symbol. |
| *Note: Si8455 has 0 reverse channels. | | |

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