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## Low Power Peak Reducing EMI Solution

## Features

- Generates an EMI optimized clock signal at the output.
- Integrated loop filter components.
- Operates with a $3.3 \mathrm{~V} / 2.5 \mathrm{~V}$ Supply.
- Operating current less than 4 mA .
- Low power CMOS design.
- Input frequency range: 13 MHz to 30 MHz for 2.5 V
: 13 MHz to 30 MHz for 3.3 V
- Generates a 1X low EMI spread spectrum clock of the input frequency.
- Frequency deviation: $\pm 1 \%$ @ 24 MHz
- Available in 6-pin TSOT-23, 8-pin SOIC and 8-pin TSSOP packages.


## Product Description

The ASM3P2879A is a versatile spread spectrum frequency modulator designed specifically for a wide range of clock frequencies. The ASM3P2879A reduces electromagnetic interference (EMI) at the clock source, allowing system wide reduction of EMI of all clock dependent signals. The ASM3P2879A 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 ASM3P2879A uses the most efficient and optimized modulation profile approved by the FCC and is implemented by using a proprietary all digital method.

The ASM3P2879A 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 ASM3P2879A is targeted towards all portable devices with very low power requirements like MP3 players, Notebooks and digital still cameras.

## Key Specifications

| Description | Specification |
| :--- | :--- |
| Supply voltages | $\mathrm{VDD}=2.5 \mathrm{~V} / 3.3 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Cycle-to-Cycle Jitter | 200 pS (Max) |
| Output Duty Cycle | $45 / 55 \%$ |
| Modulation Rate Equation | $\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{IN}} / 640$ |
| Frequency Deviation | $\pm 1 \% @ 24 \mathrm{MHz}$ |



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Pin Configuration (6-pin TSOT-23 Package)


Pin Description

| Pin\# | Pin Name | Type | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 1 | REFOUT | O | Buffered output of the input frequency. |
| 2 | XOUT | O | 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 <br> can be connected either to an external crystal or an external reference clock. |
| 4 | VDD | P | Power supply for the entire chip (3.3V) |
| 5 | ModOUT | O | Spread spectrum clock output. |
| 6 | VSS | P | Ground connection. |

Pin Configuration (8-pin SOIC and TSSOP Packages)

## Pin Description



| Pin\# | Pin Name | Type | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 1 | XIN/CLKIN | I | Crystal connection or external reference frequency input. This pin has dual functions. It <br> can be connected either to an external crystal or an external reference clock. |
| 2 | XOUT | O | Crystal connection. If using an external reference, this pin must be left unconnected. |
| 3 | REFOUT | O | Buffered output of the input frequency. |
| 4 | NC | - | No connect. |
| 5 | VSS | P | Ground connection. |
| 6 | ModOUT | O | Spread spectrum clock output. |
| 7 | NC | - | No connect. |
| 8 | VDD | P | Power supply for the entire chip |

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## Modulation Profile



## Specifications

| Description |  | Specification |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Frequency Range | For 2.5V Supply | $13 \mathrm{MHz}<$ CLKIN $<30 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  | For 3.3V Supply | $13 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{CLKIN}<30 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| Modulation Equation | $\mathrm{F}_{\text {IN }} / 640$ |  |
| Frequency Deviation | $\pm 1 \% @ 24 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Symbol | Parameter | Rating | Unit |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{VDD}, \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}$ | Voltage on any pin with respect to Ground | -0.5 to +4.6 | V |
| $\mathrm{~T}_{\text {STG }}$ | Storage temperature | -65 to +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | Operating temperature | -40 to +85 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{s}}$ | Max. Soldering Temperature (10 sec) | 260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}$ | Junction Temperature | 150 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $\mathrm{T}_{\text {DV }}$ | Static Discharge Voltage <br> (As per JEDEC STD22- A114-B) | 2 | KV |
| Note: These are stress ratings only and are not implied for functional use. Exposure to absolute maximum ratings for prolonged periods of time may affect <br> device reliability. |  |  |  |

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DC Electrical Characteristics for 2.5V Supply
(Test condition: All parameters are measured at room temperature $\left(+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ unless otherwise stated)

| Symbol | Parameter | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VIL | Input low voltage | VSS - 0.3 | - | 0.8 | V |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IH}}$ | Input high voltage | 2.0 | - | VDD + 0.3 | V |
| $1 /{ }_{\text {IL }}$ | Input low current | - | - | -35 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| IIH | Input high current | - | - | 35 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{XOL}}$ | XOUT output low current (@0.5V, VDD=2.5V) | - | 3 | - | mA |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\text {хOH }}$ | XOUT output high current (@1.8V, VDD=2.5V) | - | 3 | - | mA |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OL }}$ | Output low voltage (VDD $=2.5 \mathrm{~V}$, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OL}}=8 \mathrm{~mA}$ ) | - | - | 0.6 | V |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | Output high voltage (VDD $=2.5 \mathrm{~V}$, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}=8 \mathrm{~mA}$ ) | 1.8 | - | - | V |
| IDD | Static supply current * | - | 1.2 | - | mA |
| Icc | Dynamic supply current (2.5V, 24MHz and with no load) | - | 3.5 | - | mA |
| VDD | Operating Voltage | 2.375 | 2.5 | 2.625 | V |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{on}}$ | Power-up time (first locked cycle after power-up) | - | - | 5 | mS |
| $\mathrm{Z}_{\text {OUT }}$ | Output impedance | - | 50 | - | $\Omega$ |
| * XIN/CLKIN pin is pulled low |  |  |  |  |  |

## AC Electrical Characteristics for 2.5V Supply

| Symbol | Parameter |  | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CLKIN | Input frequency |  | 13 | - | 30 | MHz |
| ModOUT | Output frequency |  | 13 | - | 30 | MHz |
| $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{d}}$ | Frequency Deviation | Input Frequency $=13 \mathrm{MHz}$ | - | $\pm 1.75$ | - | \% |
|  |  | Input Frequency $=30 \mathrm{MHz}$ | - | $\pm 0.80$ | - |  |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\text {LH }}{ }^{\text {* }}$ | Output rise time (measured from 0.7 V to 1.7 V ) |  | 0.8 | 1.7 | 1.9 | nS |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{HL}}{ }^{\text {* }}$ | Output fall time (measured from 1.7V to 0.7 V ) |  | 0.5 | 0.9 | 1.2 | nS |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{Jc}}$ | Jitter (cycle to cycle) |  | - | - | 200 | pS |
| $t_{D}$ | Output duty cycle |  | 45 | 50 | 55 | \% |

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DC Electrical Characteristics for 3.3V Supply
(Test condition: All parameters are measured at room temperature $\left(+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ unless otherwise stated)

| Symbol | Parameter | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VIL | Input low voltage | VSS - 0.3 | - | 0.8 | V |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IH}}$ | Input high voltage | 2.0 | - | VDD + 0.3 | V |
| $1 /{ }_{\text {IL }}$ | Input low current | - | - | -35 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| IIH | Input high current | - | - | 35 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\text {XOL }}$ | XOUT output low current (@0.4V, VDD=3.3V) | - | 3 | - | mA |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\text {хOH }}$ | XOUT output high current (@2.5V, VDD=3.3V) | - | 3 | - | mA |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OL }}$ | Output low voltage (VDD $=3.3 \mathrm{~V}$, $\mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{OL}}=8 \mathrm{~mA}$ ) | - | - | 0.4 | V |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | Output high voltage (VDD $=3.3 \mathrm{~V}$, $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}=8 \mathrm{~mA}$ ) | 2.5 | - | - | V |
| IDD | Static supply current * | - | 1.2 | - | mA |
| ICC | Dynamic supply current (3.3V, 24MHz and with no load) | - | 4.5 | - | mA |
| VDD | Operating Voltage | 2.7 | 3.3 | 3.6 | V |
| ton | Power-up time (first locked cycle after power-up) | - | - | 5 | mS |
| $\mathrm{Z}_{\text {OUT }}$ | Clock output impedance | - | 45 | - | $\Omega$ |
| * XIN/CLKIN pin is pulled low |  |  |  |  |  |

## AC Electrical Characteristics for 3.3V Supply

| Symbol | Parameter |  | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CLKIN | Input frequency |  | 13 | - | 30 | MHz |
| ModOUT | Output frequency |  | 13 | - | 30 | MHz |
| $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{d}}$ | Frequency Deviation | Input Frequency $=13 \mathrm{MHz}$ | - | $\pm 1.75$ | - | \% |
|  |  | Input Frequency $=30 \mathrm{MHz}$ | - | $\pm 0.80$ | - |  |
| tLH* | Output rise time (measured from 0.8 to 2.0 V ) |  | 0.6 | 1.6 | 1.8 | nS |
| $\mathrm{tHL}^{*}{ }^{\text {a }}$ | Output fall time (measured at 2.0 V to 0.8 V ) |  | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.2 | nS |
| $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{sc}}$ | Jitter (cycle to cycle) |  | - | - | 200 | pS |
| $t_{\text {D }}$ | Output duty cycle |  | 45 | 50 | 55 | \% |
| and $\mathrm{t}_{\text {L-L }}$ are me | into a capacitive load of 15pF |  |  |  |  |  |

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Typical Crystal Oscillator Circuit


Typical Crystal Specifications

| Fundamental AT cut parallel resonant crystal | 14.31818 MHz |
| :--- | :--- |
| Nominal frequency | $\pm 50$ ppm or better at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Frequency tolerance | $-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating temperature range | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage temperature | 18 pF |
| Load capacitance | 7 pF maximum |
| Shunt capacitance | $25 \Omega$ |
| ESR |  |

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## Package Information

6-pin TSOT-23 Package


| Symbol | Dimensions |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Inches |  | Millimeters |  |
|  | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| A |  | 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 |
| H | 0.005 BSC |  | 0.127 BSC |  |
| D | 0.114 BSC |  | 2.90 BSC |  |
| B | 0.06 BSC |  | 1.60 BSC |  |
| e | 0.0374 BSC |  | 0.950 BSC |  |
| C | 0.11 BSC |  | 2.80 BSC |  |
| L | 0.0118 | 0.02 | 0.30 | 0.50 |
| $\theta$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $4^{\circ}$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $4^{\circ}$ |

## 8-Pin SOIC Package



| Symbol | Dimensions |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Inches |  | Millimeters |  |
|  | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| A1 | 0.004 | 0.010 | 0.10 | 0.25 |
| A | 0.053 | 0.069 | 1.35 | 1.75 |
| A2 | 0.049 | 0.059 | 1.25 | 1.50 |
| B | 0.012 | 0.020 | 0.31 | 0.51 |
| C | 0.007 | 0.010 | 0.18 | 0.25 |
| D | 0.193 BSC |  | 4.90 BSC |  |
| E | 0.154 BSC |  | 3.91 BSC |  |
| e | 0.050 BSC |  | 1.27 BSC |  |
| H | 0.236 BSC |  | 6.00 BSC |  |
| L | 0.016 | 0.050 | 0.41 | 1.27 |
| $\theta$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ |

## 8-Pin TSSOP Package



| Symbol | Dimensions |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Inches |  | Millimeters |  |
|  | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| A |  | 0.043 |  | 1.10 |
| A1 | 0.002 | 0.006 | 0.05 | 0.15 |
| A2 | 0.033 | 0.037 | 0.85 | 0.95 |
| B | 0.008 | 0.012 | 0.19 | 0.30 |
| c | 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 |
| e | 0.026 BSC |  |  | 0.65 BSC |
| H | 0.252 BSC |  |  | 6.40 BSC |
| L | 0.020 | 0.028 | 0.50 | 0.70 |
| $\theta$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ |

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Ordering Information

| Part Number | Marking | Package Type | Temperature |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| ASM3P2879AF-06OR | D4LL | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE \& REEL, Pb Free | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AF-08TT | 3P2879AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Pb Free | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AF-08TR | 3P2879AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE \& REEL, Pb Free | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AF-08ST | 3P2879AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Pb Free | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AF-08SR | 3P2879AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE \& REEL, Pb Free | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AG-06OR | D3LL | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE \& REEL, Green | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AG-08TT | 3P2879AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Green | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AG-08TR | 3P2879AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE \& REEL, Green | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AG-08ST | 3P2879AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Green | Commercial |
| ASM3P2879AG-08SR | 3P2879AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE \& REEL, Green | Commercial |
| ASM3I2879AF-06OR | D5LL | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE \& REEL, Pb Free | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AF-08TT | 3I2879AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Pb Free | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AF-08TR | 3I2879AF | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE \& REEL, Pb Free | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AF-08ST | 3I2879AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Pb Free | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AF-08SR | 3I2879AF | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE \& REEL, Pb Free | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AG-06OR | D6LL | 6-Pin TSOT-23, TAPE \& REEL, Green | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AG-08TT | 3I2879AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TUBE, Green | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AG-08TR | 3I2879AG | 8-Pin TSSOP, TAPE \& REEL, Green | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AG-08ST | 3I2879AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TUBE, Green | Industrial |
| ASM3I2879AG-08SR | 3I2879AG | 8-Pin SOIC, TAPE \& REEL, Green | Industrial |

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[^0]:    ${ }^{*} t_{L H}$ and $t_{H L}$ are measured into a capacitive load of 15 pF

