

# TCA9800 レベル変換I<sup>2</sup>Cバス・バッファリピータ

## 1 特長

- 2チャンネルの双方向バッファ
- B側に電流ソースを内蔵し、外付けのB側抵抗が不要
- 超低消費電力
- 静的電圧オフセットなし、低V<sub>OL</sub>
- I<sup>2</sup>Cバスおよび SMBus 互換
- A側の動作電源電圧範囲：0.8V～3.6V
- B側の動作電源電圧範囲：1.65V～3.6V
- アクティブ HIGH のリピータ・イネーブル入力
- 電源オフ時、A側のI<sup>2</sup>Cバスのピンは高インピーダンス
- 電源オフ時、I<sup>2</sup>Cバスのピンのバック・パワー保護
- クロック・ストレッチングおよびマルチマスタ調停のサポート
- 電流ソースの0.5mAから3mAまでのオプションをファミリーとして用意

## 2 アプリケーション

- サーバー
- ルーター (ルーティング機器)
- 産業用機器
- パーソナル・コンピュータ
- 電力検出アプリケーション

## 3 概要

TCA9800は、デュアル・チャンネルの双方向バッファで、I<sup>2</sup>CバスおよびSMBus/PMBusのシステム用に設計されています。低電圧(最低0.8V)と高電圧(1.65V～3.6V)との間で、双方向のレベル・シフト(上方変換および下方変換)を行います。TCA9800はデバイスのB側に内部電流ソースがあるため、B側の外付けプルアップ抵抗を取り除くことができます。この電流ソースにより、立ち上がり時間の短縮と、非常に低い消費電力も実現されています。

TCA9800は、静的な電圧オフセットや増分的オフセットを使用せずに、真のバッファリング(パスFETソリューションではなく)を提供できます。すなわち、TCA9800のAおよびB側の両方でV<sub>OL</sub>が非常に低く(約0.2V)、固定V<sub>IL</sub>スレッショルドの結果として通信の問題が発生することを防止するため役立ちます。TCA9800の他の主要な特長は、電源シーケンスの要件や、電源の依存性が存在しないことです。V<sub>CCA</sub>はV<sub>CCB</sub>よりも大きくても、小さくても、同じでもかまいません。このためシステム設計者は、TCA9800を柔軟に使用できます。

TCA9800は、それぞれ電流ソース強度の異なる4つのデバイスからなるファミリーの1つです(デバイス比較表を参照)。

### 製品情報<sup>(1)</sup>

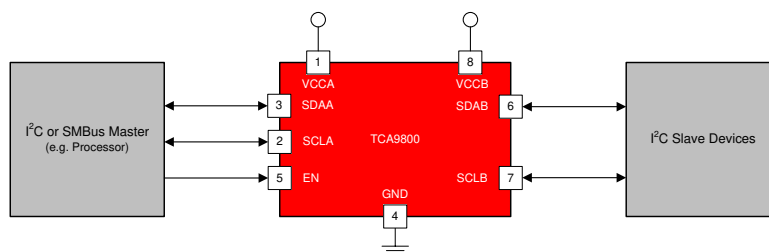
| 型番      | パッケージ     | 本体サイズ(公称)     |
|---------|-----------|---------------|
| TCA9800 | VSSOP (8) | 3.00mm×3.00mm |

(1) 利用可能なすべてのパッケージについては、このデータシートの末尾にある注文情報を参照してください。

### デバイスの比較

| 型番      | I <sub>CS</sub> : 電流ソースの値(標準値) |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| TCA9800 | 0.54mA                         |
| TCA9801 | 1.1mA                          |
| TCA9802 | 2.2mA                          |
| TCA9803 | 3.3mA                          |

### 概略回路図



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## 4 改訂履歴

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added last sentence: "When enable is a logic LOW while VCCB is powered on, the internal current source on B side is still enabled...." to the <i>Active-High Repeater Enable Input</i> section.....</li> </ul> | 12   |

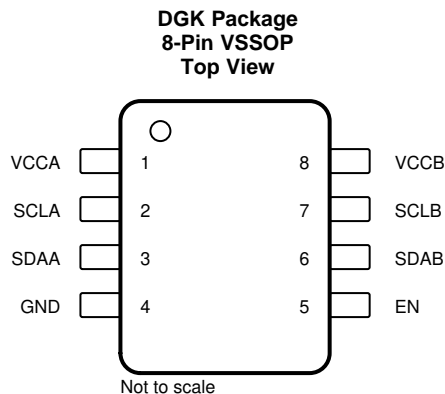
  

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Updated I<sub>CS</sub> typical values in <i>Device Comparison Table</i>.....</li> </ul> | 3    |

## 5 Device Comparison Table

| Part Number | I <sub>CS</sub> : Current Source Value (Typical) |
|-------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| TCA9800     | 0.54 mA                                          |
| TCA9801     | 1.1 mA                                           |
| TCA9802     | 2.2 mA                                           |
| TCA9803     | 3.3 mA                                           |

## 6 Pin Configuration and Functions



### Pin Functions

| PIN |      | TYPE   | DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                             |
|-----|------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| NO. | NAME |        |                                                                                                                                         |
| 1   | VCCA | Supply | A-side supply voltage (0.8 V to 3.6 V)                                                                                                  |
| 2   | SCLA | I/O    | Serial clock bus, A-side. Connect to V <sub>CCA</sub> through a pull-up resistor, even if unused                                        |
| 3   | SDAA | I/O    | Serial data bus, A-side. Connect to V <sub>CCA</sub> through a pull-up resistor, even if unused                                         |
| 4   | GND  | —      | Ground                                                                                                                                  |
| 5   | EN   | I      | Active-high repeater enable input, referenced to V <sub>CCA</sub>                                                                       |
| 6   | SDAB | I/O    | Serial data bus, B-side. Do NOT connect to V <sub>CCB</sub> through a pull-up resistor for proper operation. If unused, leave floating  |
| 7   | SCLB | I/O    | Serial clock bus, B-side. Do NOT connect to V <sub>CCB</sub> through a pull-up resistor for proper operation. If unused, leave floating |
| 8   | VCCB | Supply | B-side and device supply voltage (1.65 V to 3.6 V)                                                                                      |

## 7 Specifications

### 7.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)<sup>(1)</sup>

|                                |                                                   | MIN  | MAX | UNIT |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|------|-----|------|
| V <sub>CCA</sub>               | Supply voltage on A-side                          | -0.5 | 4   | V    |
| V <sub>CCB</sub>               | Supply voltage on B-side                          | -0.5 | 4   | V    |
| V <sub>EN</sub>                | Enable input voltage                              | -0.5 | 4   | V    |
| V <sub>I/O</sub>               | I <sup>2</sup> C bus voltage                      | -0.5 | 4   | V    |
| I <sub>OL</sub>                | Maximum SDAA, SCLA I <sub>OL</sub> current        |      | 20  | mA   |
| I <sub>IK</sub>                | Input clamp current (SDAB/SCLB)                   |      | -20 | mA   |
|                                | Input clamp current (EN, VCCA, VCCB, SDAA, SCLA)  |      | -20 | mA   |
| I <sub>OK</sub>                | Output clamp current (SDAB/SCLB)                  |      | -20 | mA   |
|                                | Output clamp current (EN, VCCA, VCCB, SDAA, SCLA) |      | -20 | mA   |
| Operating junction temperature | T <sub>J</sub>                                    |      | 130 | °C   |
| Storage temperature            | T <sub>stg</sub>                                  | -60  | 150 | °C   |

(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.

### 7.2 ESD Ratings

|                    |                         | VALUE                                                                                    | UNIT  |
|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| V <sub>(ESD)</sub> | Electrostatic discharge | Human body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001, all pins <sup>(1)</sup>              | ±2000 |
|                    |                         | Charged device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101, all pins <sup>(2)</sup> | ±1000 |

(1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

(2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

### 7.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

|                  |                                | MIN        | MAX | UNIT |
|------------------|--------------------------------|------------|-----|------|
| T <sub>A</sub>   | Operating free-air temperature | -40        | 125 | °C   |
| V <sub>CCA</sub> | Supply voltage                 | 0.8        | 3.6 | V    |
| V <sub>CCB</sub> | Supply voltage                 | 1.65       | 3.6 | V    |
| V <sub>I/O</sub> | Input-output voltage           | SDAA, SCLA | 0   | 3.6  |
|                  |                                | SDAB, SCLB | 0   | 3.6  |
|                  |                                | EN         | 0   | 3.6  |

### 7.4 Thermal Information

| THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup> |                                              | TCA9800     | UNIT |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------|------|
|                               |                                              | DGK (VSSOP) |      |
|                               |                                              | 8 PINS      |      |
| R <sub>θJA</sub>              | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance       | 174.1       | °C/W |
| R <sub>θJC(top)</sub>         | Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance    | 85          | °C/W |
| R <sub>θJB</sub>              | Junction-to-board thermal resistance         | 104.4       | °C/W |
| Ψ <sub>JT</sub>               | Junction-to-top characterization parameter   | 18.3        | °C/W |
| Ψ <sub>JB</sub>               | Junction-to-board characterization parameter | 102.8       | °C/W |

(1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the [Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics](#) application report.

## 7.5 Electrical Characteristics

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                         |                                                   | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                             | MIN                                                                   | TYP <sup>(1)</sup> | MAX                    | UNIT |     |   |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------|-----|---|
| <b>OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>     |                                                   |                                                                                                             |                                                                       |                    |                        |      |     |   |
| V <sub>OL</sub>                   | Low-level output voltage                          | SDAA, SCLA                                                                                                  | I <sub>OL</sub> = 6 mA, V <sub>ILB</sub> = 0 V                        |                    | 0.04                   | 0.13 | V   |   |
|                                   |                                                   | SDAB, SCLB                                                                                                  | V <sub>IA</sub> = 0 V                                                 |                    | 0.22                   | 0.26 |     |   |
| I <sub>EXT-I</sub> <sup>(2)</sup> | Allowed input leakage current of I <sub>CS</sub>  | SDAB, SCLB                                                                                                  | 0                                                                     |                    | 200                    | μA   |     |   |
| I <sub>EXT-O</sub> <sup>(2)</sup> | Allowed output leakage current of I <sub>CS</sub> | SDAB, SCLB                                                                                                  | 0                                                                     |                    | 100                    | μA   |     |   |
| I <sub>CS</sub>                   | Current source value                              |                                                                                                             |                                                                       | 0.54               |                        | mA   |     |   |
|                                   | Current source tolerance                          |                                                                                                             | -25                                                                   |                    | 25                     | %    |     |   |
| <b>INPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>      |                                                   |                                                                                                             |                                                                       |                    |                        |      |     |   |
| R <sub>EN</sub>                   | Enable pin pull-up                                |                                                                                                             | 150                                                                   | 250                | 450                    | kΩ   |     |   |
| V <sub>IH</sub>                   | High-level input voltage                          | SDAA, SCLA                                                                                                  | 0.7 × V <sub>CCA</sub>                                                |                    | V <sub>CCA</sub>       | V    |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   | SDAB, SCLB <sup>(3)</sup>                                                                                   | 0.7 × V <sub>CCB</sub>                                                |                    | V <sub>CCB</sub>       |      |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   | EN                                                                                                          | 0.7 × V <sub>CCA</sub>                                                |                    | V <sub>CCA</sub>       |      |     |   |
| V <sub>IL</sub>                   | Low-level input voltage                           | SDAA, SCLA                                                                                                  | 0                                                                     |                    | 0.3 × V <sub>CCA</sub> | V    |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   | SDAB, SCLB <sup>(4)</sup> (3)                                                                               | 0                                                                     |                    | 0.3 × V <sub>CCB</sub> |      |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   | EN                                                                                                          | 0                                                                     |                    | 0.3 × V <sub>CCA</sub> |      |     |   |
| I <sub>IILC</sub>                 | Low-level input current contention                | SDAB, SCLB <sup>(4)</sup>                                                                                   | 300                                                                   |                    |                        | μA   |     |   |
| R <sub>IILC</sub>                 | Low-level allowed pull-down resistance            | SDAB, SCLB <sup>(3)</sup>                                                                                   |                                                                       |                    | 150                    | Ω    |     |   |
| C <sub>BUS</sub>                  | Bus capacitance limit                             | SDAB, SCLB <sup>(5)</sup>                                                                                   | 0                                                                     |                    | 400                    | pF   |     |   |
| <b>DC CHARACTERISTICS</b>         |                                                   |                                                                                                             |                                                                       |                    |                        |      |     |   |
| UVLO                              | Under-voltage lock out                            | V <sub>CCA</sub>                                                                                            | V <sub>CCA</sub> rising and falling; V <sub>CCB</sub> = 1.65 or 3.6 V |                    | 0.3                    | 0.55 | 0.8 | V |
|                                   |                                                   | V <sub>CCB</sub>                                                                                            | V <sub>CCB</sub> rising; V <sub>CCA</sub> = 0.8 or 3.6 V              |                    | 1.3                    | 1.51 | 1.6 |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCB</sub> falling; V <sub>CCA</sub> = 0.8 or 3.6 V             |                    | 1.2                    | 1.4  | 1.6 |   |
| I <sub>CCA</sub>                  | Quiescent supply current for V <sub>CCA</sub>     | SDAA = SCLA = V <sub>CCA</sub> or GND, SDAB = SCLB = open, EN = V <sub>CCA</sub>                            | V <sub>CCA</sub> = 0.8 V                                              |                    | 0.1                    | 7    | μA  |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCA</sub> = 1.8 V                                              |                    | 0.1                    | 8    |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCA</sub> = 2.5 V                                              |                    | 0.2                    | 9    |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCA</sub> = 3.6 V                                              |                    | 0.2                    | 12   |     |   |
| I <sub>CCB</sub>                  | Quiescent supply current for V <sub>CCB</sub>     | Both channels high, SDAA = SCLA = pulled up to V <sub>CCA</sub> , SDAB = SCLB = open, EN = V <sub>CCA</sub> | V <sub>CCB</sub> = 1.8 V                                              |                    | 16                     | 40   | μA  |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCB</sub> = 2.5 V                                              |                    | 19                     | 44   |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCB</sub> = 3.6 V                                              |                    | 24                     | 52   | mA  |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCB</sub> = 1.8 V                                              |                    | 1.2                    | 1.6  |     |   |
|                                   |                                                   |                                                                                                             | V <sub>CCB</sub> = 2.5 V                                              |                    | 1.2                    | 1.6  |     |   |
| V <sub>CCB</sub> = 3.6 V          |                                                   | 1.2                                                                                                         | 1.7                                                                   |                    |                        |      |     |   |

(1) All typical values are at nominal supply voltage (1.8 V) and T<sub>A</sub> = 25 °C unless otherwise specified.

(2) SDAB, SCLB may not sink current from external sources. It is required that no source of external current be used on these pins for proper device operation due to the internal current source.

(3) Parameter specified by design. Not tested in production.

(4) V<sub>IL</sub> specification is for the first low-level seen by the SDAB and SCLB pins. I<sub>IILC</sub> must also be satisfied in order to be interpreted as a low.

(5) SDAB, SCLB have a maximum supported capacitive load for device operation. If this load capacitance maximum is violated, the device does not function properly. SDAA, SCLA have no maximum capacitance limit.

## Electrical Characteristics (continued)

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER           |                                | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                          | MIN                                                              | TYP <sup>(1)</sup> | MAX      | UNIT          |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------|---------------|
| $I_{CCA} + I_{CCB}$ | Total quiescent supply current | $V_{CCA} = V_{CCB} = 1.8\text{ V}$ ,<br>$SDAA/SCLA = V_{CCA}$ ,<br>$SDAB/SCLB = V_{CCB}$ |                                                                  | 18                 |          | $\mu\text{A}$ |
| $I_I$               | Input leakage current          | SDAA, SCLA                                                                               | $V_I = V_{CCA}$ , EN = GND                                       |                    | $\pm 10$ | $\mu\text{A}$ |
|                     |                                |                                                                                          | $V_I = \text{GND}$ , EN = GND                                    |                    | $\pm 10$ |               |
|                     |                                | SDAB, SCLB                                                                               | $V_{CCB} = 0\text{ V}$ , $V_I = 3.6\text{ V}$                    |                    | $\pm 10$ |               |
| $C_{IO}$            | I/O Capacitance                | SDAA, SCLA                                                                               | $V_I = 0\text{ V}$ or $3.3\text{ V}$ , $f = 1\text{ MHz}$        | 2                  | 10       | $\text{pF}$   |
|                     |                                | SDAB, SCLB                                                                               | $V_{CCB} = \text{GND}$ , $V_I = 0\text{ V}$ , $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ | 8                  |          |               |

## 7.6 Timing Requirements

| PARAMETER             |                               | MIN                               | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----|-----|------|
| $f_{SCL(\text{MAX})}$ | Max SCL clock frequency       | 100                               |     |     | kHz  |
| $t_r^{(1)}$           | Rise time                     | Port A                            | 57  | 70  | ns   |
|                       |                               | Port B; $V_{CCB} = 1.65\text{ V}$ | 66  | 110 |      |
|                       |                               | Port B; $V_{CCB} = 2.5\text{ V}$  | 100 | 170 |      |
|                       |                               | Port B; $V_{CCB} = 3.6\text{ V}$  | 144 | 270 |      |
| $t_f^{(1)}$           | Fall time                     | Port A                            | 9   | 30  | ns   |
|                       |                               | Port B                            | 35  | 85  |      |
| $t_{PHL}^{(1)}$       | Propagation delay high-to-low | Port A to Port B                  | 75  | 200 | ns   |
|                       |                               | Port B to Port A                  | 85  | 250 |      |
| $t_{PLH}^{(1)}$       | Propagation delay low-to-high | Port A to Port B                  | 40  | 150 | ns   |
|                       |                               | Port B to Port A                  | 100 | 350 |      |

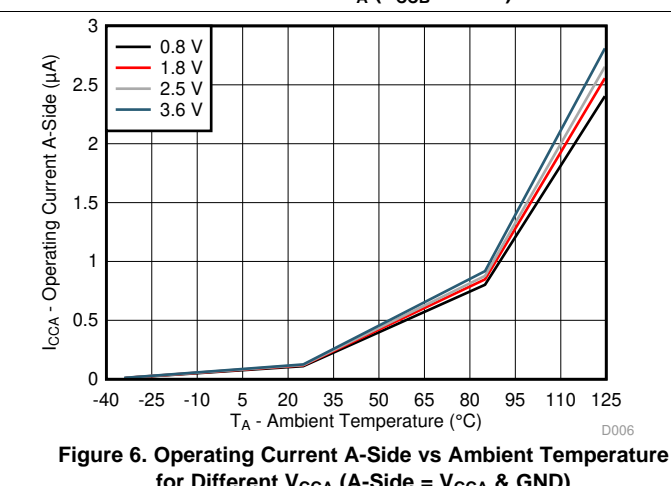
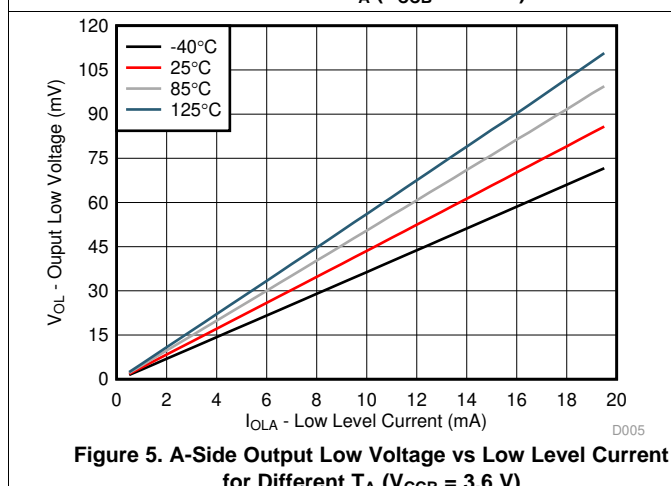
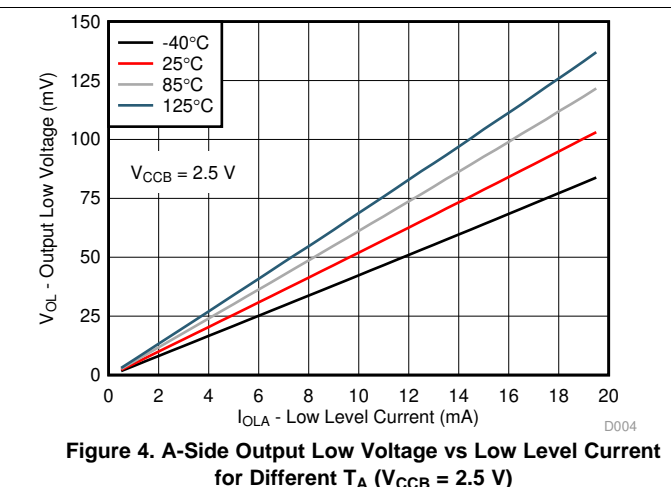
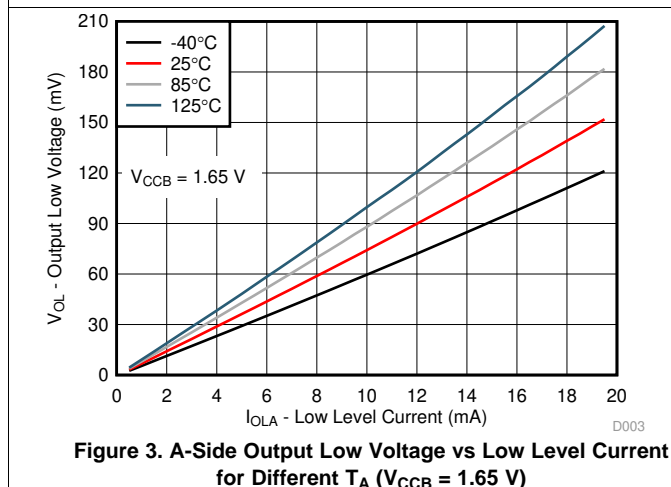
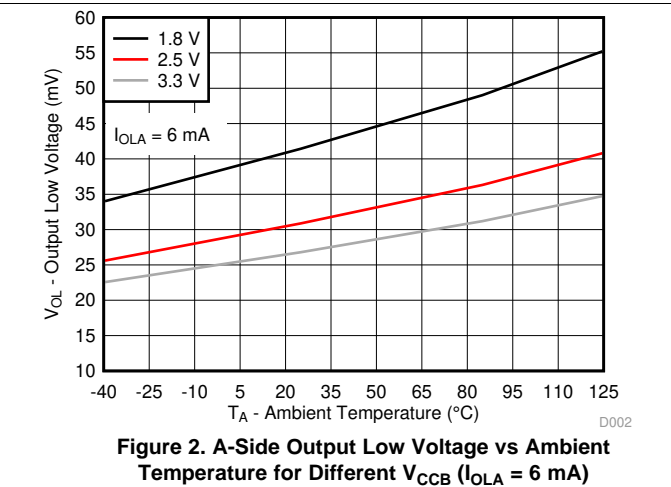
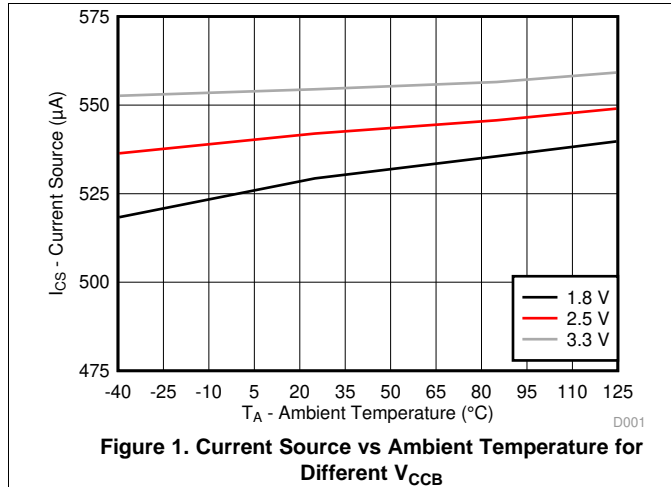
(1) Times are specified with loads of 1.35 k $\Omega$  and 50 pF on A-side and 50 pF on B-side. Different load resistance and capacitance alter the rise and fall times, thereby changing the propagation delay.

## 7.7 Switching Characteristics

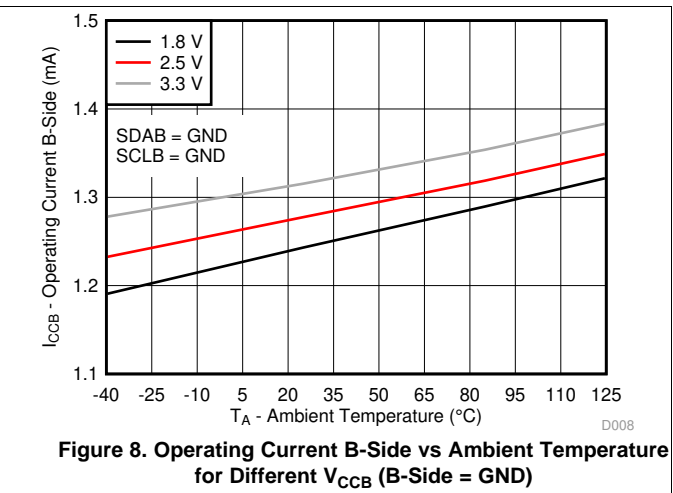
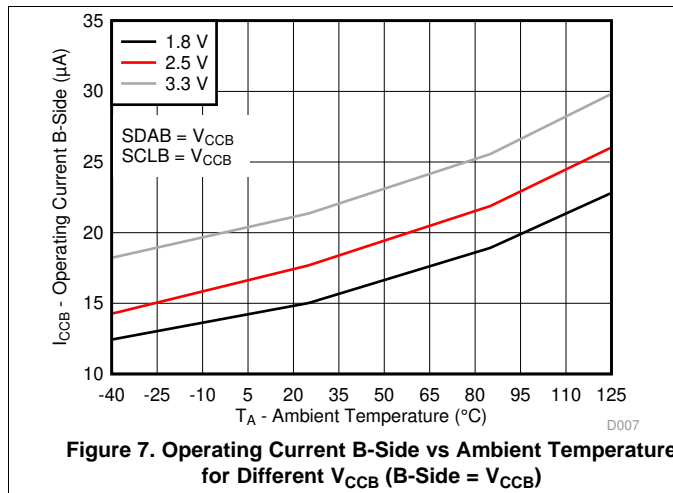
over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER            |              | MIN | TYP | MAX  | UNIT          |
|----------------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|---------------|
| $t_{\text{startup}}$ | Startup time |     | 72  | 340  | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_{\text{en}}$      | Enable time  |     | 280 | 1000 | ns            |
| $t_{\text{dis}}$     | Disable time |     | 740 | 1800 | ns            |

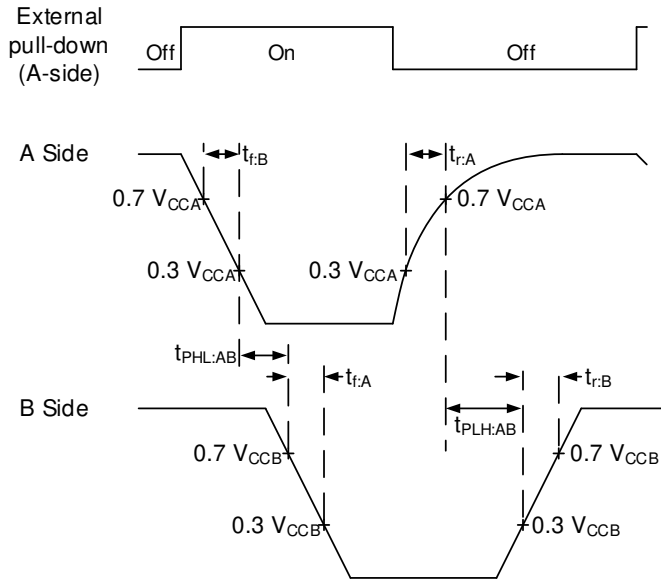
## 7.8 Typical Characteristics



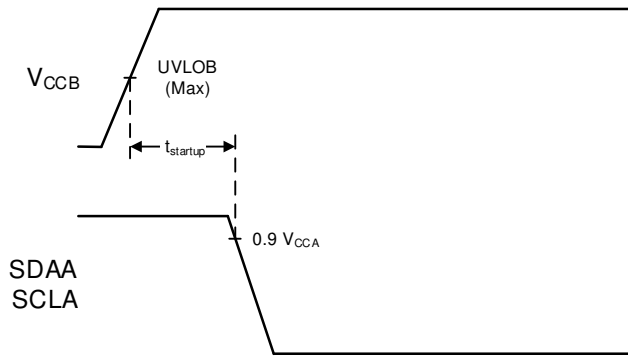
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## 8 Parameter Measurement Information

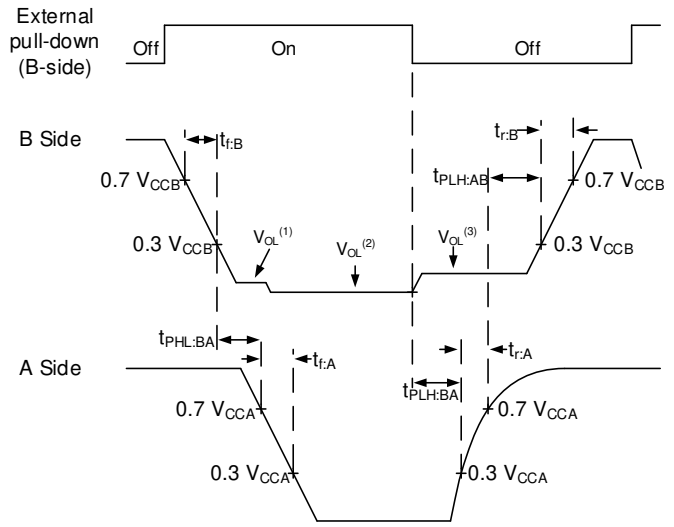


**Figure 9. Propagation Delay and Transition Times for A-Side to B-Side**



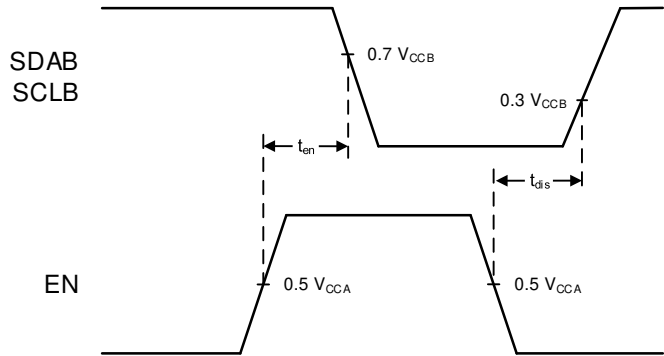
1)  $V_{CCA}$  is powered, SDAB/SCLB are connected to GND

**Figure 11. Startup Time ( $t_{startup}$ )**



- 1) The  $V_{OL}$  of only the external device, pulling down on the bus
- 2) The  $V_{OL}$  of both the external device and the TCA980x translator
- 3) The  $V_{OL}$  of only the TCA980x, after the external device releases

**Figure 10. Propagation Delay for B-Side to A-Side**



1)  $V_{CCA}$  is powered, SDAA/SCLA are connected to GND

**Figure 12. Enable and Disable Time ( $t_{en}$  and  $t_{dis}$ )**

## 9 Detailed Description

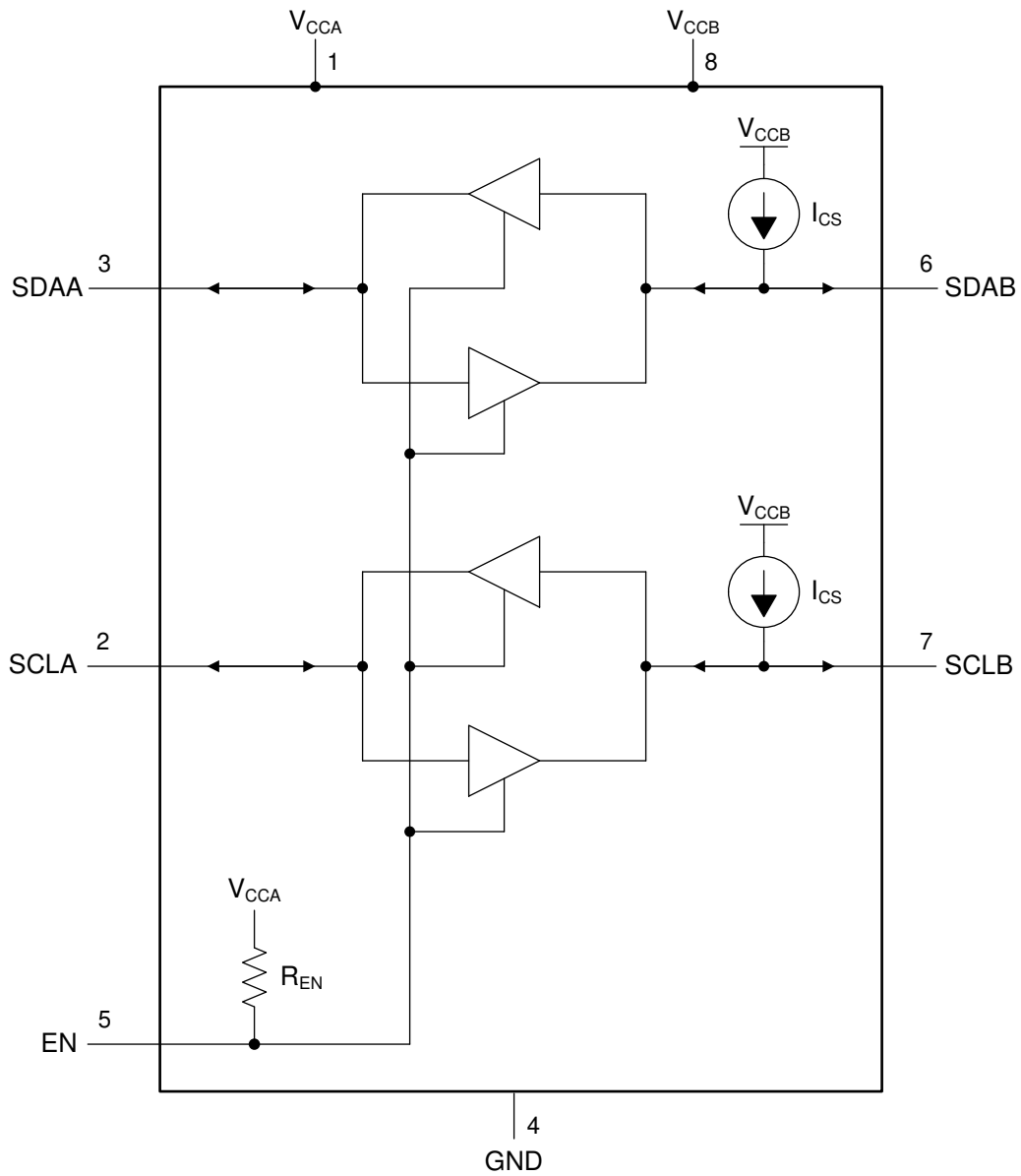
### 9.1 Overview

The TCA9800 is a dual-channel bidirectional buffer intended for I<sup>2</sup>C bus and SMBus/PMBus systems. It provides bidirectional level shifting (up-translation and down-translation) between low voltages (down to 0.8 V) and higher voltages (1.65 V to 3.6 V). The TCA9800 features an internal current source on the B-side of the device, allowing the removal of external pull-up resistors on the B-side. The current source also provides an improved rise time and ultra-low power consumption.

The TCA9800 is able to provide true buffering (rather than a pass-FET solution) without using a static voltage offset or incremental offset. This means that the  $V_{OL}$  on both the A and B sides of the TCA9800 are very low (approximately 0.2 V), helping to eliminate communication issues as a result of fixed  $V_{IL}$  thresholds. Another key feature of the TCA9800 is that there are no power sequencing requirements, or power supply dependencies.  $V_{CCA}$  can be greater than, less than, or equal to  $V_{CCB}$ . This gives the system designer flexibility with how the TCA9800 is used.

The TCA9800 is part of a four device family with varying current source strengths (see the [Device Comparison Table](#)).

## 9.2 Functional Block Diagram



For proper device operation, no external current sources (pull-up resistors) must be used on the SDAB and SCLB ports

## 9.3 Feature Description

### 9.3.1 Integrated Current Source

The TCA980x family has an integrated current source on the B side. By using an integrated current source, the device is able to measure current to determine if an external device is pulling down on the bus or not. This innovative detection method removes the need for a static voltage offset on the B side.

### 9.3.2 Ultra-Low Power Consumption

The TCA980x family features ultra low power consumption, to help maximum battery life, or cut down on power dissipation in sensitive applications.

### 9.3.3 No Static-Voltage Offset

The TCA980x family has no static-voltage offset, which are commonly used in buffered translators to prevent a device lock-up situation where the buffer's own output low could trip the input low threshold. The removal of the static voltage offset is significant because it allows the device to have low a low  $V_{OL}$  on the B side, which helps prevents communication issues that arise from connecting a static-voltage offset output device to an input with an input low threshold which is below the static voltage  $V_{OL}$ .

### 9.3.4 Active-High Repeater Enable Input

The TCA980x has an active-high enable (EN) input with an internal pull-up to VCCA, which allows the user to select when the repeater is active. This can be used to isolate a badly behaved slave on power-up reset. The EN input must change state only when the global bus and repeater port are in an idle state, to prevent system or communication failures. When enable is a logic LOW while VCCB is powered on, the internal current source on B side is still enabled. The enable pin does not disable the internal current source.

### 9.3.5 Powered Off High Impedance I<sup>2</sup>C Bus Pins on A-Side

The SCLA and SDAA pins enter a high impedance state when either VCCA or VCCB fall below their UVLO voltages. These pins are safe to continue having I<sup>2</sup>C communication on, even when the device is disabled or has no power.

The SCLB and SDAB pins remain powered by their current source ( $I_{CS}$ ), even when VCCA is below UVLO. When VCCB falls below UVLO, the current source turns off, and a weak pull-up is connected to prevent the B-pins from floating. This is intended behavior, because no external pull-up resistors are to be used on the SDAB or SCLB pins. This behavior prevents the bus pins from floating, and allows it to follow VCCB.

### 9.3.6 Powered-Off Back-Power Protection for I<sup>2</sup>C Bus Pins

All I<sup>2</sup>C bus pins have protection circuitry to prevent current from flowing to the VCC pins from the I<sup>2</sup>C bus pins.

### 9.3.7 Clock Stretching and Multiple Master Arbitration Support

The TCA980x family supports clock stretching and multiple master arbitration methods, and helps to minimize overshoot during these hand offs between master and slave (or multiple masters).

## 9.4 Device Functional Modes

Table 1 shows the TCA980x function table.

**Table 1. Enable Function Table**

| INPUT EN | FUNCTION                   |
|----------|----------------------------|
| L        | Outputs disabled           |
| H        | SDAA = SDAB<br>SCLA = SCLB |

Table 2 lists the TCA980x B-Side current source functions.

**Table 2. B-Side Current Source Function Table**

| VCCB | FUNCTION                                                                       |
|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| L    | Current sources disabled, weak pull-up is connected with back-power protection |
| H    | Current sources enabled                                                        |

### 9.4.1 Device Operation Considerations

#### 9.4.1.1 B-Side Input Low ( $V_{IL}/I_{ILC}/R_{ILC}$ )

The TCA980x family utilizes the current source on the B side to determine whether an external device is driving the bus low, or if it is driving the bus low itself. As such, there are some parameters that must be met to ensure a successful transmission of a low from the B-side to the A-side. These parameters are listed in Table 3.

**Table 3. B-side Input Low-Level Parameters**

| PARAMETER                                        | SHORT DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                         | DETAILED INFORMATION                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| $V_{IL}$ Low-level input voltage                 | The input voltage that is interpreted as a low. On the B-side, $I_{ILC}$ must also be satisfied to maintain a low                         | See the $V_{ILC}$ & $I_{ILC}$ section |
| $I_{ILC}$ Low-level input current (contention)   | The minimum amount of current that an external device must be sinking from the TCA980x to transmit a low. $V_{IL}$ must also be satisfied | See the $V_{ILC}$ & $I_{ILC}$ section |
| $R_{ILC}$ Low-level allowed pull-down resistance | The maximum allowed pull-down resistance of an external device in order to successful transmit a low                                      | See the $R_{ILC}$ section             |

##### 9.4.1.1.1 $V_{ILC}$ & $I_{ILC}$

The  $I_{ILC}$  parameter is the minimum amount of current that the external device must sink from the TCA980x in order for the TCA980x to accept the low on the B-side.

In order for the TCA980x to accept a low on the B-side, both  $V_{IL}$  and  $I_{ILC}$  parameters must be satisfied. In an idle bus condition (both A and B sides are high), meeting the  $V_{IL}$  threshold with an external device pull-down meets the  $I_{ILC}$  requirement, since the pull-down has to sink the entire  $I_{CS}$  (current source value) current before the voltage on the pin falls.

In a contention situation (the A-side is being driven low externally, and the B-side is driven low by the TCA980x), the  $V_{IL}$  requirement is already satisfied by the TCA980x alone (Since the output low voltage is less than the  $V_{IL}$  threshold). In order for a device on the B-side to over-drive the A-side, it must sink the  $I_{ILC}$  value for the TCA980x to accept that the low is now being driven by the B-side. This helps reduce or eliminate overshoot during the hand off between a slave an master during a clock-stretching event, or an acknowledge.

External pull-up resistors on the B-side are not allowed for this reason. As the additional current provided by them may hinder an external device from being able to satisfy the TCA980x's  $I_{ILC}$  requirement. For more information on this and allowed external current into the device, see the [Input and Output Leakage Current \( \$I\_{EXT-}\$ / \$I\_{EXT-O}\$ \)](#) section.

9.4.1.1.2  $R_{ILC}$

The  $R_{ILC}$  parameter describes the maximum allowed pull-down resistance. This parameter comes from the combination of  $I_{ILC}$  and  $I_{CS}$ , and states the maximum resistance that can satisfy the  $I_{ILC}$  parameter. Note that series resistors on the bus are going to affect this, as seen with other types of buffers (voltage delta across the series resistor. This increases the effective  $V_{OL}$  of the external device pulling the bus low).

The calculated resistance of the internal pull-down FET of an external device can be calculated from the  $V_{OL}$  and  $I_{OL}$  measurements of the external device in question using Equation 1. Take care to consider any series resistors placed in the path from the TCA980x to any external device. Note that  $R_{PD}$  is the calculated resistance of the internal pull-down FET, and not a resistor to ground. This is for determining if the external device's output characteristics meet the TCA980x  $R_{ILC}$  requirement (150  $\Omega$ ).

$$R_{PD} = V_{OL} / I_{OL} \tag{1}$$

9.4.1.2 Input and Output Leakage Current ( $I_{EXT-I}/I_{EXT-O}$ )

The Input external current ( $I_{EXT-I}$ ) and output external current ( $I_{EXT-O}$ ) parameters describe the amount of parasitic current either injected into the device or pulled from the device (such as leakage from ESD cells) without affecting device operation as shown in Table 4.

Table 4. B-Side Input and Output Leakage Current

| PARAMETER                          | SHORT DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                                                                                        | DETAILED INFORMATION        |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| $I_{EXT-I}$ Input leakage current  | Current that is external, but pulled up to supply, leaking current into the TCA980x B-side. An example is a leaky ESD cell from VCC, or an external pull-up resistor.                                    | See the $I_{EXT-I}$ section |
| $I_{EXT-O}$ Output leakage current | Current that is pulled from the TCA980x B-side. ESD cells are the most common form of output leakage. Care must be taken not to violate this spec, otherwise the leakage current can create a false low. | See the $I_{EXT-O}$ section |

9.4.1.2.1  $I_{EXT-I}$

$I_{EXT-I}$  is a current source that is external to the TCA980x B-side, but leaks current into the device. This type of input leakage may not exceed the  $I_{EXT-I}$  maximum spec, or else the minimum  $I_{ILC}$  value does not apply.



Figure 13.  $I_{EXT-I}$  Example

As shown in Figure 13,  $I_{EXT-I}$  is a source of additional current into the device, shown as a leaky ESD cell. The user must keep  $I_{EXT-I}$  as close to 0 as possible, since the TCA980x has a current source as a pull-up internally, and uses this current source to help detect which side is driving a low. As  $I_{EXT-I}$  increases, it increases the minimum  $I_{ILC}$  value, requiring that an external device sink more current from the TCA980x in order to transmit a low. There must be no external pull-up resistor on the B-side to contribute to  $I_{EXT-I}$ .

9.4.1.2.2  $I_{EXT-O}$

$I_{EXT-O}$  is an unintentional current from the TCA980x's internal current source that is external. Leaking ESD cells are a common contributor to leakage current. This type of input leakage may not exceed the  $I_{EXT-O}$  maximum spec, or else the TCA980x can interpret this excessive current as an external device transmitting a low, causing the bus to latch. It is important to consider the total sum of I<sup>2</sup>C slave device's leakage to ground, and that it does not violate  $I_{EXT-O}$ . An example showing a typical  $I_{EXT-O}$  leakage path through an ESD cell is shown in Figure 14.

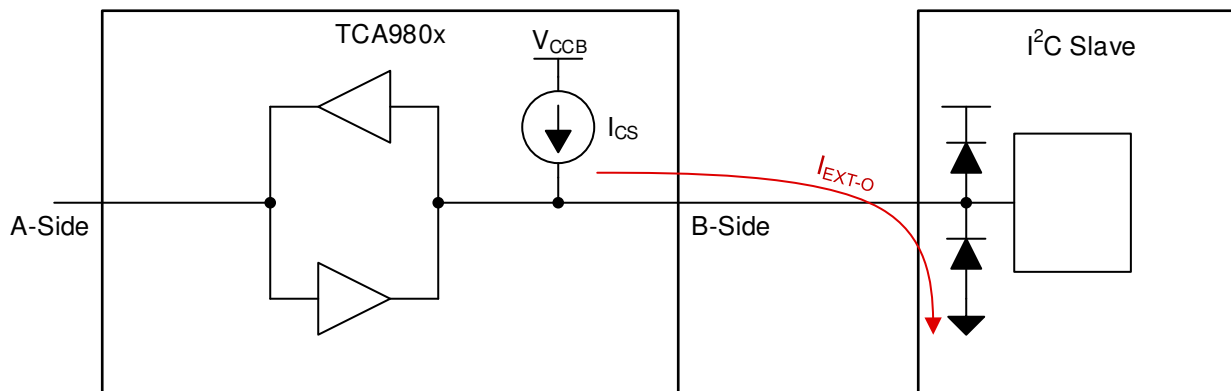


Figure 14.  $I_{EXT-O}$  Example

## 10 Application and Implementation

### NOTE

Information in the following applications sections is not part of the TI component specification, and TI does not warrant its accuracy or completeness. TI's customers are responsible for determining suitability of components for their purposes. Customers should validate and test their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

### 10.1 Application Information

#### 10.1.1 Device Selection Guide

The TCA980x family has 4 different variants, with different strengths of the internal current source as shown in [Table 5](#).

**Table 5. TCA980x Family**

| Part Number | I <sub>CS</sub> : Current Source Value |
|-------------|----------------------------------------|
| TCA9800     | 0.54 mA                                |
| TCA9801     | 1.1 mA                                 |
| TCA9802     | 2.2 mA                                 |
| TCA9803     | 3.3 mA                                 |

It is acceptable to select the TCA9803 as the default, since it is able to drive 400-pF bus capacitance loads at 400 kHz. For system designers looking to optimize selection, see the [Detailed Design Procedure](#) section for single device for detailed examples of how to select a part number for a specific application.

#### 10.1.2 Special Considerations for the B-side

The TCA980x supports many types of connections between other TCA980x and other buffers/translators. Care must be taken to ensure that all of the B-side requirements be satisfied. For example, FET/pass-gate based translators typically cannot be used on the B-side, because they require pull-up resistors on both sides, and when one side is pulling low, the FET/switch closes, likely causing I<sub>EXT-I</sub> to be violated (See the [I<sub>EXT-I</sub>](#) section for more information).

The [FET or Pass-Gate Translators](#) and [Buffered Translators/Level-shifters](#) sections list some use-cases that are not supported or require special considerations when connected to the B-ports, note that these considerations only apply to the B-side of the TCA980x family.

##### 10.1.2.1 FET or Pass-Gate Translators

Some translators are based on pass-gates for translation support. In most of the use cases, external pull-up resistors are required to pull the bus to the voltage rail.

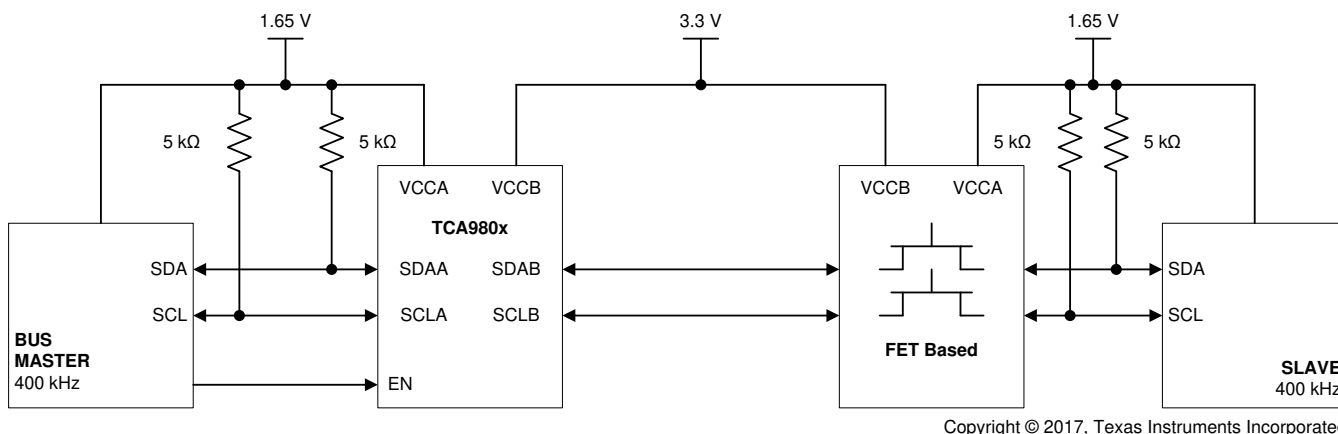


Figure 15. Incorrect B-Side Pass-Gate Based Translator Use Case

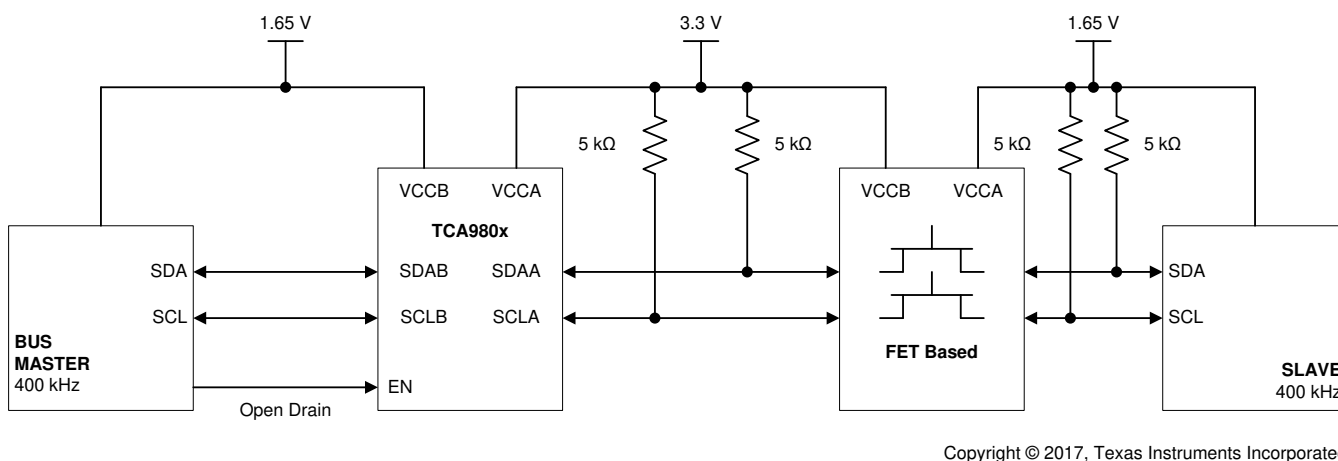


Figure 16. A-Side Pass-Gate Based Translator Use Case

As shown in Figure 15, it may appear that this use case is valid, but actually it is not. When either the TCA9800 B-side or the slave pull down on the bus, the FET isolating the bus closes (low  $R_{DS\_ON}$ ) and current from the 5-kΩ resistor is observed by the TCA9800, violating  $I_{EXT-I}$ . See the  $I_{EXT-I}$  section for more information.

Figure 16 shows the correct way to pair with a FET base translator (connecting to the A-side).

Rather than using a FET-based translator, it is recommended that a buffered translator be used, such as another TCA9800 or a TCA9517. See the Typical Application section for single device for more information on concerns with B-side connections to buffered translators.

### 10.1.2.2 Buffered Translators/Level-shifters

The TCA9800 family supports connections with buffered translators, but care must be taken to ensure that no operating conditions be violated. In a general sense, the following must be avoided on the B-side ports of the TCA9800x:

- Sources of current other than the individual TCA9800x (B-side of the other TCA9800x, external pull-up resistors, current sources, rise time accelerators, etc)
- Static-voltage offset buffer outputs (B-side of the TCA9517, etc)
- Outputs with  $R_{ILC}$  (equivalent pull-down resistance) > 150 Ω

It is important to note that these special operating requirements apply only to the B-side ports of the TCA980x. For example, the TCA9517 B-side can be safely connected to the A-side of the TCA980x, but not to the B-side of the TCA980x. However, it is OK to connect the A-side of the TCA9517 to the B-side (or A-side) of the TCA980x, because the A-side does not have a static voltage offset based output.

Figure 17 shows an example of the incorrect connection on the B-side to a buffer with a static voltage offset output. The reason this is unacceptable is because the equivalent output resistance of the output buffer is greater than the maximum  $R_{ILC}$  allowed. See the  $R_{ILC}$  section for more information.

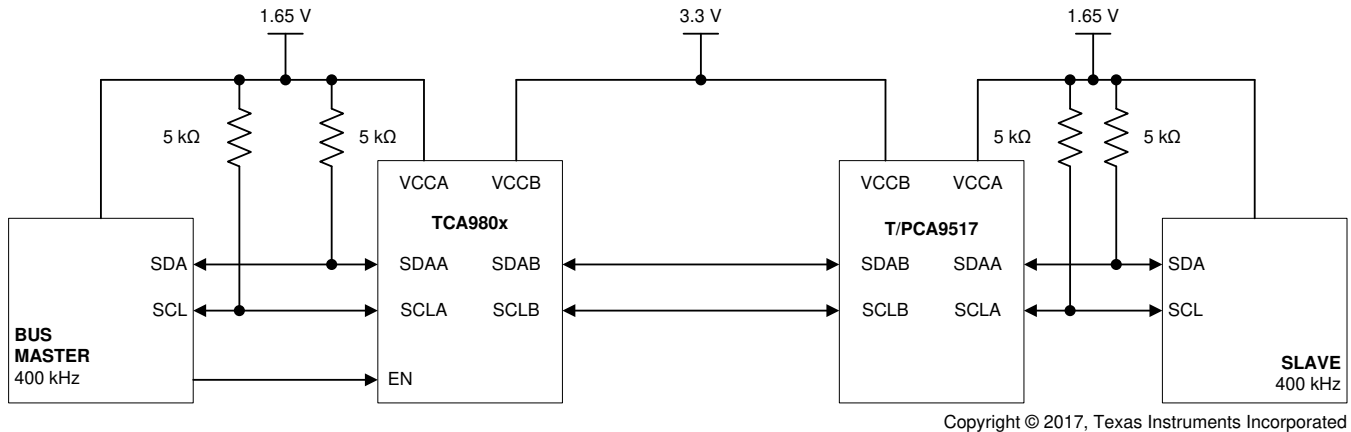


Figure 17. Incorrect B-Side Static Voltage Offset Buffer Connection

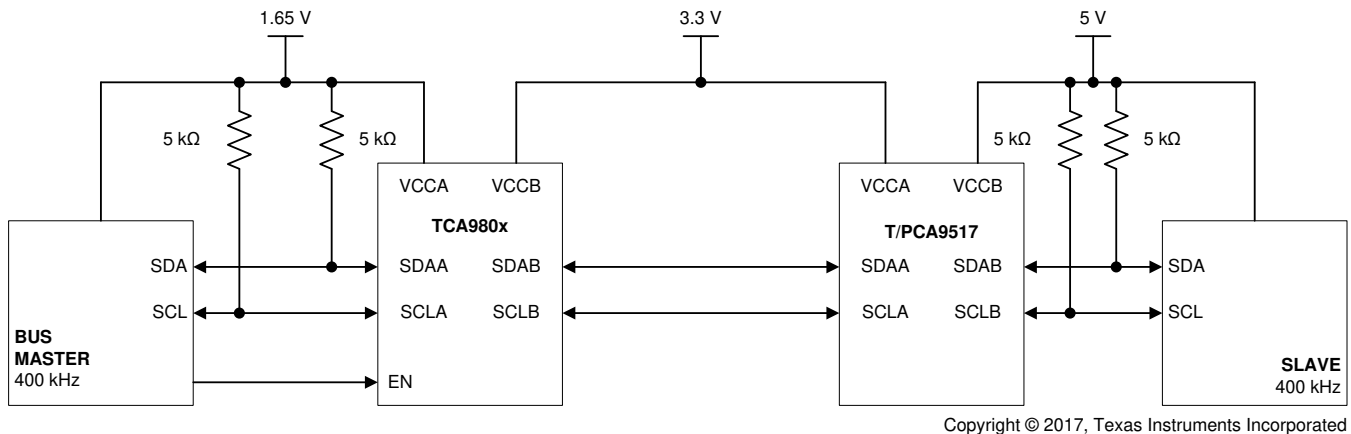


Figure 18. Correct Connection With Other Buffers

**NOTE**

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1  $\mu$ F and 0.1  $\mu$ F) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

As shown in Figure 18, this connection is acceptable for use on the B-side ports of the TCA980x, because the equivalent  $R_{ILC}$  of the A-side of this example buffer is less than 150  $\Omega$ .

**10.2 Typical Application**

**10.2.1 Single Device**

The typical application for the TCA980x family is to be used as a buffering translator, where the  $V_{CCA}$  and  $V_{CCB}$  are at different values in order to level-shift the I<sup>2</sup>C bus voltages.

**Typical Application (continued)**

It is critical to note that there are no external sources of current allowed on the B-side ports, since this can affect device operation as shown in the *I<sub>EXT-I</sub>* section.



**Figure 19. Typical Level-Shifting Application Example (Master on A-side)**

**NOTE**

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1 μF and 0.1 μF) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

As shown in [Figure 20](#), the I<sup>2</sup>C master can be on the B-side, and that it is ok to have  $V_{CCA} > V_{CCB}$ . The only requirements are that no external source of current (pull-up resistor or current source) be on the B-pins of the TCA9800, and that both  $V_{CCA}/V_{CCB}$  values are within the recommended range. As a note, since the EN pin is referenced to the VCCA supply voltage, when the master is on the A-side, the system designer must ensure that the enable pin voltage is pulled up to  $V_{CCA}$  (either with an external or the internal pull-up resistor) to ensure that the device is enabled.



**Figure 20. Typical Level-Shifting Application Example (Master on B-side)**

**NOTE**

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1 μF and 0.1 μF) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

## Typical Application (continued)

### 10.2.1.1 Design Requirements

The system designer must first select the correct variant of the TCA980x family for the load. In order to do this, the information in [Table 6](#) must be known. The setup in [Figure 19](#) is used for these example design requirements.

$C_L$  is the capacitance of the bus, including the pin capacitance of each slave device connected, and the capacitance of the board trace. It is possible to estimate the bus capacitance by summing up the pin capacitances of each slave device on the node (using 10-pF per slave is a safe estimate, since this is the maximum allowed per the I<sup>2</sup>C specification), but trace capacitance requires an estimation through simulation or by getting the capacitance per unit length from the board manufacturer.

**Table 6. Design Requirements**

| Parameter | Description                                  | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| $C_L$     | Load capacitance (bus capacitance) on B-side | up to 400 pF     | 100 pF               |
| $t_r$     | Rise time                                    | up to 300 ns     | ≤ 150 ns             |
| $V_{CCA}$ | VCCA supply voltage                          | 0.8 V-3.6 V      | 1.2 V                |
| $V_{CCB}$ | VCCB supply voltage                          | 1.65 V-3.6 V     | 3.3 V                |
| $f_{SCL}$ | I <sup>2</sup> C clock frequency             |                  | 400 kHz              |

### 10.2.1.2 Detailed Design Procedure

Selection of the correct device is important for designers wanting optimize power consumption while transmitting.

Selecting the pull-up resistor required for the A-side is well documented already, see the [I<sup>2</sup>C Bus Pullup Resistor Calculation](#) application report. The rest of this section deals only with selection of a device based on the B-side design requirements.

Since the B-ports of the TCA980x family have an integrated current source, the rise time is easily calculated with [Equation 2](#). The graphs in the [Application Curves](#) section show the maximum capacitance load that each device can drive (based on minimum  $I_{CS}$  value) to achieve a desired rise time, for different  $V_{CCB}$  voltages.

$$t_r = C_L \frac{(0.4 \times V_{CCB})}{I_{CS}} \quad (2)$$

The target design requirements example is intended for 400-kHz I<sup>2</sup>C, so the appropriate selection graph to use is [Figure 22](#), and specifically [Figure 27](#) since  $V_{CCB}$  supply voltage is 3.3 V. In [Figure 21](#), the graph has the appropriate regions shaded to help illustrate how to select the appropriate device. When looking at the general selection graphs, note that voltage line shifts evenly between the 1.65 V and 3.6 V traces in the general selection graphs. For example, if  $V_{CCB}$  in another example is 2.5 V, then the selection graph is based on a line in the middle of the 1.65 V and the 3.6 V trace.

As shown in [Figure 21](#), the shaded region is the appropriate region based on design requirements listed in [Table 6](#). Any line that touches this shaded region is able to meet the design requirements. In this example, the TCA9803 and the TCA9802 both are able to satisfy the design requirements, since they both touch the shaded region. The TCA9800 and the TCA9801 both fall below the shaded region. While the TCA9801 is able to meet a rise time of about 190 ns at 100 pF (acceptable by the fast-mode rise time requirements), the design target in this example was ≤ 150 ns. This is a consideration a system designer can make, sacrificing rise time for a lower-power device, but in this example, the 150 ns limit is going to be upheld).

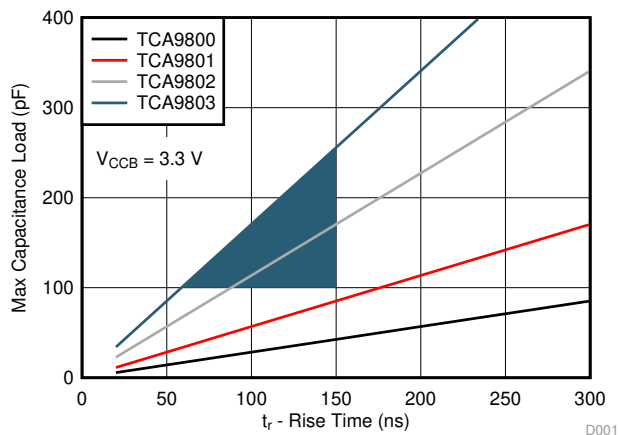


Figure 21. Selection Guide Based on Example Design Requirements

**NOTE**

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1  $\mu$ F and 0.1  $\mu$ F) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

Based on the selection graph shown above, the TCA9802 is selected, since it is the lowest-power device's trace (grey trace) which touches the shaded region. The TCA9803 may also be used without any consequences.

**10.2.1.3 Application Curves**

The application curves can be used to select the appropriate part for a given design requirement, or to estimate the rise-time.

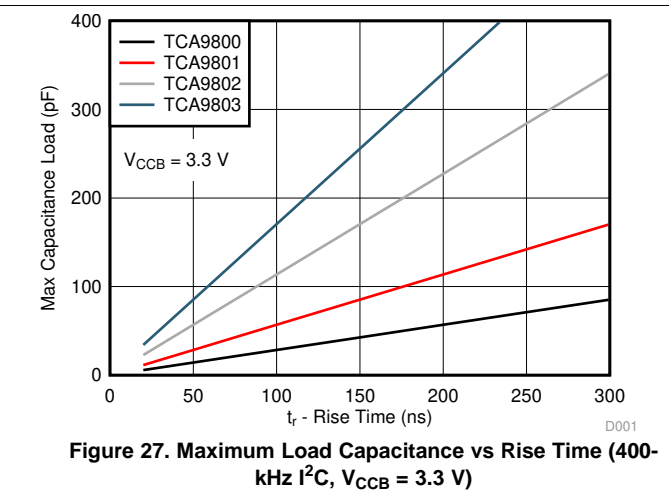
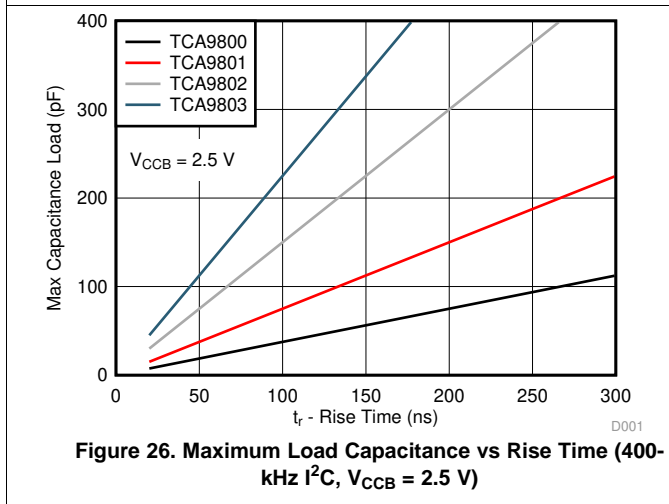
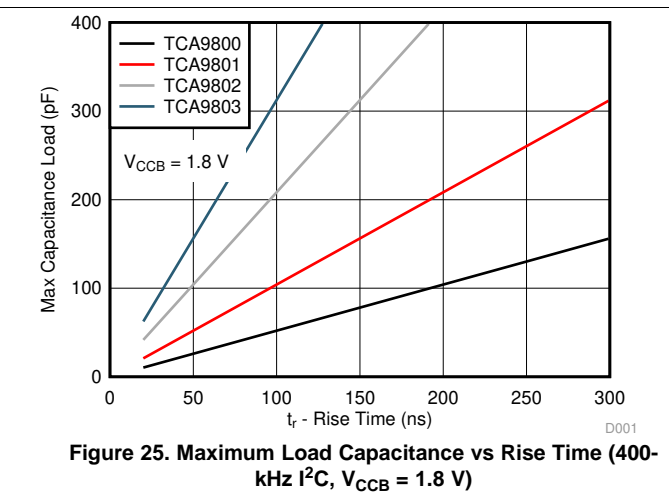
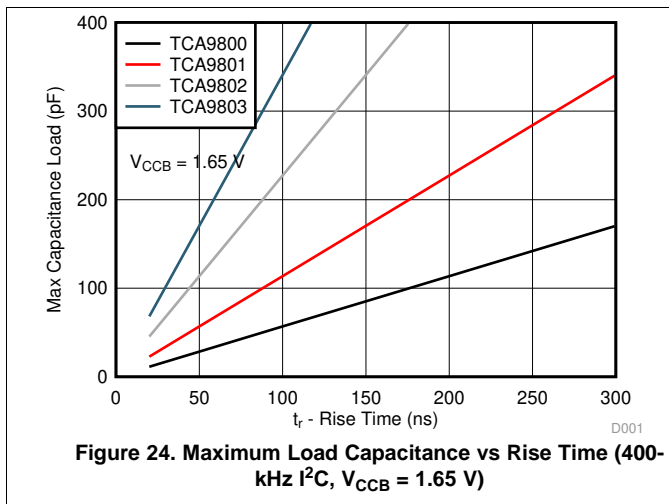
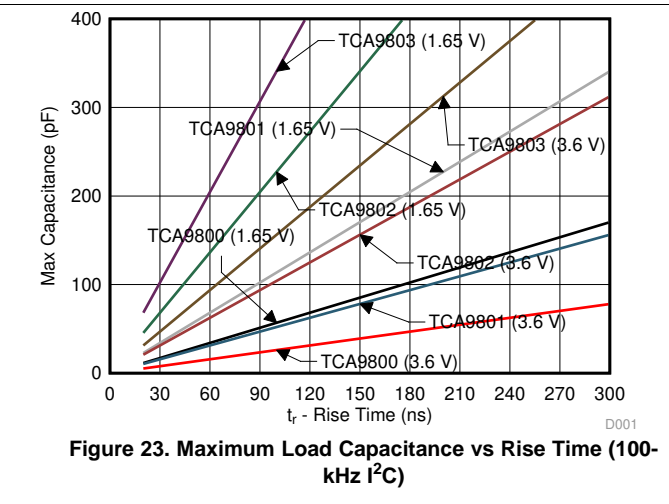
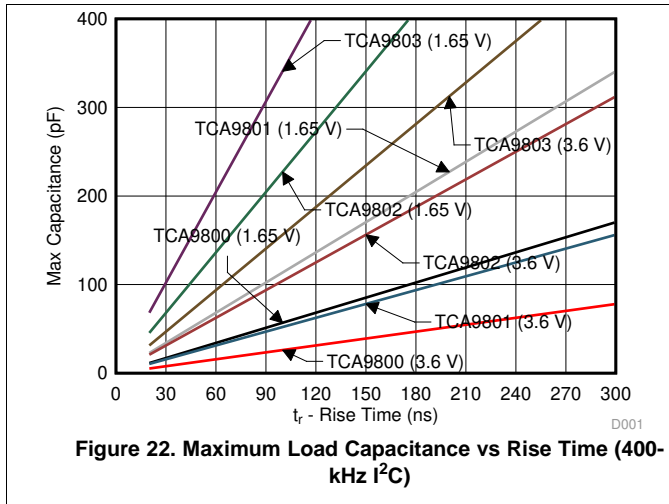




Figure 28. Maximum Load Capacitance vs Rise Time (400-kHz I<sup>2</sup>C, V<sub>CCB</sub> = 3.6 V)

### 10.2.2 Buffering Without Level-Shifting

The TCA980x family supports buffering use cases which do not need level-shifting or voltage-translation.

It is critical to note that there are no external sources of current allowed on the B-side ports, since this can affect device operation as shown in the [I<sub>EXT-I</sub>](#) section.



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Figure 29. Buffering Use Case Without Level-Shifting

#### NOTE

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1 μF and 0.1 μF) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

#### 10.2.2.1 Design Requirements

The system designer must first select the correct variant of the TCA980x family for the load. In order to do this, the information in [Table 7](#) must be known. The setup in [Figure 29](#) is used for these example design requirements.

Table 7. Design Requirements

| Parameter      | Description                                  | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|----------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| C <sub>L</sub> | Load capacitance (bus capacitance) on B-side | up to 400 pF     | 200 pF               |
| t <sub>r</sub> | Rise time                                    | up to 300 ns     | ≤ 300 ns             |

**Table 7. Design Requirements (continued)**

| Parameter        | Description                      | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| V <sub>CCA</sub> | VCCA supply voltage              | 0.8 V-3.6 V      | 2.5 V                |
| V <sub>CCB</sub> | VCCB supply voltage              | 1.65 V-3.6 V     | 2.5 V                |
| f <sub>SCL</sub> | I <sup>2</sup> C clock frequency |                  | 400 kHz              |

**10.2.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure**

Selecting the pull-up resistor required for the A-side is well documented already, see the [I2C Bus Pullup Resistor Calculation](#) application report. The rest of this section deals only with selection of a device based on the B-side design requirements.

Selection process of each device is identical to the procedure described in the [Device Selection Guide](#) section, except that it must be done for each individual TCA980x. This section jumps straight to the selection graphs to show the selection process. See the [Detailed Design Procedure](#) section for single device for detailed information.

As shown in [Figure 30](#), the shaded region is the appropriate region based on design requirements listed in [Table 7](#). Any line that touches this shaded region is able to meet the design requirements. In this example, the TCA9803, TCA9802, and TCA9801 are able to satisfy the design requirements, since they all touch the shaded region. The TCA9800 falls below the shaded region.

Based on the selection graph shown above, the TCA9801 is selected, since it is the lowest-power device which touches the shaded region (red trace). The TCA9803 or the TCA9802 may also be used without any consequences.

**10.2.2.3 Application Curve**



**Figure 30. Selection Guide Based On Example Design Requirements**

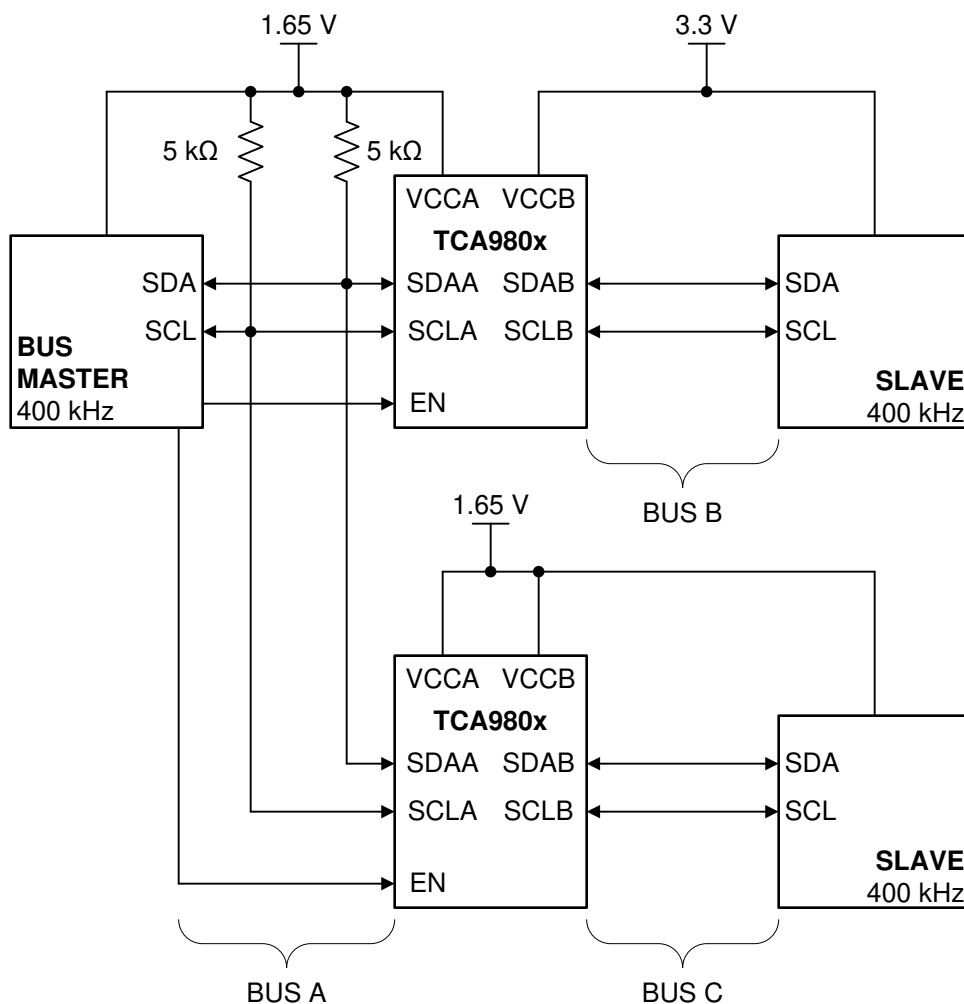
**10.2.3 Parallel Device Use Case**

The TCA980x family supports multiple TCA980x used in parallel. The A-sides of the TCA980x are allowed to be connected together.

It is critical to note that there are no external sources of current allowed on the B-side ports, since this can affect device operation shown in the [I<sub>EXT-I</sub>](#) section.

NOTE: B-sides of TCA980x devices may never be connected to each other, because the I<sub>EXT-I</sub> specification limit is violated. See the [I<sub>EXT-I</sub>](#) section for more information.

NOTE: The B-side may not be connected to another translator if it uses a static-voltage offset. The R<sub>ILC</sub> spec is violated since the static voltage offset adjusts the output resistance to ground to be outside of the R<sub>ILC</sub> spec requirement, causing the TCA980x to be unable to recognize a low.



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Figure 31. Parallel Use Case

**NOTE**

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1  $\mu$ F and 0.1  $\mu$ F) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

**10.2.3.1 Design Requirements**

The system designer must first select the correct variant of the TCA9800 family for the load. In order to do this, the information shown in Table 8 and Table 9 must be known. The setup in Figure 31 is used for these example design requirements.

Table 8. Design Requirements for Bus B

| Parameter | Description                                  | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| $C_L$     | Load capacitance (bus capacitance) on B-side | up to 400 pF     | 300 pF               |
| $t_r$     | Rise time                                    | up to 300 ns     | $\leq 300$ ns        |
| $V_{CCA}$ | VCCA supply voltage                          | 0.8 V-3.6 V      | 1.65 V               |
| $V_{CCB}$ | VCCB supply voltage                          | 1.65 V-3.6 V     | 3.3 V                |

**Table 8. Design Requirements for Bus B (continued)**

| Parameter        | Description                      | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| f <sub>SCL</sub> | I <sup>2</sup> C clock frequency |                  | 400 kHz              |

**Table 9. Design Requirements for Bus C**

| Parameter        | Description                                  | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| C <sub>L</sub>   | Load capacitance (bus capacitance) on B-side | up to 400 pF     | 40 pF                |
| t <sub>r</sub>   | Rise time                                    | up to 300 ns     | ≤ 300 ns             |
| V <sub>CCA</sub> | VCCA supply voltage                          | 0.8 V-3.6 V      | 1.65 V               |
| V <sub>CCB</sub> | VCCB supply voltage                          | 1.65 V-3.6 V     | 1.65 V               |
| f <sub>SCL</sub> | I <sup>2</sup> C clock frequency             |                  | 400 kHz              |

**10.2.3.2 Detailed Design Procedure**

Selecting the pull-up resistor required for the A-side (Bus A) is well documented already, see the [I2C Bus Pullup Resistor Calculation](#) application report. The rest of this section deals only with selection of a device based on the B-side design requirements.

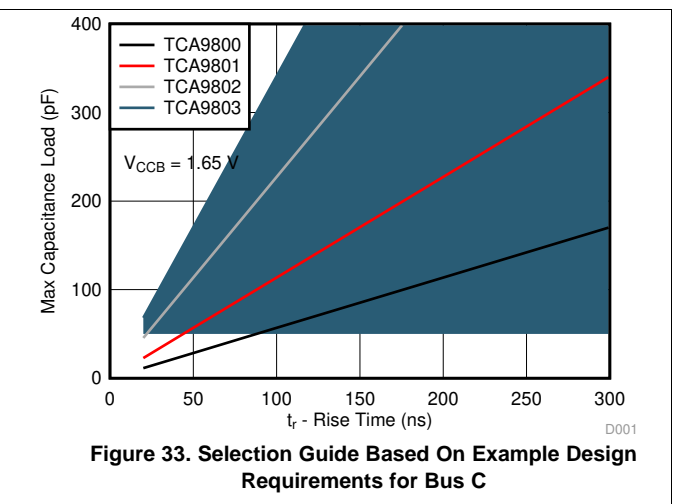
Selection process of each device is identical to the procedure described in the [Device Selection Guide](#) section, except that it must be done for each individual TCA980x. This section jumps straight to the selection graphs to show the selection process. See the [Detailed Design Procedure](#) section for single device for detailed information.

Based on [Figure 32](#), the TCA9802 or the TCA9803 are the devices which are able to meet the design requirements. The TCA9802 is the most optimized selection, but the TCA9803 can be used without issue.

Based on [Figure 33](#), all 4 variants of the TCA980x family meet the design requirements. The TCA9800 is the most optimized selection, but any of the variants can be used without issue.

As the system designer, the choice can be made to go for the most optimized part selections (TCA9802 for bus B and TCA9800 for bus C), but it is also ok to use the TCA9802 or the TCA9803 on both busses, because they both satisfy the design requirements of both busses.

**10.2.3.3 Application Curves**



**10.2.4 Series Device Use Case**

The TCA980x family supports multiple TCA980x used in series. It is acceptable to connect A sides together, or have A sides connect to B sides, but B-sides may never be connected together.

It is critical to note that there are no external sources of current allowed on the B-side ports, since this can affect device operation as shown in the [I<sub>EXT-I</sub>](#) section.

NOTE: B-sides of TCA980x devices may never be connected to each other, because the  $I_{EXT-I}$  specification limit is violated. See the  $I_{EXT-I}$  for more information.

NOTE: The B-side may not be connected to another translator if it uses a static-voltage offset. The  $R_{ILC}$  spec is violated since the static voltage offset adjusts the output resistance to ground to be outside of the  $R_{ILC}$  spec requirement, causing the TCA980x to be unable to recognize a low.



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Figure 34. Series Use Case

**NOTE**

Decoupling capacitors are not shown to keep the illustration simple. Decoupling capacitors (1  $\mu$ F and 0.1  $\mu$ F) must be placed close to each power supply pin.

**10.2.4.1 Design Requirements**

The system designer must first select the correct variant of the TCA980x family for the load. In order to do this, the information in Table 10 and Table 11 must be known. The setup in Figure 34 is used for these example design requirements.

Table 10. Design Requirements for Bus B / 1<sup>st</sup> TCA980x

| Parameter | Description                                  | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| $C_L$     | Load capacitance (bus capacitance) on B-side | up to 400 pF     | 300 pF               |
| $t_r$     | Rise time                                    | up to 300 ns     | $\leq 200$ ns        |
| $V_{CCA}$ | VCCA supply voltage                          | 0.8 V-3.6 V      | 1.65 V               |
| $V_{CCB}$ | VCCB supply voltage                          | 1.65 V-3.6 V     | 3.3 V                |
| $f_{SCL}$ | I <sup>2</sup> C clock frequency             |                  | 400 kHz              |

Table 11. Design Requirements for Bus C / 2<sup>nd</sup> TCA980x

| Parameter | Description                                  | Acceptable Range | Example Value/Target |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| $C_L$     | Load capacitance (bus capacitance) on B-side | up to 400 pF     | 100 pF               |
| $t_r$     | Rise time                                    | up to 300 ns     | $\leq 250$ ns        |
| $V_{CCA}$ | VCCA supply voltage                          | 0.8 V-3.6 V      | 3.3 V                |
| $V_{CCB}$ | VCCB supply voltage                          | 1.65 V-3.6 V     | 1.65 V               |
| $f_{SCL}$ | I <sup>2</sup> C clock frequency             |                  | 400 kHz              |

### 10.2.4.2 Detailed Design Procedure

Selecting the pull-up resistor required for the A-side (Bus A) is well documented already, see the [I2C Bus Pullup Resistor Calculation](#) application report. The rest of this section deals only with selection of a device based on the B-side design requirements.

Selection process of each device is identical to the procedure described in the [Device Selection Guide](#) section, except that it must be done for each individual TCA980x. This section jumps straight to the selection graphs to show the selection process. See the [Detailed Design Procedure](#) section for single device for detailed information.



Figure 35. Selection Guide Based On Example Design Requirements for Bus B

Based on [Figure 35](#), the TCA9803 is the only device which can satisfy the design requirements. Had the rise time requirement been  $\leq 300$  ns, then the TCA9802 also works, but the design requirement was 200 ns.

Based on [Figure 36](#), all 4 variants of the TCA980x family meet the design requirements. The TCA9800 is the most optimized selection, but any of the variants can be used without issue.

As the system designer, the choice can be made to go for the most optimized part selections (TCA9803 for bus B and TCA9800 for bus C), but it is also ok to use the TCA9803 on both busses, because it can satisfy the design requirements of both busses.

### 10.2.4.3 Application Curve

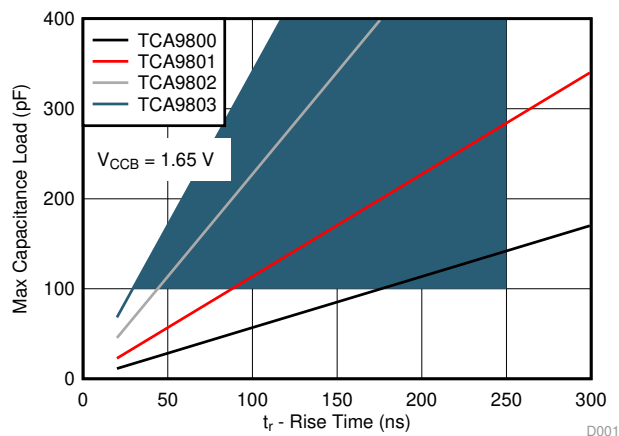


Figure 36. Selection Guide Based on Example Design Requirements for Bus C

## 11 Power Supply Recommendations

The following need to be ensured when designing with the TCA980x family:

- $V_{CCA}$  is within the recommended voltage range
- $V_{CCB}$  is within the recommended voltage range

There are no supply sequencing requirements,  $V_{CCA}$  may ramp before, after, or at the same time as  $V_{CCB}$ .

There are no supply dependency requirements.  $V_{CCA}$  may be greater than, less than, or equal to  $V_{CCB}$ . Each supply has its own requirement of voltage range, but there is no required relationship between  $V_{CCA}$  and  $V_{CCB}$  values.

It is recommended that decoupling capacitors be used on the power supplies (0.1  $\mu$ F and 1  $\mu$ F) and that they be placed as close as possible to the  $V_{CCA}$  and  $V_{CCB}$  pins.

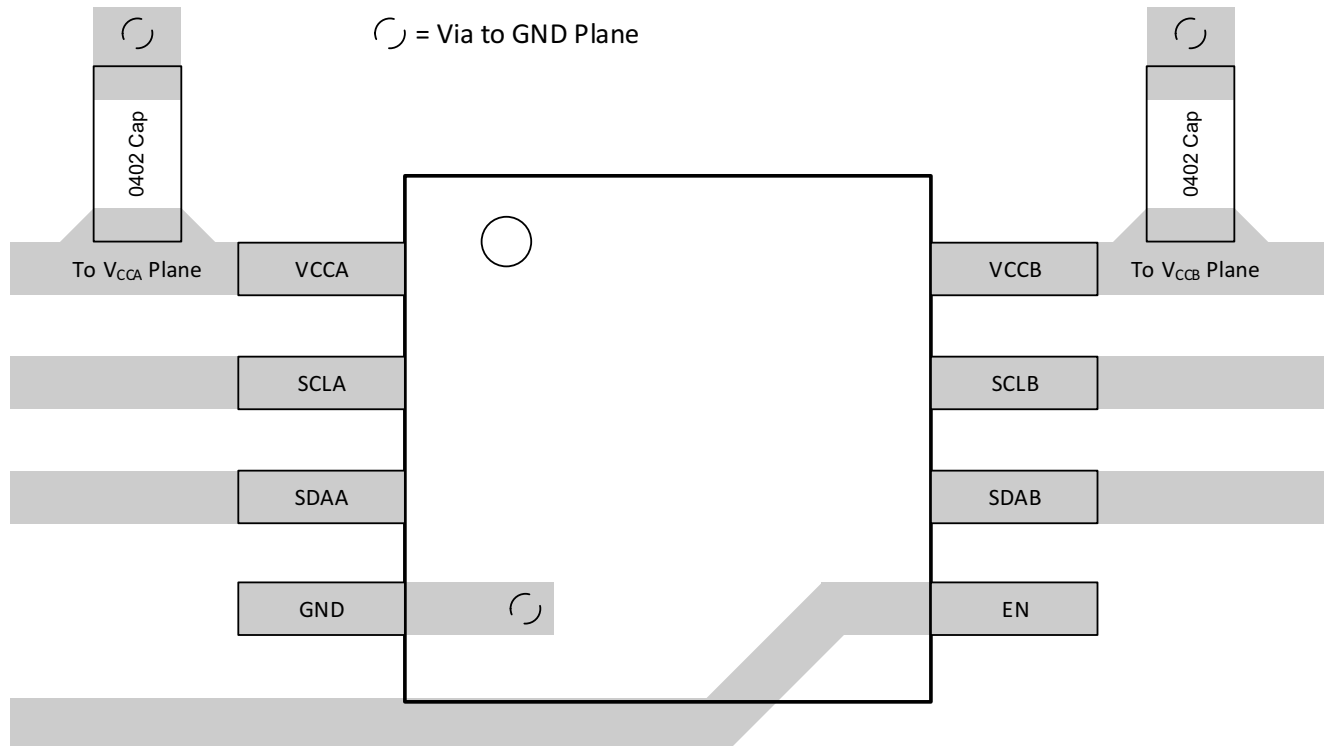
## 12 Layout

### 12.1 Layout Guidelines

There are no special considerations required for most I<sup>2</sup>C translators, but there are common practices which are always recommended.

It is recommended that decoupling capacitors be used on the power supplies (0.1  $\mu$ F and 1  $\mu$ F) and that they be placed as close as possible to the VCCA and VCCB pins.

### 12.2 Layout Example



**Figure 37. TCA980x DGK Layout Example**

## 13 デバイスおよびドキュメントのサポート

### 13.1 ドキュメントのサポート

関連資料については、以下を参照してください。

- 『[I2Cバスのプルアップ抵抗値の計算](#)』
- 『[リピータを使用するI2Cバスの最大クロック周波数](#)』
- 『[ロジックへの入門](#)』
- 『[I2Cバスについて理解する](#)』
- 『[新しい設計用の適切なI2Cデバイスの選択](#)』

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### 13.6 Glossary

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|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| <a href="#">TCA9800DGKR</a> | Active        | Production           | VSSOP (DGK)   8 | 2500   LARGE T&R      | Yes         | NIPDAU   SN<br>  NIPDAUAG            | Level-1-260C-UNLIM                | -40 to 125   | 15B                 |
| TCA9800DGKR.A               | Active        | Production           | VSSOP (DGK)   8 | 2500   LARGE T&R      | Yes         | NIPDAU                               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM                | -40 to 125   | 15B                 |
| <a href="#">TCA9800DGKT</a> | Active        | Production           | VSSOP (DGK)   8 | 250   SMALL T&R       | Yes         | NIPDAU   SN<br>  NIPDAUAG            | Level-1-260C-UNLIM                | -40 to 125   | 15B                 |
| TCA9800DGKT.A               | Active        | Production           | VSSOP (DGK)   8 | 250   SMALL T&R       | Yes         | NIPDAU                               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM                | -40 to 125   | 15B                 |

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| Device      | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ  | Reel Diameter (mm) | Reel Width W1 (mm) | A0 (mm) | B0 (mm) | K0 (mm) | P1 (mm) | W (mm) | Pin1 Quadrant |
|-------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|--------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------------|
| TCA9800DGKR | VSSOP        | DGK             | 8    | 2500 | 330.0              | 12.4               | 5.3     | 3.4     | 1.4     | 8.0     | 12.0   | Q1            |
| TCA9800DGKT | VSSOP        | DGK             | 8    | 250  | 330.0              | 12.4               | 5.3     | 3.4     | 1.4     | 8.0     | 12.0   | Q1            |

**TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS**


\*All dimensions are nominal

| Device      | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ  | Length (mm) | Width (mm) | Height (mm) |
|-------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| TCA9800DGKR | VSSOP        | DGK             | 8    | 2500 | 353.0       | 353.0      | 32.0        |
| TCA9800DGKT | VSSOP        | DGK             | 8    | 250  | 353.0       | 353.0      | 32.0        |

# DGK0008A



# PACKAGE OUTLINE

VSSOP - 1.1 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



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5. Reference JEDEC registration MO-187.

# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

DGK0008A

<sup>TM</sup> VSSOP - 1.1 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
SCALE: 15X



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NOTES: (continued)

6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.
7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.
8. Vias are optional depending on application, refer to device data sheet. If any vias are implemented, refer to their locations shown on this view. It is recommended that vias under paste be filled, plugged or tented.
9. Size of metal pad may vary due to creepage requirement.

# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

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<sup>TM</sup> VSSOP - 1.1 mm max height

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SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE  
SCALE: 15X

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NOTES: (continued)

11. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
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