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## Low Power Peak EMI Reducing Solution

#### Features

- Generates an EMI optimized clock signal at the output.
- Integrated loop filter components.
- Operates with a 3.3 / 2.5V Supply.
- Operating current less than 4mA.
- Low power CMOS design.
- Input frequency range: 12MHz to 30MHz for 2.5V
  : 12MHz to 30MHz for 3.3V
- Generates a 1X low EMI spread spectrum clock of the input frequency.
- Spread Spectrum Enable Control.
- Frequency deviation: ±1% @ 24MHz
- Available in 6 pin TSOT-23, 8 pin SOIC and 8 pin TSSOP Packages.

#### **Product Description**

The ASM3P2579A is a versatile spread spectrum frequency modulator designed specifically for a wide range of clock frequencies. The ASM3P2579A reduces electromagnetic interference (EMI) at the clock source, allowing system wide reduction of EMI of all clock dependent signals. The ASM3P2579A allows significant system cost savings by reducing the number of circuit board layers ferrite beads, shielding that are traditionally required to pass EMI regulations.

The ASM3P2579A uses the most efficient and optimized modulation profile approved by the FCC and is implemented by using a proprietary all digital method.

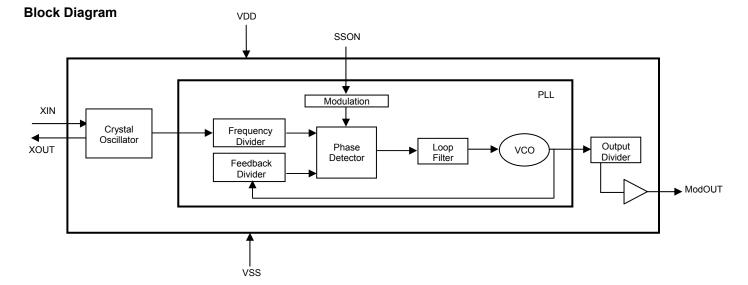
The ASM3P2579A modulates the output of a single PLL in order to "spread" the bandwidth of a synthesized clock, and more importantly, decreases the peak amplitudes of its harmonics. This results in significantly lower system EMI compared to the typical narrow band signal produced by oscillators and most frequency generators. Lowering EMI by increasing a signal's bandwidth is called 'spread spectrum clock generation'.

#### Applications

The ASM3P2579A is targeted towards all portable devices with very low power requirements like MP3 players and digital still cameras.

#### **Key Specifications**

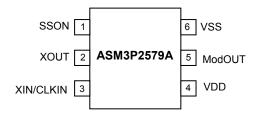
| Description              | Specification        |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Supply voltages          | VDD = 3.3V/2.5V      |
| Cycle-to-Cycle Jitter    | 200pS (Max)          |
| Output Duty Cycle        | 45/55% (worst case)  |
| Modulation Rate Equation | F <sub>IN</sub> /640 |
| Frequency Deviation      | ±1% @ 24MHz          |



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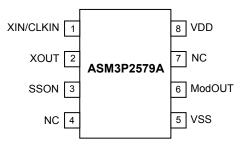
## Pin Configuration (6-pin TSOT-23 Package)



## **Pin Description**

| Pin# | Pin Name  | Туре | Description   |  |  |  |  |
|------|-----------|------|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1    | SSON      | I    | When SSON is HIGH, the spread spectrum is enabled and when LOW, it turns off the spread spectrum. Connect the pin to ground When Spread Spectrum feature is not required. |  |  |  |  |
| 2    | XOUT      | 0    | Crystal connection. If using an external reference, this pin must be left unconnected.  |  |  |  |  |
| 3    | XIN/CLKIN | I    | Crystal connection or external reference frequency input. This pin has dual functions. It can be connected either to an external crystal or an external reference clock.  |  |  |  |  |
| 4    | VDD       | Р    | Power supply for the entire chip  |  |  |  |  |
| 5    | ModOUT    | 0    | Spread spectrum clock output.   |  |  |  |  |
| 6    | VSS       | Р    | Ground connection.  |  |  |  |  |

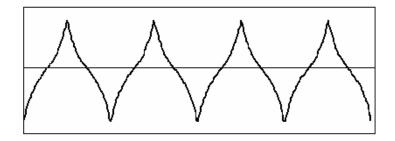
## Pin Configuration (8-pin SOIC and TSSOP Packages)



## **Pin Description**

| Pin# | Pin Name  | Туре | Description   |
|------|-----------|------|---|
| 1    | XIN/CLKIN | I    | Crystal connection or external reference frequency input. This pin has dual functions. It can be connected either to an external crystal or an external reference clock.  |
| 2    | XOUT      | 0    | Crystal connection. If using an external reference, this pin must be left unconnected.  |
| 3    | SSON      | I    | When SSON is HIGH, the spread spectrum is enabled and when LOW, it turns off the spread spectrum. Connect the pin to ground When Spread Spectrum feature is not required. |
| 4    | NC        | -    | No connect.   |
| 5    | VSS       | Р    | Ground connection.  |
| 6    | ModOUT    | 0    | Spread spectrum clock output.   |
| 7    | NC        | -    | No connect.   |
| 8    | VDD       | Р    | Power supply for the entire chip  |

## **Modulation Profile**



## Specifications

| Description         | Specification         |  |  |
|---------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| Frequency Range     | 12MHz < CLKIN < 30MHz |  |  |
| Modulation Equation | F <sub>IN</sub> /640  |  |  |
| Frequency Deviation | ±1% @ 24MHz           |  |  |



### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

| Parameter  | Rating   | Unit  |
|--|--|---|
| Voltage on any pin with respect to Ground                | -0.5 to +7.0   | V   |
| Storage temperature                                      | -65 to +125  | °C  |
| Operating temperature                                    | 0 to 70  | °C  |
| Max. Soldering Temperature (10 sec)                      | 260  | °C  |
| Junction Temperature                                     | 150  | °C  |
| Static Discharge Voltage<br>(As per JEDEC STD22- A114-B) | 2  | KV  |
|  | Voltage on any pin with respect to Ground      Storage temperature      Operating temperature      Max. Soldering Temperature (10 sec)      Junction Temperature      Static Discharge Voltage | Voltage on any pin with respect to Ground-0.5 to +7.0Storage temperature-65 to +125Operating temperature0 to 70Max. Soldering Temperature (10 sec)260Junction Temperature150Static Discharge Voltage2 |

DC Electrical Characteristics for 2.5V Supply (Test condition: All parameters are measured at room temperature (+25°C) unless otherwise stated)

| Symbol           | Parameter  | Min       | Тур | Max       | Unit |  |  |
|------------------|--|-----------|-----|-----------|------|--|--|
| V <sub>IL</sub>  | Input low voltage  | VSS - 0.3 | -   | 0.8       | V    |  |  |
| V <sub>IH</sub>  | Input high voltage                                       | 2.0       | -   | VDD + 0.3 | V    |  |  |
| IIL              | Input low current  | -         | -   | -35       | μA   |  |  |
| IIн              | Input high current                                       | -         | -   | 35        | μA   |  |  |
| I <sub>XOL</sub> | XOUT output low current (@0.5V, VDD=2.5V)                | -         | 3   | -         | mA   |  |  |
| I <sub>XOH</sub> | XOUT output high current (@1.8V, VDD=2.5V)               | -         | 3   | -         | mA   |  |  |
| V <sub>OL</sub>  | Output low voltage (VDD = 2.5 V, I <sub>OL</sub> = 8mA)  | -         | -   | 0.6       | V    |  |  |
| V <sub>OH</sub>  | Output high voltage (VDD = 2.5 V, I <sub>OH</sub> = 8mA) | 1.8       | -   | -         | V    |  |  |
| I <sub>DD</sub>  | Static supply current *                                  | -         | 1.1 | -         | mA   |  |  |
| I <sub>CC</sub>  | Dynamic supply current (2.5V, 24MHz and no load)         | -         | 3.5 | -         | mA   |  |  |
| VDD              | Operating Voltage  | 2.375     | 2.5 | 2.625     | V    |  |  |
| t <sub>ON</sub>  | Power-up time (first locked cycle after power-up)        | -         | -   | 5         | mS   |  |  |
| Z <sub>OUT</sub> | Output impedance   | -         | 50  | -         | Ω    |  |  |
| * XIN/CLKIN      | * XIN/CLKIN is made low.                                 |           |     |           |      |  |  |

## AC Electrical Characteristics for 2.5V Supply

| Symbol                                    | Parameter   |                         |     | Тур | Max   | Unit |  |
|---|---|-------------------------|-----|-----|-------|------|--|
| CLKIN                                     | Input frequency   |                         | 12  | -   | 30    | MHz  |  |
| ModOUT                                    | Output frequency  |                         | 12  | -   | 30    | MHz  |  |
| f <sub>d</sub>                            | Fraguency Deviation   | Input Frequency = 12MHz | -   | -   | ±1.65 | %    |  |
|   | Frequency Deviation Input Free  | Input Frequency = 30MHz | -   | -   | ±0.80 |      |  |
| t <sub>LH</sub> *                         | Output rise time (measured from 0.7V to 1.7V)                                     |                         | 0.7 | 1.5 | 1.9   | nS   |  |
| t <sub>HL</sub> *                         | Output fall time (measured from 1.7V to 0.7V)                                     |                         | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.1   | nS   |  |
| t <sub>JC</sub>                           | Jitter (cycle to cycle)   |                         | -   | -   | 200   | pS   |  |
| t <sub>D</sub>                            | Output duty cycle   | 45                      | 50  | 55  | %     |      |  |
| * $t_{\text{LH}}$ and $t_{\text{HL}}$ are | * t <sub>LH</sub> and t <sub>HL</sub> are measured into a capacitive load of 15pF |                         |     |     |       |      |  |

DC Electrical Characteristics for 3.3V Supply (Test condition: All parameters are measured at room temperature (+25°C) unless otherwise stated)

| Symbol           | Parameter  | Min       | Тур | Max       | Unit |
|------------------|--|-----------|-----|-----------|------|
| VIL              | Input low voltage  | VSS - 0.3 | -   | 0.8       | V    |
| V <sub>IH</sub>  | Input high voltage                                       | 2.0       | -   | VDD + 0.3 | V    |
| IIL              | Input low current  | -         | -   | -35       | μA   |
| I <sub>IH</sub>  | Input high current                                       | -         | -   | 35        | μA   |
| I <sub>XOL</sub> | XOUT output low current (@0.4V, VDD=3.3V)                | -         | 3   | -         | mA   |
| I <sub>хон</sub> | XOUT output high current (@2.5V, VDD=3.3V)               | -         | 3   | -         | mA   |
| V <sub>OL</sub>  | Output low voltage (VDD = 3.3 V, I <sub>OL</sub> = 8mA)  | -         | -   | 0.4       | V    |
| V <sub>OH</sub>  | Output high voltage (VDD = 3.3 V, I <sub>OH</sub> = 8mA) | 2.5       | -   | -         | V    |
| I <sub>DD</sub>  | Static supply current*                                   | -         | 1.2 | -         | mA   |
| I <sub>CC</sub>  | Dynamic supply current (3.3V, 24MHz and no load)         | -         | 4.0 | -         | mA   |
| VDD              | Operating Voltage  | 2.7       | 3.3 | 3.6       | V    |
| t <sub>ON</sub>  | Power-up time (first locked cycle after power-up)        | -         | -   | 5         | mS   |
| Zout             | Output impedance   | -         | 45  | -         | Ω    |
| * XIN/CLKIN      | is made low.   |           |     |           |      |

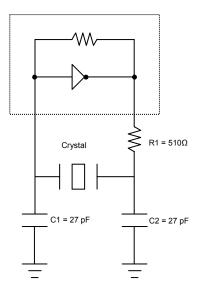
## AC Electrical Characteristics for 3.3V Supply

| Symbol                                      | Parameter  |                         |     | Тур | Max   | Unit |  |
|---|--|-------------------------|-----|-----|-------|------|--|
| CLKIN                                       | Input frequency  |                         | 12  | -   | 30    | MHz  |  |
| ModOUT                                      | Output frequency   |                         | 12  | -   | 30    | MHz  |  |
| f <sub>d</sub>                              | Frequency Deviation  | Input Frequency = 12MHz | -   | -   | ±1.65 | %    |  |
|   |  | Input Frequency = 30MHz | -   | -   | ±0.80 |      |  |
| t <sub>LH</sub> *                           | Output rise time (measured from 0.8 to 2.0V)                                     |                         | 0.5 | 1.4 | 1.7   | nS   |  |
| t <sub>HL</sub> *                           | Output fall time (measured at 2.0V to 0.8V)                                      |                         | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.2   | nS   |  |
| t <sub>JC</sub>                             | Jitter (cycle to cycle)  |                         |     | -   | 200   | pS   |  |
| t <sub>D</sub>                              | Output duty cycle  |                         |     | 50  | 55    | %    |  |
| $^{*}t_{\text{LH}}$ and $t_{\text{HL}}$ are | *t <sub>LH</sub> and t <sub>HL</sub> are measured into a capacitive load of 15pF |                         |     |     |       |      |  |



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# **Typical Crystal Oscillator Circuit**



## **Typical Crystal Specifications**

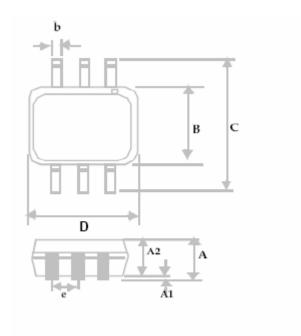
| Fundamental AT cut parallel resonant crystal |                            |  |  |  |
|--|----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Nominal frequency                            | 14.31818MHz                |  |  |  |
| Frequency tolerance                          | ± 50 ppm or better at 25°C |  |  |  |
| Operating temperature range                  | -25°C to +85°C             |  |  |  |
| Storage temperature                          | -40°C to +85°C             |  |  |  |
| Load capacitance                             | 18pF                       |  |  |  |
| Shunt capacitance                            | 7pF maximum                |  |  |  |
| ESR  | 25Ω                        |  |  |  |

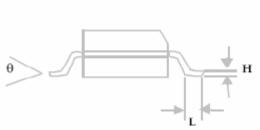


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## Package Information

6-pin TSOT-23 Package

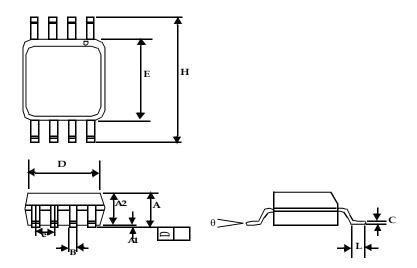




|        | Dimensions |       |        |        |  |
|--------|------------|-------|--------|--------|--|
| Symbol | Inches     |       | Millim | neters |  |
|        | Min        | Max   | Min    | Max    |  |
| А      |            | 0.04  |        | 1.00   |  |
| A1     | 0.00       | 0.004 | 0.00   | 0.10   |  |
| A2     | 0.033      | 0.036 | 0.84   | 0.90   |  |
| b      | 0.012      | 0.02  | 0.30   | 0.50   |  |
| Н      | 0.005      | 5 BSC | 0.127  | BSC    |  |
| D      | 0.114      | BSC   | 2.90   | BSC    |  |
| В      | 0.06       | BSC   | 1.60   | BSC    |  |
| е      | 0.0374 BSC |       | 0.950  | BSC    |  |
| С      | 0.11 BSC   |       | 2.80   | BSC    |  |
| L      | 0.0118     | 0.02  | 0.30   | 0.50   |  |
| θ      | 0°         | 4°    | 0°     | 4°     |  |



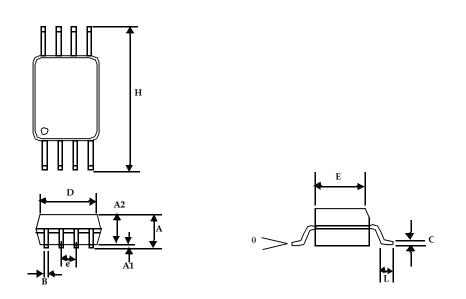
8-Pin SOIC Package



|        | Dimensions |       |             |      |  |
|--------|------------|-------|-------------|------|--|
| Symbol | Inc        | hes   | Millimeters |      |  |
|        | Min        | Мах   | Min         | Max  |  |
| A1     | 0.004      | 0.010 | 0.10        | 0.25 |  |
| А      | 0.053      | 0.069 | 1.35        | 1.75 |  |
| A2     | 0.049      | 0.059 | 1.25        | 1.50 |  |
| В      | 0.012      | 0.020 | 0.31        | 0.51 |  |
| С      | 0.007      | 0.010 | 0.18        | 0.25 |  |
| D      | 0.193      | BSC   | 4.90        | BSC  |  |
| E      | 0.154      | BSC   | 3.91        | BSC  |  |
| е      | 0.050 BSC  |       | 1.27        | BSC  |  |
| Н      | 0.236 BSC  |       | 6.00        | BSC  |  |
| L      | 0.016      | 0.050 | 0.41        | 1.27 |  |
| θ      | 0°         | 8°    | 0°          | 8°   |  |







|        | Dimensions |       |             |      |  |
|--------|------------|-------|-------------|------|--|
| Symbol | Inches     |       | Millimeters |      |  |
|        | Min        | Мах   | Min         | Max  |  |
| А      |            | 0.043 |             | 1.10 |  |
| A1     | 0.002      | 0.006 | 0.05        | 0.15 |  |
| A2     | 0.033      | 0.037 | 0.85        | 0.95 |  |
| В      | 0.008      | 0.012 | 0.19        | 0.30 |  |
| с      | 0.004      | 0.008 | 0.09        | 0.20 |  |
| D      | 0.114      | 0.122 | 2.90        | 3.10 |  |
| E      | 0.169      | 0.177 | 4.30        | 4.50 |  |
| е      | 0.026 BSC  |       | 0.65 BSC    |      |  |
| Н      | 0.252 BSC  |       | 6.40 BSC    |      |  |
| L      | 0.020      | 0.028 | 0.50        | 0.70 |  |
| θ      | 0°         | 8°    | 0°          | 8°   |  |

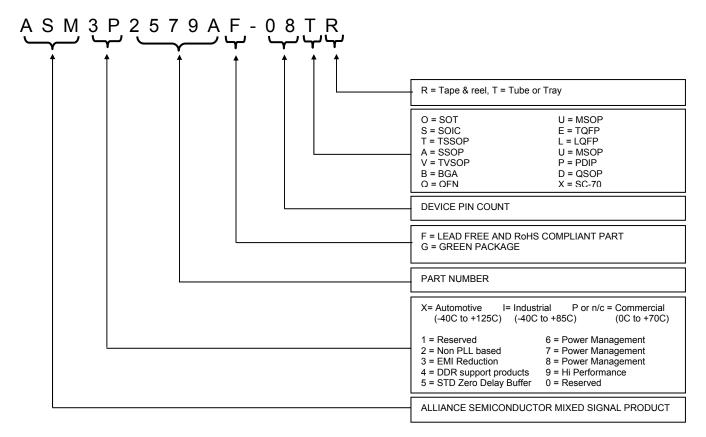


## **Ordering Information**

| Part Number      | Marking  | Package Type                        | Temperature |
|------------------|----------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| ASM3P2579AF-06OR | S4LL     | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE & REEL, Pb Free | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AF-08TT | 3P2579AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Pb Free          | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AF-08TR | 3P2579AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE & REEL, Pb Free   | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AF-08ST | 3P2579AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Pb Free           | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AF-08SR | 3P2579AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE & REEL, Pb Free    | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579A-06OR  | S1LL     | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE & REEL          | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579A-08TT  | 3P2579A  | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE                   | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579A-08TR  | 3P2579A  | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE & REEL            | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579A-08ST  | 3P2579A  | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE                    | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579A-08SR  | 3P2579A  | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE & REEL             | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AG-06OR | S3LL     | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE & REEL, Green   | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AG-08TT | 3P2579AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Green            | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AG-08TR | 3P2579AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE & REEL, Green     | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AG-08ST | 3P2579AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Green             | Commercial  |
| ASM3P2579AG-08SR | 3P2579AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE & REEL, Green      | Commercial  |
| ASM3I2579AF-06OR | S5LL     | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE & REEL, Pb Free | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AF-08TT | 3I2579AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Pb Free          | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AF-08TR | 3I2579AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE & REEL, Pb Free   | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AF-08ST | 3I2579AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Pb Free           | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AF-08SR | 3I2579AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE & REEL, Pb Free    | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579A-06OR  | S2LL     | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE & REEL          | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579A-08TT  | 3I2579A  | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE                   | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579A-08TR  | 3I2579A  | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE & REEL            | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579A-08ST  | 3I2579A  | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE                    | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579A-08SR  | 3I2579A  | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE & REEL             | Industrial  |
| ASM312579AG-06OR | S6LL     | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE & REEL, Green   | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AG-08TT | 3I2579AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Green            | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AG-08TR | 3l2579AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE & REEL, Green     | Industrial  |
| ASM3I2579AG-08ST | 3I2579AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Green             | Industrial  |
| ASM312579AG-08SR | 3l2579AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE & REEL, Green      | Industrial  |

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