

Features

- The PT8A9701 works as the encoder and the PT8A973/973L works as the decoder
- Seven output pins, 5 for forward, backward, left, right and turbo functions, and 2 functional keys
- Operation power supply for PT8A9701: 3V to 12V (with series resistor)
- Auto power-off if no key pressed (PT8A9701)
- Motor current limit to meet toy safety standard HD271 (PT8A973/973L)
- Low operating current
- On-chip oscillator with an external resistor
- On-chip reversing amplifiers

- Built-in 3.7V Zener (Vz) (PT8A973) and 3.1V Zener (Vz) (PT8A973L)
- Few external components needed
- Pin to pin compatible with TX6/RX6

General Description

The PT8A9701 and PT8A973/973L is a pair of CMOS LSIs designed for remote controlled toy car application. They have seven control keys for controlling the corresponding motion (forward, backward, left, right, turbo and 2 functional keys) of the remote controlled car. They also have Forward (Backward) and Turbo combination application.

Ordering Information

| Device Name | Encoder | Decoder | | | |
|-------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Part No. | PT8A9701PE | PT8A973PE | PT8A973LPE | PT8A973DE | PT8A973LDE |
| Package | Lead free 16-pin DIP | Lead free 18-pin DIP | | Die Form | |

Note: Adding E= Pb-free or Pb-free and Green
Adding X suffix=Tape/Reel

Block Diagram

Figure 1. Block Diagram of PT8A9701

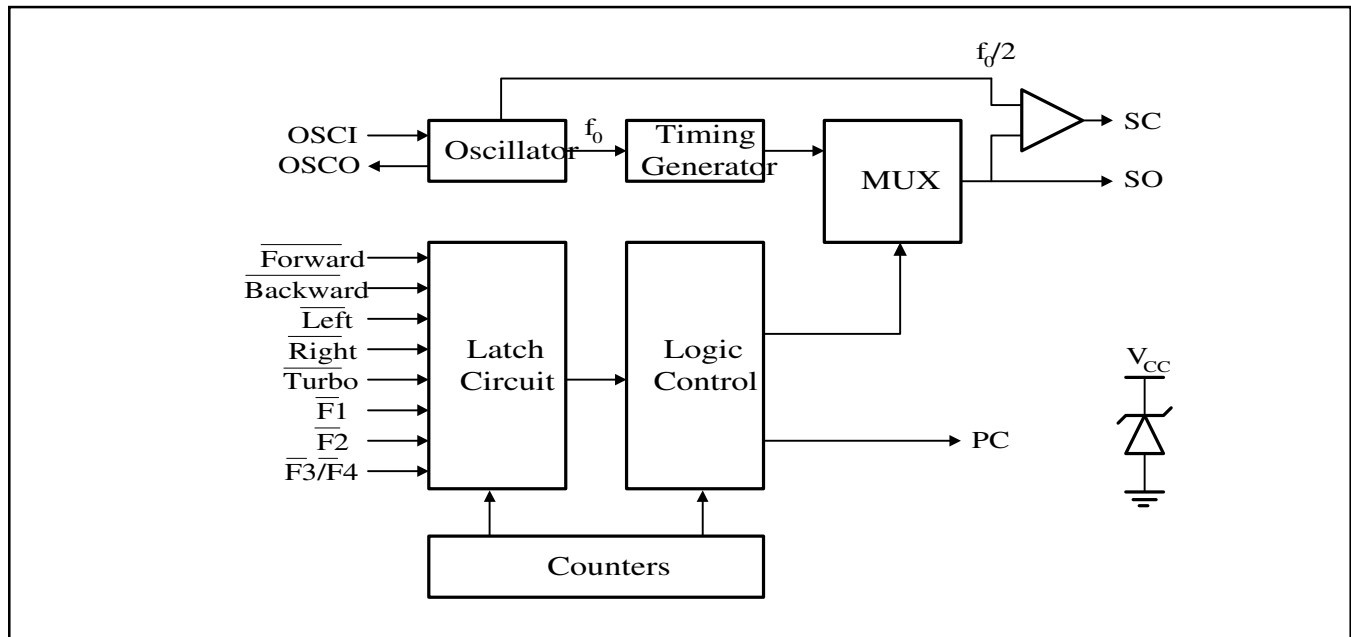
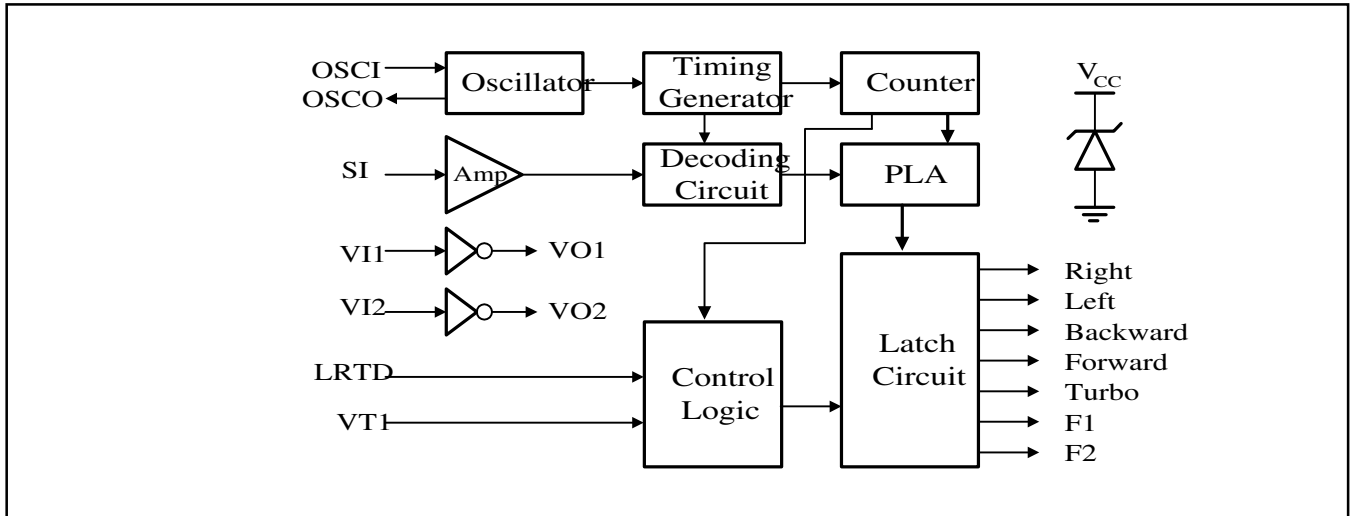
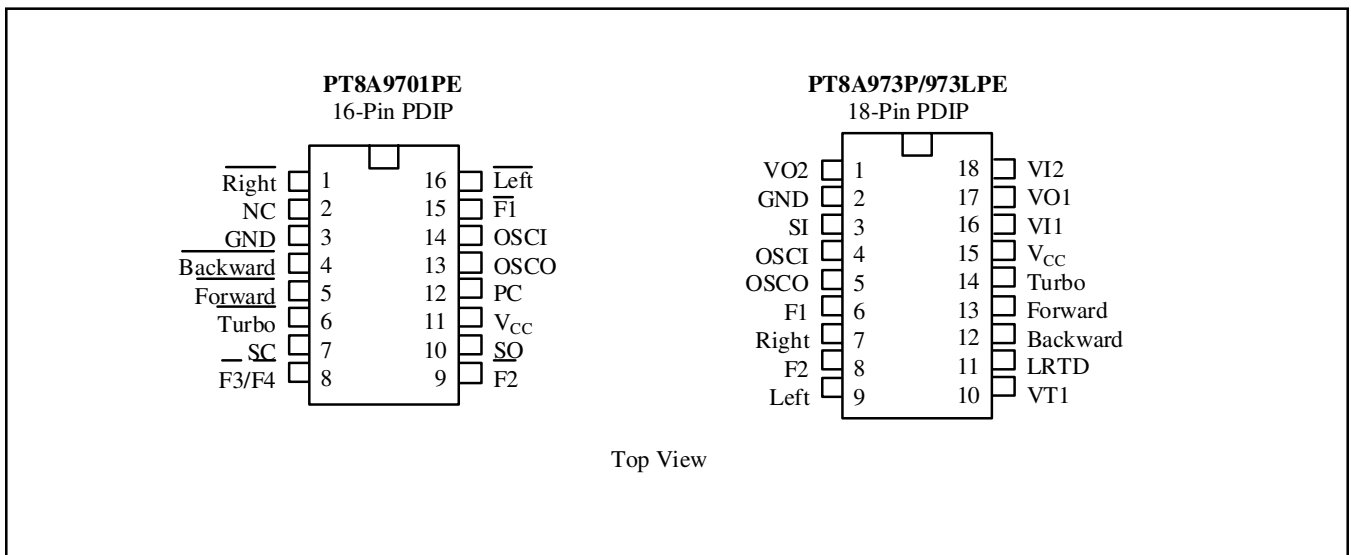


Figure 2. Block Diagram of PT8A973/973L

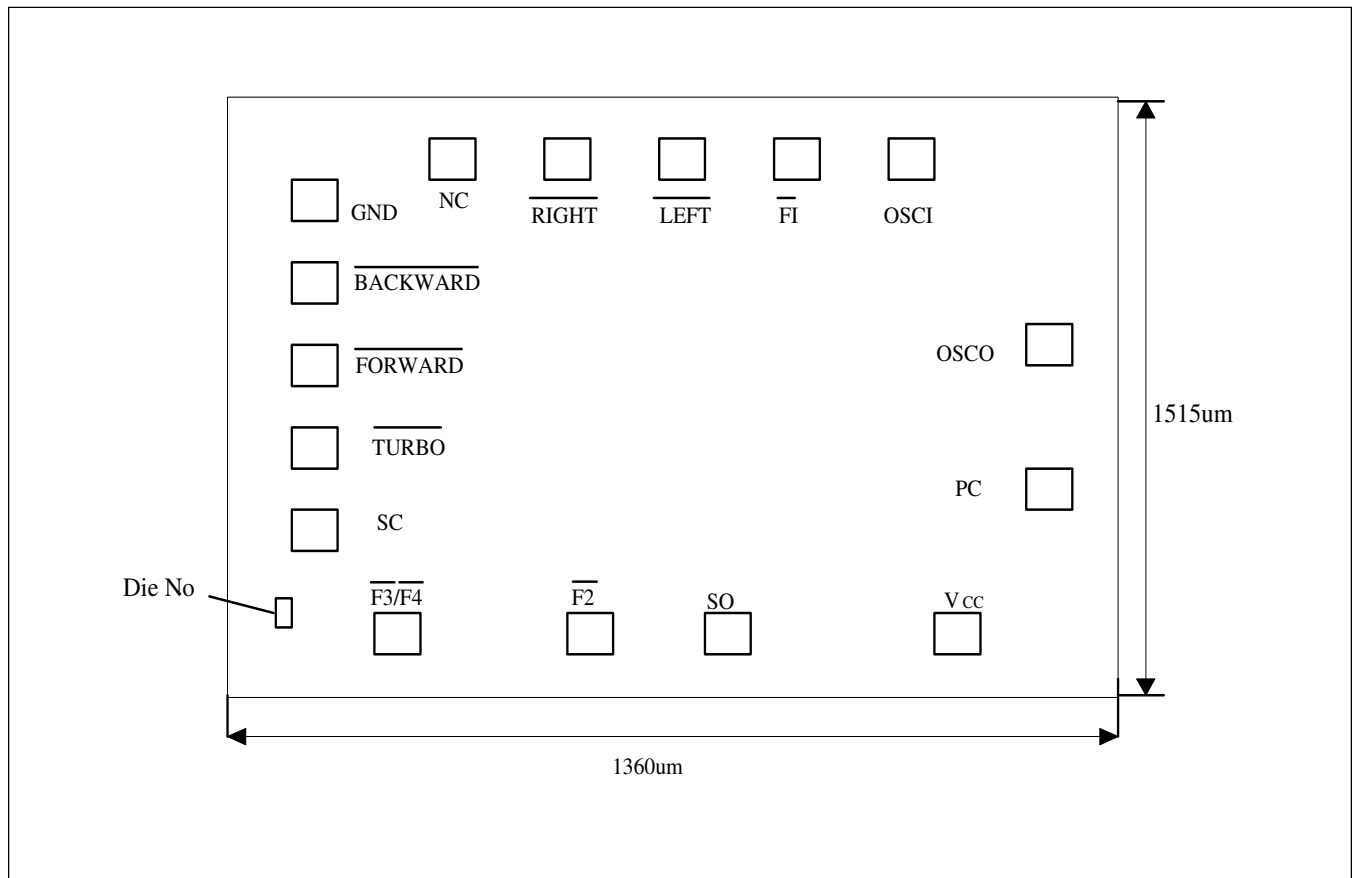


Pin Configuration



Pad Location

PT8A9701DE



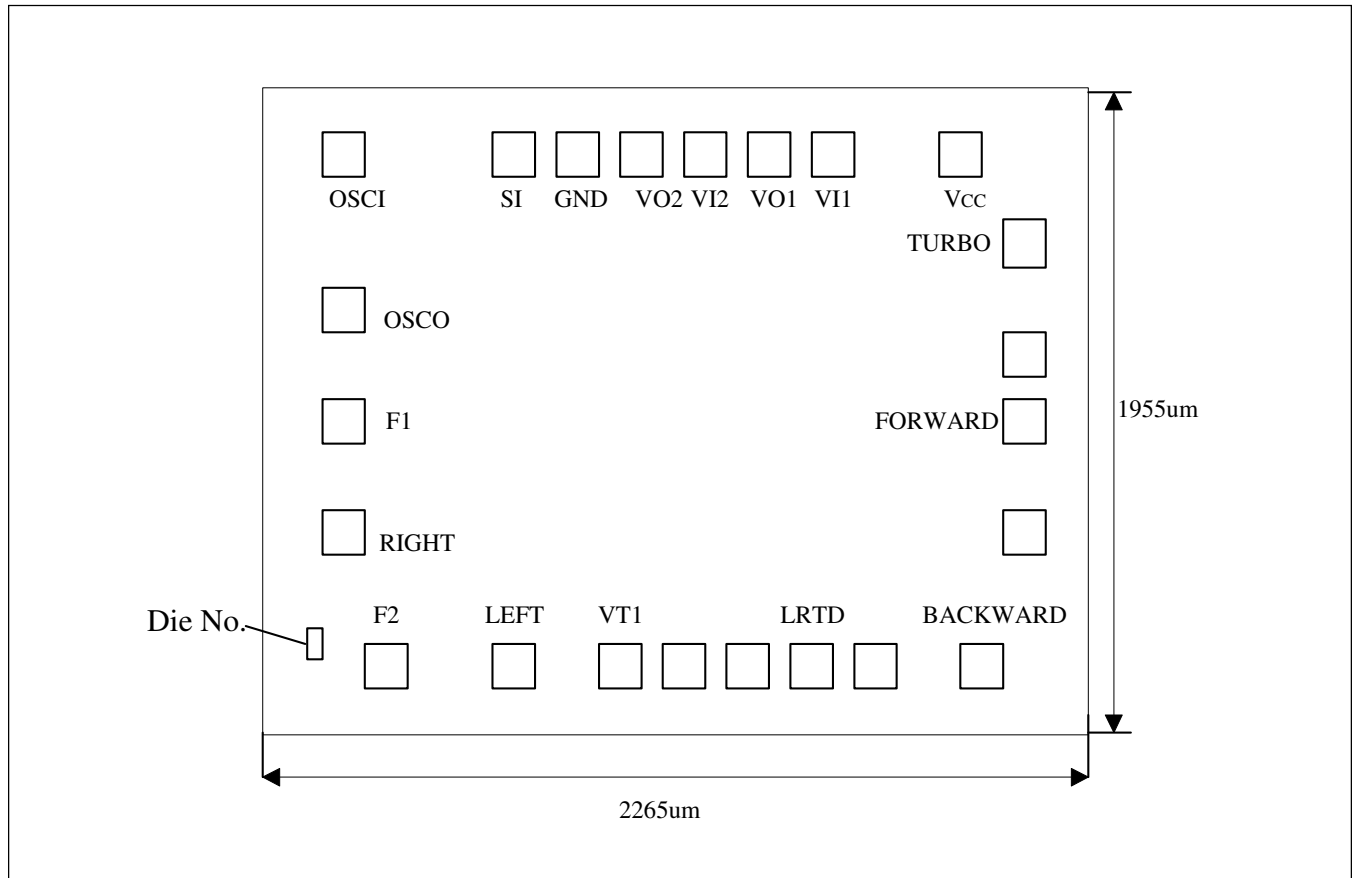
Pad Coordinates

| Pad Name | X Coordinate | Y Coordinate | Pad Name | X Coordinate | Y Coordinate |
|----------|--------------|--------------|----------|--------------|--------------|
| RIGHT | 457.5 | 1300.5 | F2 | 363.5 | 97.5 |
| NC | 317.5 | 1300.5 | SO | 627 | 108 |
| GND | 115.5 | 1202 | Vcc | 972 | 98 |
| BACKWARD | 98 | 1053 | PC | 1152 | 339.5 |
| FORWARD | 98 | 903 | OSCO | 1146 | 728.5 |
| TURBO | 98 | 763 | OSCI | 961.5 | 1300.5 |
| SC | 108.5 | 460 | FI | 812.5 | 1300.5 |
| F3/F4 | 171.5 | 145.5 | LEFT | 658 | 1300.5 |

Note: Substrate is connected to Vcc

Pad Location

PT8A973DE



Pad Coordinates

| Pad Name | X Coordinate | Y Coordinate | Pad Name | X Coordinate | Y Coordinate |
|----------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| VO2 | 1024.1 | 1654.4 | VT1 | 1003.1 | 147.5 |
| GND | 854.6 | 1654.4 | LRTD | 1433.1 | 147.5 |
| SI | 687.6 | 1671.9 | BACKWARD | 1898.1 | 136 |
| OSCI | 138.5 | 1653.3 | FORWARD | 1922.7 | 990.1 |
| OSCO | 138.5 | 1089.3 | TURBO | 1922.7 | 1487.2 |
| F1 | 136.5 | 836.8 | V _{CC} | 1831.3 | 1654.8 |
| RIGHT | 136.5 | 447.8 | VII | 1475.6 | 1654.4 |
| F2 | 360.6 | 136 | VO1 | 1341.6 | 1654.4 |
| LEFT | 749.6 | 136 | VI2 | 1158.1 | 1654.4 |

Note: Substrate is connected to Vcc

Pin/Pad Description

Table 1. Pin/Pad Description of PT8A9701

| Pin No | Pin/Pad Name | Type | Description |
|--------|------------------------------|------|--|
| 1 | $\overline{\text{Right}}$ | I | Rightward function selected if this pin connected to GND |
| 2 | NC | - | No connection |
| 3 | GND | GND | Ground |
| 4 | $\overline{\text{Backward}}$ | I | Backward function selected if this pin connected to GND |
| 5 | $\overline{\text{Forward}}$ | I | Forward function selected if this pin connected to GND |
| 6 | $\overline{\text{Turbo}}$ | I | Turbo function selected if this pin connected to GND |
| 7 | SC | O | Output pin of the encoding signal with carrier frequency |
| 8 | $\overline{\text{F3/F4}}$ | I | Able to toggle between Function 3 and Function 4 if connected to GND |
| 9 | $\overline{\text{F2}}$ | I | Function 2 selected if connected to GND |
| 10 | SO | O | Output pin of the encoding signal without carrier frequency |
| 11 | V _{cc} | P | Power supply |
| 12 | PC | O | Power control output pin |
| 13 | OSCO | O | Oscillator output pin |
| 14 | OSCI | I | Oscillator input pin |
| 15 | $\overline{\text{F1}}$ | I | Function 1 selected if connected to GND |
| 16 | $\overline{\text{Left}}$ | I | Leftward function selected if this pin connected to GND |

Table 2. Pin/Pad Description of PT8A973/973L

| Pin No | Pin/Pad Name | Type | Description |
|--------|--------------|------|---|
| 1, 17 | VO2, VO1 | O | Output pins of amplifiers 1 and 2 |
| 2 | GND | GND | Ground |
| 3 | SI | I | Input pin for encoded signal |
| 4 | OSCI | I | Oscillator input pin |
| 5 | OSCO | O | Oscillator output pin |
| 6 | F1 | O | F1 function output pin |
| 7 | Right | O | Rightward output pin |
| 8 | F2 | O | F2 function output pin |
| 9 | Left | O | Leftward output pin |
| 10 | VT1 | I | Auto shut-off input pin: If voltage on VT1 pin is over $0.095V_{CC}$ for 3 sec, all outputs will be shut off automatically. |
| 11 | LRTD | I | Left/Right turbo disable pin |
| 12 | Backward | O | Backward output pin |
| 13 | Forward | O | Forward output pin |
| 14 | Turbo | O | Turbo output pin |
| 15 | V_{CC} | P | Power supply |
| 16, 18 | VI1,VI2 | I | Input pins of amplifiers 1 and 2 |

LRTD Function

| LRTD Status | Key Selected | Output Function |
|-------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| High (Open) | Forward + Left (Right) + Turbo | Forward + Left (Right) + Turbo |
| Low | Forward + Left (Right) + Turbo | Forward + Left (Right) |

Maximum Ratings

(Above which the useful life may be impaired. For user guidelines, not tested)

Maximum Ratings PT8A9701

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Storage Temperature | -25°C to +85°C |
| Ambient Temperature with Power Applied | 0°C to +70°C |
| Supply Voltage to Ground Potential (Inputs & V _{CC} Only) | -0.5 to +5.5V |
| Supply Voltage to Ground Potential (Outputs & D/O Only) | -0.5 to +5.5V |
| DC Input Voltage | -0.5 to +5.5V |
| DC Output Current | 20mA |
| Power Dissipation | 500mW |

Maximum Ratings PT8A973

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Storage Temperature | -25°C to +85°C |
| Ambient Temperature with Power Applied | 0°C to +70°C |
| Supply Voltage to Ground Potential (Inputs & V _{CC} Only) | -0.5 to +5.5V |
| Supply Voltage to Ground Potential (Outputs & D/O Only) | -0.5 to +5.5V |
| DC Input Voltage | -0.5 to +5.5V |
| DC Output Current | 30mA |
| Power Dissipation | 500mW |

Maximum Ratings PT8A973L

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Storage Temperature | -25°C to +85°C |
| Ambient Temperature with Power Applied | 0°C to +70°C |
| Supply Voltage to Ground Potential (Inputs & V _{CC} Only) | -0.5 to +5.0V |
| Supply Voltage to Ground Potential (Outputs & D/O Only) | -0.5 to +5.0V |
| DC Input Voltage | -0.5 to +5.0V |
| DC Output Current | 30mA |
| Power Dissipation | 500mW |

Note:

Stresses greater than those listed under MAXIMUM RATINGS may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions above those indicated in the operational sections of this specification is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect reliability.

Recommended Operating Conditions

Table 4. Recommended Operating Conditions

| Sym | Description | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|-----|--------------------|-------|
| I _{CC} | Supply Current for PT8A973P | | | 30 | mA |
| | Supply Current for PT8A973LP | | | 30 | mA |
| V _{IH} | Input HIGH Voltage | 0.7V _{CC} | | | V |
| V _{IL} | Input LOW Voltage | | 0 | 0.3V _{CC} | V |
| F _{OSC} | Oscillator Frequency | 109 | 128 | 146 | kHz |
| T _A | Operation Temperature | 0 | | 70 | °C |

DC Electrical Characteristics

Table 5. DC Electrical Characteristics of PT8A9701

| Sym | Description | Test Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|-----------------|---|---|------|-----|-------|-------|
| V _Z | Voltage of Zenner | I _Z = 2~30mA | 3.4 | 3.7 | 4.0 | V |
| I _{OH} | Output HIGH Current - PC Pin | V _{OH} = V _{CC} -0.5V | -3 | -5 | | mA |
| | Output HIGH Currentl - SC and SO Pins | | -3 | -5 | | mA |
| | Output HIGH Current - OSCO Pin | | -200 | | -1000 | uA |
| I _{OL} | Output LOW Current - PC Pin | V _{OL} = 0.5V | 2 | 3 | | mA |
| | Output LOW Currentl - SC and SO Pins | | 2 | 3 | | mA |
| | Output LOW Current - OSCO Pin | | 200 | | 1000 | uA |
| I _{IH} | Input HIGH Current - Forward, Backward, Left, Right, Turbo, F1, F2, F3/F4 and OSCI Pins | V _{IH} = V _{CC} | | | 1 | uA |
| I _{IL} | Input LOW Current - Forward, Backward, Left, Right, Turbo, F1, F2 and F3/F4 Pins | V _{IL} = 0V | -20 | -40 | -100 | uA |
| | Input LOW Current - OSCI Pin | | | | -10 | uA |

Note: These specifications apply for V_{CC} = 3.5V and T_A = 25°C, unless otherwise specified.

Table 6. DC Electrical Characteristics of PT8A973/973L

| Sym | Description | Test Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|-----------------|--|---|------|-----|------|-------|
| I _{OH} | Output HIGH Current - VO1, VO2 and OSCO Pins | V _{OH} = V _{CC} -0.5V | 300 | | 800 | uA |
| | Output HIGH Current - Forward, Backward, Left and Right Pins | | -3 | | | mA |
| | Output HIGH Current - Turbo, F1 and F2 Pins | | -3 | | | |
| I _{OL} | Output LOW Current - VO1, VO2 and OSCO Pins | V _{OL} = 0.5V | 200 | | 1000 | uA |
| | Output LOW Current - Forward, Backward, Left, Right and Turbo Pins | | 2 | 3 | | mA |
| | Output LOW Current - F1 and F2 Pins | | 2 | 3 | | |
| I _{IH} | Input HIGH Current - OSC1, V11, V12 ,LRTD and SI Pins | V _{IN} = V _{CC} | | | 10 | uA |
| | Input HIGH Current - VT1 | | | | 50 | uA |
| I _{IL} | Input LOW Current - OSC1, VT1, V11, V12 and SI Pins | V _{IN} = 0V | | | -10 | uA |
| | Input LOW Current - LRTD Pins | | | | -50 | uA |
| VT | Over-Current Limit - VT1 Pins for PT8A973 | | 0.30 | | 0.40 | V |
| | Over-Current Limit - VT1 Pins for PT8A973L | | 0.25 | | 0.35 | V |
| V _Z | Voltage of Zenner - PT8A973 | I _Z = 2~30mA | 3.4 | 3.7 | 4 | V |
| | Voltage of Zenner - PT8A973L | | 2.8 | 3.1 | 3.4 | V |

Note: These specifications apply for T_A = 25°C, V_{CC} = 3.5V (973), V_{CC} = 3.0V (973L), unless otherwise specified.

AC Electrical Characteristics

Table 7. AC Electrical Characteristics of PT8A9701

| Sym | Description | Test Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| f_{OSC} (Note2) | Oscillator Frequency | $R_f = 200k\Omega$ | 109 | 128 | 146 | kHz |
| t_{FUN} | Period of Function Code | $f_{OSC} = 128kHz$ | 1.7 | 2 | 2.3 | ms |
| t_{STA} | Start-Code Period | $f_{OSC} = 128kHz$ | 1.7 | 2 | 2.3 | ms |
| f_{CSC} | Carrier Frequency | $f_{OSC} = 128kHz$ | | 64 | | kHz |
| t_{OFF} | Auto-off Time | $f_{OSC} = 128kHz$ | | 2 | | s |
| V_{CC} | Power Supply Range | - | 3 | 9 | 12 | V |
| I_{CC} | Supply Current | Output Unloaded | | | 30 | mA |

Note:

1. These specifications apply for $V_{CC} = 3.5V$ and $T_A = 25^\circ C$, unless otherwise specified.
2. The frequency of standard samples is tested on standard testing-board.

Table 8. AC Electrical Characteristics of PT8A973/973L

| Sym | Description | Test Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| f_{OSC} (Note2) | Oscillator Frequency | $R_f = 200k\Omega$ | 109 | 128 | 146 | kHz |
| t_{FUN} | Period of Function Code | $f_{OSC} = 128kHz$ | 1.7 | 2 | 2.3 | ms |
| t_{STA} | Start-Code Period | $f_{OSC} = 128kHz$ | 1.7 | 2 | 2.3 | ms |
| I_{CC} | Supply Current | Output Unloaded | | | 30 | mA |

Notes:

1. These specifications apply for $T_A = 25^\circ C$, $V_{CC} = 3.5V$ (973), $V_{CC} = 3.0V$ (973L), unless otherwise specified.
2. The frequency of standard samples is tested on standard testing-board.

Figure 5. Typical Application Circuit of PT8A9701

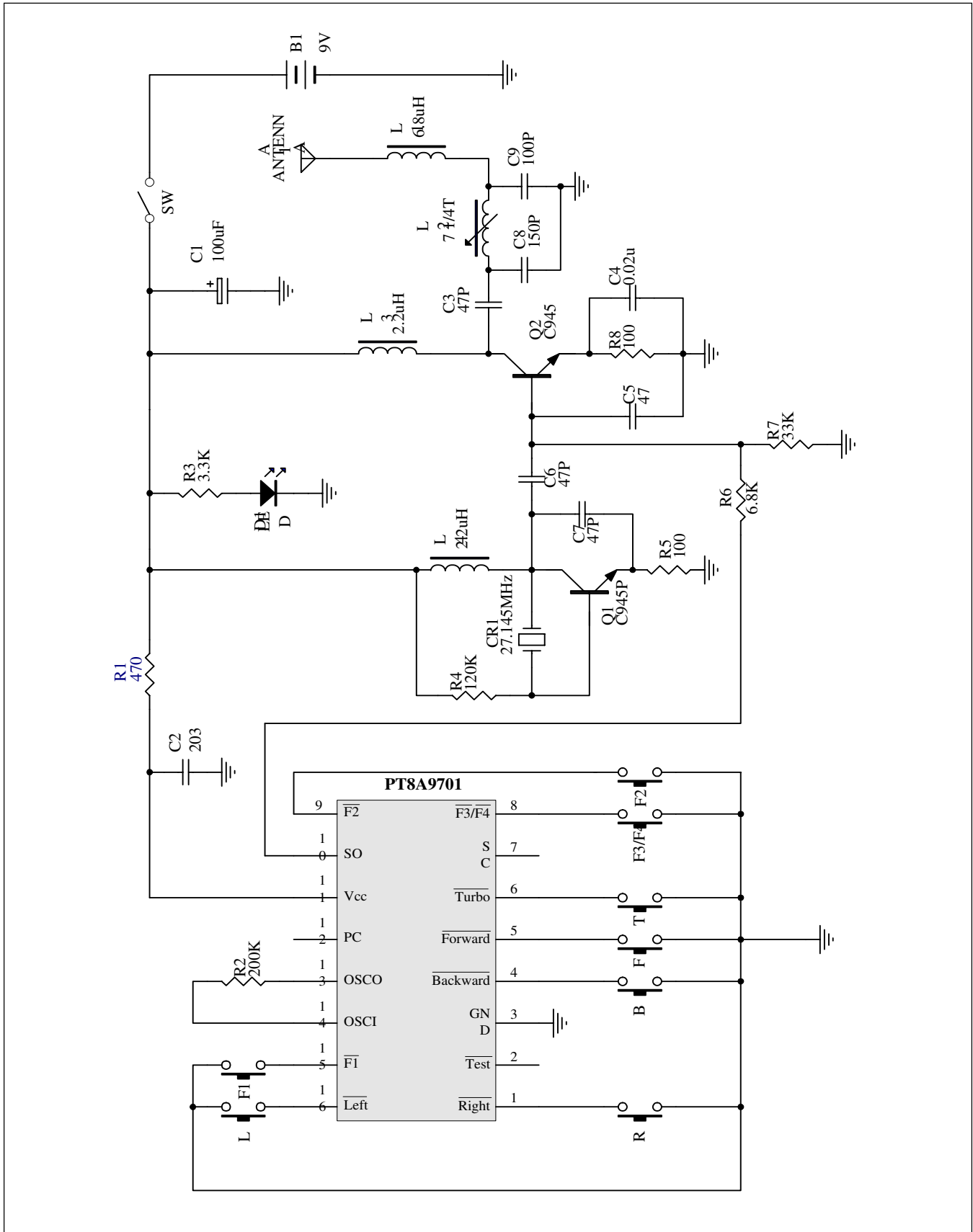
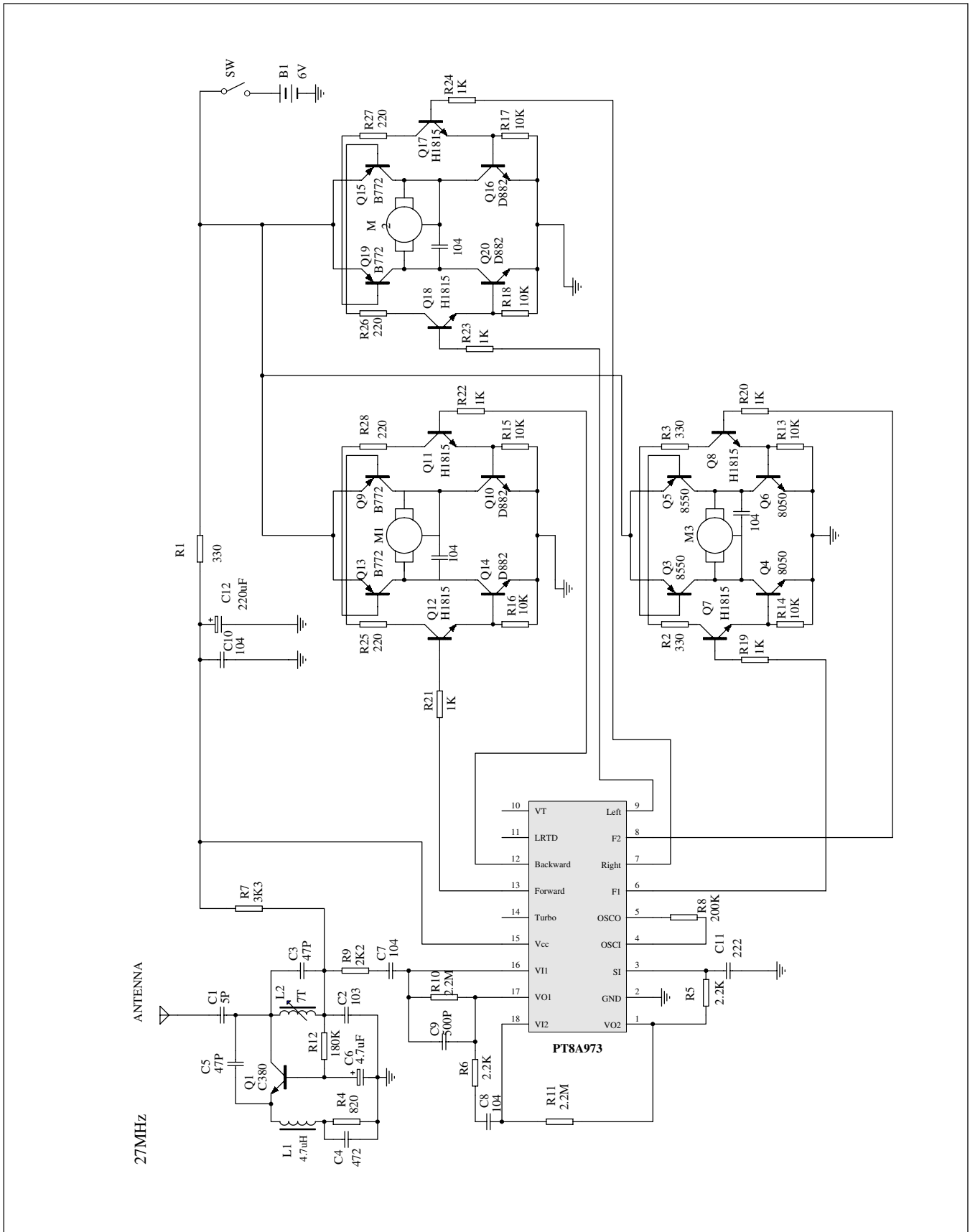
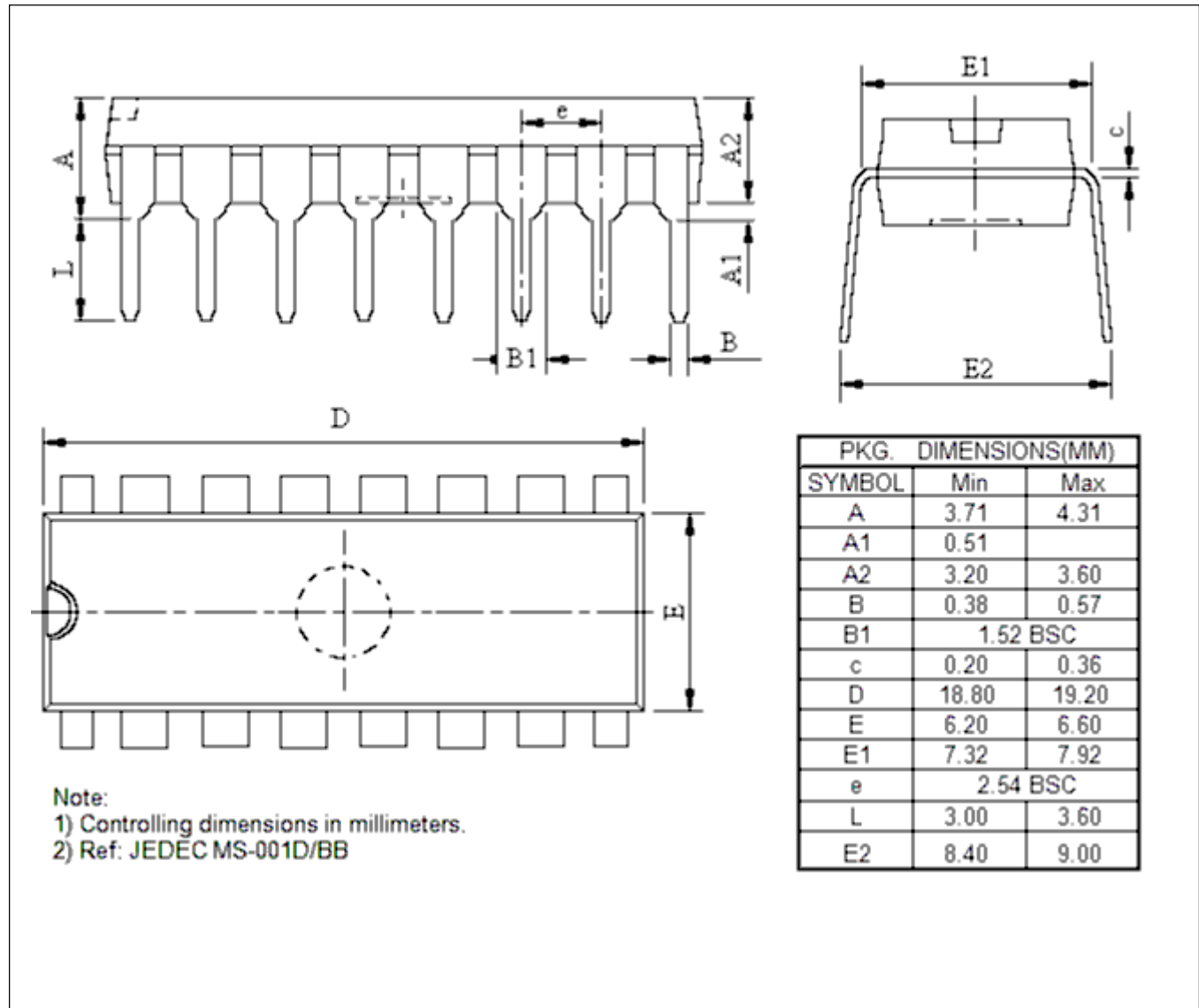


Figure 6. Typical Application Circuit of PT8A973

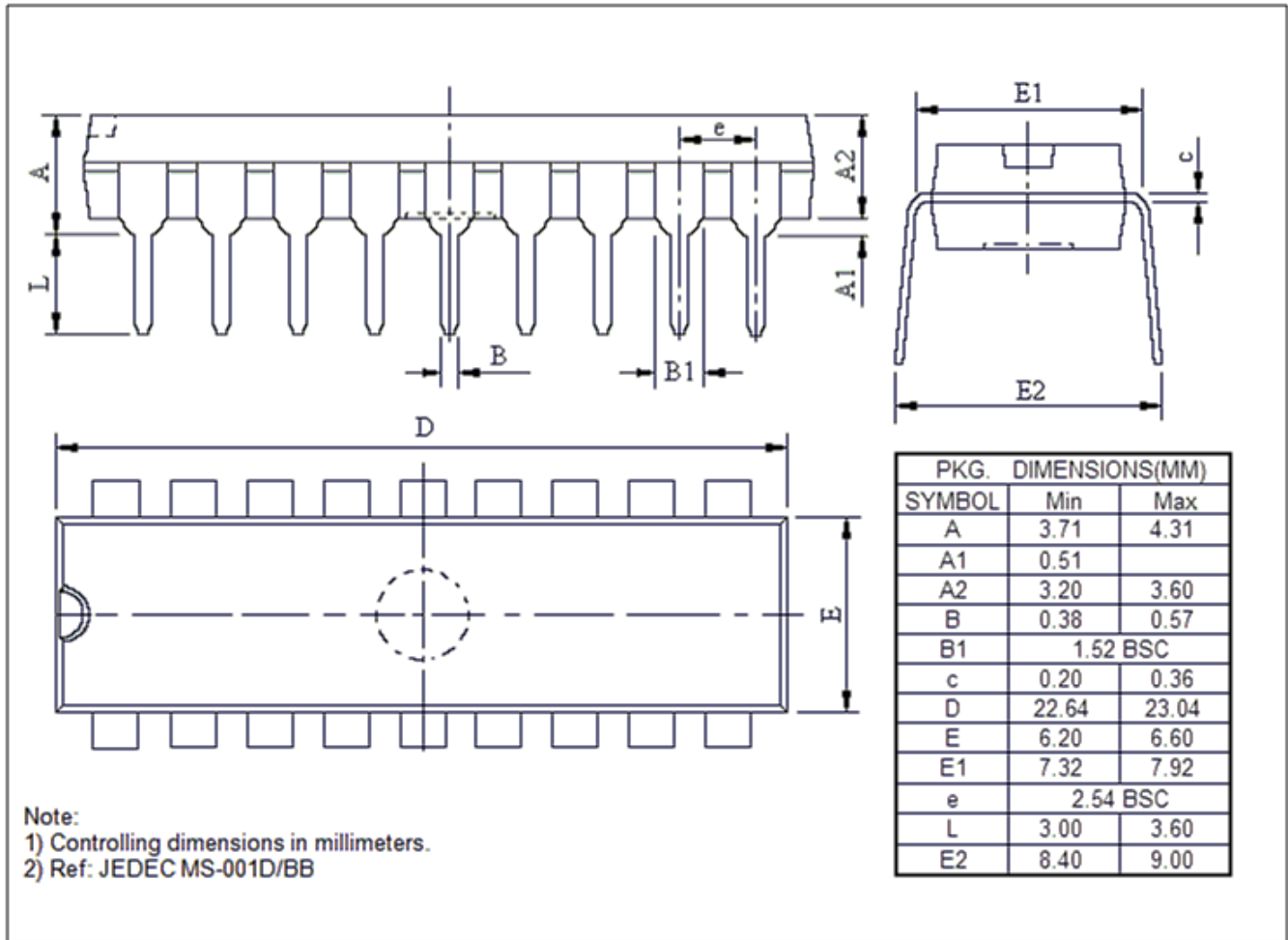


Mechanical Information

16-pin DIP



18-pin DIP



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