

# LS3404SERIES

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# MUSIC BOX QUALITY MELODY GENERATORS

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#### **FEATURES:**

- Realistic Chime-Like Sound
- Mask Programmable 255-Note Capacity ROM
- Excellent Pitch Resolution and Duration Range
- · Drives Piezo Transducer directly
- Drives Dynamic Speaker with Single-Transistor Buffer
- Auto Turn-off
- Low Standby Current
- 4.5V to 15V Operation (Vss VDD)
- Inexpensive Custom Programming offered
- Selection of Pre-Programmed Melodies (See Table 1)
- 8 Pin Plastic DIP (See Figure 1)
- · Waffle-Packed Dice and Probed Wafers available.

#### APPLICATIONS:

Music Boxes, Musical Ornaments, Musical Teddy Bears, etc. - where sound quality is as critical as low cost.

#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**

The LS3404 Series are monolithic MOS Integrated Circuits designed to generate musical sounds. The ICs are mask-programmable and can hold 255 notes in ROM. Each note consists of 7-Bits of data. Pitch data is 4-Bits and Duration data is 3-Bits.

The 4-Bit Pitch data allows 15 different pitches out of a possible 511 pitches to be programmed in each font. The sixteenth possible selection is always devoted to a "Rest" note.

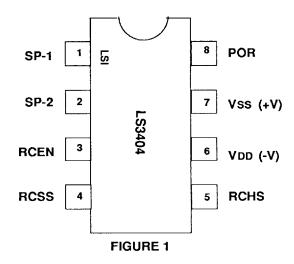
The 3-Bit Duration data allows 8 different durations out of a possible 16 durations to be programmed in each font.

Resolution of Note Pitch is 0.8% at 2KHz Pitch and 1.2% at 3KHz Pitch. (Based upon a 500KHz Pitch Clock - See I/O Description, Pin 5).

The Note Duration ranges from 125 msec for a 1/16th note to 2.0 sec for a full note. (Based upon an 8Hz Duration Clock-See I/O Description, Pin 4).

An external R-C is used to generate an Exponential Decay Envelope (See I/O Description, Pin 3) which is controlled to begin with the start of each note and decay for the duration of the note. The Decay Envelope is combined with each note's Audio-Frequency in two OP-Amps which drive the Speaker Outputs in opposite phase. (See I/O Description, Pins 1 and 2.) These two Outputs are used to directly drive a Piezoelectric Speaker in a Push-Pull configuration. (See Figure 2) A transistor-buffered Dynamic Speaker need only be driven in a Single-Ended configuration which requires only one Output to be used. (See Figure 3)

PIN ASSIGNMENT - TOP VIEW STANDARD 8 PIN PLASTIC MINI-DIP



Upon application of Vss (+V), the IC starts to play after a small time delay caused by Power-On-Reset. (See I/O Description, Pin 8.) Play automatically terminates when an End-of-Play (EOP) Signal is generated after all notes have been sequenced. When EOP occurs, the IC goes into Standby Mode drawing very little current.

The Exponential Decay Envelope imposed on each note along with the range of pitch and duration available accounts for the uniquely realistic musical sound produced by the LS3404 Series of ICs.

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#### INPUT/OUTPUT DESCRIPTION: SP-1 OUTPUT (Pin 1), SP-2 OUTPUT (Pin 2)

Outputs containing Audio-frequency for the duration of each note, modulated by an exponential decay envelope. Both outputs contain the same information but are configured 180° out-of-phase for push-pull direct drive of a Piezoelectric capacitive type speaker. The typical Piezo transducer has a 27MM diameter with a capacitance of 20,000 pF.

#### **RCEN INPUT (Pin 3)**

An external R-C network connected to this input controls the exponential decay envelope which modulates each note. (See Figure 2).

#### RCSS INPUT (Pin 4)

An external R-C ntetwork connected to this input controls the frequency of the Duration Clock Oscillator. Always connect RD to VDD (-V) and CD to Vss (+V) to ensure proper initialization. (See Figure 2) The Duration Clock Period and the Duration ROM Bits determine the duration of each note.

#### RCHS INPUT (Pin 5)

An external R-C network connected to this input controls the frequency of the Pitch Clock Oscillator. (See Figure 2) The Pitch Clock Frequency and the Pitch ROM Bits determine the Audio frequency of each note.

#### VDD (Pin 6)

Supply voltage negative terminal.

#### Vss (Pin 7)

Supply voltage positive terminal.

#### **POR INPUT (Pin 8)**

An external capacitor connected to this input controls the Power-On-Reset time which is used to initialize the circuit. (See Figure 2)

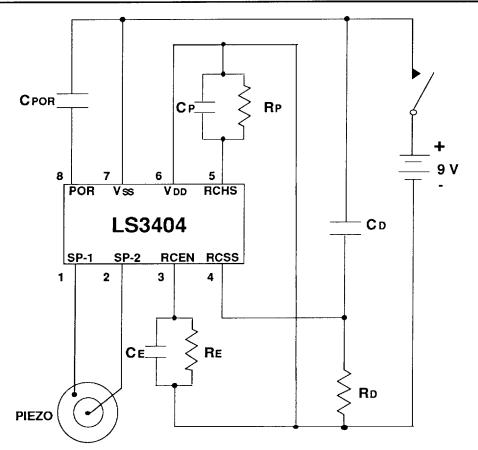


FIGURE 2. Typical Piezo Transducer Schematic

#### **TYPICAL VALUES**

 $RP = 15K\Omega$  CP = 100pF  $RD = 2.2M\Omega$   $CD = 0.1\mu F$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{RE} = 3.3 \text{M}\Omega \\ \text{CE} = 0.1 \mu \text{F} \\ \text{CPOR} = 0.01 \mu \text{F} \end{array}$ 

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### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (All voltages referenced to VDD)

| PARAMETER             | SYMBOL | VALUE         | UNIT |
|-----------------------|--------|---------------|------|
| DC Supply Voltage     | Vss    | +18           | V    |
| Any Input Voltage     | VIN    | 0 to Vss +0.5 | V    |
| Operating Temperature | TA     | 0 to +70      | .c   |
| Storage Temperature   | Tstg   | -65 to +150   | °C   |

## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (TA = 0 to +70°C. All voltages referenced to VDD)

| PARAMETER                          | SYMBOL     | MIN          | TYPICAL | MAX          | UNITS                    | CONDITION   |
|------------------------------------|------------|--------------|---------|--------------|--------------------------|---|
| Supply Voltage                     | Vss        | +4.5         | -       | +15          | V                        | -   |
| Standby Current<br>At End of Play  | Iss        | -            | -       | 15<br>25     | μ <b>Α</b><br>μ <b>Α</b> | Vss=6V, RD=2.2M $\Omega$<br>Vss=10V, RD=2.2M $\Omega$ |
| Operating Current (During play)    | Iss<br>Iss | -            | 4<br>5  | -            | mA<br>mA                 | Vss=6V, driving Piezo<br>Vss=10V, driving Piezo       |
| Pitch Clock Frequency              | fP         | 425          | 500     | 575          | KHz                      | R <sub>P</sub> =15K $\Omega$ , C <sub>P</sub> =100 pF |
| Duration Clock Frequency           | fР         | -            | 8       | -            | Hz                       | RD=2.2 M $\Omega$ , CD=0.1 $\mu$ F                    |
| Duration Clock<br>Frequency Range  | fo         | 2            | -       | 30           | Hz                       | -   |
| Envelope Resistance                | RE         | -            | 3.3     | -            | $M\Omega$                | -   |
| Envelope Capacitance               | CE         | -            | 0.1     | -            | μF                       | -   |
| POR Capacitance                    | СР         | .01          | -       | -            | μF                       | -   |
| Speaker Output peak-peak voltage   | vo,<br>Vo  | 4.5<br>8.0   | -<br>-  | ·-           | V<br>V                   | Vss = 6V, fp=1KHz<br>Vss = 10V, fp =1KHz              |
| Tracking of output to the envelope | VT<br>VT   | -2.0<br>-2.5 | -<br>-  | +0.4<br>+0.4 | V<br>V                   | Vss = 6V<br>Vss = 10V                                 |

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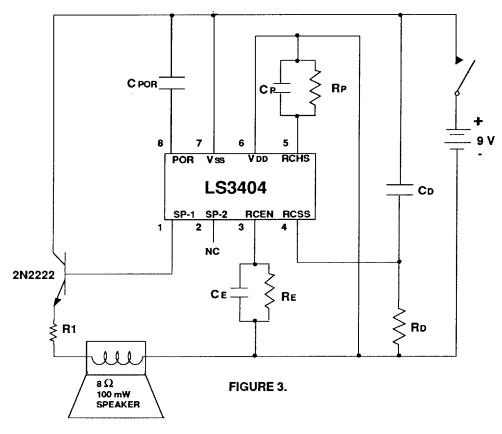
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|   | FONT    | SONG                             |
|---|---------|----------------------------------|
|   | 3404-02 | Christmas Medley                 |
|   | 3404-03 | "Somewhere My Love"              |
|   | 3404-04 | "As Time Goes By"                |
|   | 3404-05 | "Let Me Call You Sweetheart"     |
|   | 3404-08 | "I'm In The Mood For Love"       |
|   | 3404-09 | "Wedding March"                  |
|   | 3404-10 | "Happy Birthday I"               |
|   | 3404-11 | "Zip-A-Dee-Doo-Dah"              |
|   | 3404-12 | "Brahm's Lullabye"               |
|   | 3404-14 | "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town"  |
|   | 3404-15 | Christmas Angel Medley           |
|   | 3404-16 | "We Wish You A Merry Christmas"  |
|   | 3404-17 | "Walking In A Winter Wonderland" |
| į | 3404-18 | "Jingle Bells"                   |
| ١ | 3404-19 | "Joy To The World"               |
|   | 3404-20 | "Love Makes The World Go Round"  |
|   |         |                                  |

| FONT                                     | SONG  |
|--|---|
| 3404-21<br>3404-22<br>3404-23<br>3404-24 | "My Favorite Things" "What The World Needs Now" "I'd Do Anything" "Hail To The Chief" |
| 3404-25<br>3404-26<br>3404-27            | "Thanks For The Memories" "Gonna Fly Now" (Rocky) "Lazy Crazy Hazy Days of Summer"    |
| 3404-28<br>3404-29<br>3404-30            | "For He's A Jolly Good Fellow" "Pomp & Circumstance" "More"                           |
| 3404-31<br>3404-32<br>3404-33            | "Ain't She Sweet" "You Are The Sunshine Of My Life" Nursery Rhyme Medley              |
| 3404-34<br>3404-35                       | "Happy Birthday II"<br>Brahms/Mozart Lullabye Medley                                  |

**TABLE 1. Listing of the 31 Available Melodies** 

Note: Contact Harry Fox Agency, N.Y., N.Y. to determine if a Song Royalty Fee is required.



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**Typical 8 Ohm speaker connection**. In this configuration only SP-1 is used to drive the external 8 ohm speaker in a single ended mode. Resistor R1 is used as a volume control and can be omitted for maximum volume.

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