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## NTE2631 Integrated Circuit Quad Differential Line Driver

**Functional Description:**

The NTE2631 is a quad differential line driver constructed using Advanced Low-Power Schottky processing in a 16-Lead DIP type package designed for digital data transmission over balanced lines. This device meets all the requirements of EIA standard RS-422 and federal standard 1020 and is designed to provide unipolar differential drive to twisted-pair or parallel-wire transmission lines.

The NTE2631 provides an enable and disable function common to all four drivers and features 3-state outputs and logical OR-ed complementary enable inputs. The inputs are all LS compatible and are all one unit load.

**Features:**

- 2.0ns Output Skew Typical
- Operation from Single +5V Supply
- Output won't Load Line when  $V_{CC} = 0$
- Four Line Drivers in One Package for Maximum Package Density
- Output Short-Circuit Protection
- Complementary Outputs
- Meets the Requirements of EIA Standard RS-422
- High Output Drive Capability for 100Ω Terminated Transmission Lines
- Advanced Low-Power Schottky Processing

**Absolute Maximum Ratings:** (above which the useful life may be impaired)

Supply Voltage .....	7.0V
Input Voltage .....	7.0V
Output Voltage .....	5.5V
Storage Temperature Range .....	-65°C to +165°C

**Electrical Characteristics:** ( $V_{CC} = 5V \pm 5\%$ ,  $T_A = 0^\circ$  to  $+70^\circ C$ , Note 1 unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Output HIGH Voltage	$V_{OH}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Min}$ , $I_{OH} = -20\text{mA}$	2.5	3.2	–	V
Output LOW Voltage	$V_{OL}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Min}$ , $I_{OL} = 20\text{mA}$	–	0.32	0.5	V
Input HIGH Voltage	$V_{IH}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Min}$	2.0	–	–	V
Input LOW Voltage	$V_{IL}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$	–	–	0.8	V
Input LOW Current	$I_{IL}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ , $V_{IN} = 0.4V$	–	-0.20	-0.36	mA
Input HIGH Current	$I_{IH}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ , $V_{IN} = 2.7V$	–	0.5	20	$\mu A$
Input Reverse Current	$I_I$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ , $V_{IN} = 7.0V$	–	0.001	0.1	mA
Off-State (High Impedance) Output Current	$I_O$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ , $V_O = 5.5V$	–	0.5	20	$\mu A$
		$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ , $V_O = 0.5V$	–	0.5	-20	$\mu A$
Input Clamp Voltage	$V_I$	$V_{CC} = \text{Min}$ , $I_{IN} = 18\text{mA}$	–	-0.8	-1.5	V
Output Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$	-30	-60	-150	mA
Power Supply Current	$I_{CC}$	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ , all outputs disabled	–	60	80	mA
Input to Output	$t_{PLH}$	$V_{CC} = 5V$ , $T_A = +25^\circ C$ , Load = Note 2	–	12	20	ns
	$t_{PHL}$		–	12	20	ns
Output to Output	SKEW		–	2.0	6.0	ns
Enable to Output	$t_{LZ}$	$V_{CC} = 5V$ , $T_A = +25^\circ C$ , $C_L = 10\text{pF}$	–	23	35	ns
	$t_{HZ}$		–	17	30	ns
	$t_{ZL}$	$V_{CC} = 5V$ , $T_A = +25^\circ C$ , Load = Note 2	–	35	45	ns
	$t_{ZH}$		–	30	40	ns

Note 1. All typical values are  $V_{CC} = 5V$ ,  $T_A = +25^\circ C$ .

Note 2.  $C_L = 30\text{pF}$ ,  $V_{IN} = 1.3V$  to  $V_{OUT} = 1.3V$ ,  $V_{PULSE} = 0V$  to  $+3.0V$ .

### Pin Connection Diagram

