## 1. General description

The 74LVC125A is a quad buffer/line driver with 3-state outputs controlled by the output enable inputs (nOE). A HIGH on nOE causes the outputs to assume a high impedance OFF-state. Inputs can be driven from either 3.3 V or 5 V devices. This feature allows the use of these devices as translators in mixed 3.3 V and 5 V environments.

Schmitt-trigger action at all inputs makes the circuit tolerant of slower input rise and fall times.

This device is fully specified for partial power down applications using  $I_{OFF}$ . The  $I_{OFF}$  circuitry disables the output, preventing the potentially damaging backflow current through the device when it is powered down.

## 2. Features and benefits

- Overvoltage tolerant inputs to 5.5 V
- Wide supply voltage range from 1.2 V to 3.6 V
- CMOS low power consumption
- · Direct interface with TTL levels
- · Complies with JEDEC standard:
  - JESD8-7A (1.65 V to 1.95 V)
  - JESD8-5A (2.3 V to 2.7 V)
  - JESD8-C/JESD36 (2.7 V to 3.6 V)
- I<sub>OFF</sub> circuitry provides partial Power-down mode operation
- ESD protection:
  - HBM: ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 class 2 exceeds 2000 V
  - CDM: ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-002 class C3 exceeds 1000 V
- · Multiple package options
- Specified from -40 °C to +85 °C and -40 °C to +125 °C

# 3. Ordering information

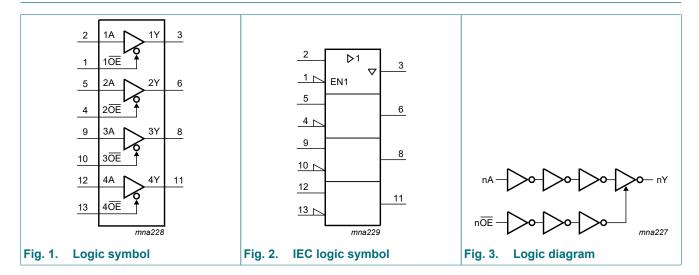
**Table 1. Ordering information** 

Type number	Package			
	Temperature range	Name	Description	Version
74LVC125AD	-40 °C to +125 °C	SO14	plastic small outline package; 14 leads; body width 3.9 mm	SOT108-1
74LVC125APW	-40 °C to +125 °C	TSSOP14	plastic thin shrink small outline package; 14 leads; body width 4.4 mm	SOT402-1
74LVC125ABQ	-40 °C to +125 °C	DHVQFN14	plastic dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads; 14 terminals; body 2.5 × 3 × 0.85 mm	SOT762-1
74LVC125ABZ	-40 °C to +125 °C	DHXQFN14	plastic, leadless dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced extreme thin quad flat package; no leads; 14 terminals; 0.4 mm pitch; body 2 mm × 2 mm × 0.48 mm	SOT8014-1



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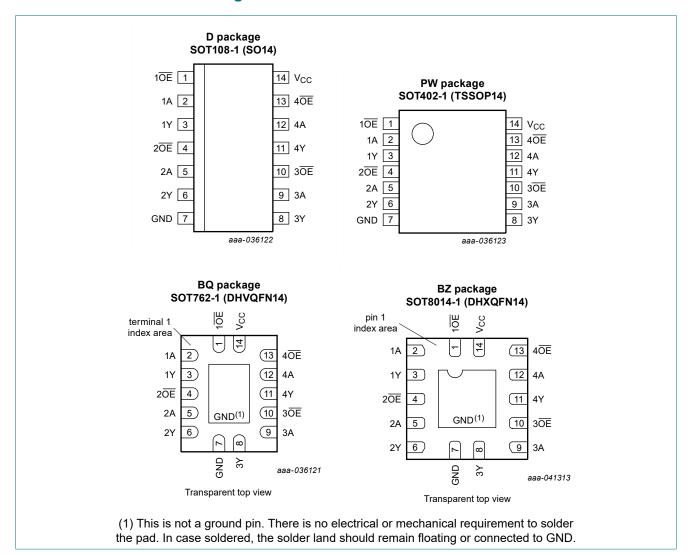
# 4. Functional diagram



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# 5. Pinning information

## 5.1. Pinning



## 5.2. Pin description

Table 2. Pin description

Symbol	Pin	Description
1 <del>OE</del> , 2 <del>OE</del> , 3 <del>OE</del> , 4 <del>OE</del>	1, 4, 10, 13	data enable input (active LOW)
1A, 2A, 3A, 4A	2, 5, 9, 12	data input
1Y, 2Y, 3Y, 4Y	3, 6, 8, 11	data output
GND	7	ground (0 V)
V <sub>CC</sub>	14	supply voltage

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# 6. Functional description

#### **Table 3. Function selection**

H = HIGH voltage level; L = LOW voltage level; X = don't care; Z = high-impedance OFF-state

Inputs nOE nA		Output
nŌE	nA	nY
L	L	L
L	Н	Н
Н	X	Z

# 7. Limiting values

### **Table 4. Limiting values**

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134). Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V <sub>CC</sub>	supply voltage		-0.5	+6.5	V
I <sub>IK</sub>	input clamping current	V <sub>I</sub> < 0 V	-50	-	mA
VI	input voltage	[1]	-0.5	+6.5	V
I <sub>OK</sub>	output clamping current	$V_O > V_{CC}$ or $V_O < 0 V$	-	±50	mA
Vo	output voltage	output HIGH or LOW-state [2]	-0.5	V <sub>CC</sub> + 0.5	V
		output 3-state [2]	-0.5	+6.5	V
I <sub>O</sub>	output current	V <sub>O</sub> = 0 V to V <sub>CC</sub>	-	±50	mA
I <sub>CC</sub>	supply current		-	100	mA
I <sub>GND</sub>	ground current		-100	-	mA
P <sub>tot</sub>	total power dissipation	T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C			
		SOT108-1 (SO14) [3] SOT402-1 (TSSOP14) SOT762-1 (DHVQFN14)	-	500	mW
		SOT8014-1 (DHXQFN14) [4]	-	250	mW
T <sub>stg</sub>	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C

- [1] The minimum input voltage ratings may be exceeded if the input current ratings are observed.
- [2] The output voltage ratings may be exceeded if the output current ratings are observed.

<sup>[3]</sup> For SOT108-1 (SO14) package: P<sub>tot</sub> derates linearly with 10.1 mW/K above 100 °C. For SOT402-1 (TSSOP14) package: P<sub>tot</sub> derates linearly with 7.3 mW/K above 81 °C. For SOT762-1 (DHVQFN14) package: P<sub>tot</sub> derates linearly with 9.6 mW/K above 98 °C.

<sup>[4]</sup> For SOT8014-1 (DHXQFN14) package: P<sub>tot</sub> derates linearly with 8.7 mW/K above 121 °C.

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# 8. Recommended operating conditions

Table 5. Recommended operating conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
V <sub>CC</sub>	supply voltage		1.65	-	3.6	V
		functional	1.2	-	-	V
VI	input voltage		0	-	5.5	V
Vo	output voltage	output HIGH or LOW state	0	-	V <sub>CC</sub>	V
		output 3-state	0	-	5.5	V
T <sub>amb</sub>	ambient temperature		-40	-	+125	°C
Δt/ΔV	input transition rise and fall rate	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	0	-	20	ns/V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.7 V to 3.6 V	0	-	10	ns/V

# 9. Static characteristics

### **Table 6. Static characteristics**

At recommended operating conditions. Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	-40	°C to +85	s °C	-40 °C to	+125 °C	Unit
			Min	Typ [1]	Max	Min	Max	
V <sub>IH</sub>	HIGH-level input	V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.2 V	1.08	-	-	1.08	-	V
	voltage	V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	0.65V <sub>CC</sub>	-	-	0.65V <sub>CC</sub>	-	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	1.7	-	-	1.7	-	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.7 V to 3.6 V	2.0	-	-	2.0	-	V
V <sub>IL</sub>	LOW-level input	V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.2 V	-	-	0.12	-	0.12	V
	voltage	V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	-	-	0.35V <sub>CC</sub>	-	0.35V <sub>CC</sub>	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	-	-	0.7	-	0.7	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.7 V to 3.6 V	-	-	0.8	-	0.8	V
V <sub>OH</sub>	HIGH-level	$V_I = V_{IH}$ or $V_{IL}$						
	output voltage	$I_O = -100 \mu A;$ $V_{CC} = 1.65 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}$	V <sub>CC</sub> - 0.2	-	-	V <sub>CC</sub> - 0.3	-	V
		$I_{O}$ = -4 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 1.65 V	1.2	-	-	1.05	-	V
		$I_{O}$ = -8 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 2.3 V	1.8	-	-	1.65	-	V
		$I_{O}$ = -12 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 2.7 V	2.2	-	-	2.05	-	V
		$I_{O}$ = -18 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 3.0 V	2.4	-	-	2.25	-	V
		$I_{O}$ = -24 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 3.0 V	2.2	-	-	2.0	-	V
V <sub>OL</sub>	LOW-level	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>						
	output voltage	$I_O = 100 \mu A;$ $V_{CC} = 1.65 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}$	-	-	0.2	-	0.3	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = 4 mA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V	-	-	0.45	-	0.65	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = 8 mA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V	-	-	0.6	-	0.8	V
		$I_{O}$ = 12 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 2.7 V	-	-	0.4	-	0.6	V
		$I_{O}$ = 24 mA; $V_{CC}$ = 3.0 V	-	-	0.55	-	0.8	V

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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	-40	°C to +85	°C	-40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ [1]	Max	Min	Max	
II	input leakage current	V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.6 V; V <sub>I</sub> = 5.5 V or GND	-	±0.1	±5	-	±20	μΑ
I <sub>OZ</sub>	OFF-state output current	$V_I = V_{IH} \text{ or } V_{IL}; V_{CC} = 3.6 \text{ V}; $ $V_O = 5.5 \text{ V or GND}$	-	±0.1	±5	-	±20	μΑ
I <sub>OFF</sub>	power-off leakage current	$V_{CC} = 0.0 \text{ V}; V_1 \text{ or } V_0 = 5.5 \text{ V}$	-	±0.1	±10	-	±20	μΑ
I <sub>CC</sub>	supply current	$V_{CC} = 3.6 \text{ V}; V_I = V_{CC} \text{ or GND};$ $I_O = 0 \text{ A}$	-	0.1	10	-	40	μΑ
ΔI <sub>CC</sub>	additional supply current	per input pin; $V_I = V_{CC} - 0.6 \text{ V}$ ; $I_O = 0 \text{ A}$ ; $V_{CC} = 2.7 \text{ V}$ to 3.6 V	-	5	500	-	5000	μΑ
Cı	input capacitance	$V_{CC} = 0 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}; V_I = \text{GND to } V_{CC}$	-	4.0	-	-	-	pF

<sup>[1]</sup> All typical values are measured at  $V_{CC}$  = 3.3 V (unless stated otherwise) and  $T_{amb}$  = 25 °C.

# 10. Dynamic characteristics

**Table 7. Dynamic characteristics** 

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V). For test circuit see Fig. 6.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	-40	°C to +85	°C	-40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ [1]	Max	Min	Max	
t <sub>pd</sub>	propagation delay	nA to nY; see Fig. 4 [2]						
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.2 V	-	12.0	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	1.5	5.4	11.0	1.5	12.8	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	1.0	2.9	5.7	1.0	6.7	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.7 V	1.5	2.8	5.5	1.5	7.0	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.0 V to 3.6 V	1.0	2.5	4.8	1.0	6.0	ns
t <sub>en</sub>	enable time	nOE to nY; see Fig. 5 [2]						
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.2 V	-	16.0	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	1.0	5.0	12.2	1.0	14.2	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	0.5	2.9	6.8	0.5	7.9	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.7 V	1.5	3.1	6.6	1.5	8.5	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.0 V to 3.6 V	1.0	2.3	5.4	1.0	7.0	ns
t <sub>dis</sub>	disable time	nOE to nY; see Fig. 5 [2]						
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.2 V	-	7.0	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	2.2	4.6	7.5	2.2	8.7	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	0.5	2.6	4.2	0.5	5.0	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.7 V	1.5	3.1	5.0	1.5	6.5	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.0 V to 3.6 V	1.0	3.2	4.6	1.0	6.0	ns

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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions -40 °C to +85 °C			-40 °C to	Unit		
			Min	Typ [1]	Max	Min	Max	
t <sub>sk(o)</sub>	output skew time	$V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}$ [3]	-	-	1.0	-	1.5	ns
C <sub>PD</sub>	power dissipation	per buffer; $V_I$ = GND to $V_{CC}$ [4]						
	capacitance	V <sub>CC</sub> = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	-	6.0	-	-	-	pF
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	-	9.4	-	-	-	pF
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.0 V to 3.6 V	-	12.4	-	-	-	pF

- Typical values are measured at  $T_{amb}$  = 25 °C and  $V_{CC}$  = 1.2 V, 1.8 V, 2.5 V, 2.7 V, and 3.3 V respectively.
- [2]  $t_{\text{pd}}$  is the same as  $t_{\text{PLH}}$  and  $t_{\text{PHL}}.$ 
  - $t_{en}$  is the same as  $t_{PZL}$  and  $t_{PZH}$ .
  - $t_{dis}$  is the same as  $t_{PLZ}$  and  $t_{PHZ}$ .
- Skew between any two outputs of the same package switching in the same direction. This parameter is guaranteed by design.
- $C_{PD}$  is used to determine the dynamic power dissipation ( $P_D$  in  $\mu W$ ).
  - $P_D = C_{PD} \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_i \times N + \Sigma (C_L \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_o)$  where:
  - f<sub>i</sub> = input frequency in MHz; f<sub>o</sub> = output frequency in MHz

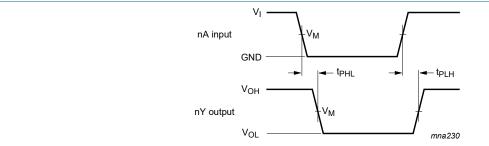
C<sub>L</sub> = output load capacitance in pF

V<sub>CC</sub> = supply voltage in Volts

N = number of inputs switching

 $\Sigma(C_L \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_0)$  = sum of the outputs.

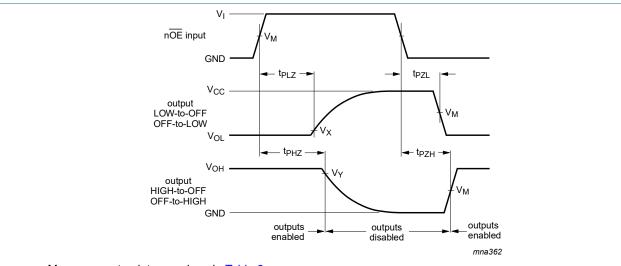
### 10.1. Waveforms and test circuit



Measurement points are given in Table 8.

V<sub>OL</sub> and V<sub>OH</sub> are typical output voltage levels that occur with the output load.

Fig. 4. The input nA to output nY propagation delays



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3-state enable and disable times Fig. 5.

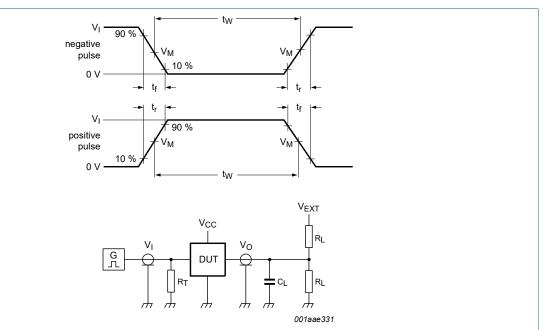
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**Table 8. Measurement points** 

Supply voltage	Input		Output	Output				
V <sub>CC</sub>	VI	V <sub>M</sub>	V <sub>M</sub>	V <sub>X</sub>	V <sub>Y</sub>			
1.2 V	V <sub>CC</sub>	0.5 × V <sub>CC</sub>	0.5 × V <sub>CC</sub>	V <sub>OL</sub> + 0.15 V	V <sub>OH</sub> - 0.15 V			
1.65 V to 1.95 V	V <sub>CC</sub>	0.5 × V <sub>CC</sub>	0.5 × V <sub>CC</sub>	V <sub>OL</sub> + 0.15 V	V <sub>OH</sub> - 0.15 V			
2.3 V to 2.7 V	V <sub>CC</sub>	0.5 × V <sub>CC</sub>	0.5 × V <sub>CC</sub>	V <sub>OL</sub> + 0.15 V	V <sub>OH</sub> - 0.15 V			
2.7 V	2.7 V	1.5 V	1.5 V	V <sub>OL</sub> + 0.3 V	V <sub>OH</sub> - 0.3 V			
3.0 V to 3.6 V	2.7 V	1.5 V	1.5 V	V <sub>OL</sub> + 0.3 V	V <sub>OH</sub> - 0.3 V			



Test data is given in Table 9.

Definitions for test circuit:

R<sub>L</sub> = Load resistance.

 $C_L$  = Load capacitance including jig and probe capacitance.

 $R_T$  = Termination resistance should be equal to output impedance  $Z_0$  of the pulse generator.

 $V_{\mathsf{EXT}}$  = External voltage for measuring switching times.

Fig. 6. Test circuit for measuring switching times

Table 9. Test data

Supply voltage	Input	Input		Load V <sub>EXT</sub>			Load		
V <sub>CC</sub>	V <sub>I</sub>	t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub>	CL	R <sub>L</sub>	t <sub>PLH</sub> , t <sub>PHL</sub>	t <sub>PLZ</sub> , t <sub>PZL</sub>	t <sub>PHZ</sub> , t <sub>PZH</sub>		
1.2 V	V <sub>CC</sub>	≤ 2 ns	30 pF	1 kΩ	open	2 × V <sub>CC</sub>	GND		
1.65 V to 1.95 V	V <sub>CC</sub>	≤ 2 ns	30 pF	1 kΩ	open	2 × V <sub>CC</sub>	GND		
2.3 V to 2.7 V	V <sub>CC</sub>	≤ 2 ns	30 pF	500 Ω	open	2 × V <sub>CC</sub>	GND		
2.7 V	2.7 V	≤ 2.5 ns	50 pF	500 Ω	open	2 × V <sub>CC</sub>	GND		
3.0 V to 3.6 V	2.7 V	≤ 2.5 ns	50 pF	500 Ω	open	2 × V <sub>CC</sub>	GND		

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# 11. Package outline

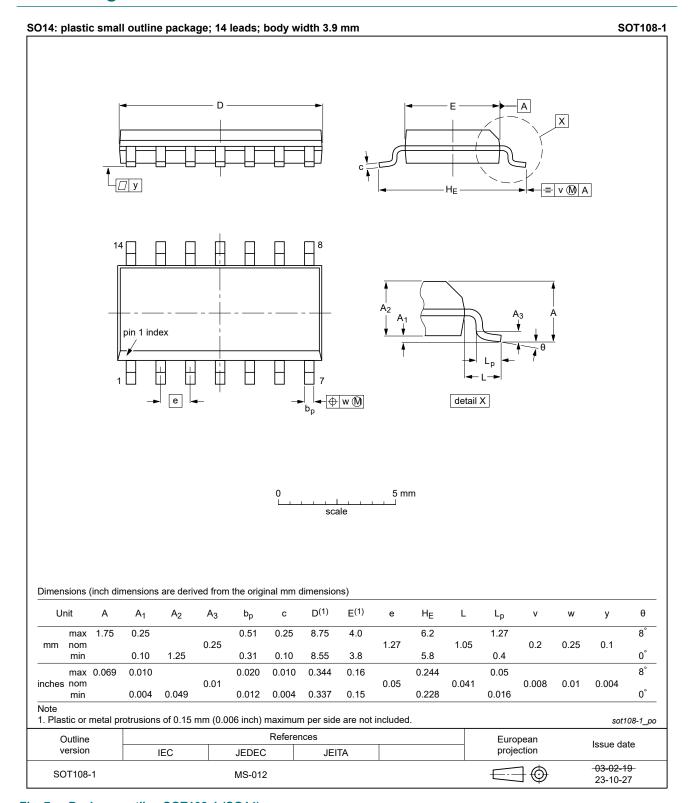


Fig. 7. Package outline SOT108-1 (SO14)

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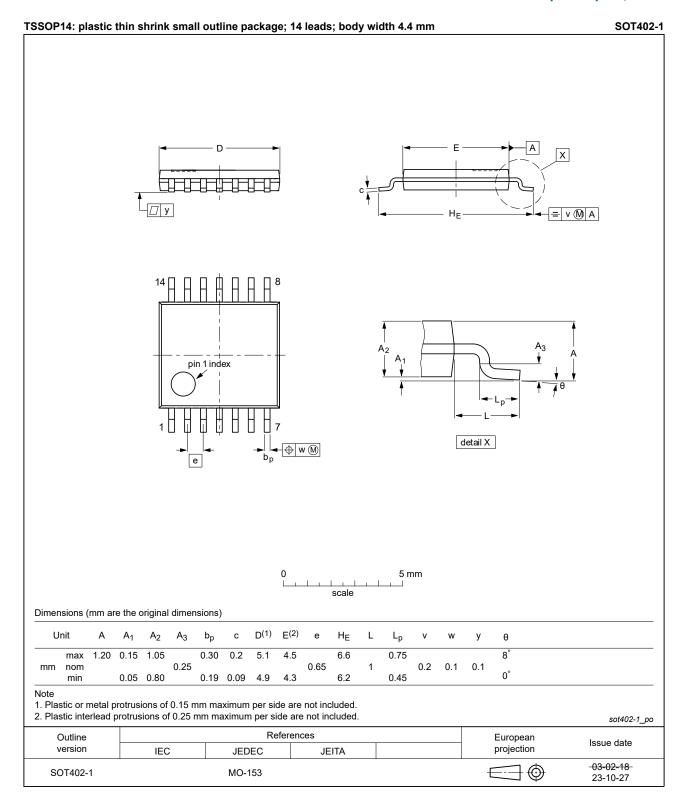


Fig. 8. Package outline SOT402-1 (TSSOP14)

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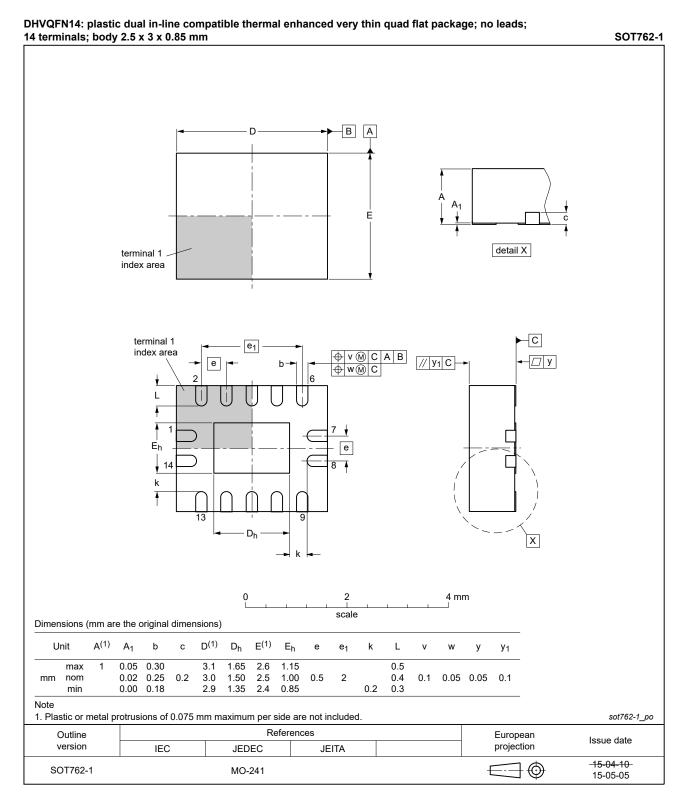


Fig. 9. Package outline SOT762-1 (DHVQFN14)

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DHXQFN14: plastic, leadless dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced extreme thin quad flat package; no leads; 14 terminals; 0.4 mm pitch; body 2 mm x 2 mm x 0.48 mm SOT8014-1

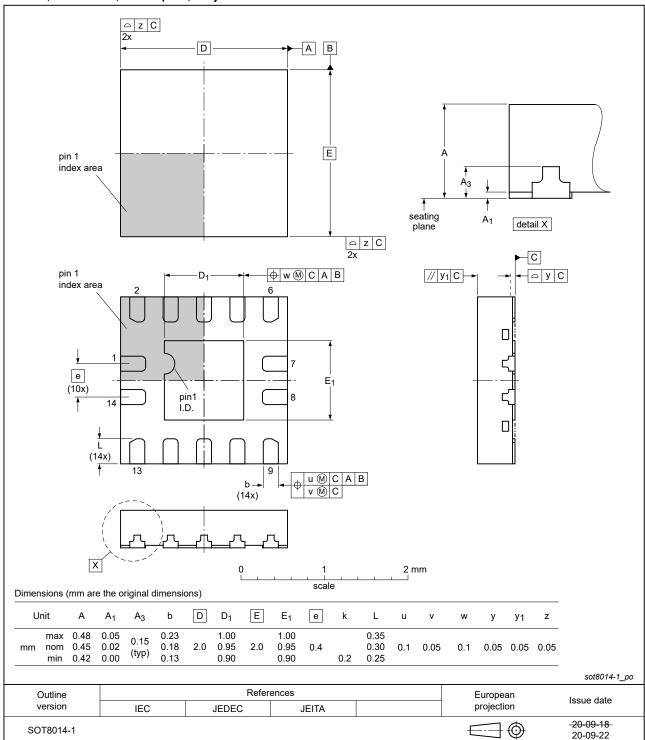


Fig. 10. Package outline SOT8014-1 (DHXQFN14)

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# 12. Abbreviations

### **Table 10. Abbreviations**

Acronym	Description
CDM	Charged Device Model
CMOS	Complementary Metal-Oxide Semiconductor
DUT	Device Under Test
ESD	ElectroStatic Discharge
НВМ	Human Body Model
TTL	Transistor-Transistor Logic

# 13. Revision history

## Table 11. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes		
74LVC125A v.12	20250502	Product data sheet	-	74LVC125A v.11		
Modifications:	Type numb	Type number 74LVC125ABZ (SOT8014-1/DHXQFN14) added.				
74LVC125A v.11	20240212	Product data sheet	-	74LVC125A v.10		
Modifications:	• Fig. 7, Fig. MO-153.	<ul> <li>Fig. 7, Fig. 8: Aligned SO and TSSOP package outline drawings to JEDEC MS-012 and MO-153.</li> </ul>				
74LVC125A v.10	20230803	Product data sheet	-	74LVC125A v.9		
Modifications:	• Section 2:	<u>Section 2</u> : ESD specification updated according to the latest JEDEC standard.				
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Modifications:	Features li	Features list corrected (errata)				
74LVC125A v.6	20130305	Product data sheet	-	74LVC125A v.5		
74LVC125A v.5	20120208	Product data sheet	-	74LVC125A v.4		
74LVC125A v.4	20030507	Product specification	-	74LVC125A v.3		
74LVC125A v.3	20020308	Product specification	-	74LVC125A v.2		
74LVC125A v.2	19980428	Product specification	-	74LVC125A v.1		
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