

# 74HC138-Q100; 74HCT138-Q100

3-to-8 line decoder/demultiplexer; inverting

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Product data sheet

## 1. General description

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The 74HC138-Q100; 74HCT138-Q100 decodes three binary weighted address inputs ( $A_0$ ,  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ ) to eight mutually exclusive outputs ( $\bar{Y}_0$  to  $\bar{Y}_7$ ). The device features three enable inputs ( $\bar{E}_1$ ,  $\bar{E}_2$  and  $E_3$ ). Every output will be HIGH unless  $\bar{E}_1$  and  $\bar{E}_2$  are LOW and  $E_3$  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  $V_{CC}$ .

This product has been qualified to the Automotive Electronics Council (AEC) standard Q100 (Grade 1) and is suitable for use in automotive applications.

## 2. Features and benefits

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- Automotive product qualification in accordance with AEC-Q100 (Grade 1)
  - ◆ Specified from  $-40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  and from  $-40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Complies with JEDEC standard no. 7A
- Input levels:
  - ◆ For 74HC138-Q100: CMOS level
  - ◆ For 74HCT138-Q100: TTL level
- Demultiplexing capability
- Multiple input enable for easy expansion
- Ideal for memory chip select decoding
- Active LOW mutually exclusive outputs
- ESD protection:
  - ◆ MIL-STD-883, method 3015 exceeds 2000 V
  - ◆ HBM JESD22-A114F exceeds 2000 V
  - ◆ MM JESD22-A115-A exceeds 200 V ( $C = 200\text{ pF}$ ,  $R = 0\ \Omega$ )
- Multiple package options



## 3. Ordering information

Table 1. Ordering information

Type number	Package			Version
	Temperature range	Name	Description	
74HC138D-Q100	-40 °C to +125 °C	SO16	plastic small outline package; 16 leads; body width 3.9 mm	SOT109-1
74 HCT138D-Q100				
74HC138PW-Q100	-40 °C to +125 °C	TSSOP16	plastic thin shrink small outline package; 16 leads; body width 4.4 mm	SOT403-1
74HCT138PW-Q100				
74HC138BQ-Q100	-40 °C to +125 °C	DHVQFN16	plastic dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads; 16 terminals; body 2.5 × 3.5 × 0.85 mm	SOT763-1
74HCT138BQ-Q100				

## 4. Functional diagram

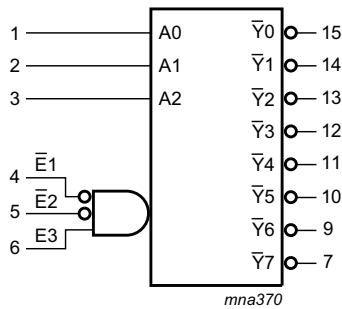


Fig 1. Logic symbol

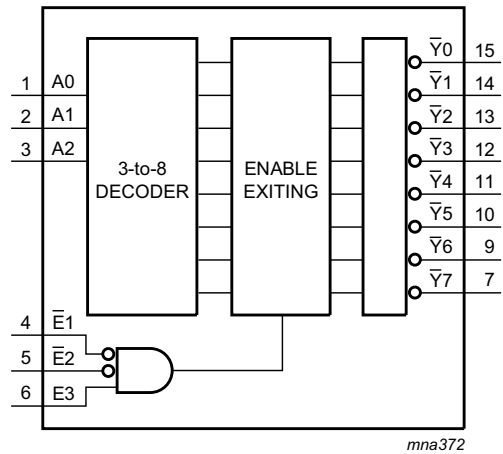


Fig 2. Functional diagram

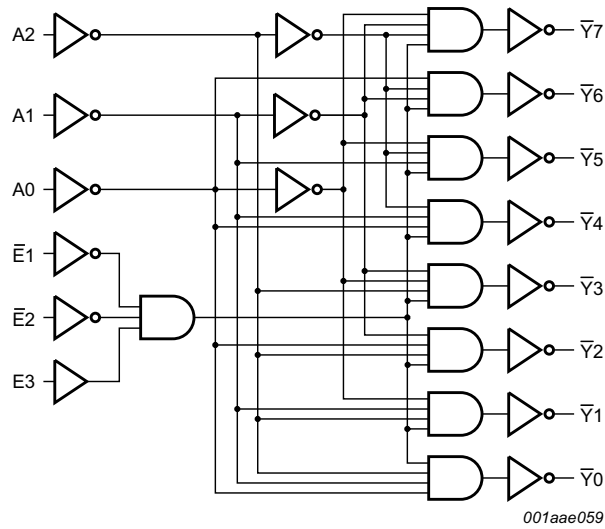


Fig 3. Logic diagram

## 5. Pinning information

### 5.1 Pinning

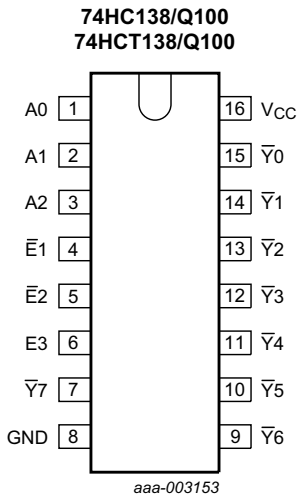
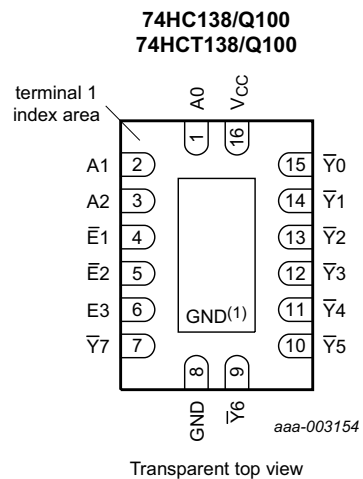


Fig 4. Pin configuration SO16 and TSSOP16



- (1) This is not a supply pin. The substrate is attached to this pad using conductive die attach material. There is no electrical or mechanical requirement to solder this pad. However, if it is soldered, the solder land should remain floating or be connected to GND.

Fig 5. Pin configuration DHVQFN16

## 5.2 Pin description

Table 2. Pin description

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

## 6. Functional description

Table 3. Function table<sup>[1]</sup>

Control			Input			Output							
$\bar{E}1$	$\bar{E}2$	E3	A2	A1	A0	$\bar{Y}7$	$\bar{Y}6$	$\bar{Y}5$	$\bar{Y}4$	$\bar{Y}3$	$\bar{Y}2$	$\bar{Y}1$	$\bar{Y}0$
H	X	X	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
X	H	X											
X	X	L											
L	L	H	L	L	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L
			L	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	
			L	H	L	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	
			L	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	
			H	L	L	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	
			H	L	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	
			H	H	L	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	
			H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	

[1] H = HIGH voltage level; L = LOW voltage level; X = don't care.

## 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 $V_I > V_{CC} + 0.5\text{ V}$	-	$\pm 20$	mA
$I_{OK}$	output clamping current	$V_O < -0.5\text{ V}$ or $V_O > V_{CC} + 0.5\text{ V}$	-	$\pm 20$	mA
$I_O$	output current	$V_O = -0.5\text{ V}$ to $(V_{CC} + 0.5\text{ V})$	-	$\pm 25$	mA
$I_{CC}$	supply current		-	50	mA
$I_{GND}$	ground current		-	-50	mA
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C
$P_{tot}$	total power dissipation		[1]	500	mW

- [1] For SO16 package:  $P_{tot}$  derates linearly with 8 mW/K above 70 °C.  
 For TSSOP16 package:  $P_{tot}$  derates linearly with 5.5 mW/K above 60 °C.  
 For DHVQFN16 package:  $P_{tot}$  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-Q100			74HCT138-Q100			Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
$V_{CC}$	supply voltage		2.0	5.0	6.0	4.5	5.0	5.5	V
$V_I$	input voltage		0	-	$V_{CC}$	0	-	$V_{CC}$	V
$V_O$	output voltage		0	-	$V_{CC}$	0	-	$V_{CC}$	V
$T_{amb}$	ambient temperature		-40	+25	+125	-40	+25	+125	°C
$\Delta t/\Delta V$	input transition rise and fall rate	$V_{CC} = 2.0\text{ V}$	-	-	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	T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C			T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +85 °C		T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
<b>74HC138-Q100</b>										
V <sub>IH</sub>	HIGH-level input voltage	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	1.5	1.2	-	1.5	-	1.5	-	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	3.15	2.4	-	3.15	-	3.15	-	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	4.2	3.2	-	4.2	-	4.2	-	V
V <sub>IL</sub>	LOW-level input voltage	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	0.8	0.5	-	0.5	-	0.5	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	2.1	1.35	-	1.35	-	1.35	V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	2.8	1.8	-	1.8	-	1.8	V
V <sub>OH</sub>	HIGH-level output voltage	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>								
		I <sub>O</sub> = -20 μA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	1.9	2.0	-	1.9	-	1.9	-	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = -20 μA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	4.4	4.5	-	4.4	-	4.4	-	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = -20 μA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	5.9	6.0	-	5.9	-	5.9	-	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = -4.0 mA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	3.98	4.32	-	3.84	-	3.7	-	V
V <sub>OL</sub>	LOW-level output voltage	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>								
		I <sub>O</sub> = 20 μA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = 20 μA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = 20 μA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = 4.0 mA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	0.15	0.26	-	0.33	-	0.4	V
I <sub>I</sub>	input leakage current	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND; V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	-	±0.1	-	±1.0	-	±1.0	μA
		V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND; I <sub>O</sub> = 0 A; V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	-	8.0	-	80	-	160	μA
C <sub>I</sub>	input capacitance		-	3.5	-					pF
<b>74HCT138-Q100</b>										
V <sub>IH</sub>	HIGH-level input voltage	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V to 5.5 V	2.0	1.6	-	2.0	-	2.0	-	V
V <sub>IL</sub>	LOW-level input voltage	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V to 5.5 V	-	1.2	0.8	-	0.8	-	0.8	V
V <sub>OH</sub>	HIGH-level output voltage	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub> ; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V								
		I <sub>O</sub> = -20 μA	4.4	4.5	-	4.4	-	4.4	-	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = -4 mA	3.98	4.32	-	3.84	-	3.7	-	V
V <sub>OL</sub>	LOW-level output voltage	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub> ; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V								
		I <sub>O</sub> = 20 μA	-	0	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = 4.0 mA	-	0.15	0.26	-	0.33	-	0.4	V
I <sub>I</sub>	input leakage current	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND; V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V	-	-	±0.1	-	±1.0	-	±1.0	μA

**Table 6. Static characteristics ...continued**

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C			T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +85 °C		T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
I <sub>CC</sub>	supply current	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND; I <sub>O</sub> = 0 A; V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V	-	-	8.0	-	80	-	160	μA
ΔI <sub>CC</sub>	additional supply current	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> - 2.1 V; other inputs at V <sub>CC</sub> or GND; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V to 5.5 V; I <sub>O</sub> = 0 A								
		per input pin; A <sub>n</sub> inputs	-	150	540	-	675	-	735	μA
		per input pin; E <sub>n</sub> inputs	-	125	450	-	562.5	-	612.5	μA
		per input pin; E3 input	-	100	360	-	450	-	490	μA
C <sub>I</sub>	input capacitance		-	3.5	-					pF

## 10. Dynamic characteristics

**Table 7. Dynamic characteristics**

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V); C<sub>L</sub> = 50 pF unless otherwise specified; for test circuit see [Figure 8](#).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C			T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +85 °C		T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
<b>74HC138-Q100</b>										
t <sub>pd</sub>	propagation delay	An to $\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a> <sup>[1]</sup>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	41	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	15	30	-	38	-	45	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	12	26	-	33	-	38	ns
		E3 to $\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a> <sup>[1]</sup>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	47	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	17	20	-	38	-	45	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	14	26	-	33	-	38	ns
		E <sub>n</sub> to $\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 7</a> <sup>[1]</sup>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	47	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	17	20	-	38	-	45	ns
V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	ns		
V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	14	26	-	33	-	38	ns		
t <sub>t</sub>	transition time	$\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a> and <a href="#">Figure 7</a> <sup>[2]</sup>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	19	75	-	95	-	110	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	7	15	-	19	-	22	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	6	13	-	16	-	19	ns

**Table 7. Dynamic characteristics ...continued**

*Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V); C<sub>L</sub> = 50 pF unless otherwise specified; for test circuit see [Figure 8](#).*

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C			T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +85 °C		T <sub>amb</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
C <sub>PD</sub>	power dissipation capacitance	C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF; f = 1 MHz; V <sub>I</sub> = GND to V <sub>CC</sub> <a href="#">[3]</a>	-	67	-	-	-	-	-	pF
<b>74HCT138-Q100</b>										
t <sub>pd</sub>	propagation delay	An to $\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a> <a href="#">[1]</a>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	20	35	-	44	-	53	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		E3 to $\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a> <a href="#">[1]</a>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	18	40	-	50	-	60	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		$\bar{E}_n$ to $\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 7</a> <a href="#">[1]</a>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	19	40	-	50	-	60	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	19	-	-	-	-	ns	
t <sub>t</sub>	transition time	$\bar{Y}_n$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a> and <a href="#">Figure 7</a> <a href="#">[2]</a>								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	7	15	-	19	-	22	ns
C <sub>PD</sub>	power dissipation capacitance	C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF; f = 1 MHz; V <sub>I</sub> = GND to V <sub>CC</sub> - 1.5 V <a href="#">[3]</a>	-	67	-	-	-	-	-	pF

[1] t<sub>pd</sub> is the same as t<sub>PLH</sub> and t<sub>PHL</sub>.

[2] t<sub>t</sub> is the same as t<sub>THL</sub> and t<sub>TLH</sub>.

[3] C<sub>PD</sub> is used to determine the dynamic power dissipation (P<sub>D</sub> in μW).

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

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;

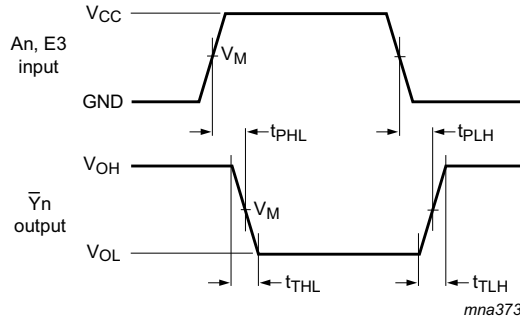
V<sub>CC</sub> = supply voltage in V;

N = number of inputs switching;

∑(C<sub>L</sub> × V<sub>CC</sub><sup>2</sup> × f<sub>o</sub>) = sum of outputs.



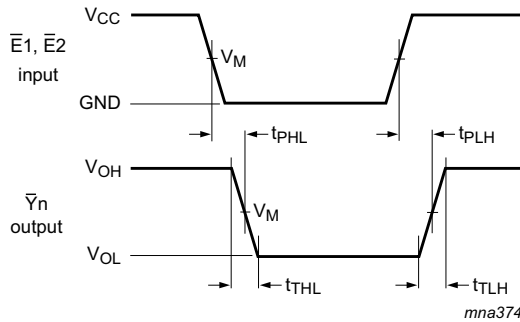
11. Waveforms



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 ( $A_n$ ) and enable input ( $E_3$ ) to output ( $\bar{Y}_n$ ) and transition time output ( $\bar{Y}_n$ )**



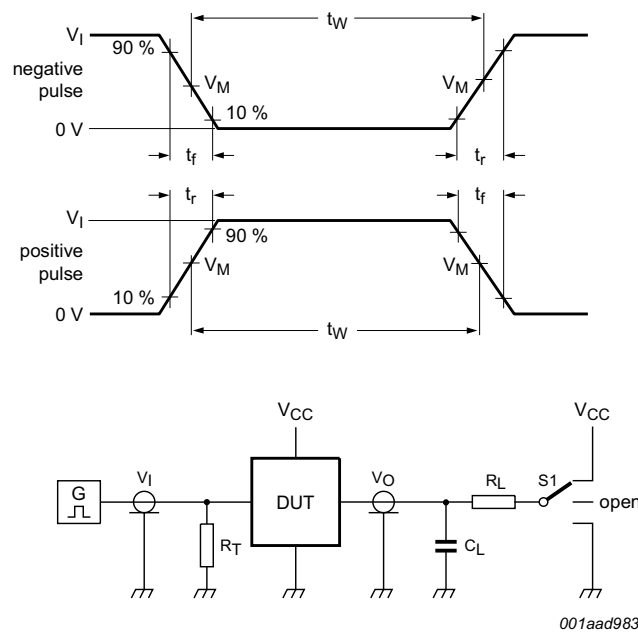
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$V_{OL}$  and  $V_{OH}$  are typical voltage output levels that occur with the output load.

**Fig 7. Propagation delay enable input ( $\bar{E}_n$ ) to output ( $\bar{Y}_n$ ) and transition time output ( $\bar{Y}_n$ )**

**Table 8. Measurement points**

Type	Input	Output
	$V_M$	$V_M$
74HC138-Q100	$0.5V_{CC}$	$0.5V_{CC}$
74HCT138-Q100	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**

Type	Input		Load		S1 position		
	$V_I$	$t_r, t_f$	$C_L$	$R_L$	$t_{PHL}, t_{PLH}$	$t_{PZH}, t_{PHZ}$	$t_{PZL}, t_{PLZ}$
74HC138-Q100	$V_{CC}$	6 ns	15 pF, 50 pF	1 k $\Omega$	open	GND	$V_{CC}$
74HCT138-Q100	3 V	6 ns	15 pF, 50 pF	1 k $\Omega$	open	GND	$V_{CC}$

12. Package outline

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

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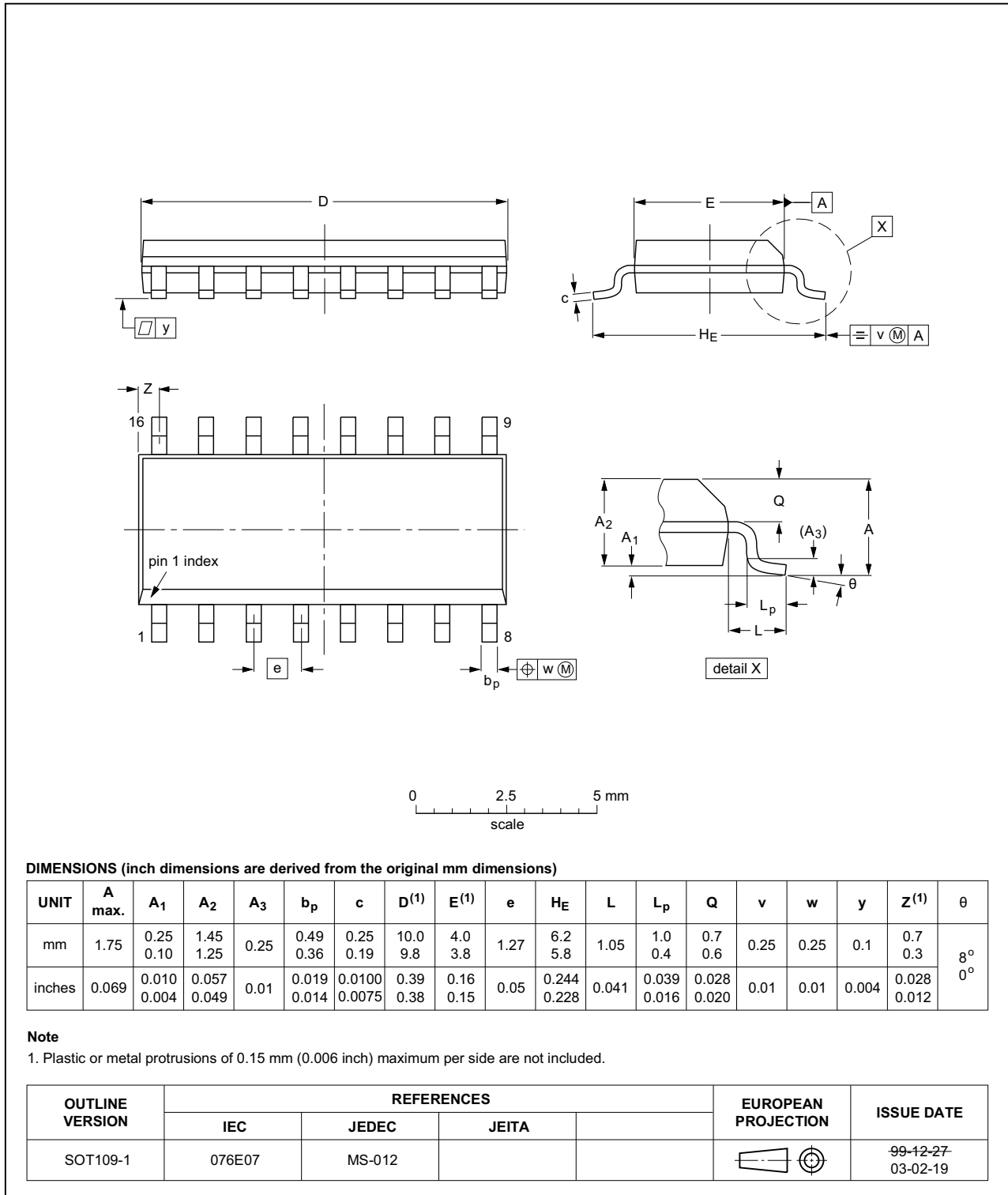


Fig 9. Package outline SOT109-1 (SO16)

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

SOT403-1

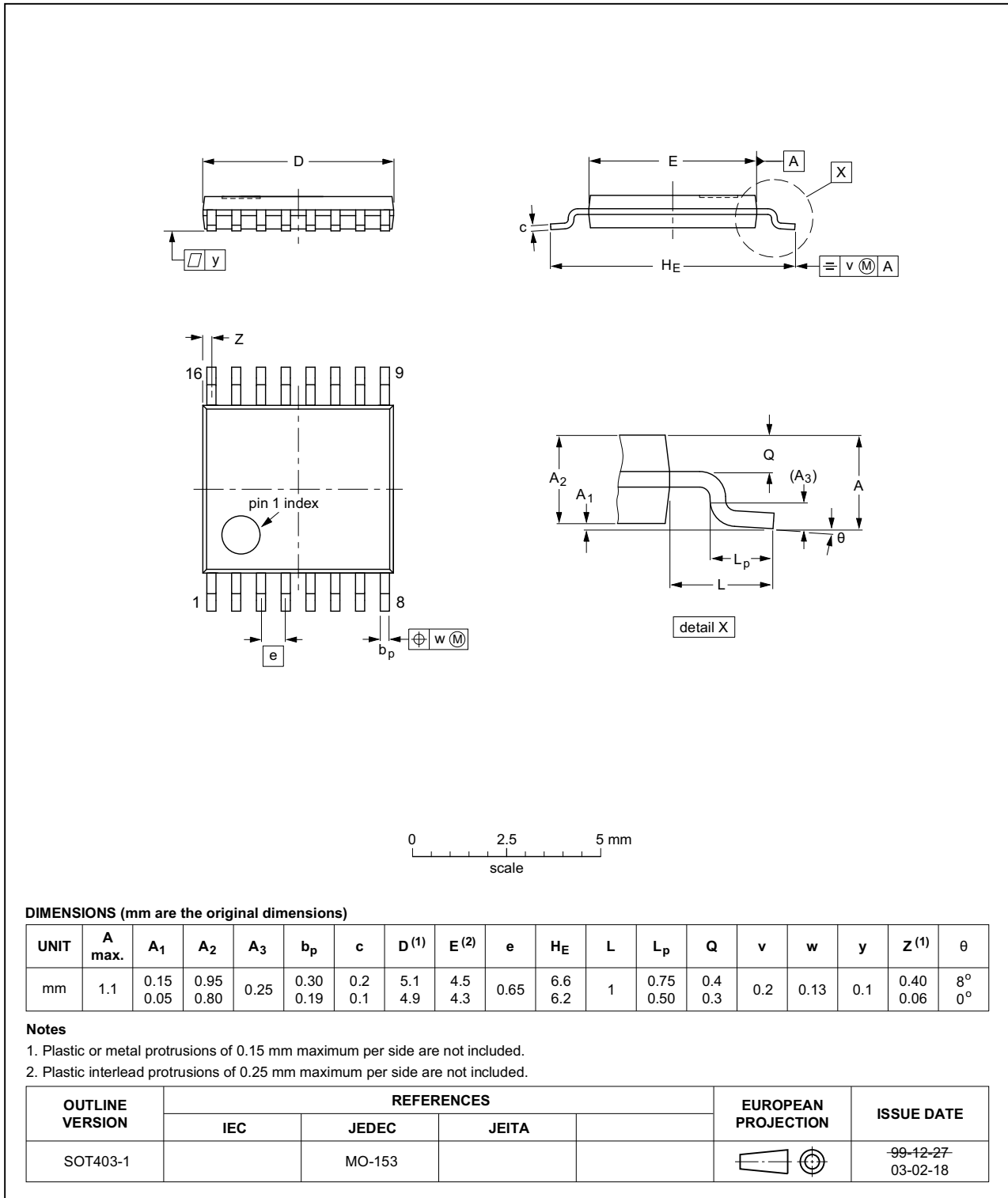
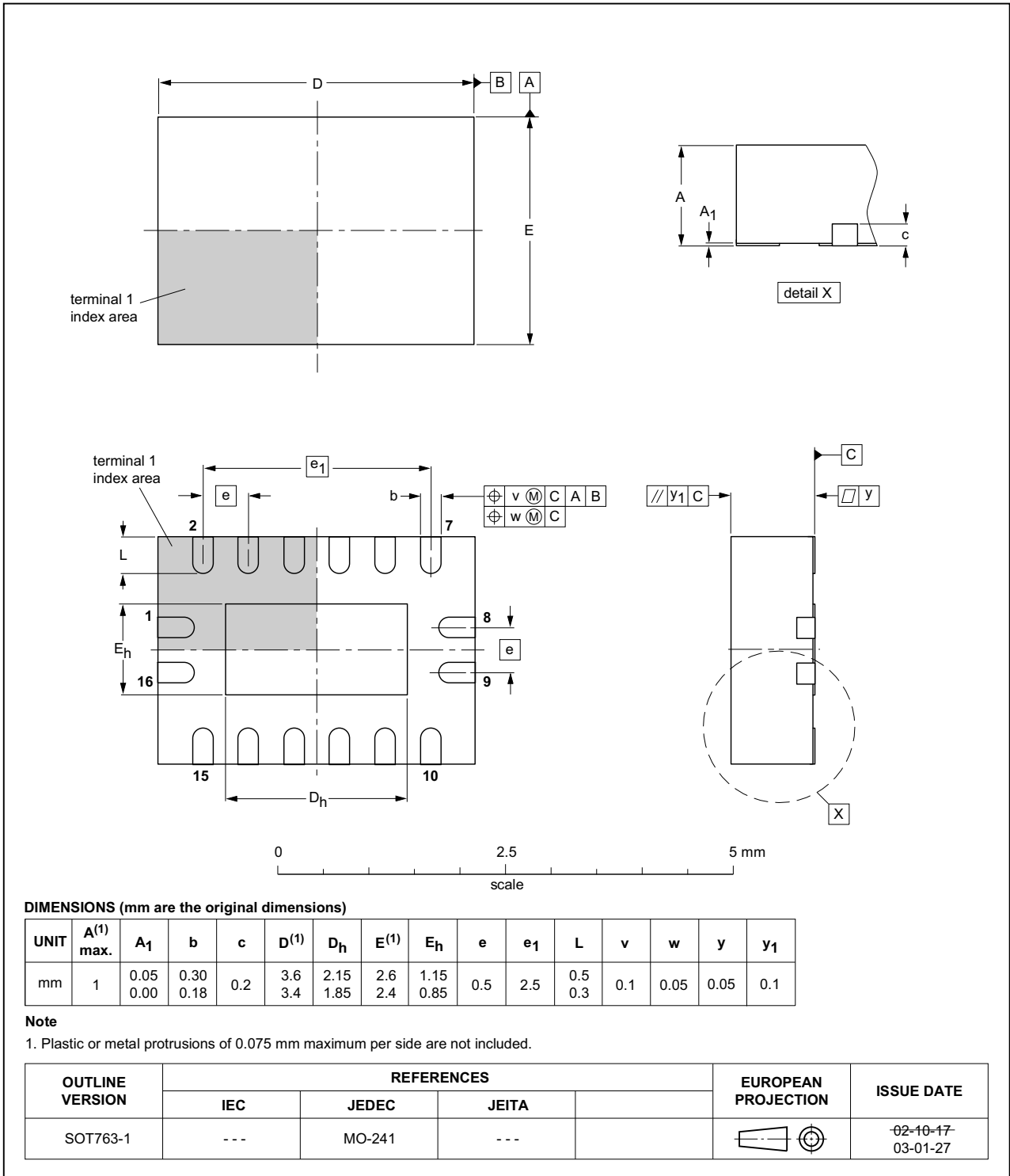


Fig 10. Package outline SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)

**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 11. Package outline SOT763-1 (DHVQFN16)**

## 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
MIL	Military

## 14. Revision history

Table 11. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
74HC_HCT138_Q100 v.2	20150126	Product data sheet	-	74HC_HCT138_Q100 v.1
Modifications:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Table 6</a>: OFF-state output current removed because device has no 3-state outputs.</li> <li>• <a href="#">Table 7</a>: Power dissipation capacitance condition for 74HCT138-Q100 is corrected.</li> </ul>			
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