PRELIMINARY

Integrated Circuit Systems, Inc.

ICS844023I

FEMTOCLOCKS™ CRYSTAL-TO- LVDS CLOCK GENERATOR

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The ICS844023I is an Ethernet Clock Generator and a member of the HiPerClocks™ family of high performance devices from ICS. The ICS844023I uses an 18pF parallel resonant crystal over the range of 24.5MHz - 34MHz. For Ethernet applications, a 25MHz crystal is used to generate 250MHz. The ICS844023I has excellent <1ps phase jitter performance, over the 1.875MHz - 20MHz integration range. The ICS844023I is packaged in a small 8-pin TSSOP, making it ideal for use in systems with limited board space.

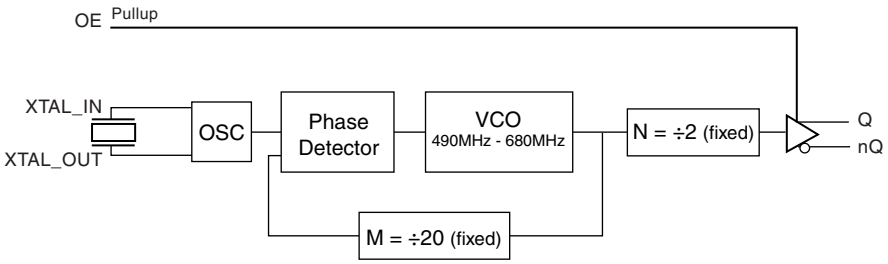
FEATURES

- One Differential LVDS output
- Crystal oscillator interface, 18pF parallel resonant crystal (24.5MHz - 34MHz)
- Output frequency range: 245MHz - 340MHz
- VCO range: 490MHz - 680MHz
- RMS phase jitter @ 250MHz, using a 25MHz crystal (1.875MHz - 20MHz): 0.38ps (typical)
- 3.3V or 2.5V operating supply
- -40°C to 85°C ambient operating temperature
- Available in both standard and lead-free RoHS-compliant packages

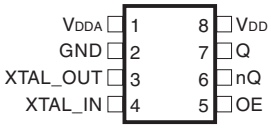
COMMON CONFIGURATION TABLE

Inputs				Output Frequency (MHz)
Crystal Frequency (MHz)	M	N	Multiplication Value M/N	
25	20	2	10	250

BLOCK DIAGRAM



PIN ASSIGNMENT



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8-Lead TSSOP
4.40mm x 3.0mm x 0.925mm
package body
G Package
Top View

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TABLE 1. PIN DESCRIPTIONS

Number	Name	Type		Description
1	V_{DDA}	Power		Analog supply pin.
2	GND	Power		Power supply ground.
3, 4	XTAL_OUT, XTAL_IN	Input		Crystal oscillator interface. XTAL_IN is the input, XTAL_OUT is the output.
5	OE	Input	Pullup	Output enable pin. When HIGH, Q/nQ output is active. When LOW, the Q/nQ output is in a high impedance state. LVCMOS/LVTTL interface levels.
6, 7	nQ, Q	Output		Differential clock outputs. LVDS interface levels.
8	V_{DD}	Power		Core supply pin.

NOTE: *Pullup* refers to internal input resistors. See Table 2, Pin Characteristics, for typical values.

TABLE 2. PIN CHARACTERISTICS

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
C_{IN}	Input Capacitance			4		pF
R_{PULLUP}	Input Pullup Resistor			51		kΩ

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Supply Voltage, V_{DD}	4.6V
Inputs, V_I	-0.5V to V_{DD} + 0.5 V
Outputs, I_O (LVDS)	
Continuous Current	10mA
Surge Current	15mA
Package Thermal Impedance, θ_{JA}	101.7°C/W (0 mps)
Storage Temperature, T_{STG}	-65°C to 150°C

NOTE: Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. These ratings are stress specifications only. Functional operation of product at these conditions or any conditions beyond those listed in the *DC Characteristics* or *AC Characteristics* is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect product reliability.

TABLE 3A. POWER SUPPLY DC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 3.3V \pm 5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
V_{DD}	Core Supply Voltage		3.135	3.3	3.465	V
V_{DDA}	Analog Supply Voltage		3.135	3.3	3.465	V
I_{DD}	Power Supply Current			TBD		mA
I_{DDA}	Analog Supply Current			8		mA

TABLE 3B. POWER SUPPLY DC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 2.5V \pm 5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
V_{DD}	Core Supply Voltage		2.375	2.5	2.625	V
V_{DDA}	Analog Supply Voltage		2.375	2.5	2.625	V
I_{DD}	Power Supply Current			TBD		mA
I_{DDA}	Analog Supply Current			8		mA

TABLE 3C. LVCMOS/LVTTL DC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 3.3V \pm 5\%$ OR $2.5V \pm 5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

Symbol	Parameter		Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
V_{IH}	Input High Voltage		V_{DD} = 3.3V	2		V_{DD} + 0.3	V
			V_{DD} = 2.5V	1.7		V_{DD} + 0.3	V
V_{IL}	Input Low Voltage		V_{DD} = 3.3V	-0.3		0.8	V
			V_{DD} = 2.5V	-0.3		0.7	V
I_{IH}	Input High Current	OE	$V_{DD} = V_{IN}$ = 3.465V or 2.625V			5	µA
I_{IL}	Input Low Current	OE	V_{DD} = 3.465V or 2.625V, V_{IN} = 0V	-150			µA

TABLE 3D. LVDS DC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 3.3V \pm 5\%$ OR $2.5V \pm 5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
V_{OD}	Differential Output Voltage			350		mV
ΔV_{OD}	V_{OD} Magnitude Change			40		mV
V_{OS}	Offset Voltage			1.25		V
ΔV_{OS}	V_{OS} Magnitude Change			50		mV

NOTE: Please refer to Parameter Measurement Information for output information.

TABLE 3E. LVDS DC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 2.5V±5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
V_{OD}	Differential Output Voltage			350		mV
ΔV_{OD}	V_{OD} Magnitude Change			50		mV
V_{OS}	Offset Voltage			1.2		V
ΔV_{OS}	V_{OS} Magnitude Change			40		mV

NOTE: Please refer to Parameter Measurement Information for output information.

TABLE 4. CRYSTAL CHARACTERISTICS

Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Mode of Oscillation			Fundamental		
Frequency		24.5		34	MHz
Equivalent Series Resistance (ESR)				50	Ω
Shunt Capacitance				7	pF
Drive Level				1	mW

TABLE 5A. AC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 3.3V±5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
f_{OUT}	Output Frequency		245		340	MHz
*t*jit(Ø)	RMS Phase Jitter (Random); NOTE 1	250MHz @ Integration Range: 1.875MHz - 20MHz		0.38		ps
t_R / t_F	Output Rise/Fall Time	20% to 80%		260		ps
odc	Output Duty Cycle			50		%

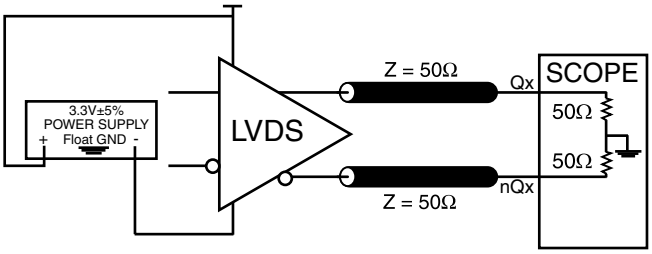
NOTE 1: Please refer to the Phase Noise Plots following this section.

TABLE 5B. AC CHARACTERISTICS, $V_{DD} = V_{DDA} = 2.5V±5\%$, T_A = -40°C TO 85°C

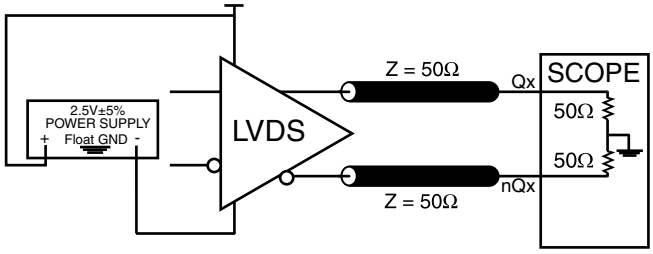
Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
f_{OUT}	Output Frequency		245		340	MHz
*t*jit(Ø)	RMS Phase Jitter (Random); NOTE 1	250MHz @ Integration Range: 1.875MHz - 20MHz		0.4		ps
t_R / t_F	Output Rise/Fall Time	20% to 80%		250		ps
odc	Output Duty Cycle			50		%

NOTE 1: Please refer to the Phase Noise Plots following this section.

PARAMETER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION



LVDS 3.3V OUTPUT LOAD AC TEST CIRCUIT



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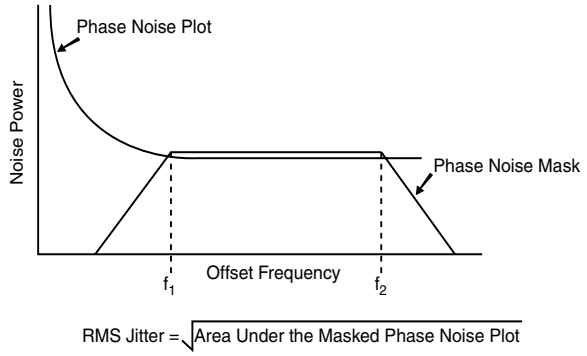
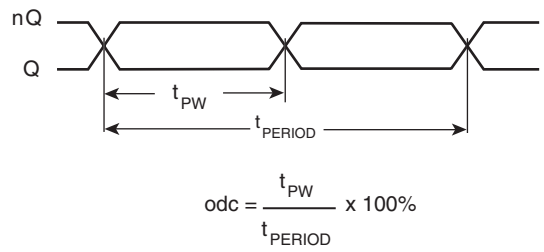
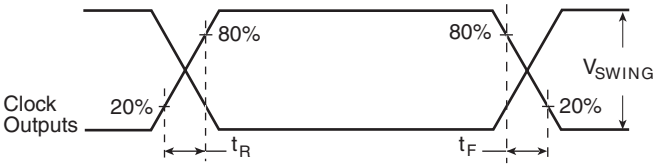


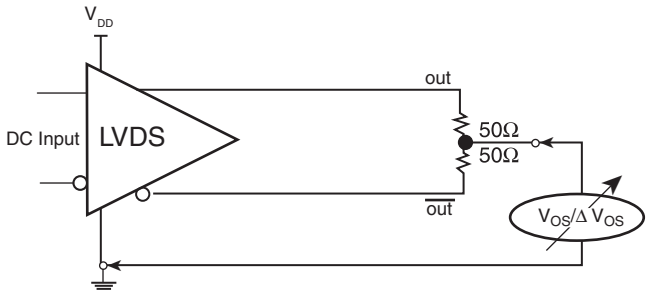
RMS PHASE JITTER



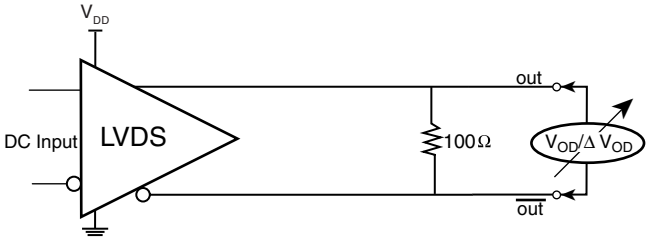
OUTPUT DUTY CYCLE/PULSE WIDTH/PERIOD



OUTPUT RISE/FALL TIME



OFFSET VOLTAGE SETUP



DIFFERENTIAL OUTPUT VOLTAGE SETUP

APPLICATION INFORMATION

POWER SUPPLY FILTERING TECHNIQUES

As in any high speed analog circuitry, the power supply pins are vulnerable to random noise. The ICS844023I provides separate power supplies to isolate any high switching noise from the outputs to the internal PLL. V_{DD} and V_{DDA} should be individually connected to the power supply plane through vias, and bypass capacitors should be used for each pin. To achieve optimum jitter performance, power supply isolation is required. *Figure 1* illustrates how a 10Ω resistor along with a 10µF and a .01µF bypass capacitor should be connected to each V_{DDA} pin.

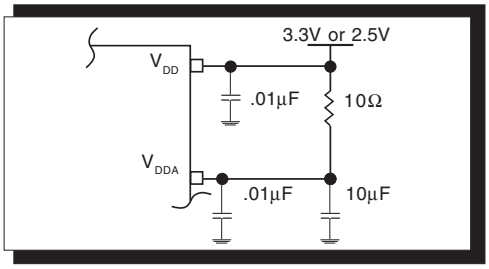


FIGURE 1. POWER SUPPLY FILTERING

CRYSTAL INPUT INTERFACE

The ICS844023I has been characterized with 18pF parallel resonant crystals. The capacitor values, C1 and C2, shown in *Figure 2* below were determined using a 25MHz, 18pF parallel resonant crystal and were chosen to minimize the ppm error. The optimum C1 and C2 values can be slightly adjusted for different board layouts.

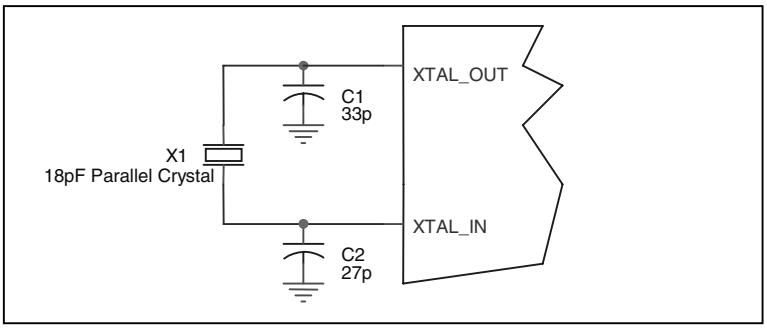


Figure 2. CRYSTAL INPUT INTERFACE

3.3V, 2.5V LVDS DRIVER TERMINATION

A general LVDS interface is shown in *Figure 3.* In a 100Ω differential transmission line environment, LVDS drivers require a matched load termination of 100Ω across near the receiver input. For a multiple LVDS outputs buffer, if only partial outputs are used, it is recommended to terminate the un-used outputs.

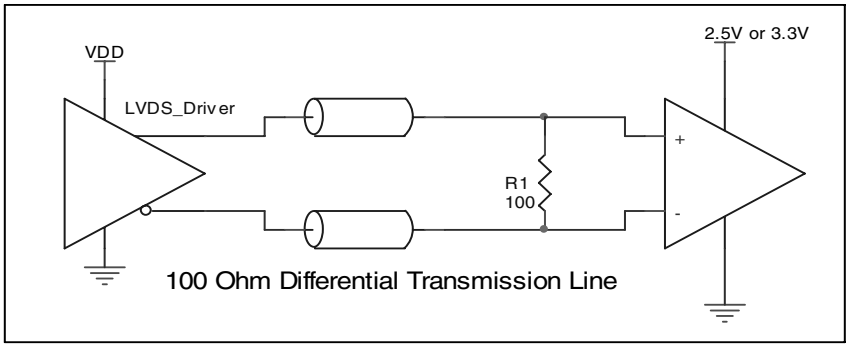


FIGURE 3. TYPICAL LVDS DRIVER TERMINATION

RELIABILITY INFORMATION

TABLE 6. θ_{JA} VS. AIR FLOW TABLE FOR 8 LEAD TSSOP

θ_{JA} by Velocity (Meters per Second)			
	0	**1**	**2.5**
Multi-Layer PCB, JEDEC Standard Test Boards	101.7°C/W	90.5°C/W	89.8°C/W

TRANSISTOR COUNT

The transistor count for ICS844023I is: 2519

PACKAGE OUTLINE - G SUFFIX FOR 8 LEAD TSSOP

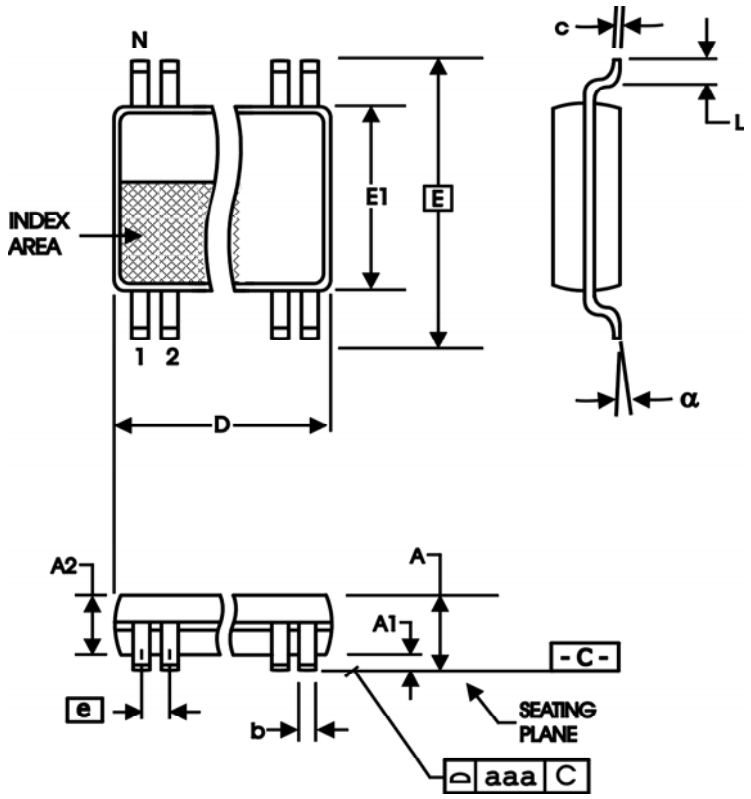


TABLE 7. PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

SYMBOL	Millimeters	
	Minimum	Maximum
N	8	
A	--	1.20
A1	0.05	0.15
A2	0.80	1.05
b	0.19	0.30
c	0.09	0.20
D	2.90	3.10
E	6.40 BASIC	
E1	4.30	4.50
e	0.65 BASIC	
L	0.45	0.75
α	0°	8°
aaa	--	0.10

Reference Document: JEDEC Publication 95, MO-153

TABLE 8. ORDERING INFORMATION

Part/Order Number	Marking	Package	Shipping Packaging	Temperature
ICS844023AGI	023AI	8 lead TSSOP	tube	-40°C to 85°C
ICS844023AGIT	023AI	8 lead TSSOP	2500 tape & reel	-40°C to 85°C
ICS844023AGI	TBD	8 lead "Lead-Free" TSSOP	tube	-40°C to 85°C
ICS844023AGIT	TBD	8 lead TSSOP	2500 tape & reel	-40°C to 85°C

NOTE: Parts that are ordered with an "LF" suffix to the part number are the Pb-Free configuration and are RoHS compliant.