

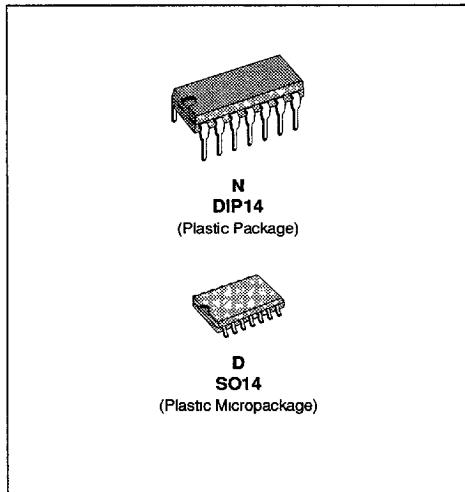
**3V LOW POWER DUAL TIMERS**

- DEDICATED TO 3.3V OR BATTERY SUPPLY  
(Specified at 3V and 5V plus 1.5V for A version)
- VERY LOW POWER CONSUMPTION :  
 $90\mu\text{A}/\text{tim}$  at  $\text{V}_{\text{CC}} = 3\text{V}$
- WIDE SINGLE SUPPLY RANGE :  
 $+1.5\text{V}$  to  $+16\text{V}$
- HIGH OUTPUT CURRENT CAPABILITY
- SUPPLY CURRENT SPIKES REDUCED  
DURING OUTPUT TRANSITIONS
- HIGH INPUT IMPEDANCE :  $10^{12}\Omega$
- PIN-TO-PIN AND FUNCTIONALLY COMPATIBLE  
WITH BIPOLAR NE556 AND CMOS  
TS556
- OUTPUT COMPATIBLE WITH TTL,CMOS  
AND LOGIC MOS

**DESCRIPTION**

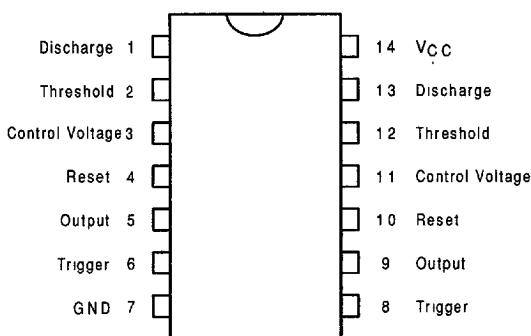
The TS3V556 with its low consumption ( $90\mu\text{A}/\text{tim}$  at  $\text{V}_{\text{CC}} = 3\text{V}$ ) is a dual CMOS timer dedicated to 3.3V or battery supply (specified at 3V and 5V plus 1.5V for A version) offering also a high frequency ( $f_{(\text{max})} 2\text{MHz}$  at  $\text{V}_{\text{CC}} = 3\text{V}$  and  $2.7\text{ MHz}$  at  $\text{V}_{\text{CC}} = 5\text{V}$ ). Thus, either in monostable or astable mode, timing remains very accurate.

Timing capacitors can also be minimized due to high input impedance ( $10^{12}\Omega$ ).

**ORDER CODES**

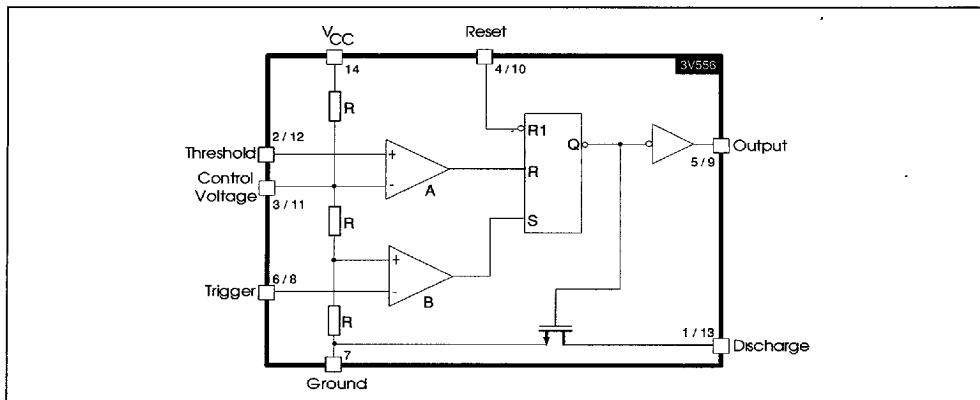
| Part Number | Temperature Range |   | Package |   |
|-------------|-------------------|---|---------|---|
|             | N                 | D | ■       | ■ |
| TS3V556I,AI | -40, +125°C       |   |         |   |

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**PIN CONNECTIONS (top view)**

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## BLOCK DIAGRAM (1/2 TS3V556)



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## FUNCTION TABLE

| RESET | TRIGGER | THRESHOLD | OUTPUT         |
|-------|---------|-----------|----------------|
| Low   | x       | x         | Low            |
| High  | Low     | x         | High           |
| High  | High    | High      | Low            |
| High  | High    | Low       | Previous State |

LOW  $\leftrightarrow$  Level Voltage  $\leq$  Min voltage specifiedHIGH  $\leftrightarrow$  Level Voltage  $\geq$  Max voltage specifiedX  $\leftrightarrow$  Irrelevant

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

| Symbol          | Parameter            | Value | Unit |
|-----------------|----------------------|-------|------|
| V <sub>CC</sub> | Supply Voltage       | +18   | V    |
| T <sub>J</sub>  | Junction Temperature | +150  | °C   |

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## THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

| Symbol            | Parameter                                   | Value       | Unit |
|-------------------|---|-------------|------|
| T <sub>oper</sub> | Operating Temperature Range<br>TS3V556I, AI | -40 to +125 | °C   |
| T <sub>stg</sub>  | Storage Temperature Range                   | -65 to +150 | °C   |

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## OPERATING CONDITIONS

| Symbol          | Parameter      | Value       | Unit |
|-----------------|----------------|-------------|------|
| V <sub>CC</sub> | Supply Voltage | +1.5 to +16 | V    |

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**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** $V_{CC} = +3V$ ,  $T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$ , Reset to  $V_{CC}$  (unless otherwise specified)**STATIC**

| Symbol             | Parameter   | TS3V556I,A1 |      |             | Unit |
|--------------------|---|-------------|------|-------------|------|
|                    |   | Min.        | Typ. | Max.        |      |
| I <sub>CC</sub>    | Supply Current - (no load, High and Low States, per timer)<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$ |             | 90   | 230<br>230  | μA   |
| V <sub>CCL</sub>   | Control Voltage<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$  | 1.8<br>1.7  | 2    | 2.2<br>2.3  | V    |
| V <sub>DIS</sub>   | Discharge Saturation Voltage ( $I_{DIS} = 1mA$ )<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$           |             | 0.05 | 0.2<br>0.25 | V    |
| V <sub>OL</sub>    | Low Level Output Voltage ( $I_{SINK} = 1mA$ )<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$              |             | 0.1  | 0.3<br>0.35 | V    |
| V <sub>OH</sub>    | High Level Output Voltage ( $I_{SOURCE} = -0.3mA$ )<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$        | 2.5<br>2.5  | 2.9  |             | V    |
| V <sub>TRIG</sub>  | Trigger Voltage<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$  | 0.9<br>0.8  | 1    | 1.1<br>1.2  | V    |
| I <sub>TRIG</sub>  | Trigger Current   |             | 10   |             | pA   |
| I <sub>TH</sub>    | Threshold Current   |             | 10   |             | pA   |
| V <sub>RESET</sub> | Reset Voltage<br>$T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$  | 0.4<br>0.3  | 1.1  | 1.5<br>2.0  | V    |
| I <sub>RESET</sub> | Reset Current   |             | 10   |             | pA   |
| I <sub>DS</sub>    | Discharge Pin Leakage Current   |             | 1    | 100         | nA   |

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**DYNAMIC**

| Symbol           | Parameter  | TS3V556I,A1 |      |      | Unit             |
|------------------|--|-------------|------|------|------------------|
|                  |  | Min.        | Typ. | Max. |                  |
|                  | Timing Accuracy (Monostable)<br>$R = 10k\Omega$ , $C = 0.1\mu F$ - (note 1)  |             | 1    |      | %                |
|                  | Timing Shift with supply voltage variations (Monostable)<br>$R = 10k\Omega$ , $C = 0.1\mu F$ , $V_{CC} = +3V \pm 0.3V$ - (note 1)          |             | 0.5  |      | %/V              |
|                  | Timing Shift with temperature - (note 1)<br>$T_{min} \leq T_{amb} \leq T_{max}$  |             | 75   |      | ppm/ $^{\circ}C$ |
| f <sub>MAX</sub> | Maximum astable frequency - (note 2)<br>$R_A = 470\Omega$ , $R_B = 200\Omega$ , $C = 200pF$  |             | 2    |      | MHz              |
|                  | Astable frequency accuracy - (note 2)<br>$R_A = R_B = 1k\Omega$ to $100k\Omega$ , $C = 0.1\mu F$   |             | 5    |      | %                |
|                  | Timing Shift with supply voltage variations (Astable mode) - (note 2)<br>$R_A = R_B = 10k\Omega$ , $C = 0.1\mu F$ , $V_{CC} = +3$ to $+5V$ |             | 0.5  |      | %/V              |
| t <sub>r</sub>   | Output Rise Time ( $C_{LOAD} = 10pF$ )   |             | 25   |      | ns               |
| t <sub>f</sub>   | Output Fall Time ( $C_{LOAD} = 10pF$ )   |             | 20   |      | ns               |
| t <sub>PD</sub>  | Trigger Propagation Delay  |             | 100  |      | ns               |
| t <sub>RPW</sub> | Minimum Reset Pulse Width ( $V_{TRIG} = +3V$ )   |             | 350  |      | ns               |

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- Note : 1. See Figure 2  
2. See Figure 4

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

V<sub>CC</sub> = +5V , T<sub>amb</sub> = +25°C , Reset to V<sub>CC</sub> (unless otherwise specified)

## STATIC

| Symbol             | Parameter  | TS3V556I,AI  |      |              | Unit |
|--------------------|--|--------------|------|--------------|------|
|                    |  | Min.         | Typ. | Max.         |      |
| I <sub>CC</sub>    | Supply Current - (no load, High and Low States, per timer)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub> |              | 110  | 250<br>250   | µA   |
| V <sub>CL</sub>    | Control Voltage<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>  | 2.9<br>2.8   | 3.3  | 3.8<br>3.9   | V    |
| V <sub>DIS</sub>   | Discharge Saturation Voltage (I <sub>DIS</sub> = 10mA)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>     |              | 0.2  | 0.3<br>0.35  | V    |
| V <sub>OL</sub>    | Low Level Output Voltage (I <sub>SINK</sub> = 8mA)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>         |              | 0.3  | 0.6<br>0.8   | V    |
| V <sub>OH</sub>    | High Level Output Voltage (I <sub>SOURCE</sub> = -2mA)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>     | 4.4<br>4.4   | 4.6  |              | V    |
| V <sub>TRIG</sub>  | Trigger Voltage<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>  | 1.36<br>1.26 | 1.67 | 1.96<br>2.06 | V    |
| I <sub>TRIG</sub>  | Trigger Current  |              | 10   |              | pA   |
| I <sub>TH</sub>    | Threshold Current  |              | 10   |              | pA   |
| V <sub>RESET</sub> | Reset Voltage<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>  | 0.4<br>0.3   | 1.1  | 1.5<br>2.0   | V    |
| I <sub>RESET</sub> | Reset Current  |              | 10   |              | pA   |
| I <sub>DIS</sub>   | Discharge Pin Leakage Current  |              | 1    | 100          | nA   |

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## DYNAMIC

| Symbol           | Parameter  | TS3V556I,AI |      |      | Unit   |
|------------------|--|-------------|------|------|--------|
|                  |  | Min.        | Typ. | Max. |        |
|                  | Timing Accuracy (Monostable) - (note1)<br>R = 10kΩ , C = 0.1µF - (note 1)  |             | 2    |      | %      |
|                  | Timing Shift with supply voltage variations (Monostable) - (note1)<br>R = 10kΩ , C = 0.1µF, V <sub>CC</sub> = +5V +/-1V                                    |             | 0.38 |      | %/V    |
|                  | Timing Shift with temperature - (note1)<br>T <sub>min.</sub> ≤ T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ T <sub>max.</sub>  |             | 75   |      | ppm/°C |
| f <sub>MAX</sub> | Maximum astable frequency - (note 2)<br>R <sub>A</sub> = 470Ω , R <sub>B</sub> = 200Ω , C = 200pF  |             | 2.7  |      | MHz    |
|                  | Astable frequency accuracy - (note 2)<br>R <sub>A</sub> = R <sub>B</sub> = 1kΩ to 100kΩ , C = 0.1µF  |             | 3    |      | %      |
|                  | Timing Shift with supply voltage variations (Astable mode) - (note 2)<br>R <sub>A</sub> = R <sub>B</sub> = 10kΩ , C = 0.1µF, V <sub>CC</sub> = +5V to +12V |             | 0.1  |      | %/V    |
| t <sub>R</sub>   | Output Rise Time (C <sub>LOAD</sub> = 10pF)  |             | 25   |      | ns     |
| t <sub>F</sub>   | Output Fall Time (C <sub>LOAD</sub> = 10pF)  |             | 20   |      | ns     |
| t <sub>PD</sub>  | Trigger Propagation Delay  |             | 100  |      | ns     |
| t <sub>PPW</sub> | Minimum Reset Pulse Width (V <sub>TRIG</sub> = +5V)  |             | 350  |      | ns     |

Note : 1. See Figure 2  
       2. See Figure 4

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS****TS3V556AI only**V<sub>CC</sub> = +1.5V , T<sub>amb</sub> = +25°C, Reset to V<sub>CC</sub> (unless otherwise specified)**STATIC**

| Symbol             | Parameter  | TS3V556AI |      |      | Unit |
|--------------------|--|-----------|------|------|------|
|                    |  | Min.      | Typ. | Max. |      |
| I <sub>CC</sub>    | Supply Current - (no load, High and Low States, per timer)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C |           | 50   | 150  | µA   |
| V <sub>CL</sub>    | Control Voltage<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C  | 0.8       | 1.0  | 1.2  | V    |
| V <sub>DIS</sub>   | Discharge Saturation Voltage (I <sub>DIS</sub> = 1mA)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C      |           | 75   | 150  | mV   |
| V <sub>OL</sub>    | Low Level Output Voltage (I <sub>SINK</sub> = 1mA)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C         |           | 0.2  | 0.4  | V    |
| V <sub>OH</sub>    | High Level Output Voltage (I <sub>SOURCE</sub> = -0.25mA)<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C  | 1.0       | 1.25 |      | V    |
| V <sub>TRIG</sub>  | Trigger Voltage<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C  | 0.4       | 0.5  | 0.6  | V    |
| I <sub>TRIG</sub>  | Trigger Current  |           | 10   |      | pA   |
| I <sub>TH</sub>    | Threshold Current  |           | 10   |      | pA   |
| V <sub>RESET</sub> | Reset Voltage<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = +25°C  | 0.4       | 1.1  | 1.4  | V    |

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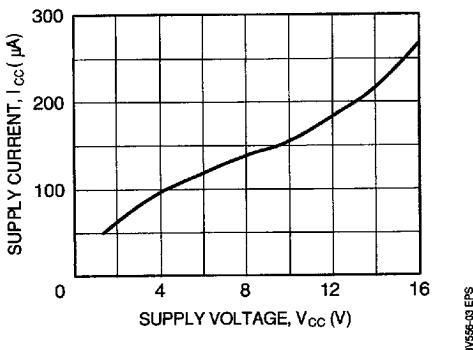
| Symbol | Parameter   | TS3V556AI |      |      | Unit |
|--------|---|-----------|------|------|------|
|        |   | Min.      | Typ. | Max. |      |
|        | Timing Accuracy (Monostable)<br>R = 10kΩ , C = 0.1µF - (note 1) |           |      | 4    | %    |

Note : 1. See Figure 2

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## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

**Figure 1 :** Supply Current (each timer) versus supply voltage.



The circuit triggers on a negative-going input signal when the level reaches  $1/3 V_{cc}$ . Once triggered, the circuit remains in this state until the set time has elapsed, even if it is triggered again during this interval. The duration of the output HIGH state is given by  $t = 1.1 R \times C$ .

Notice that since the charge rate and the threshold level of the comparator are both directly proportional to supply voltage, the timing interval is independent of supply. Applying a negative pulse simultaneously to the Reset terminal (pin 4 or 10) and the Trigger terminal (pin 2 or 8) during the timing cycle discharges the external capacitor and causes the cycle to start over. The timing cycle now starts on the positive edge of the reset pulse. During the time the reset pulse is applied, the output is driven to its LOW state.

When a negative trigger pulse is applied to the trigger terminal, the flip-flop is set, releasing the short circuit across the external capacitor and driving the output HIGH. The voltage across the capacitor increases exponentially with the time constant  $\tau = R \times C$ .

When the voltage across the capacitor equals  $2/3 V_{cc}$ , the comparator resets the flip-flop which then discharges the capacitor rapidly and drives the output to its LOW state.

Figure 3 shows the actual waveforms generated in this mode of operation.

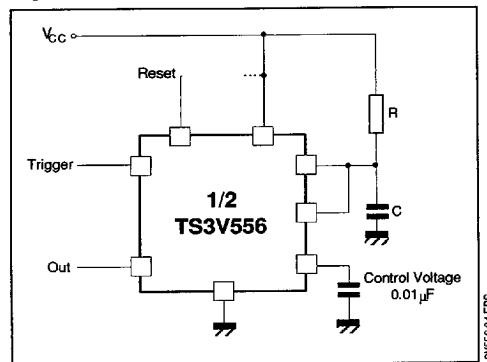
When Reset is not used, it should be tied high to avoid any possible or false triggering.

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

## MONOSTABLE OPERATION

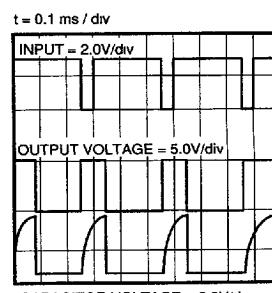
In the monostable mode, the timer functions as a one-shot. Referring to figure 2 the external capacitor is initially held discharged by a transistor inside the timer.

**Figure 2**



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**Figure 3**



CAPACITOR VOLTAGE = 2.0V/div  
 $R = 9.1\text{k}\Omega$ ,  $C = 0.01\mu\text{F}$ ,  $R_L = 1.0\text{k}\Omega$

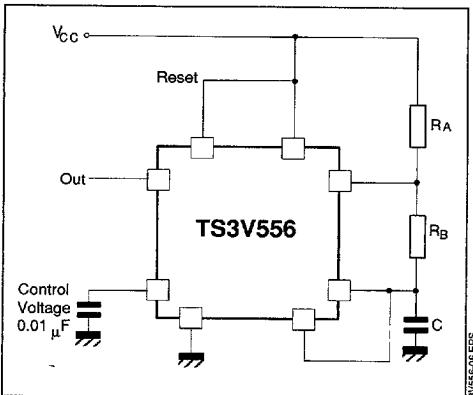
## ASTABLE OPERATION

When the circuit is connected as shown in figure 4, it triggers itself and free runs as a multivibrator. The external capacitor charges through  $R_A$  and  $R_B$  and discharges through  $R_B$  only. Thus the duty cycle may be precisely set by the ratio of these two resistors.

In the astable mode of operation, C charges and discharges between  $1/3 V_{cc}$  and  $2/3 V_{cc}$ . As in the triggered mode, the charge and discharge times and therefore frequency, are independent of the supply voltage.

Figure 5 shows actual waveforms generated in this mode of operation.

**Figure 4**



The charge time (output HIGH) is given by :

$$t_1 = 0.693 (R_A + R_B) C$$

and the discharge time (output LOW) by :

$$t_2 = 0.693 (R_B) C$$

Thus the total period T is given by :

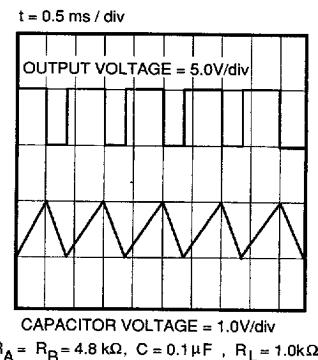
$$T = t_1 + t_2 = 0.693 (R_A + 2R_B) C$$

The frequency of oscillation is then :

$$f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{1.44}{(R_A + 2R_B) C}$$

The duty cycle is given by :  $D = \frac{R_B}{R_A + 2R_B}$

**Figure 5**



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