

8-Digit Darlington Current Driver

ULN2803C

FEATURES

- 8 Darlington Arrays per Package
- 500 mA Rated Collector Current (Single Output)
- Output voltage 50V
- Output Clamp Diodes
- Input Compatible with Various Types of Logic
- Relay-Driver Applications
- Input pins placed opposite to output pins to simplify layout



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APPLICATION

- Relay Drivers
- Stepper and DC Brushed Motor Drivers
- Lamp Drivers
- Display Drivers
- Line Drivers
- Logic Buffers

ORDERING INFORMATION

Device	Package
ULN2803CD	SOP-20

DESCRIPTION

The ULN2803C is monolithic high-voltage, high-current Darlington transistor arrays. Each consists of eight NPN Darlington pairs that feature high-voltage outputs with common-cathode clamp diodes for switching inductive loads. The collector-current rating of a single Darlington pair is 500 mA. The Darlington pairs may be paralleled for higher current capability. Applications include relay drivers, hammer drivers, lamp drivers, display drivers (LED and gas discharge), line drivers, and logic buffers.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

CHARACTERISTIC	SYMBOL	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
Output Voltage	V_O	-	50	V
Input Voltage <small>(Note 2)</small>	V_I	-	30	V
Peak Collector Current	I_C	-	500	mA
Output Clamp Current	I_{OK}	-	500	mA
Total Emitter-Terminal Current	I_E	-	2.5	A
Maximum Junction Temperature	T_J	-	150	°C

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RECOMMENDED OPERATION CONDITIONS

CHARACTERISTIC	SYMBOL	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
Output Voltage	V_O	-	50	V
Junction Temperature	T_J	-40	125	°C
Operating Free-Air Temperature Range	T_A	-40	85	°C

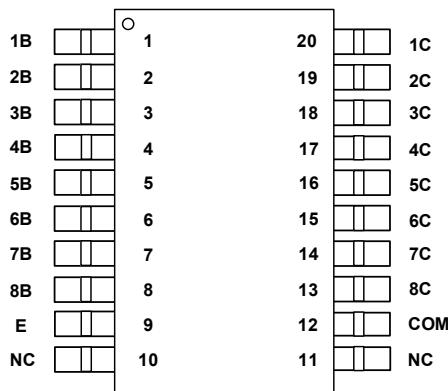
ORDERING INFORMATION

Package	Order No.	Description	Package Marking	Status
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PIN CONFIGURATION



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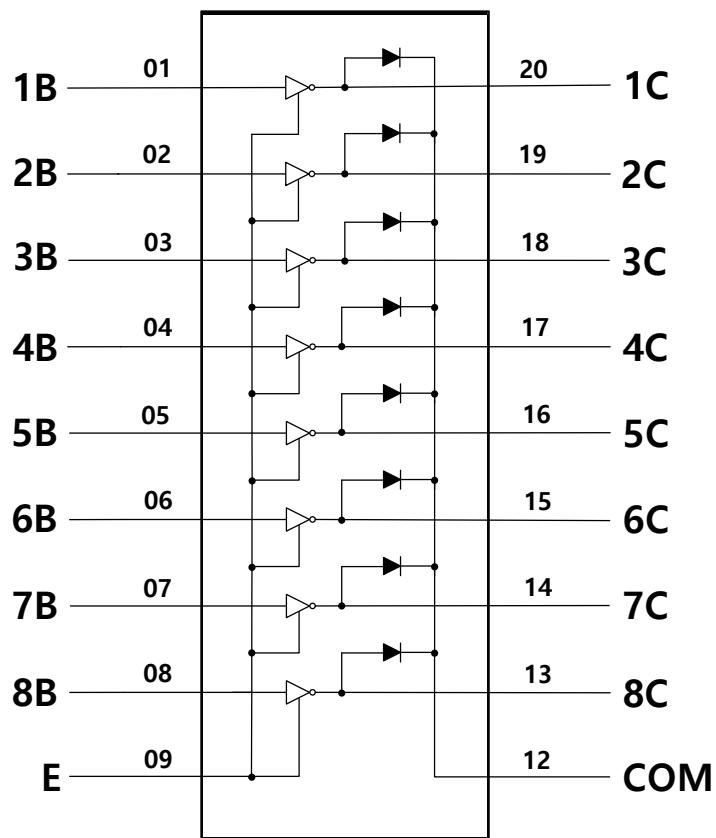
PIN DESCRIPTION

Pin No.	Pin Name	Pin Function
1	1B	Channel 1 through 8 Darlington Base Input
2	2B	
3	3B	
4	4B	
5	5B	
6	6B	
7	7B	
8	8B	
9	E	Common Emitter shared by All Channels
10	NC	No Connection
11	NC	No Connection
12	COM	Common Cathode Node for Flyback Diodes
13	8C	Channel 1 through 8 Darlington Collector Output
14	7C	
15	6C	
16	5C	
17	4C	
18	3C	
19	2C	
20	1C	

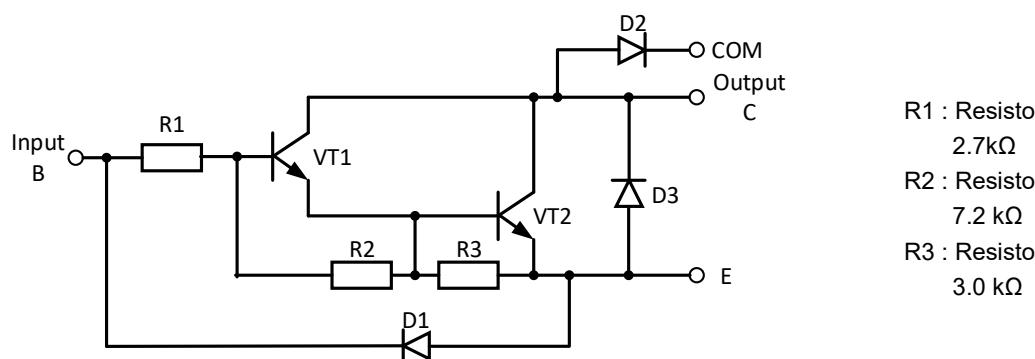
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PIN CONNECTION DIAGRAM



BLOCK DIAGRAM



R1 : Resistor
2.7kΩ
R2 : Resistor
7.2 kΩ
R3 : Resistor
3.0 kΩ

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Note 3)

Limits in standard typeface are for $T_J=25^\circ\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified.

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TEST FIGURE	TEST CONDITION		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
ON-State Input Voltage	$V_{I(ON)}$	Fig.1.	$V_{CE}=2\text{V}$	$I_C=200\text{mA}$	-	-	2.4	V
				$I_C=250\text{mA}$	-	-	2.7	
				$I_C=300\text{mA}$	-	-	3.0	
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{CE(SAT)}$	Fig. 2.	$I_I=250\mu\text{A}, I_C=100\text{mA}$		-	0.9	1.1	V
			$I_I=350\mu\text{A}, I_C=200\text{mA}$		-	1.0	1.3	
			$I_I=500\mu\text{A}, I_C=350\text{mA}$		-	1.2	1.6	
Output Leakage Current	I_{CEX}	Fig. 3. Fig. 4.	$V_{CE}=50\text{V},$	$I_I=0\text{mA}$	-	-	50	μA
			$V_{CE}=50\text{V}, T_A=85^\circ\text{C}$	$I_I=0\text{mA}$	-	-	100	
				$V_I=1\text{V}$	-	-	500	
Clamp Forward Voltage	V_F	Fig. 5.	$I_F=350\text{mA}$		-	1.7	2	V
Off-State Input Current	$I_{I(OFF)}$	Fig. 6.	$V_{CE}=50\text{V}, I_C=500\mu\text{A}, T_A=85^\circ\text{C}$		50	65	-	μA
Input Current	$I_{I(ON)}$	Fig. 7.	$V_I=3.85\text{V}$		-	-	1.35	mA
Clamp Diode Leakage Current	I_R	Fig. 8.	$V_R=50\text{V}$		-	-	50	μA
			$V_R=50\text{V}, T_A=85^\circ\text{C}$		-	-	100	
Turn-On Propagation Delay Time	t_{PLH}	-	$V_{OUT}=50\text{V}, R_L=125\Omega, C_L=15\text{pF}$		-	0.1		μs
Turn-Off Propagation Delay Time	t_{PHL}	-	$V_{OUT}=50\text{V}, R_L=125\Omega, C_L=15\text{pF}$		-	0.2		

Note 1. Stresses beyond those listed under *Absolute Maximum Ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under *Recommended Operating Conditions* is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

Note 2. All voltage values are with respect to the emitter/substrate terminal E, unless otherwise noted.

Note 3. The device is not guaranteed to function outside its operating ratings.

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PARAMETER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION

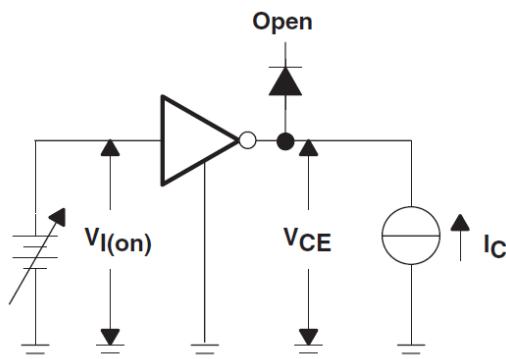


Fig. 1. ON-State Input Voltage Test Circuit

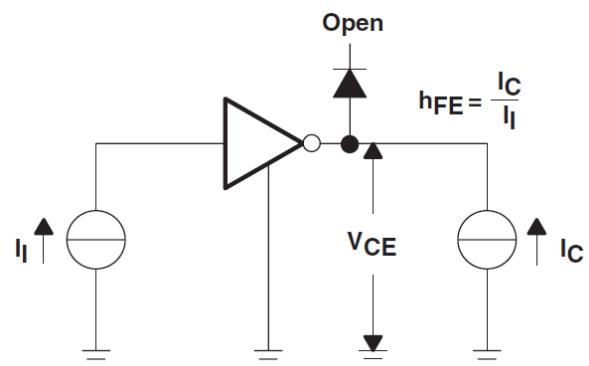


Fig. 2. Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage Test Circuit

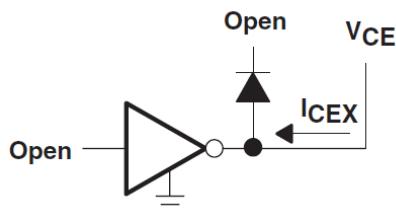


Fig. 3. Output Leakage Current Test Circuit

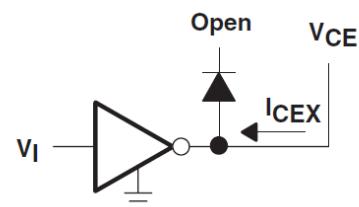


Fig. 4. Output Leakage Current Test Circuit

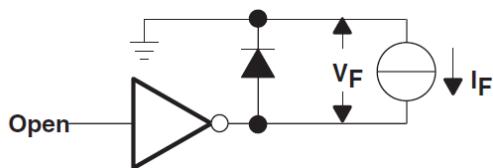


Fig. 5. Clamp Forward Voltage Test Circuit

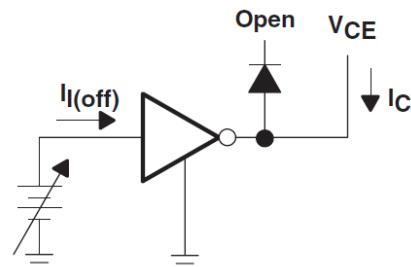


Fig. 6. Off-State Input Current Test Circuit

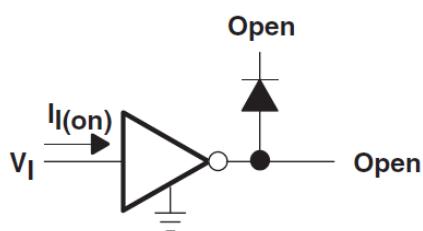


Fig. 7. Input Current Test Circuit

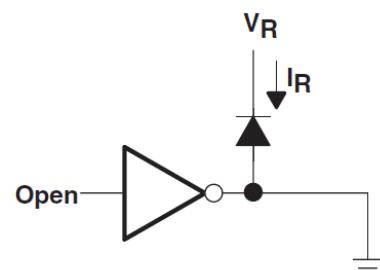


Fig. 8. Clamp Diode Leakage Current Test Circuit

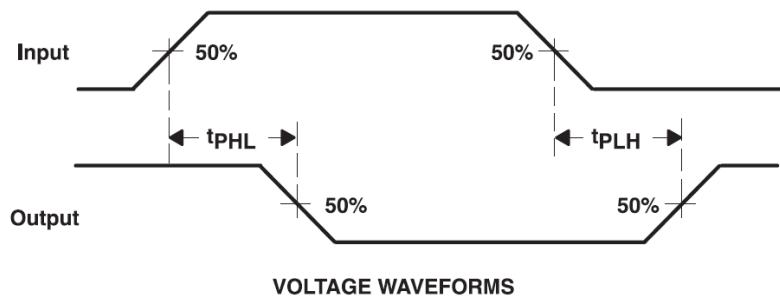


Fig. 9. Propagation Delay Time Waveform

APPLICATION INFORMATION

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TYPICAL OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

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REVISION NOTICE

The description in this datasheet is subject to change without any notice to describe its electrical characteristics properly.