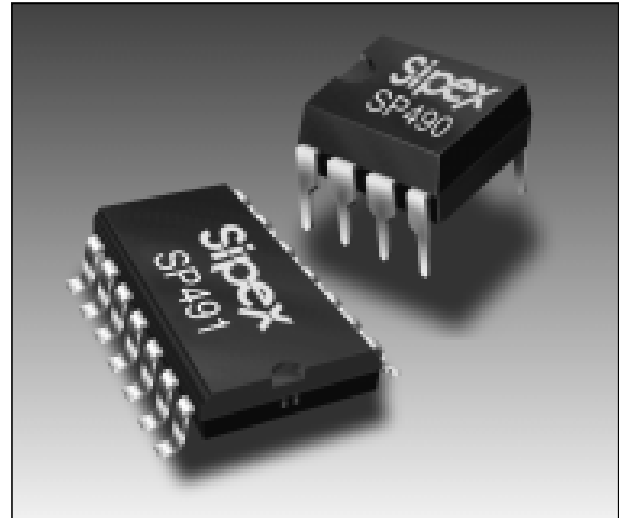**Sipex**

Full Duplex RS-485 Transceivers

FEATURES
- ■ +5V Only
- ■ Low Power BiCMOS
- ■ Driver/Receiver Enable (**SP491**)
- ■ RS-485 and RS-422 Drivers/Receivers
- ■ Pin Compatible with LTC490 and SN75179 (**SP490**)
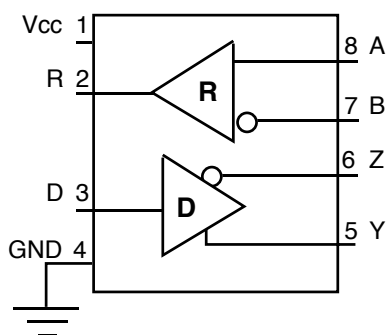- ■ Pin Compatible with LTC491 and SN75180 (**SP491**)
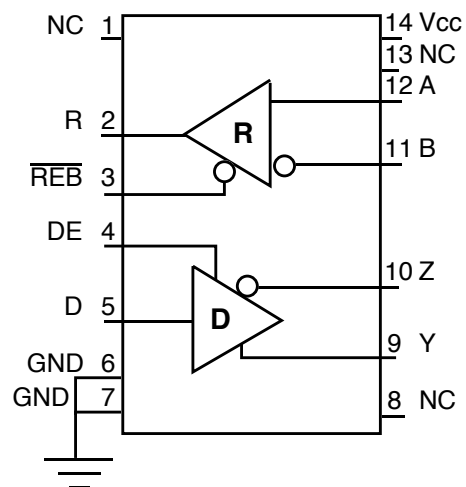
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DESCRIPTION

The **SP490** is a low power differential line driver/receiver meeting RS-485 and RS-422 standards up to 5Mbps. The **SP491** is identical to the **SP490** with the addition of driver and receiver tri-state enable lines. Both products feature ±200mV receiver input sensitivity, over wide common mode range. The **SP490** is available in 8-pin plastic DIP and 8-pin NSOIC packages for operation over the commercial and industrial temperature ranges. The **SP491** is available in 14-pin DIP and 14-pin NSOIC packages for operation over the commercial and industrial temperature ranges.

BLOCK DIAGRAMS

SP490

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Vcc  1                    8  A
R    2        R           7  B
D    3        D           6  Z
GND  4                    5  Y
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SP491

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NC   1                   14  Vcc
R    2        R          13  NC
REB  3                   12  A
DE   4                   11  B
D    5        D          10  Z
GND  6                    9  Y
GND  7                    8  NC
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SP490/491 Full Duplex RS-485 Transceivers
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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

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V_{CC}..+7V
Input Voltages
        Drivers...-0.5V to (V_{CC}+0.5V)
        Receivers...±14V
Output Voltages
        Drivers..±14V
        Receivers..-0.5V to (V_{CC}+0.5V)
Storage Temperature...-65°C to +150°
Power Dissipation..1000mW

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

T_{MIN} to T_{MAX} and V_{CC} = 5V ± 5% unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETERS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	CONDITIONS
SP490 DRIVER					
DC Characteristics					
Differential Output Voltage	GND		V_{CC}	Volts	Unloaded; R = ∞ ; *see figure 1*
Differential Output Voltage	2		V_{CC}	Volts	With Load; R = 50Ω; (RS422); *see figure 1*
Differential Output Voltage	1.5		V_{CC}	Volts	With Load; R = 27Ω; (RS485); *see figure 1*
Change in Magnitude of Driver Differential Output Voltage for Complimentary States			0.2	Volts	R = 27Ω or R = 50Ω; *see figure 1*
Driver Common-Mode Output Voltage			3	Volts	R = 27Ω or R = 50Ω; *see figure 1*
Input High Voltage	2.0			Volts	Applies to D
Input Low Voltage			0.8	Volts	Applies to D
Input Current			±10	μA	Applies to D
Driver Short-Circuit Current					
V_{OUT} = HIGH	35		250	mA	-7V ≤ V_O ≤ +12V
V_{OUT} = LOW	35		250	mA	-7V ≤ V_O ≤ +12V
SP490 DRIVER					
AC Characteristics					
Maximum Data Rate	5			Mbps	
Driver Input to Output		30	60	ns	t_{PLH}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 3 and 6*
Driver Input to Output		30	60	ns	t_{PHL}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 3 and 6*
Driver Skew		5		ns	*see figures 3 and 6,* t_{SKEW} = I t_{DPLH} - t_{DPHL} I
Driver Rise or Fall Time		15	40	ns	From 10% to 90%; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 3 and 6*
SP490 RECEIVER					
DC Characteristics					
Differential Input Threshold	0.2		+0.2	Volts	-7V ≤ V_{CM} ≤ 12V
Input Hysteresis		70		mV	V_{CM} = 0V
Output Voltage High	3.5			Volts	I_O = -4mA, V_{ID} = +200mV
Output Voltage Low			0.4	Volts	I_O = +4mA, V_{ID} = -200mV
Input Resistance	12	15		kΩ	-7V ≤ V_{CM} ≤ 12V
Input Current (A, B); V_{IN} = 12V			±1.0	mA	V_{IN} = 12V
Input Current (A, B); V_{IN} = -7V			-0.8	mA	V_{IN} = -7V
Short-Circuit Current			85	mA	0V ≤ V_O ≤ V_{CC}

T_{MIN} to T_{MAX} and V_{CC} = 5V ± 5% unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETERS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	CONDITIONS
SP490 RECEIVER					
AC Characteristics					
Maximum Data Rate	5			Mbps	
Receiver Input to Output		90	150	ns	t_{PLH}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *Figures 3 & 8*
Receiver Input to Output		90	150	ns	t_{PHL}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *Figures 3 & 8*
Diff. Receiver Skew It_{PLH}-t_{PHL}I		13		ns	R_{DIFF} = 54Ω; C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *Figures 3 & 8*
POWER REQUIREMENTS					
Supply Voltage	+4.75		+5.25	Volts	
Supply Current		900		µA	
ENVIRONMENTAL AND MECHANICAL					
Operating Temperature					
Commercial (_C_)	0		+70	°C	
Industrial (_E_)	-40		+85	°C	
Storage Temperature	-65		+150	°C	
Package					
Plastic DIP (_S_)					
NSOIC (_N_)					

Figure 1. Driver DC Test Load Circuit
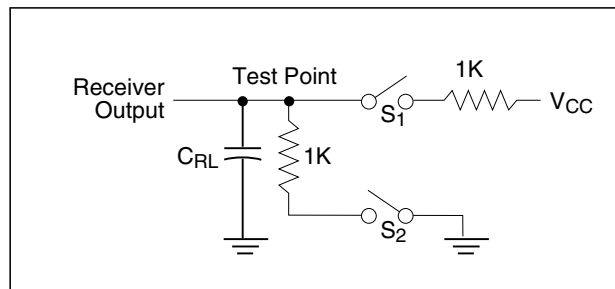
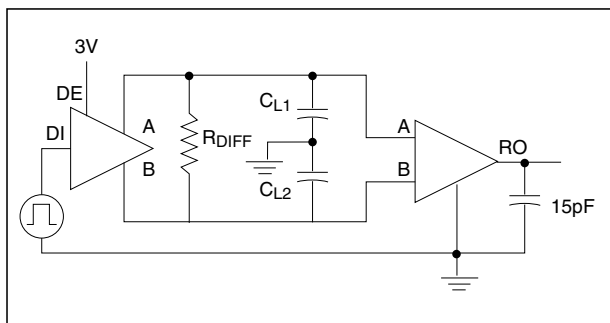*Figure 2. Receiver Timing Test Load Circuit*

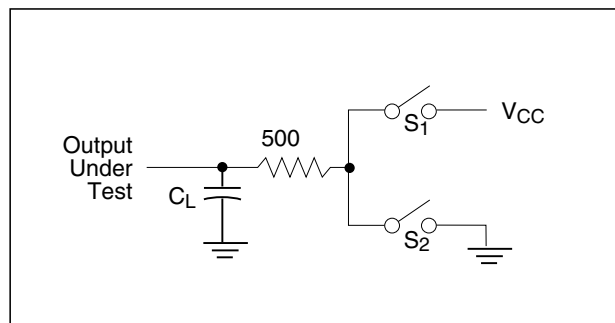*Figure 3. Driver/Receiver Timing Test Circuit*

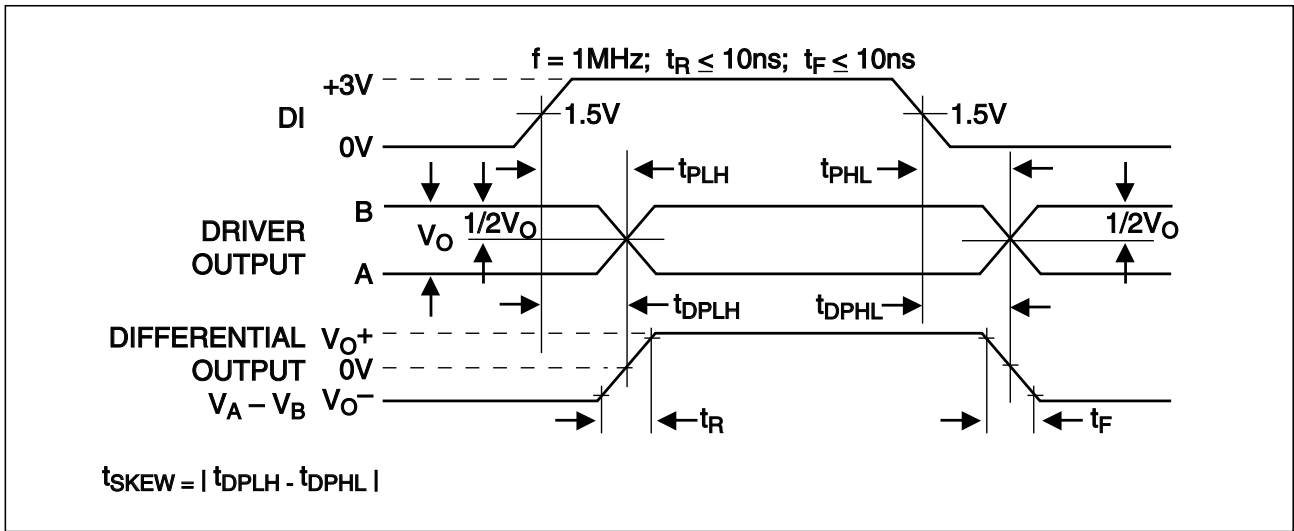*Figure 4. Driver Timing Test Load #2 Circuit*

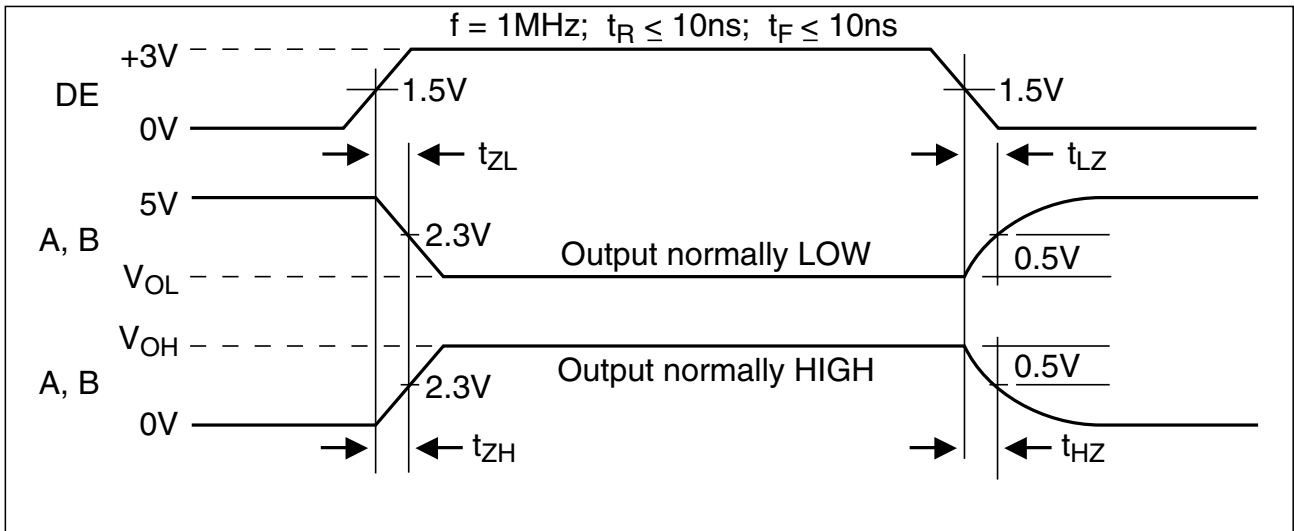*Figure 6. Driver Propagation Delays*

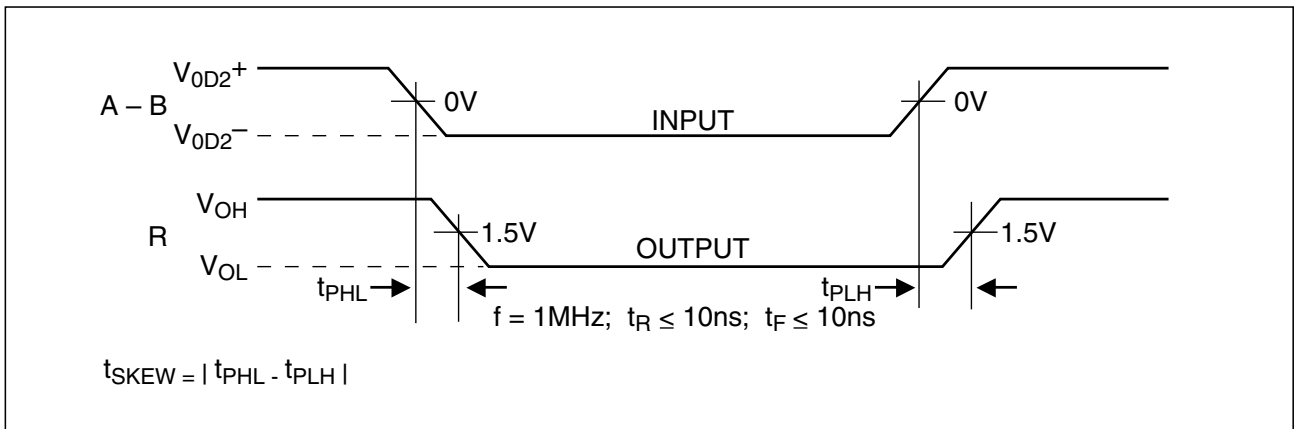*Figure 7. Driver Enable and Disable Times*

Figure 8. Receiver Propagation Delays

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V_{CC}..+7V
Input Voltages
      Logic...-0.5V to (V_{CC}+0.5V)
      Drivers..-0.5V to (V_{CC}+0.5V)
      Receivers...±14V
Output Voltages
      Logic...-0.5V to (V_{CC}+0.5V)
      Drivers...±14V
      Receivers..-0.5V to (V_{CC}+0.5V)
Storage Temperature..-65˚C to +150
Power Dissipation...1000mW

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

T_{MIN} to T_{MAX} and V_{CC} = 5V ± 5% unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETERS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	CONDITIONS
SP491 DRIVER					
DC Characteristics					
Differential Output Voltage	GND		V_{CC}	Volts	Unloaded; R = ∞ ; *see figure 1*
Differential Output Voltage	2		V_{CC}	Volts	With Load; R = 50Ω; (RS422); *see figure 1*
Differential Output Voltage	1.5		V_{CC}	Volts	With Load; R = 27Ω; (RS485); *see figure 1*
Change in Magnitude of Driver Differential Output Voltage for Complimentary States			0.2	Volts	R = 27Ω or R = 50Ω; *see figure 1*
Driver Common-Mode Output Voltage			3	Volts	R = 27Ω or R = 50Ω; *see figure 1*
Input High Voltage	2.0			Volts	Applies to D, REB, DE
Input Low Voltage			0.8	Volts	Applies to D, REB, DE
Input Current			±10	μA	Applies to D, REB, DE
Driver Short-Circuit Current					
V_{OUT} = HIGH	35		250	mA	-7V ≤ V_O ≤ 12V
V_{OUT} = LOW	35		250	mA	-7V ≤ V_O ≤ 12V
SP491 DRIVER					
AC Characteristics					
Maximum Data Rate	5			Mbps	REB = 5V, DE = 5V
Driver Input to Output	20	30	60	ns	t_{PLH}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 3 and 6*
Driver Input to Output	20	30	60	ns	t_{PHL}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 3 and 6*
Driver Skew		5	10	ns	*see figures 3 and 6,* t_{SKEW} = I t_{DPLH} - t_{DPHL} I
Driver Rise or Fall Time	3	15	40	ns	From 10% to 90%; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 3 and 6*
Driver Enable to Output High		40	70	ns	C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 4 and 7;* S_2 closed
Driver Enable to Output Low		40	70	ns	C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 4 and 7;* S_1 closed
Driver Disable Time from Low		40	70	ns	C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 4 and 7;* S_1 closed
Driver Disable Time from High		40	70	ns	C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *see figures 4 and 7;* S_2 closed

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T_{MIN} to T_{MAX} and V_{CC} = 5V ± 5% unless otherwise noted.

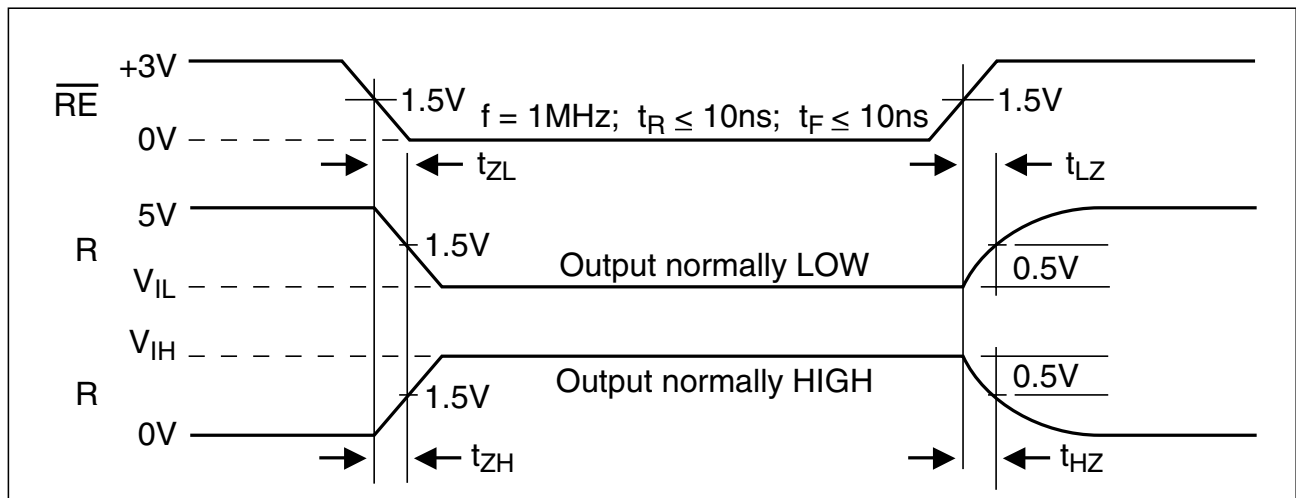| PARAMETERS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	CONDITIONS
SP491 RECEIVER					
DC Characteristics					
Differential Input Threshold	-0.2		+0.2	Volts	-7V ≤ V_{CM} ≤ 12V
Input Hysteresis		70		mV	V_{CM} = 0V
Output Voltage High	3.5			Volts	I_O = -4mA, V_{ID} = +200mV
Output Voltage Low			0.4	Volts	I_O = +4mA, V_{ID} = -200mV
Three State (high impedance)					
Output Current			±1	μA	0.4V ≤ V_O ≤ 2.4V; $\overline{REB}$ = 5V
Input Resistance	12	15		kΩ	-7V ≤ V_{CM} ≤ 12V
Input Current (A, B); V_{IN} = 12V			±1.0	mA	DE = 0V, V_{CC} = 0V or 5.25V, V_{IN} = 12V
Input Current (A, B); V_{IN} = -7V			-0.8	mA	DE = 0V, V_{CC} = 0V or 5.25V, V_{IN} = -7V
Short-Circuit Current	7		85	mA	0V ≤ V_O ≤ V_{CC}
SP491 RECEIVER					
DC Characteristics					
Maximum Data Rate	5			Mbps	$\overline{REB}$ = 0V
Receiver Input to Output	60	90	150	ns	t_{PLH}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *Figures 3 & 8*
Receiver Input to Output	60	90	150	ns	t_{PHL}; R_{DIFF} = 54Ω, C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *Figures 3 & 8*
Diff. Receiver Skew It_{PLH}-t_{PHL}I		13		ns	R_{DIFF} = 54Ω; C_{L1} = C_{L2} = 100pF; *Figures 3 & 8*
Receiver Enable to Output Low		20	50	ns	C_{RL} = 15pF; *Figures 2 and 9;* S_1 closed
Receiver Enable to Output High		20	50	ns	C_{RL} = 15pF; *Figures 2 and 9;* S_2 closed
Receiver Disable from Low		20	50	ns	C_{RL} = 15pF; *Figures 2 and 9;* S_1 closed
Receiver Disable from High		20	50	ns	C_{RL} = 15pF; *Figures 2 and 9;* S_2 closed
POWER REQUIREMENTS					
Supply Voltage	+4.75		+5.25	Volts	
Supply Current		600		μA	$\overline{REB}$, D = 0V or V_{CC}; DE = V_{CC}
SP491 ENVIRONMENTAL AND MECHANICAL					
Operating Temperature					
Commercial (_C_)	0		+70	°C	
Industrial (_E_)	-40		+85	°C	
Storage Temperature	-65		+150	°C	
Package					
Plastic DIP (_S_)					
NSOIC (_N)					

Figure 9. Receiver Enable and Disable Times

DESCRIPTION

The **SP490** and **SP491** are full-duplex differential transceivers that meet the requirements of RS-485 and RS-422. Fabricated with a **Sipex** proprietary BiCMOS process, both products require a fraction of the power of older bipolar designs.

The RS-485 standard is ideal for multi-drop applications or for long-distance interfaces. RS-485 allows up to 32 drivers and 32 receivers to be connected to a data bus, making it an ideal choice for multi-drop applications. Since the cabling can be as long as 4,000 feet, RS-485 transceivers are equipped with a wide (-7V to +12V) common mode range to accommodate ground potential differences. Because RS-485 is a differential interface, data is virtually immune to noise in the transmission line.

Driver...

The drivers for both the **SP490** and **SP491** have differential outputs. The typical voltage output swing with no load will be 0 volts to +5 volts. With worst case loading of 54Ω across the differential outputs, the driver can maintain greater than 1.5V voltage levels.

The driver of the **SP491** has a driver enable control line which is active high. A logic high on DE (pin 4) of the **SP491** will enable the differential driver outputs. A logic low on DE (pin 4) of the **SP491** will tri-state the driver outputs. The **SP490** does not have a driver enable.
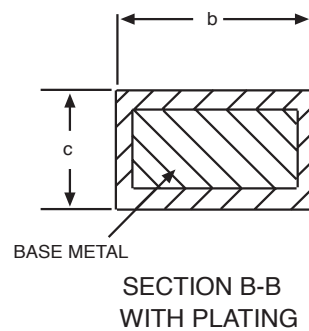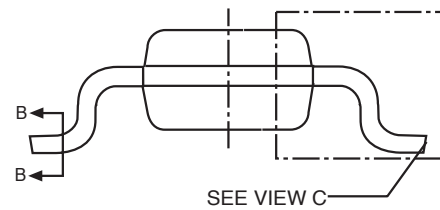
Receiver...

The receivers for both the **SP490** and **SP491** have differential inputs with an input sensitivity as low as ±200mV. Input impedance of the receivers is typically 15KΩ (12KΩ minimum). A wide common mode range of -7V to +12V allows for large ground potential differences between systems. The receivers for both the **SP490** and **SP491** are equipped with the fail-safe feature. Fail-safe guarantees that the receiver output will be in a high state when the input is left unconnected.
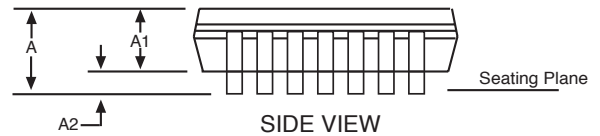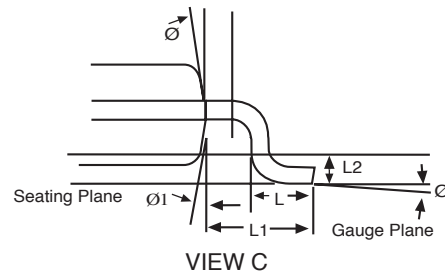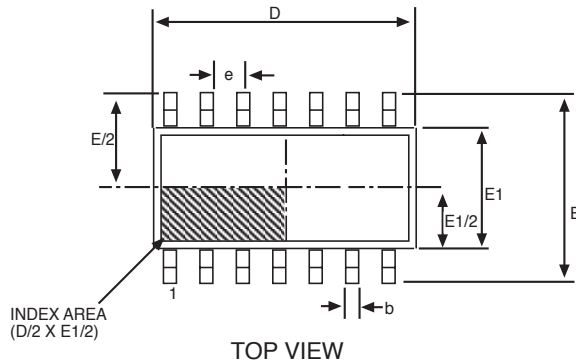
The receiver of the **SP491** has a receiver enable control line which is active low. A logic low on $\overline{\text{REB}}$ (pin 3) of the **SP491** will enable the differential receiver. A logic high on $\overline{\text{REB}}$ (pin 3) of the **SP491** will tri-state the receiver.

TOP VIEW

INDEX AREA
(D/2 X E1/2)

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Gauge Plane

SIDE VIEW

Seating Plane
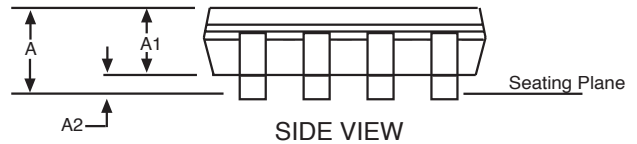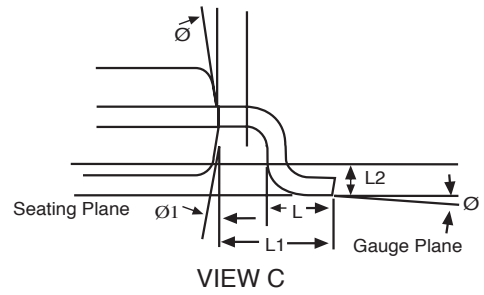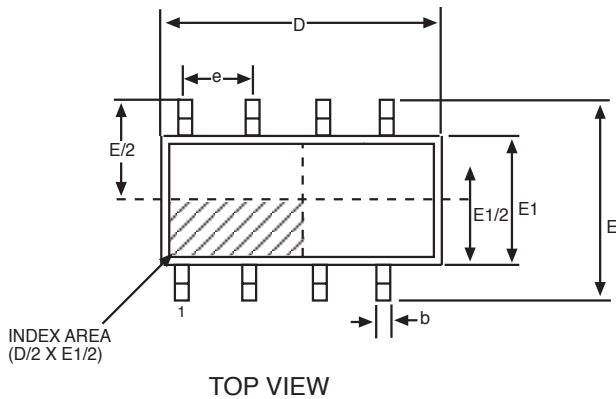
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SYMBOL	MIN	NOM	MAX
A	1.35	-	1.75
A1	0.1	-	0.25
A2	1.25	-	1.65
b	0.31	-	0.51
c	0.17	-	0.24
D	4.90 BSC		
E	6.00 BSC		
E1	3.90 BSC		
e	1.27 BSC		
L	0.4	-	1.27
L1	1.04 REF		
L2	0.25 BSC		
ø	0º	-	8º
ø1	5º	-	15º

Note: Dimensions in (mm)

SEE VIEW C

BASE METAL

SECTION B-B
WITH PLATING

TOP VIEW

INDEX AREA
(D/2 X E1/2)

VIEW C

Seating Plane

Gauge Plane

SIDE VIEW

Seating Plane

SEE VIEW C

14 Pin NSOIC JEDEC MO-012 (AB) Variation			
SYMBOL	MIN	NOM	MAX
A	1.35	-	1.75
A1	0.1	-	0.25
A2	1.25	-	1.65
b	0.31	-	0.51
c	0.17	-	0.25
D	8.65 BSC		
E	6.00 BSC		
E1	3.90 BSC		
e	1.27 BSC		
L	0.4	-	1.27
L1	1.04 REF		
L2	0.25 BSC		
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BASE METAL

SECTION B-B
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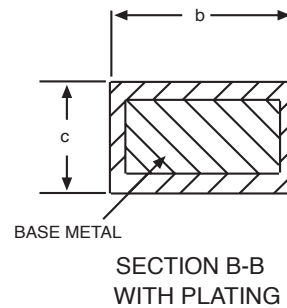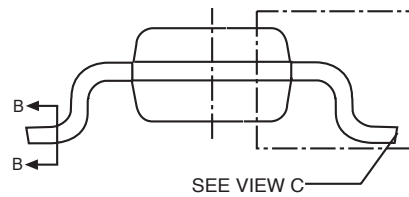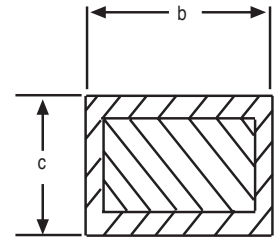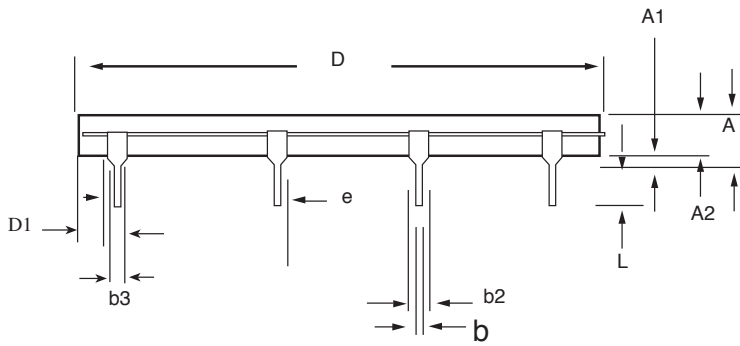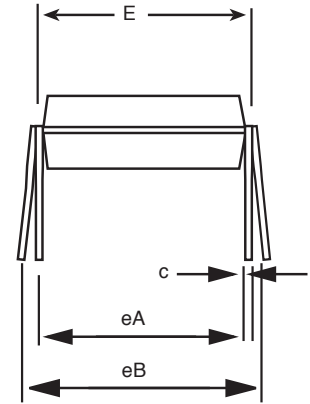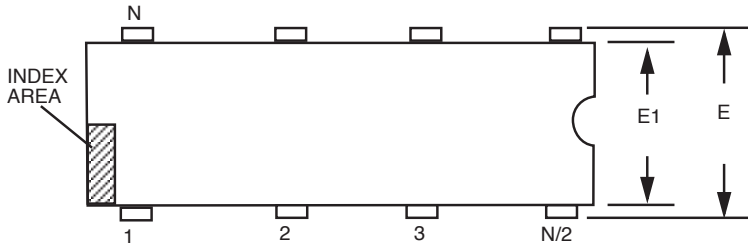
8 PIN PDIP JEDEC MS-001 (BA) Variation			
SYMBOL	MIN	NOM	MAX
A	-	-	0.21
A1	0.15	-	-
A2	0.115	0.13	0.195
b	0.014	0.018	0.022
b2	0.045	0.06	0.07
b3	0.3	0.039	0.045
c	0.008	0.01	0.014
D	0.355	0.365	0.4
D1	0.005	-	-
E	0.3	0.31	0.325
E1	0.24	0.25	0.28
e	.100 BSC		
eA	.300 BSC		
eB	-	-	0.43
L	0.115	0.13	0.15

Note: Dimensions in (mm)
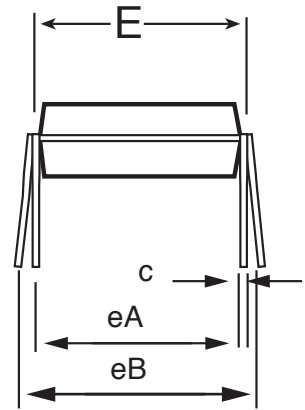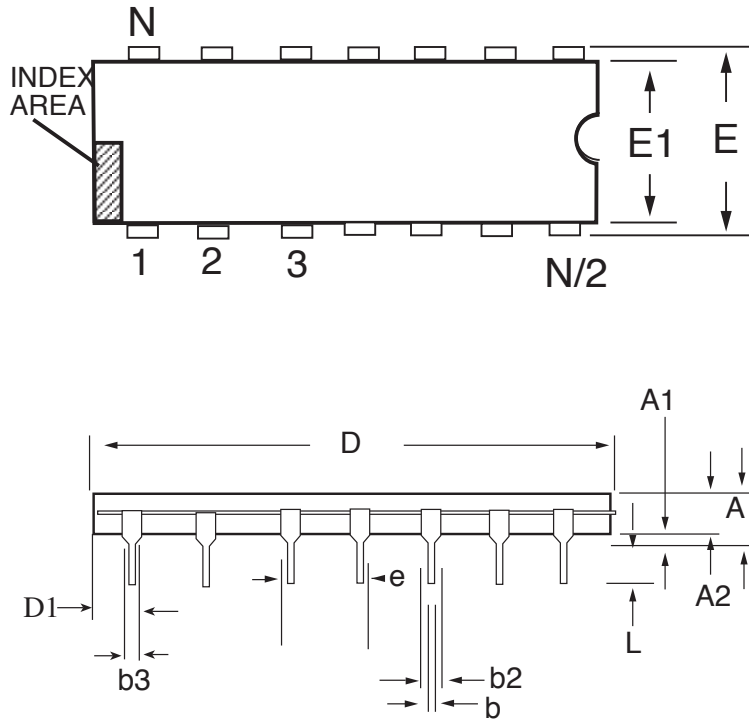
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SYMBOL	MIN	NOM	MAX
A	-	-	0.21
A1	0.15	-	-
A2	0.115	0.13	0.195
b	0.014	0.018	0.022
b2	0.045	0.06	0.07
b3	0.3	0.039	0.045
c	0.008	0.01	0.014
D	0.735	0.75	0.755
D1	0.005	-	-
E	0.3	0.31	0.325
E1	0.24	0.25	0.28
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L	0.115	0.13	0.15

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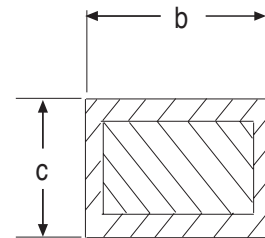
ORDERING INFORMATION

Model	Temperature Range	Package
SP490CN	0˚C to +70˚C	8-Pin NSOIC
SP490CN/TR	0˚C to +70˚C	8-Pin NSOIC
SP490CS	0˚C to +70˚C	8-Pin PDIP
SP490EN	-40˚C to +85˚C	8-Pin NSOIC
SP490EN/TR	-40˚C to +85˚C	8-Pin NSOIC
SP490ES	-40˚C to +85˚C	8-Pin PDIP
SP491CN	0˚C to +70˚C	14-Pin NSOIC
SP491CN/TR	0˚C to +70˚C	14-Pin NSOIC
SP491CS	0˚C to +70˚C	14-Pin PDIP
SP491EN	-40˚C to +85˚C	14-Pin NSOIC
SP491EN/TR	-40˚C to +85˚C	14-Pin NSOIC
SP491ES	-40˚C to +85˚C	14-Pin PDIP

Available in lead free packaging. To order add   "-L" suffix to part number.
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/TR = Tape and Reel

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