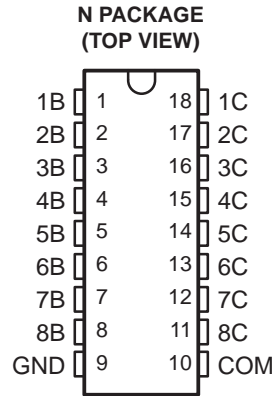


# SN75423, SN75424 HIGH-VOLTAGE HIGH-CURRENT DARLINGTON TRANSISTOR ARRAYS

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- 500-mA Rated Collector Current (Single Output)
- High-Voltage Outputs . . . 100 V
- Output Clamp Diodes
- Inputs Compatible With Various Types of Logic
- Relay Driver Applications
- Compatible With ULN2800A Series
- Packaged in Plastic (N) DIPs



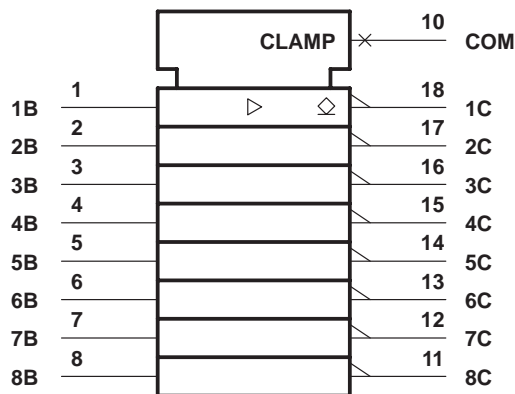
## description

The SN75423 and SN75424 are monolithic high-voltage, high-current Darlington transistor arrays. Each consists of eight npn Darlington pairs that feature high-voltage outputs with common-cathode clamp diodes for switching inductive loads. The collector-current rating of each Darlington pair is 500 mA. The Darlington pairs can be paralleled for higher current capability. Applications include relay drivers, hammer drivers, lamp drivers, display drivers (LED and gas discharge), line drivers, and logic buffers.

The SN75423 has a 2700- $\Omega$  series base resistor for each Darlington pair for operation directly with TTL or 5-V CMOS. The SN75424 has a 10.5-k $\Omega$  series base resistor to allow operation directly with CMOS or PMOS that use supply voltages of 6 to 15 V.

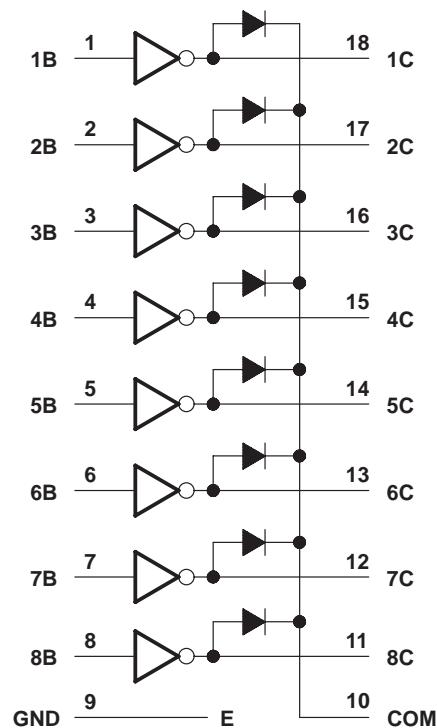
The SN75423 and SN75424 are designed for operation from 0°C to 85°C.

## logic symbol†



† This symbol is in accordance with ANSI/IEEE Std 91-1984 and IEC Publication 617-12.

## logic diagram (positive logic)



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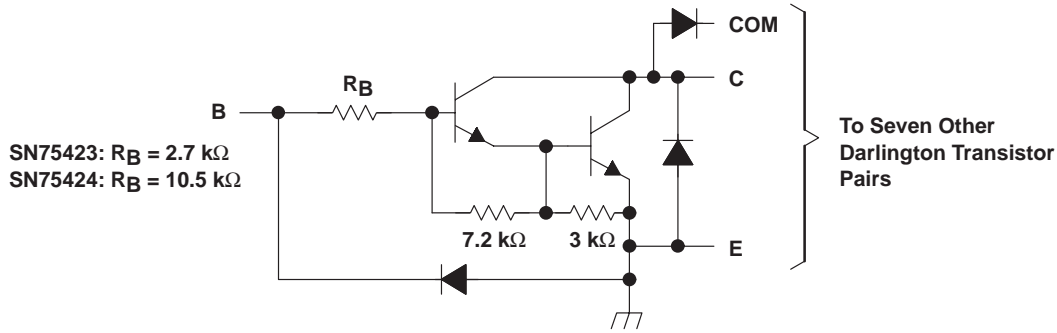
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**schematic (each Darlington pair)**



All resistor values shown are nominal.

**absolute maximum ratings at 25°C free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)**

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Collector-emitter voltage, $V_{CE}$ .....                                      | 100 V          |
| Input voltage, $V_I$ (see Note 1) .....  | 30 V           |
| Continuous collector current .....   | 500 mA         |
| Output clamp diode current, $I_{OK}$ .....                                     | 500 mA         |
| Total substrate-terminal current .....   | -2.5 A         |
| Continuous total power dissipation at or below 25°C free air temperature ..... | 1150 mW        |
| Operating free-air temperature range, $T_A$ .....                              | 0°C to 85°C    |
| Storage temperature range, $T_{stg}$ .....                                     | -65°C to 150°C |
| Lead temperature 1,6 mm (1/16 inch) from case for 10 seconds .....             | 260°C          |

NOTE 1: All voltage values are with respect to the emitter/substrate, terminal 9.

**electrical characteristics,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  (unless otherwise noted)**

| PARAMETER  | TEST FIGURE | TEST CONDITIONS   |                       | SN75423 |     |      | SN75424 |     |               | UNIT |   |
|--|-------------|---|-----------------------|---------|-----|------|---------|-----|---------------|------|---|
|  |             |   |                       | MIN     | TYP | MAX  | MIN     | TYP | MAX           |      |   |
| $V_{I(on)}$ On-state input voltage                 | 5           | $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$   | $I_C = 125\text{ mA}$ |         |     |      |         |     | 5             | V    |   |
|  |             |   | $I_C = 200\text{ mA}$ |         |     | 2.4  |         |     | 6             |      |   |
|  |             |   | $I_C = 250\text{ mA}$ |         |     | 2.7  |         |     |               |      |   |
|  |             |   | $I_C = 275\text{ mA}$ |         |     |      |         |     |               |      | 7 |
|  |             |   | $I_C = 300\text{ mA}$ |         |     | 3    |         |     |               |      |   |
|  |             |   | $I_C = 350\text{ mA}$ |         |     |      |         |     |               |      | 8 |
| $V_{CE(sat)}$ Collector-emitter saturation voltage | 6           | $I_I = 250\ \mu\text{A}, I_C = 100\text{ mA}$                           | 0.9                   | 1.1     |     | 0.9  | 1.1     |     | V             |      |   |
|  |             | $I_I = 350\ \mu\text{A}, I_C = 200\text{ mA}$                           | 1                     | 1.3     |     | 1    | 1.3     |     |               |      |   |
|  |             | $I_I = 500\ \mu\text{A}, I_C = 350\text{ mA}$                           | 1.2                   | 1.6     |     | 1.2  | 1.6     |     |               |      |   |
| $V_F$ Clamp-diode forward voltage                  | 8           | $I_F = 350\text{ mA}$   | 1.7                   | 2       |     | 1.7  | 2       |     | V             |      |   |
| $I_{CEX}$ Collector cutoff current                 | 1           | $V_{CE} = 100\text{ V}, I_I = 0$  |                       |         | 100 |      |         | 100 | $\mu\text{A}$ |      |   |
|  | 2           | $V_{CE} = 100\text{ V}, V_I = 1\text{ V}, T_A = 70^\circ\text{C}$       |                       |         |     |      |         | 500 |               |      |   |
| $I_{I(off)}$ Off-state input current               | 3           | $V_{CE} = 100\text{ V}, I_C = 500\ \mu\text{A}, T_A = 70^\circ\text{C}$ | 50                    | 65      |     | 50   | 65      |     | $\mu\text{A}$ |      |   |
| $I_{I(on)}$ Input current                          | 4           | $V_I = 3.85\text{ V}$   | 0.93                  | 1.35    |     |      |         |     | mA            |      |   |
|  |             | $V_I = 5\text{ V}$  |                       |         |     | 0.35 | 0.5     |     |               |      |   |
|  |             | $V_I = 12\text{ V}$   |                       |         |     | 1    | 1.45    |     |               |      |   |
| $I_R$ Clamp-diode reverse current                  | 7           | $V_R = 100\text{ V}$  |                       |         | 50  |      |         | 50  | $\mu\text{A}$ |      |   |
| $C_i$ Input capacitance                            |             | $V_I = 0, f = 1\text{ MHz}$   | 15                    | 30      |     | 15   | 30      |     | pF            |      |   |

**switching characteristics,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  free-air temperature**

| PARAMETER  | TEST CONDITIONS   | MIN        | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|--|---|------------|-----|-----|------|
| $t_{PLH}$ Propagation delay time, low-to-high-level output | $V_S = 50\text{ V}, R_L = 163\ \Omega, C_L = 15\text{ pF},$<br>See Figure 9 |            | 130 |     | ns   |
| $t_{PHL}$ Propagation delay time, high-to-low-level output | $V_S = 50\text{ V}, R_L = 163\ \Omega, C_L = 15\text{ pF},$<br>See Figure 9 |            | 20  |     | ns   |
| $V_{OH}$ High-level output voltage after switching         | $V_S = 60\text{ V}, I_O \approx 300\text{ mA},$ See Figure 10               | $V_S - 20$ |     |     | mV   |

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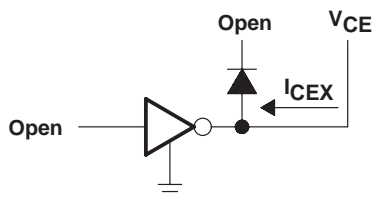


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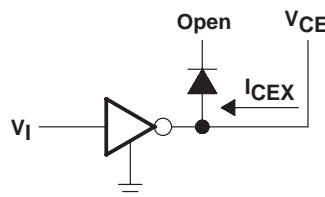


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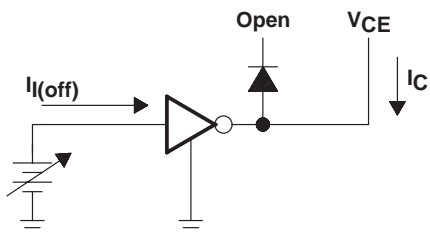


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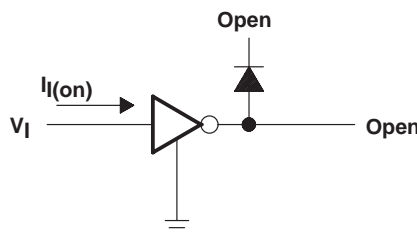


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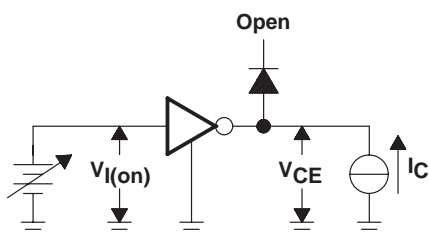


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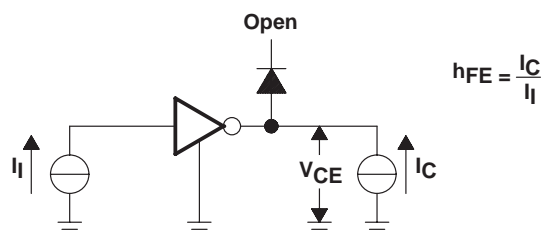


Figure 6.  $h_{FE}$ ,  $V_{CE(sat)}$

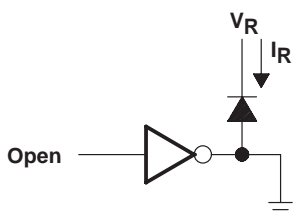


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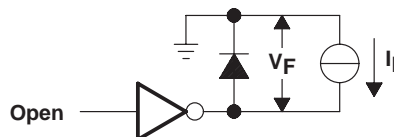
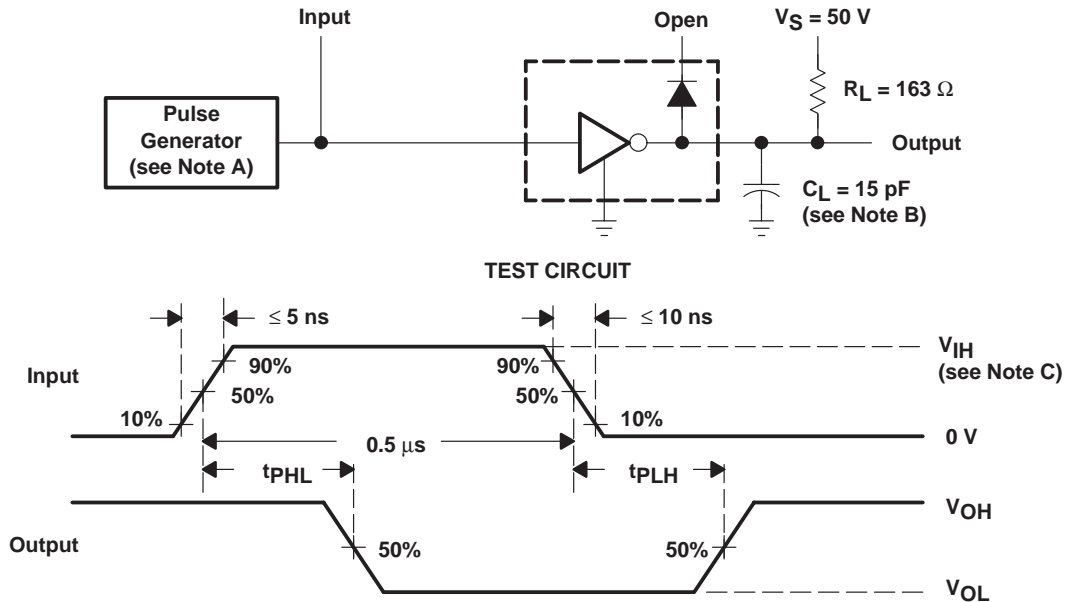


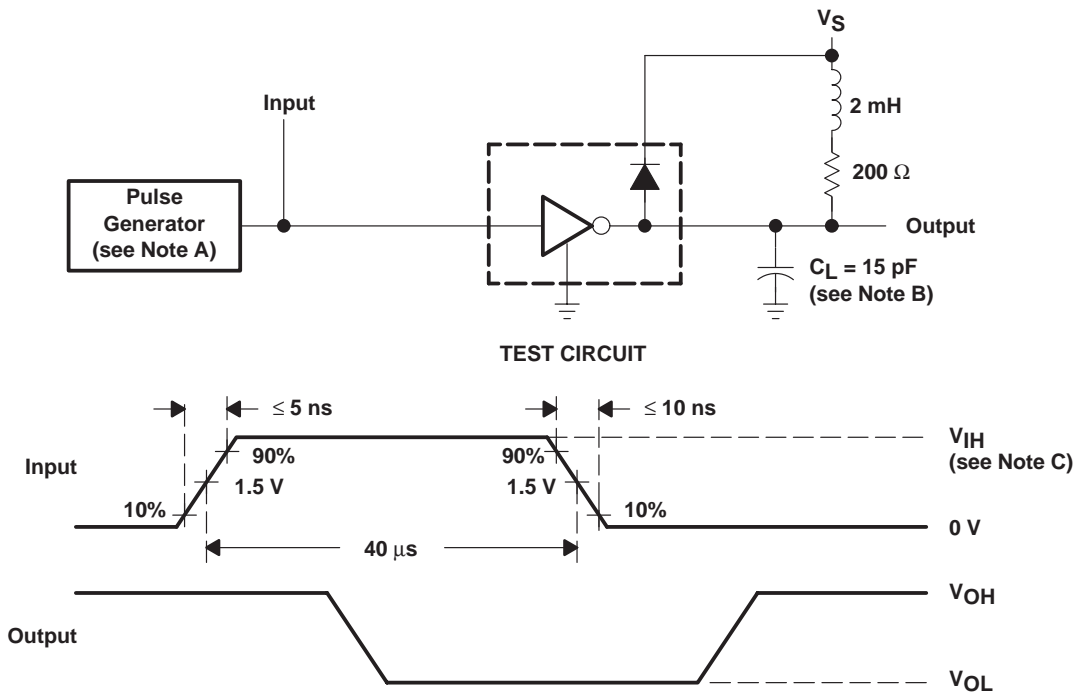
Figure 8.  $V_F$

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 C. For testing the SN75423,  $V_{IH} = 3 \text{ V}$ ; for the SN75424,  $V_{IH} = 8 \text{ V}$ .

Figure 9. Propagation Delay Test Circuit and Voltage Waveforms



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Figure 10. Latch-Up Test Circuit and Voltage Waveforms

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| Orderable Device | Status <sup>(1)</sup> | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | Package Qty | Eco Plan <sup>(2)</sup> | Lead/Ball Finish | MSL Peak Temp <sup>(3)</sup> |
|------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|------|-------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| SN75423N         | OBSOLETE              | PDIP         | N               | 18   |             | TBD                     | Call TI          | Call TI                      |
| SN75423N-90      | OBSOLETE              | PDIP         | N               | 18   |             | TBD                     | Call TI          | Call TI                      |

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