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## LINE DRIVER

Universal converter of TTL, OC digital signals to differential TTL signals


## 1. General

Line driver is an Open Collector ( 5 V and 24 V ), Push Pull (5V and 24V) and High-Transistor Logic (24V) digital signals converter to differential signals (line drive type).

The device is mostly used for retrofitting of machines that have encoders or linear scales with OC, PP HTL output and a main controller requires differential signal.


Line Driver can be useful for devices not related to measurement systems as sometimes it is necessary to send fast 5 V or 24 V digital signals over long distance in a high-interference environment.

In CS-Lab's offer you will also find a Line Receiver - a system that has exactly opposite functions. Its main assumption is to change differential signal to TTL (5V) or OC signal (GND control).

Matching both systems (Line Driver + Line Receiver) you can send 5V or 24 V signals over long distances using differential signal which is highly resistant to interference.

## 2. System parameters

| INDEPENDENT CHANNELS NUMBER: | 8 |
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| VOLTAGE: | $12 \mathrm{~V}-24 \mathrm{~V}$ DC |
| MIN. CURRENT CONSUMED: | $15 \mathrm{~mA}(24 \mathrm{~V})$ |
| MAX. CURRENT CONSUMED: | $200 \mathrm{~mA}(24 \mathrm{~V})$ |
| MAX. FREQUENCY: | 6 MHz |
| MAX. LOAD OF 5V LINE: | 500 mA (multifuse type protection) |
| MAX. CURRENT OF DIFFERENTIAL OUTPUTS: | 20 mA |
| DIGITAL INPUTS CURRENT: | 10 mA for 24 V for 16 mA for 5 V |

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Line Driver's digital inputs were built basing on a fast optocoupler HCPL063 and an output system basing on DS26LS31 differential line transmitter. Moreover, a Line Driver was equipped with jumpers for selection of voltage for digital inputs. There is 5 V and 24 V .

The great advantage of the system are 5V power outputs, which can be used for encoders or linear scales power supplying. 5V power line was equipped with a 500 mA fuse - it is a reusable nonreplaceable fuse (Multifuse).

A differential output and GND, +5 V or 24 V shorting may cause its permanent damage.


Drawing 1: Line driver - description
A. Digital inputs ("+" is optocoupler's anode and "-" is cathode).
B. 5 V power output of an encoder or linear scale (max. load is 500 mA ).
C. Differential outputs.
D. 5 V power output - go to point B .
E. 24 V power input of the device.
F. Jumpers for selection of voltage for channel's digital inputs.
3. Sample connection schemes


Drawing 2. Encoder 24V PP-SE


Drawing 3: 24V HTL


Drawing 4: 5V PP-SE


Drawing 5: 5V OC


Drawing 6: 24 V plus control


Drawing 7: 5V plus control


Drawing 8: 24V gnd control


Drawing 9: 5V gnd control

