74HC138; 74HCT138

3-to-8 line decoder/demultiplexer; inverting Rev. 6 — 28 December 2015

Product data sheet

1. **General description**

The 74HC138; 74HCT138 decodes three binary weighted address inputs (A0, A1 and A2) to eight mutually exclusive outputs (Y0 to Y7). The device features three enable inputs (E1, E2 and E3). Every output will be HIGH unless E1 and E2 are LOW and E3 is HIGH. This multiple enable function allows easy parallel expansion to a 1-of-32 (5 to 32 lines) decoder with just four '138' ICs and one inverter. The '138' can be used as an eight output demultiplexer by using one of the active LOW enable inputs as the data input and the remaining enable inputs as strobes. Inputs include clamp diodes. This enables the use of current limiting resistors to interface inputs to voltages in excess of V_{CC}.

2. Features and benefits

- Complies with JEDEC standard no. 7A
- Input levels:
 - For 74HC138: CMOS level
 - ◆ For 74HCT138: TTL level
- Demultiplexing capability
- Multiple input enable for easy expansion
- Ideal for memory chip select decoding
- Active LOW mutually exclusive outputs
- ESD protection:
 - ♦ HBM JESD22-A114F exceeds 2000 V
 - MM JESD22-A115-A exceeds 200 V
- Multiple package options
- Specified from -40 °C to +85 °C and from -40 °C to +125 °C

Ordering information 3.

Table 1. **Ordering information**

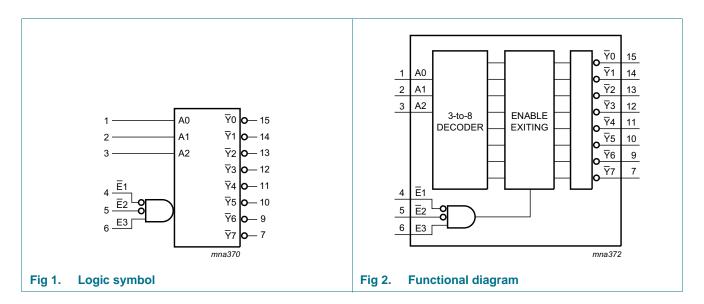
Type number	Package			
	Temperature range	Name	Description	Version
74HC138D	−40 °C to +125 °C	SO16	plastic small outline package; 16 leads;	SOT109-1
74 HCT138D			body width 3.9 mm	
74HC138DB	−40 °C to +125 °C	SSOP16	plastic shrink small outline package; 16 leads;	SOT338-1
74HCT138DB			body width 5.3 mm	

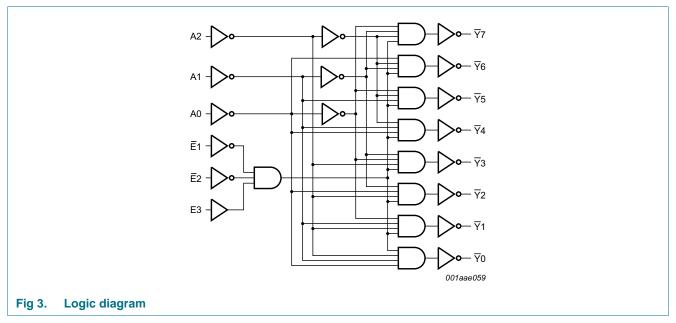


 Table 1.
 Ordering information ...continued

Type number	Package									
	Temperature range	e range Name Description								
74HC138PW	-40 °C to +125 °C	TSSOP16	plastic thin shrink small outline package;	SOT403-1						
74HCT138PW			16 leads; body width 4.4 mm							
74HC138BQ	-40 °C to +125 °C	DHVQFN16	F	SOT763-1						
74HCT138BQ			very thin quad flat package; no leads; 16 terminals; body $2.5 \times 3.5 \times 0.85$ mm							

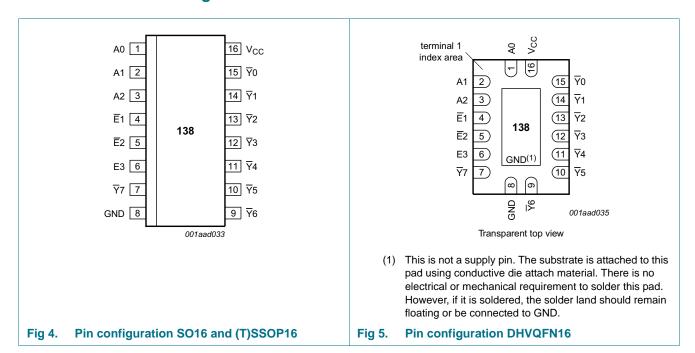
4. Functional diagram





5. Pinning information

5.1 Pinning



5.2 Pin description

Table 2. Pin description

Symbol	Pin	Description
A0, A1, A2	1, 2, 3	address input A0, A1, A2
<u>E</u> 1, <u>E</u> 2	4, 5	enable input E1, E2 (active LOW)
E3	6	enable input E3 (active HIGH)
\overline{Y} 0, \overline{Y} 1, \overline{Y} 2, \overline{Y} 3, \overline{Y} 4, \overline{Y} 5, \overline{Y} 6, \overline{Y} 7	15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 7	output $\overline{Y}0$, $\overline{Y}1$, $\overline{Y}2$, $\overline{Y}3$, $\overline{Y}4$, $\overline{Y}5$, $\overline{Y}6$, $\overline{Y}7$ (active LOW)
GND	8	ground (0 V)
V _{CC}	16	positive supply voltage

6. Functional description

Table 3. Function table[1]

Contr	ol		Input			Outp	ut						
E1	E2	E3	A2	A1	A0	Y 7	<u>Y</u> 6	<u>Y</u> 5	<u>Y</u> 4	<u>Y</u> 3	<u>Y</u> 2	<u>Y</u> 1	<u>Y</u> 0
Н	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н
Χ	Н	Х											
X	Х	L											
L	L	Н	L	L	L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	L
			L	L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	L	Н
			L	Н	L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	L	Н	Н
			L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	L	Н	Н	Н
			Н	L	L	Н	Н	Н	L	Н	Н	Н	Н
			Н	L	Н	Н	Н	L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н
			Н	Н	L	Н	L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н
			Н	Н	Н	L	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н	Н

^[1] H = HIGH voltage level;

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 _{CC}	supply voltage			-0.5	+7	V
I _{IK}	input clamping current	$V_{I} < -0.5 \text{ V or } V_{I} > V_{CC} + 0.5 \text{ V}$		-	±20	mA
I _{OK}	output clamping current	$V_O < -0.5 \text{ V or } V_O > V_{CC} + 0.5 \text{ V}$		-	±20	mA
Io	output current	$V_{O} = -0.5 \text{ V to } (V_{CC} + 0.5 \text{ V})$		-	±25	mA
I _{CC}	quiescent supply current			-	50	mA
I _{GND}	ground current			-50	-	mA
T _{stg}	storage temperature			-65	+150	°C
P _{tot}	total power dissipation	SO16 package	[1]	-	500	mW
		SSOP16 package	[2]	-	500	mW
		TSSOP16 package	[2]	-	500	mW
		DHVQFN16 package	[3]	-	500	mW

^[1] For SO16 package: P_{tot} derates linearly with 8 mW/K above 70 °C.

L = LOW voltage level;

X = don't care.

^[2] For SSOP16 and TSSOP16 packages: P_{tot} derates linearly with 5.5 mW/K above 60 °C.

^[3] For DHVQFN16 packages: P_{tot} derates linearly with 4.5 mW/K above 60 °C.

8. Recommended operating conditions

Table 5. Recommended operating conditions

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V)

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		74HC138	3	7	4HCT13	8	Unit
			Min	Тур	Max	Min	Тур	Max	
V _{CC}	supply voltage		2.0	5.0	6.0	4.5	5.0	5.5	V
VI	input voltage		0	-	V _{CC}	0	-	V _{CC}	V
Vo	output voltage		0	-	V _{CC}	0	-	V _{CC}	V
T _{amb}	ambient temperature		-40	+25	+125	-40	+25	+125	°C
Δt/ΔV	input transition rise and fall rate	V _{CC} = 2.0 V	-	-	625	-	-	-	ns/V
		$V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$	-	1.67	139	-	1.67	139	ns/V
		$V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	-	83	-	-	-	ns/V

9. Static characteristics

Table 6. Static characteristics

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Tar	_{nb} = 25	°C	T _{amb} = -			-40 °C to 5 °C	Unit
				Тур	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
74HC138	3									•
V_{IH}	HIGH-level	V _{CC} = 2.0 V	1.5	1.2	-	1.5	-	1.5	-	V
	input voltage	V _{CC} = 4.5 V	3.15	2.4	-	3.15	-	3.15	-	V
		$V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	4.2	3.2	-	4.2	-	4.2	-	V
V_{IL}	LOW-level	V _{CC} = 2.0 V	-	0.8	0.5	-	0.5	-	0.5	V
	input voltage	V _{CC} = 4.5 V	-	2.1	1.35	-	1.35	-	1.35	V
		$V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	2.8	1.8	-	1.8	-	1.8	V
V _{OH}	HIGH-level	$V_I = V_{IH}$ or V_{IL}								
	output voltage	$I_{O} = -20 \mu A$; $V_{CC} = 2.0 \text{ V}$	1.9	2.0	-	1.9	-	1.9	-	V
		$I_O = -20 \mu A$; $V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$	4.4	4.5	-	4.4	-	4.4	-	V
		$I_O = -20 \mu A$; $V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	5.9	6.0	-	5.9	-	5.9	-	V
		$I_O = -4.0 \text{ mA}; V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$	3.98	4.32	-	3.84	-	3.7	-	V
		$I_{O} = -5.2 \text{ mA}; V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	5.48	5.81	-	5.34	-	5.2	-	V
V_{OL}	LOW-level	$V_I = V_{IH}$ or V_{IL}								
	output voltage	$I_O = 20 \mu A; V_{CC} = 2.0 \text{ V}$	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		$I_O = 20 \mu A; V_{CC} = 4.5 V$	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		$I_O = 20 \mu A; V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		$I_O = 4.0 \text{ mA}; V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$	-	0.15	0.26	-	0.33	-	0.4	V
		$I_O = 5.2 \text{ mA}; V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	0.16	0.26	-	0.33	-	0.4	V
lį	input leakage current	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND; $V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	-	±0.1	-	±1.0	-	±1.0	μА
I _{CC}	supply current	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND; $I_O = 0$ A; $V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	-	8.0	-	80	-	160	μА

 Table 6.
 Static characteristics ...continued

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Tar	_{nb} = 25	°C		-40 °C to 5 °C		-40 °C to 25 °C	Unit
			Min	Тур	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Ī
Cı	input capacitance		-	3.5	-					pF
74HCT1:	38		1	1				1		
V _{IH}	HIGH-level input voltage	V _{CC} = 4.5 V to 5.5 V	2.0	1.6	-	2.0	-	2.0	-	V
V _{IL}	LOW-level input voltage	V _{CC} = 4.5 V to 5.5 V	-	1.2	0.8	-	0.8	-	0.8	V
V _{OH}	HIGH-level	$V_I = V_{IH}$ or V_{IL} ; $V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$								
	output voltage	I _O = -20 μA	4.4	4.5	-	4.4	-	4.4	-	V
		$I_O = -4 \text{ mA}$	3.98	4.32	-	3.84	-	3.7	-	V
V _{OL}	LOW-level	$V_I = V_{IH}$ or V_{IL} ; $V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$								
	output voltage	I _O = 20 μA	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		$I_{O} = 4.0 \text{ mA}$	-	0.15	0.26	-	0.33	-	0.4	V
II	input leakage current	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND; $V_{CC} = 5.5 \text{ V}$	-	-	±0.1	-	±1.0	-	±1.0	μА
I _{CC}	supply current	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND; $I_O = 0$ A; $V_{CC} = 5.5 \text{ V}$	-	-	8.0	-	80	-	160	μΑ
Δl _{CC}	additional supply current	$\begin{aligned} &V_{I} = V_{CC} - 2.1 \text{ V;} \\ &\text{other inputs at } V_{CC} \text{ or GND;} \\ &V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V to } 5.5 \text{ V;} \\ &I_{O} = 0 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$								
		per input pin; An inputs	-	150	540	-	675	-	735	μΑ
		per input pin; En inputs	-	125	450	-	562.5	-	612.5	μΑ
		per input pin; E3 input	-	100	360	-	450	-	490	μΑ
C _I	input capacitance		-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	pF

10. Dynamic characteristics

Table 7. Dynamic characteristics

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V); $C_L = 50 \text{ pF}$ unless otherwise specified; for test circuit see Figure 8.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	T _{ar}	_{nb} = 25	°C		= −40 °C 85 °C		= −40 °C 125 °C	Unit
			Min	Тур	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
74HC138	3									
t _{pd}	propagation	An to \overline{Y} n; see Figure 6								
	delay	$V_{CC} = 2.0 \text{ V}$	-	41	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		$V_{CC} = 4.5 \text{ V}$	-	15	30	-	38	-	45	ns
		$V_{CC} = 5 \text{ V}; C_L = 15 \text{ pF}$	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		$V_{CC} = 6.0 \text{ V}$	-	12	26	-	33	-	38	ns
		E3 to Yn; see Figure 6								
		V _{CC} = 2.0 V	-	47	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		V _{CC} = 4.5 V	-	17	20	-	38	-	45	ns
		$V_{CC} = 5 \text{ V}; C_L = 15 \text{ pF}$	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V _{CC} = 6.0 V	-	14	26	-	33	-	38	ns
		En to Yn; see Figure 7								
		V _{CC} = 2.0 V	-	47	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		V _{CC} = 4.5 V	-	17	20	-	38	-	45	ns
		$V_{CC} = 5 \text{ V}; C_L = 15 \text{ pF}$	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V _{CC} = 6.0 V	-	14	26	-	33	-	38	ns
t _t	transition time	Yn; see Figure 6 and Figure 7								
		V _{CC} = 2.0 V	-	19	75	-	95	-	110	ns
		V _{CC} = 4.5 V	-	7	15	-	19	-	22	ns
		V _{CC} = 6.0 V	-	6	13	-	16	-	19	ns
C _{PD}	power dissipation capacitance	$C_L = 50 \text{ pF; } f = 1 \text{ MHz;}$ [3] $V_I = \text{GND to } V_{CC}$	-	67	-	-	-	-	-	pF

 Table 7.
 Dynamic characteristics ...continued

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V); $C_L = 50 \text{ pF}$ unless otherwise specified; for test circuit see Figure 8.

Symbol	Parameter	rameter Conditions		T _{amb} = 25 °C				= –40 °C ⋅85 °C		= –40 °C 125 °C	Unit
				Min	Тур	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
74HCT1	38									1	
t _{pd}	propagation	An to Yn; see Figure 6	<u>[1]</u>								
	delay	V _{CC} = 4.5 V		-	20	35	-	44	-	53	ns
		V _{CC} = 5 V; C _L = 15 pF		-	17	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		E3 to Yn; see Figure 6	<u>[1]</u>								
		V _{CC} = 4.5 V		-	18	40	-	50	-	60	ns
		$V_{CC} = 5 \text{ V}; C_L = 15 \text{ pF}$		-	19	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		En to Yn; see Figure 7	<u>[1]</u>								
		V _{CC} = 4.5 V		-	19	40	-	50	-	60	ns
		$V_{CC} = 5 \text{ V}; C_L = 15 \text{ pF}$		-	19	-	-	-	-	-	ns
t _t	transition time	Yn; see Figure 6 and Figure 7	[2]								
		V _{CC} = 4.5 V		-	7	15	-	19	-	22	ns
C _{PD}	power dissipation capacitance	C_L = 50 pF; f = 1 MHz; V_I = GND to V_{CC} – 1.5 V	[3]	-	67	-	-	-	-	-	pF

^[1] t_{pd} is the same as t_{PLH} and t_{PHL} .

[3] C_{PD} is used to determine the dynamic power dissipation (P_D in μW).

$$P_D = C_{PD} \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_i \times N + \sum (C_L \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_o)$$
 where:

 f_i = input frequency in MHz;

 $f_o = output frequency in MHz;$

C_L = output load capacitance in pF;

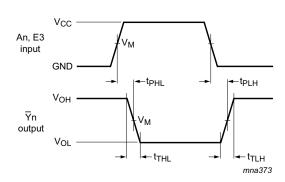
V_{CC} = supply voltage in V;

N = number of inputs switching;

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

 $^{[2] \}quad t_t \text{ is the same as } t_{THL} \text{ and } t_{TLH}.$

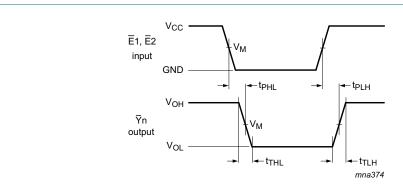
11. Waveforms



Measurement points are given in Table 8.

 V_{OL} and V_{OH} are typical voltage output levels that occur with the output load.

Fig 6. Propagation delay input (An) and enable input (E3) to output (Yn) and transition time output (Yn)



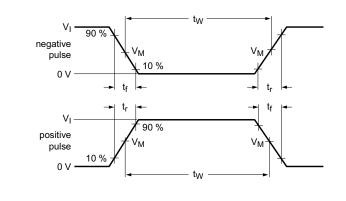
Measurement points are given in Table 8.

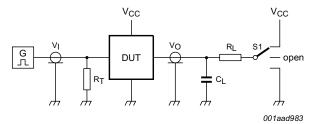
V_{OL} and V_{OH} are typical voltage output levels that occur with the output load.

Fig 7. Propagation delay enable input (En) to output (Yn) and transition time output (Yn)

Table 8. Measurement points

Туре	Input	Output
	V _M	V _M
74HC138	0.5V _{CC}	0.5V _{CC}
74HCT138	1.3 V	1.3 V





Test data is given in Table 9.

Definitions test circuit:

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

 C_L = Load capacitance including jig and probe capacitance.

R_L = Load resistance.

S1 = Test selection switch.

Fig 8. Test circuit for measuring switching times

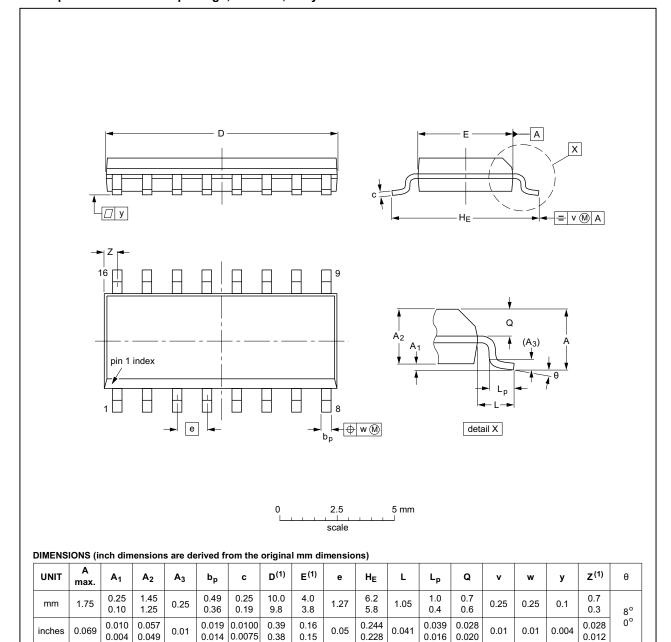
Table 9. Test data

Туре	Input		Load		S1 position	S1 position			
	VI	t _r , t _f	CL	R _L	t _{PHL} , t _{PLH}	t _{PZH} , t _{PHZ}	t _{PZL} , t _{PLZ}		
74HC138	V _{CC}	6 ns	15 pF, 50 pF	1 kΩ	open	GND	V _{CC}		
74HCT138	3 V	6 ns	15 pF, 50 pF	1 kΩ	open	GND	V _{CC}		

12. Package outline

SO16: plastic small outline package; 16 leads; body width 3.9 mm

SOT109-1



Note

1. Plastic or metal protrusions of 0.15 mm (0.006 inch) maximum per side are not included.

OUTLINE		REFER	RENCES	EUROPEAN	ISSUE DATE	
VERSION	IEC	IEC JEDEC		PROJECTION	ISSUE DATE	
SOT109-1	076E07	MS-012			99-12-27 03-02-19	

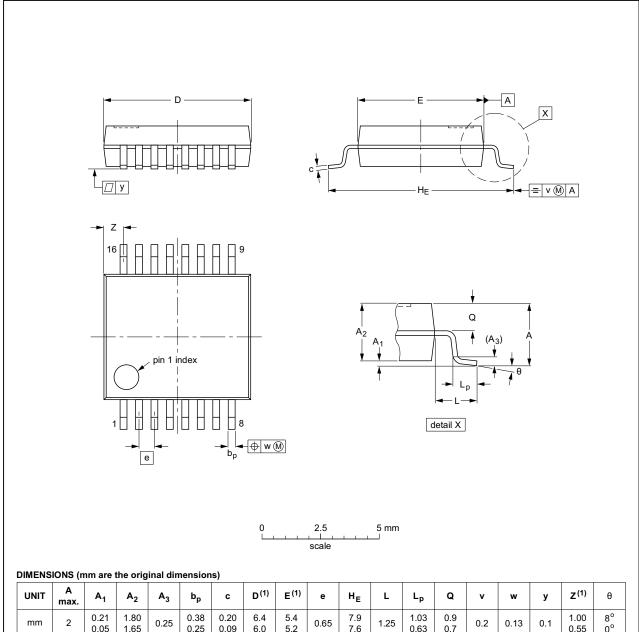
Fig 9. Package outline SOT109-1 (SO16)

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SSOP16: plastic shrink small outline package; 16 leads; body width 5.3 mm

SOT338-1



UNIT	A max.	A ₁	A ₂	A ₃	b _p	С	D ⁽¹⁾	E ⁽¹⁾	е	HE	L	Lp	Q	٧	w	у	Z ⁽¹⁾	θ	
mm	2	0.21 0.05	1.80 1.65	0.25	0.38 0.25	0.20 0.09	6.4 6.0	5.4 5.2	0.65	7.9 7.6	1.25	1.03 0.63	0.9 0.7	0.2	0.13	0.1	1.00 0.55	8° 0°	

Note

1. Plastic or metal protrusions of 0.25 mm maximum per side are not included.

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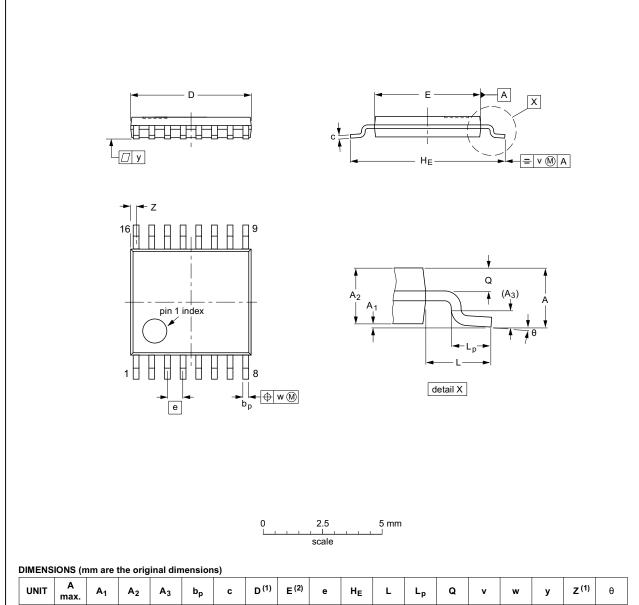
Fig 10. Package outline SOT338-1 (SSOP16)

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TSSOP16: plastic thin shrink small outline package; 16 leads; body width 4.4 mm

SOT403-1



UNIT	A max.	A ₁	A ₂	A ₃	bp	С	D ⁽¹⁾	E ⁽²⁾	е	HE	L	Lp	Q	v	w	у	Z ⁽¹⁾	θ
mm	1.1	0.15 0.05	0.95 0.80	0.25	0.30 0.19	0.2 0.1	5.1 4.9	4.5 4.3	0.65	6.6 6.2	1	0.75 0.50	0.4 0.3	0.2	0.13	0.1	0.40 0.06	8° 0°

Notes

- 1. Plastic or metal protrusions of 0.15 mm maximum per side are not included.
- 2. Plastic interlead protrusions of 0.25 mm maximum per side are not included.

OUTLINE		REFER	ENCES	EUROPEAN	ISSUE DATE
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SOT403-1		MO-153			99-12-27 03-02-18

Fig 11. Package outline SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)

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DHVQFN16: plastic dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads; 16 terminals; body 2.5 x 3.5 x 0.85 mm SOT763-1

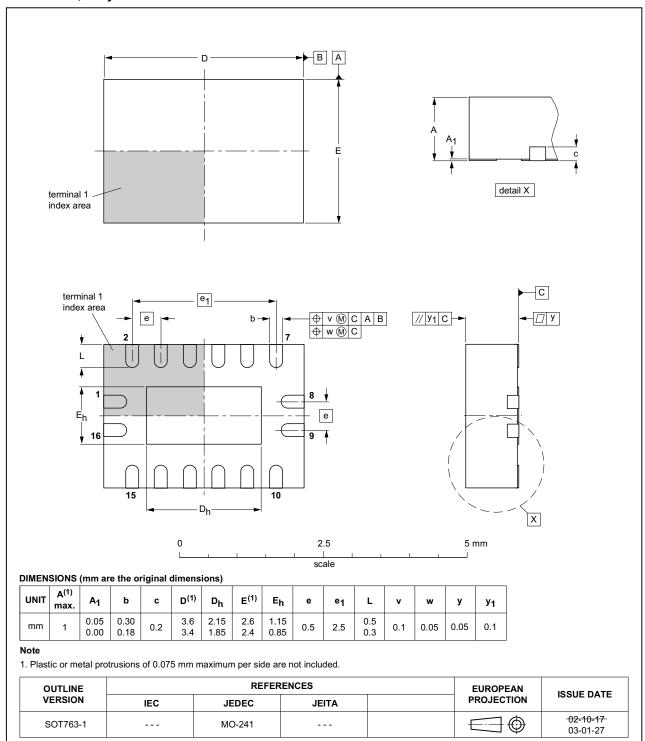


Fig 12. Package outline SOT763-1 (DHVQFN16)

74HC_HCT138

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13. Abbreviations

Table 10. Abbreviations

Acronym	Description
CMOS	Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor
DUT	Device Under Test
ESD	ElectroStatic Discharge
HBM	Human Body Model
TTL	Transistor-Transistor Logic
MM	Machine Model

14. Revision history

Table 11. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes					
74HC_HCT138 v.6	20151228	Product data sheet	-	74HC_HCT138 v.5					
Modifications:	Type numbers	74HC138N and 74HCT138	N (SOT38-4) removed.						
74HC_HCT138 v.5	20150126	Product data sheet	-	74HC_HCT138 v.4					
Modifications:	• Table 6: OFF-	state output current removed	d because device has n	3-state outputs.					
	• <u>Table 7</u> : Power	er dissipation capacitance co	ndition for 74HCT138 is	corrected.					
74HC_HCT138 v.4	20120627	Product data sheet	-	74HC_HCT138 v.3					
Modifications:		 The format of this data sheet has been redesigned to comply with the new identity guidelines of NXP Semiconductors. 							
	Ŭ.	ive been adapted to the new nged to SOT38-4.	company name where	appropriate.					
74HC_HCT138 v.3	20051223	Product data sheet	-	74HC_HCT138_CNV v.2					
Modifications:		this data sheet has been rec andard of Philips Semicondu		the new presentation and					
	 Section 3 "Ordering information", Section 5 "Pinning information" and Section 12 "Package outline": Added DHVQFN package information 								
	Section 9 "Static characteristics": Added from the family specification								
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