

3.3V, 125MHz, Multi-Output Zero Delay Buffer

Product Features

- Output Frequency up to 125MHz
- Supports Power PC™, and Pentium™ Processors
- 15 Clock Output: Frequency Configurable
- Two Reference Clock Inputs for Dynamic Toggling
- Output Tri-State Control
- Spread Spectrum Compatible
- 3.3V Power Supply
- Pin Compatible with MPC974
- Industrial Temp. Range: -40°C to +85°C
- 52 Pin TQFP Package

Product Description

The Z9974 is a low cost 3.3V zero delay clock driver for high speed signal buffering and redistribution.

It provides the designer with the flexibility of selecting various Output/Input Frequency ratios selected by fsela, fselb, fselc, fselFB(0:1), and VCO_sel input settings.

The Z9974 integrates PLL technology for Zero delay propagation from Input to Output. The PLL feedback is externally available for propagation delay tuning and divide ratio alternatives as per table 1.

The Z9974 has three banks of outputs with independent divider stages. These dividers allow the banks to have different frequencies as per table 2.

TCLK0 and TCLK1 one are selectable input reference clocks and may be toggled dynamically during operation to provide modulation and phase shifting designs.

This device includes a Master Reset signal, which disables the outputs into Tristate (Hi-Z) mode, and reset all internal digital circuitry (excluding the PLL).

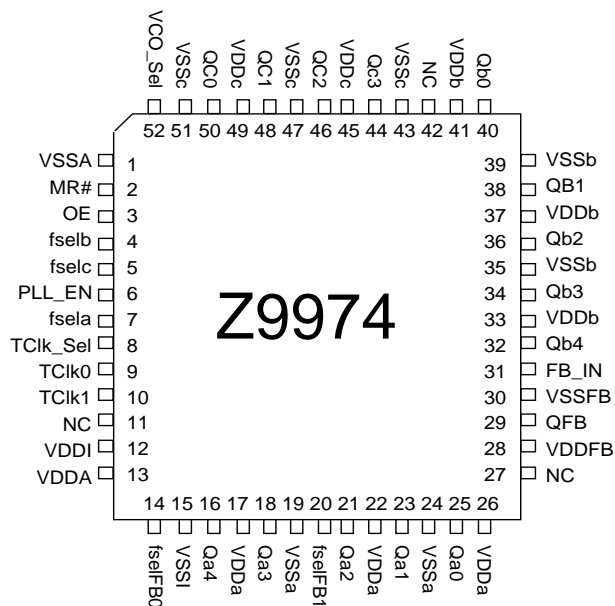
An Output Enable, OE, input pin is available for shutting Qa(0:4), Qb(0:4), and Qc(0:3) outputs in a low state. All outputs are held low with input clock turned off.

Feedback Ratio Selection Table

Inputs			Outputs
VCO_Sel	fselFB0	fselFB1	QFB
0	0	0	VCO/8
0	0	1	VCO/12
0	1	0	VCO/16
0	1	1	VCO/24
1	0	0	VCO/16
1	0	1	VCO/24
1	1	0	VCO/32
1	1	1	VCO/48

Table 1

Pin Configuration



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Block Diagram

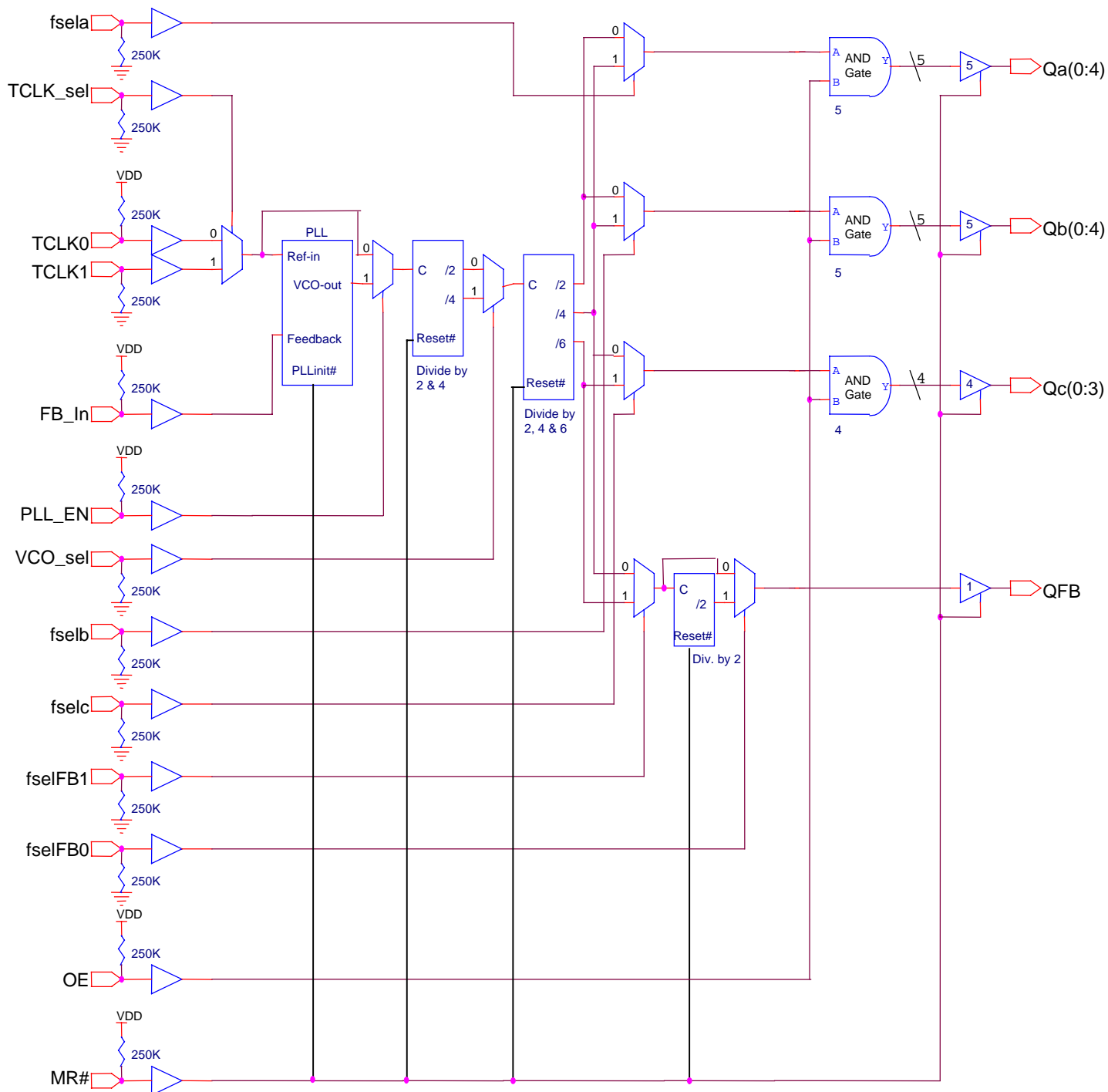


Fig.1

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Output Frequency Selection Table

Inputs				Outputs		
VCO_sel	fsela	fselb	fselc	Qa(0:4)	Qb(0:4)	Qc(0:3)
0	0	0	0	VCO/4	VCO/4	VCO/8
0	0	0	1	VCO/4	VCO/4	VCO/12
0	0	1	0	VCO/4	VCO/8	VCO/8
0	0	1	1	VCO/4	VCO/8	VCO/12
0	1	0	0	VCO/8	VCO/4	VCO/8
0	1	0	1	VCO/8	VCO/4	VCO/12
0	1	1	0	VCO/8	VCO/8	VCO/8
0	1	1	1	VCO/8	VCO/8	VCO/12
1	0	0	0	VCO/8	VCO/8	VCO/16
1	0	0	1	VCO/8	VCO/8	VCO/24
1	0	1	0	VCO/8	VCO/16	VCO/16
1	0	1	1	VCO/8	VCO/16	VCO/24
1	1	0	0	VCO/16	VCO/8	VCO/16
1	1	0	1	VCO/16	VCO/8	VCO/24
1	1	1	0	VCO/16	VCO/16	VCO/16
1	1	1	1	VCO/16	VCO/16	VCO/24

Table 2

PIN DESCRIPTION

PIN No.	Pin Name	I/O	Description
2	MR#	I	Active low Master Reset pin. It has a 250K Ω internal pull-up. When forced low, all outputs are Tri-stated (high impedance) and internal ratio dividers are reset.
3	OE	I	Active high Output Enable pin. It has a 250K Ω internal pull-up. When forced low, Qa(0:4), Qb(0:4), and Qc(0:3) outputs are stopped in a low state. QFB is not effected by this signal.
7, 4, 5	Fsel(a,b,c)	I	Input select pins for setting the output dividers at Qa(0:4), Qb(0:4), and Qc(0:3) respectively. Each pin has an internal 250K Ω pull-down. See table 2, page 3.
6	PLL_EN	I	Input pin for bypassing the PLL. It has an internal 250K Ω pull-up. When forced low, the input reference clock (applied at TCLK0, or TCLK1) bypasses the PLL and drives the dividers, typically for device testing. In this case, the PLL is disabled.
8	TCLK_sel	I	Input pin for selecting TCLK0 or TCLK1 as input reference. When TCLK_sel = 0, TCLK0 is selected, when TCLK_sel = 1, TCLK1 is selected. This pin has a 250K Ω internal pull-down.
9,10	TCLK(0:1)	I	Input pins for applying a reference clock to the PLL. The active input is selected by TCLK_sel, pin# 8. TCLK0 has a 250K Ω internal pull-down. TCLK1 has a 250K Ω internal pull-up.
14, 20	FselFB(0:1)	I	Input select pins for setting the Feedback divide ratio at QFB output, pin#29. See table 1, page1. Each of these pins has a 250K Ω internal pull-down.
25,23,21, 18,16	Qa(0:4)	O	High drive, Low Voltage CMOS, Output clock buffers, Bank Qa. Their divide ratio is programmed by fsela, pin#7.
29	QFB	O	Low Voltage CMOS output feedback clock to the internal PLL. The divide ratio for this output is set by fselFB(0:1). A delay capacitor, or trace may be applied to this pin in order to control the Input Reference/Output Banks phase relationship.
31	FB_In	I	Feedback input pin. Typically connects to the QFB output for accessing the Feedback to the PLL. It has a 250K Ω internal pull-up.

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PIN DESCRIPTION (Cont.)

PIN No.	Pin Name	I/O	Description
40,38,36,34,32	Qb(0:4)	O	High drive, Low Voltage CMOS, Output clock buffers, Bank Qb. Their divide ratio is programmed by fselb, pin#4.
50,48,46,44	Qc(0:3)	O	High drive, Low Voltage CMOS, Output clock buffers, Bank Qc. Their divide ratio is programmed by fselc, pin#5.
52	VCO_Sel	I	Input select pin for setting the divider of the VCO output. It has a 250K Ω internal pull-down. If VCO_sel = 0, then the PLL VCO output is divided by 2. If VCO_sel = 1, then the PLL VCO output is divided by 4. See fig.1, page2; table 1, page1, table 2, page 3.
11,27,42	n/c	-	These pins are not connected internally. They may be attached to a ground plane.
12	VDDI	P	Power for input logic circuitry.
15	VSSI	P	Ground for input logic circuitry.
13,	VDDA	P	Power and Ground supply pins for internal Analog circuitry.
17,22,26	VDDa	P	3.3V supply for Qa(0:4) output bank, and fselFB1 input.
19,24	VSSa	P	Common ground for Qa(0:4) output bank, and fselFB1 input.
28, 30	VDDFB / VSSFB	P	Power and ground supply pins for QFB output and FB_In input pins and digital circuitry.
33,37,41	VDDb	P	3.3V supply for Qb(0:4) output bank.
35,39	VSSb	P	Common ground for Qb(0:4) output bank.
45,49	VDDc	P	3.3V supply for Qc(0:3) output bank and VCO_sel pin.
43,47,51	VSSc	P	Common ground for Qc(0:3) output bank and VCO_sel pin.
1	VSSA	P	Analog Ground

A bypass capacitor (0.1 μ F) should be placed as close as possible to each positive power pin (<0.2"). If these bypass capacitors are not close to the pins their high frequency filtering characteristic will be cancelled by the lead inductances of the traces.

Glitch-Free Output Frequency Transitions

Customarily when zero delay buffers have their internal counter's changed "on the fly" their output clock periods will:

- Contain short or "runt" clock periods. These are clock cycles in which the cycle(s) are shorter in period than either the old or new frequency that is being transitioned to.
- Contain stretched clock periods. These are clock cycles in which the cycle(s) are longer in period than either the old or new frequency that is being transitioned to.

This device specifically includes logic to guarantee that runt and stretched clock pulses do not occur if the device logic levels of any or all of the following pins changed "on the fly" while it is operating: Fsela, Fselb, Fselc, and VCO_Sel

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Maximum Ratings

Input Voltage Relative to VSS:	VSS-0.3V
Input Voltage Relative to VDD:	VDD+0.3V
Storage Temperature:	-65°C to + 150°C
Operating Temperature:	-40°C to +85°C
Maximum Power Supply:	5.5V

This device contains circuitry to protect the inputs against damage due to high static voltages or electric field; however, precautions should be taken to avoid application of any voltage higher than the maximum rated voltages to this circuit. For proper operation, Vin and Vout should be constrained to the range:

$$VSS < (V_{in} \text{ or } V_{out}) < VDD$$

Unused inputs must always be tied to an appropriate logic voltage level (either VSS or VDD).

DC Parameters

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Conditions
Input Low Voltage	VIL	VSS	-	0.8	Vdc	Applicable to all input signals.
Input High Voltage	VIH	2.0	-	VDD	Vdc	
Input Low Current	IIL			-100	μA	
Input High Current	IIH			100	μA	
Output Low Voltage	VOL			0.5	V	IOL = 20 mA
Output High Voltage	VOH	2.4			V	IOH = - 20mA
Quiescent Supply Current	Idd	-	-	20	mA	
Input Pin Capacitance	Cin	-	-	8	pF	Per input
VDD* = 3.3V ± 5%, TA = -40°C to +85°C						

PLL AC Parameters

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Conditions
Maximum PLL Lock Time	tLOCK			10	mS	Stable power supply & valid clocks presented on TCLK(0:1) pins.
VCO Lock Range	fVCO	200		500	MHz	FselfB(0:1) = /4 to /12
TCLK(0:1) input rise / fall time	Tinr, Tinf			3	nS	
Input Reference frequency	fREF	Note 1		Note 1	MHz	
Input Reference duty cycle	fREFpw	25		75	%	
VDD* = 3.3V ± 5%, TA = -40°C to +85°C						

Note 1: Input Reference Frequency is limited by the divider selection and the VCO lock range.

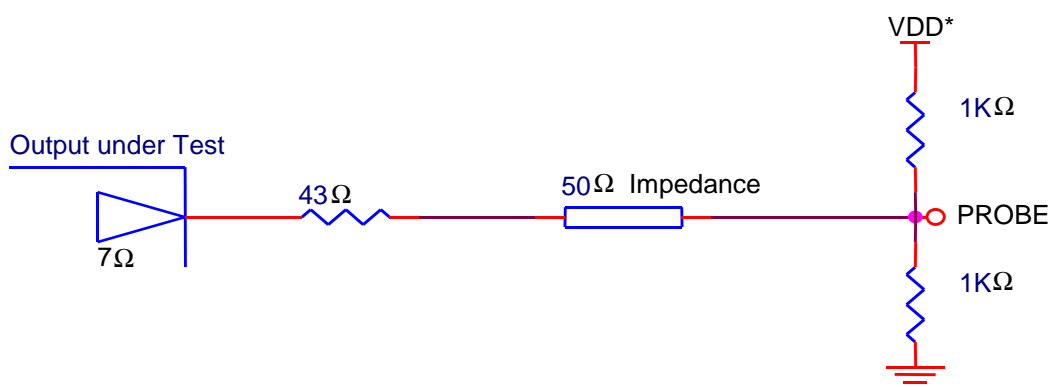
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AC Parameters

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Conditions
Output Duty Cycle	T _{pw}	T _{cycle} /2 - 800	T _{cycle} /2 ± 500	T _{cycle} /2 + 800	ps	Measured @ VDD/2
Rise Time / Fall Time	T _r , T _f	0.15	-	1.5	ns	Measured between 0.8V and 2.0V
Output Impedance	Z _o		7	10	Ω	
Output to Output Skew	T _s	-	-	250	ps	All output equally loaded
Propagation Delay, TCLK(0:1) to FBIN	T _{pd}	-250	-	100	ps	Measured for 50MHz at VDD/2
Cycle to Cycle Jitter	t _j	-	±100	-	ps	Measured for 50 MHz at VDD/2
Output Disable Time	t _{PLZ} , t _{PHZ}	2	-	10	ns	After MR# goes low
Output Enable Time	t _{PZL}	2	-	10	ns	After MR# goes High
Maximum Output Frequency	F _{out}	-	-	125	MHz	Q (÷2)
				63		Q (÷4)
				42		Q (÷6)
VDD* = 3.3V ± 5%, TA = -40°C to +85°C						

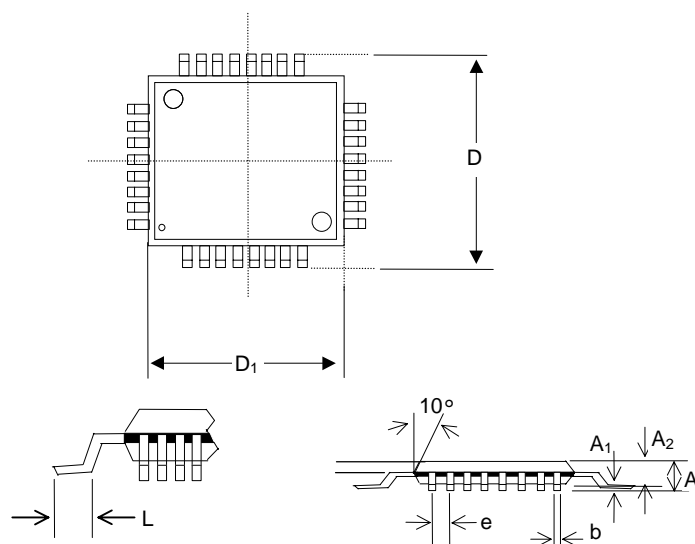
Note: Parameters are guaranteed by design and characterization. Not 100% tested in production. All parameters specified with loaded outputs. Z9974 outputs can drive series or parallel terminator 50 Ω (or 50 Ω to VDD/2).

Test Circuit Diagram



NOTE: All buffer outputs are tied to a common 3.3 Volt VDD (VDD*) for testing purposes

Package Drawing and Dimensions (52 TQFP)



52 Pin TQFP Outline Dimensions

SYMBOL	INCHES			MILLIMETERS		
	MIN	NOM	MAX	MIN	NOM	MAX
A	-	-	0.047	-	-	1.20
A ₁	0.002	-	0.006	0.05	-	0.15
A ₂	0.037	-	0.041	0.95	-	1.05
D	-	0.472	-	-	12.00	-
D ₁	-	0.394	-	-	10.00	-
b	0.009	-	0.015	0.22	-	0.38
e	0.026 BSC			0.65 BSC		
L	0.018	-	0.030	0.45	-	0.75

Ordering Information

Part Number	Package Type	Production Flow
Z9974CA	52 TQFP	Industrial, -40°C to +85°C

Note: The ordering part number is formed by a combination of device number, device revision, package style, and screening as shown below.

Marking: Example: CYPRESS
Z9974CA
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- Package
A = TQFP
- Revision
- Device Number



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