

# SNx4AHCT138 3-Line to 8-Line Decoders/Demultiplexers

## 1 Features

- Inputs are TTL-voltage compatible
- Designed specifically for high-speed memory decoders and data-transmission systems
- Incorporate three enable inputs to simplify cascading and/or data reception
- Latch-up performance exceeds 250mA per JESD 17
- ESD protection exceeds JESD 22
  - ±2000V human-body model (A114-A)
  - ±1000V charged-device model (C101)

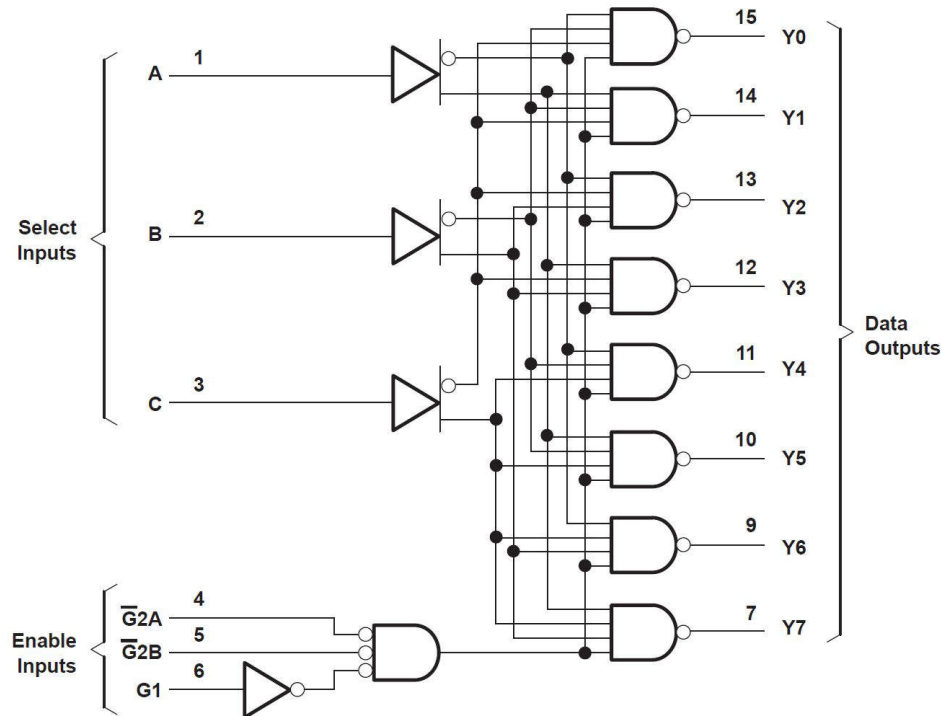
## 2 Description

The 'AHCT138 3-line to 8-line decoders/demultiplexers are designed to be used in high-performance memory-decoding and data-routing applications that require very short propagation-delay times. In high-performance memory systems, this decoder can be used to minimize the effects of system decoding.

### Device Information

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE <sup>(1)</sup>	PACKAGE SIZE <sup>(2)</sup>	BODY SIZE <sup>(3)</sup>
SNx4AHCT138	RGY (VQFN, 16)	4mm x 3.5mm	4mm x 3.5mm
	N (PDIP, 16)	19.3 mm x 9.4 mm	19.32mm x 6.35mm
	D (SOIC, 16)	9.9 mm x 6 mm	9.90mm x 3.90mm
	NS (SOP, 16)	10.2mm x 7.8mm	10.20mm x 5.30mm
	DB (SSOP, 16)	6.2mm x 7.8mm	6.20mm x 5.30mm
	PW (TSSOP, 16)	5mm x 6.4mm	5.00mm x 4.40mm
	DGV (TVSOP, 16)	3.6mm x 6.4mm	3.6mm x 4.4mm

- (1) For more information, see [Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information](#).
- (2) The package size (length x width) is a nominal value and includes pins, where applicable
- (3) The body size (length x width) is a nominal value and does not include pins.



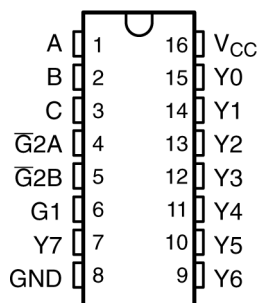
Logic Diagram (Positive Logic)



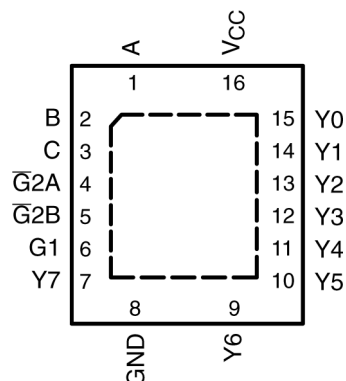
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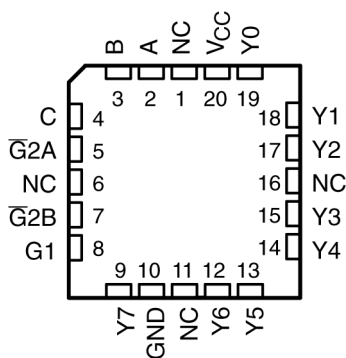
### 3 Pin Configuration and Functions



**Figure 3-1. SN54AHCT138 J or W Package;  
SN74AHCT138 D, DB, DGV, N, NS, or PW Package  
(Top View)**



**Figure 3-2. SN74AHCT138 RGY Package (Top View)**



NC – No internal connection

**Figure 3-3. SN54AHCT138 FK Package (Top View)**

**Table 3-1. Pin Functions**

PIN		TYPE <sup>(1)</sup>	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.		
A	1	I	Input A
B	2	I	Input B
C	3	I	Input C
$\overline{G}2A$	4	I	Strobe Input 2A, active low
$\overline{G}2B$	5	I	Strobe Input 2B, active low
G1	6	I	Strobe Input
Y7	7	O	Output 7
GND	8	G	Ground
Y6	9	O	Output 6
Y5	10	O	Output 5
Y4	11	O	Output 4
Y3	12	O	Output 3
Y2	13	O	Output 2
Y1	14	O	Output 1
Y0	15	O	Output 0
V <sub>CC</sub>	16	P	Positive Supply
Thermal Pad <sup>(2)</sup>		—	Thermal Pad

(1) I = Input, O = Output, I/O = Input or Output, G = Ground, P = Power.

(2) BQB package only

## 4 Specifications

### 4.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)<sup>(1)</sup>

		MIN	MAX	UNIT
$V_{CC}$	Supply voltage range	-0.5	7	V
$V_I$ <sup>(2)</sup>	Input voltage range	-0.5	7	V
$V_O$ <sup>(2)</sup>	Output voltage range	-0.5	$V_{CC} + 0.5$	V
$I_{IK}$	Input clamp current	$(V_I < 0)$		-20 mA
$I_{OK}$	Output clamp current	$(V_O < 0 \text{ or } V_O > V_{CC})$		±20 mA
$I_O$	Continuous output current	$(V_O = 0 \text{ to } V_{CC})$		±25 mA
	Continuous current through $V_{CC}$ or GND			±75 mA
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature range	-65	150	°C

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under “absolute maximum ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under “recommended operating conditions” is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- (2) The input and output voltage ratings may be exceeded if the input and output current ratings are observed.

### 4.2 ESD Ratings

		VALUE	UNIT
$V_{(ESD)}$ Electrostatic discharge	Human body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 <sup>(1)</sup>	±2000	V
	Charged device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 <sup>(2)</sup>	±1000	

- (1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.
- (2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process

### 4.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)<sup>(1)</sup>

		SN54AHCT138		SN74AHCT138		UNIT
		MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX	
$V_{CC}$	Supply voltage	1.5	5.5	1.5	5.5	V
$V_{IH}$	High-level input voltage	2		2		V
$V_{IL}$	Low-level input voltage		0.8		0.8	V
$V_I$	Input voltage	0	5.5	0	5.5	V
$V_O$	Output voltage	0	$V_{CC}$	0	$V_{CC}$	V
$I_{OH}$	High-level output current		-8		-8	mA
$I_{OL}$	Low-level output current		8		8	mA
$\Delta t/\Delta v$	Input transition rise or fall rate		20		20	ns/V
$T_A$	Operating free-air temperature	-55	125	-40	85	°C

- (1) All unused inputs of the device must be held at  $V_{CC}$  or GND to ensure proper device operation. Refer to the TI application report, *Implications of Slow or Floating CMOS Inputs*, literature number SCBA004.

## 4.4 Thermal Information

THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup>	SN74AHCT138							UNIT
	DGV (TVSOP)	D (SOIC)	DB (SSOP)	N (PDIP)	NS (SOP)	PW (TSSOP)	RGY (VQFN)	
	16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	16 PINS	
$R_{\theta JA}$ Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	120	93.8	82	67	64	135.9	39	°C/W

- (1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the [Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics](#) application report.

## 4.5 Electrical Characteristics

over recommended operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	$V_{CC}$	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$			SN54AHCT138		SN74AHCT138		UNIT
			MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX	
$V_{OH}$	$I_{OH} = -50\text{ mA}$	4.5 V	4.4	4.5		4.4		4.4		V
	$I_{OH} = -8\text{ mA}$		3.94			3.8		3.8		
$V_{OL}$	$I_{OL} = 50\text{ mA}$	4.5 V			0.1		0.1		0.1	V
	$I_{OL} = 8\text{ mA}$				0.36		0.5		0.44	
$I_I$	$V_I = 5.5\text{ V or GND}$	0 V to 5.5 V			$\pm 0.1$		$\pm 1^{(1)}$		$\pm 1$	mA
$I_{CC}$	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND, $I_O = 0$	5.5 V			4		40		40	mA
$\Delta I_{CC}^{(2)}$	One input at 3.4 V, Other inputs at $V_{CC}$ or GND	5.5 V			1.35		1.5		1.5	mA
$C_i$	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND	5 V		2	10				10	pF

- (1) On products compliant to MIL-PRF-38535, this parameter is not production tested at  $V_{CC} = 0\text{ V}$ .

- (2) This is the increase in supply current for each input at one of the specified TTL voltage levels rather than 0 V or  $V_{CC}$ .

## 4.6 Switching Characteristics

over recommended operating free-air temperature range,  $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V} \pm 0.5\text{ V}$  (unless otherwise noted) (see [Figure 5-1](#))

PARAMETER	FROM (INPUT)	TO (OUTPUT)	LOAD CAPACITANCE	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$			SN54AHCT138		SN74AHCT138		UNIT
				MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX	
$t_{PLH}$	A, B, C	Any Y	$C_L = 15\text{ pF}$		7.6 <sup>(1)</sup>	10.4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	12 <sup>(1)</sup>	1	12	ns
$t_{PHL}$					7.6 <sup>(1)</sup>	10.4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	12 <sup>(1)</sup>	1	12	
$t_{PLH}$	G1	Any Y	$C_L = 15\text{ pF}$		6.6 <sup>(1)</sup>	9.1 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	10.5 <sup>(1)</sup>	1	10.5	ns
$t_{PHL}$					6.6 <sup>(1)</sup>	9.1 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	10.5 <sup>(1)</sup>	1	10.5	
$t_{PLH}$	$\overline{G}2A, \overline{G}2B$	Any Y	$C_L = 15\text{ pF}$		7 <sup>(1)</sup>	9.6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	11 <sup>(1)</sup>	1	11	ns
$t_{PHL}$					7 <sup>(1)</sup>	9.6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	11 <sup>(1)</sup>	1	11	
$t_{PLH}$	A, B, C	Any Y	$C_L = 50\text{ pF}$		8.1	11.4	1	13	1	13	ns
$t_{PHL}$					8.1	11.4	1	13	1	13	
$t_{PLH}$	G1	Any Y	$C_L = 50\text{ pF}$		7.1	10.1	1	11.5	1	11.5	ns
$t_{PHL}$					7.1	10.1	1	11.5	1	11.5	
$t_{PLH}$	$\overline{G}2A, \overline{G}2B$	Any Y	$C_L = 50\text{ pF}$		7.5	10.6	1	12	1	12	ns
$t_{PHL}$					7.5	10.6	1	12	1	12	

- (1) On products compliant to MIL-PRF-38535, this parameter is not production tested.

## 4.7 Operating Characteristics

$V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS		TYP	UNIT
$C_{pd}$	Power dissipation capacitance	No load,	$f = 1\text{ MHz}$	14	pF

## 4.8 Typical Characteristics

$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  (unless otherwise noted)

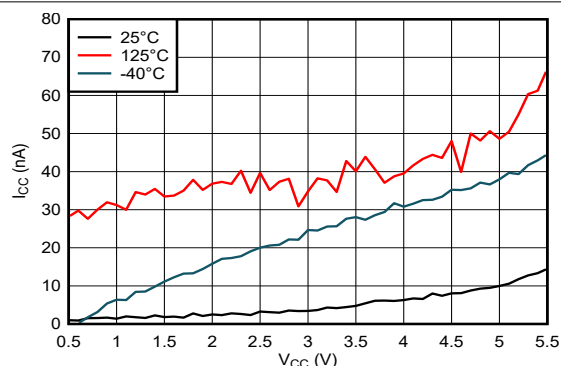


Figure 4-1. Supply Current Across Supply Voltage

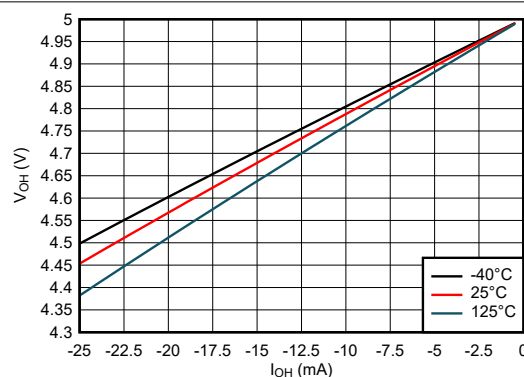


Figure 4-2. Output Voltage vs Current in HIGH State; 5V Supply

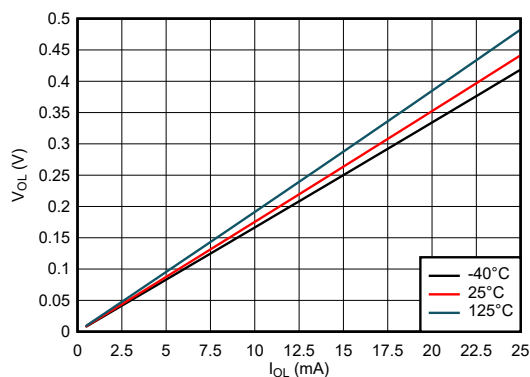
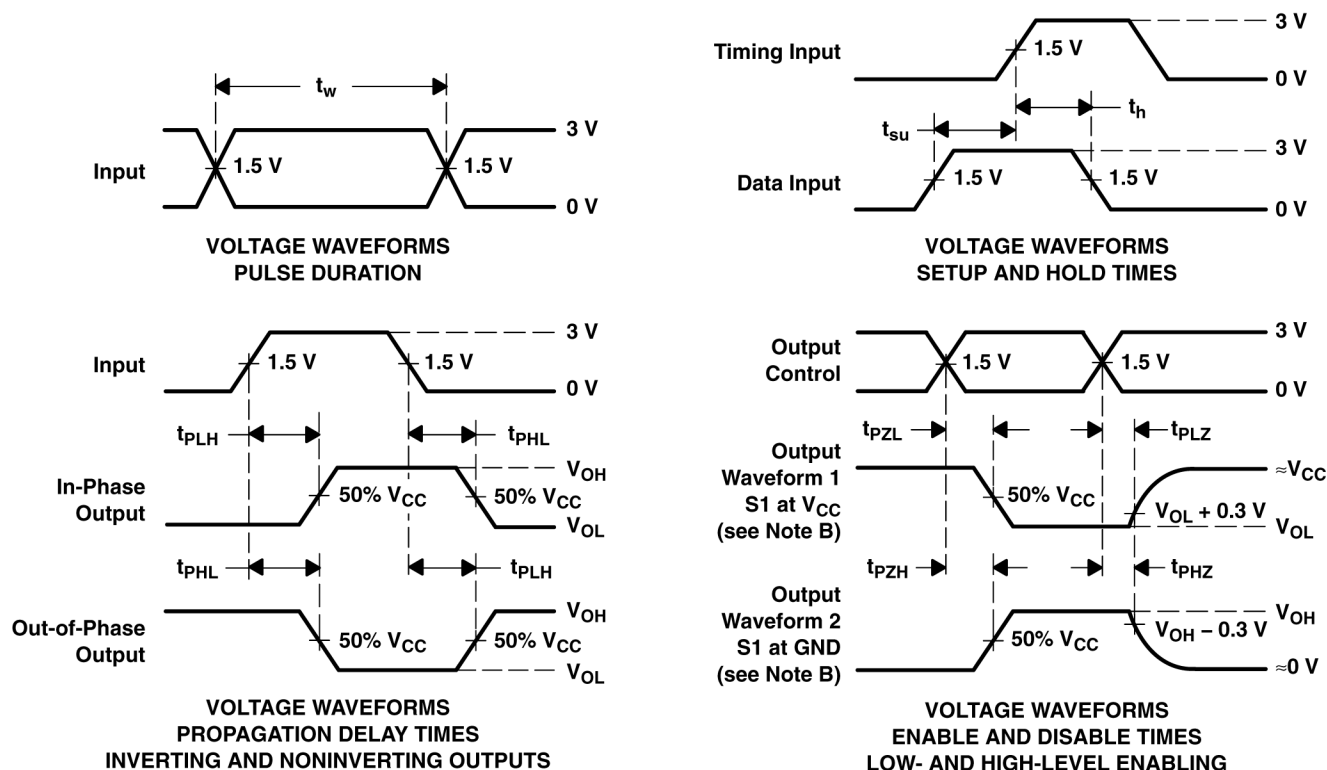
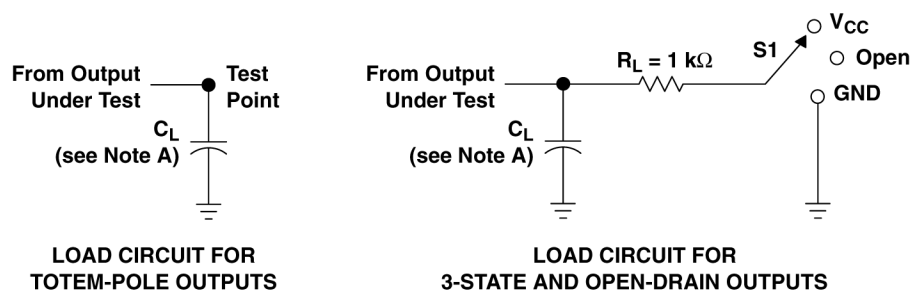


Figure 4-3. Output Voltage vs Current in LOW State; 5V Supply

## 5 Parameter Measurement Information



- A.  $C_L$  includes probe and jig capacitance.  
 B. Waveform 1 is for an output with internal conditions such that the output is low except when disabled by the output control. Waveform 2 is for an output with internal conditions such that the output is high except when disabled by the output control.  
 C. All input pulses are supplied by generators having the following characteristics:  $PRR \leq 1\text{ MHz}$ ,  $Z_O = 50\ \Omega$ ,  $t_r \leq 3\text{ ns}$ ,  $t_f \leq 3\text{ ns}$ .  
 D. The outputs are measured one at a time with one input transition per measurement.  
 E. All parameters and waveforms are not applicable to all devices.

**Figure 5-1. Load Circuit and Voltage Waveforms**

TEST	S1
$t_{PLH}/t_{PHL}$	Open
$t_{PLZ}/t_{PZL}$	$V_{CC}$
$t_{PHZ}/t_{PZH}$	GND
Open Drain	$V_{CC}$



## 6 Detailed Description

### 6.1 Overview

When employed with high-speed memories utilizing a fast enable circuit, the delay times of this decoder and the enable time of the memory usually are less than the typical access time of the memory. This means that the effective system delay introduced by the decoder is negligible.

The conditions at the binary-select inputs and the three enable inputs select one of eight output lines. Two active-low and one active-high enable inputs reduce the need for external gates or inverters when expanding. A 24-line decoder can be implemented without external inverters, and a 32-line decoder requires only one inverter. An enable input can be used as a data input for demultiplexing applications.

### 6.2 Functional Block Diagram

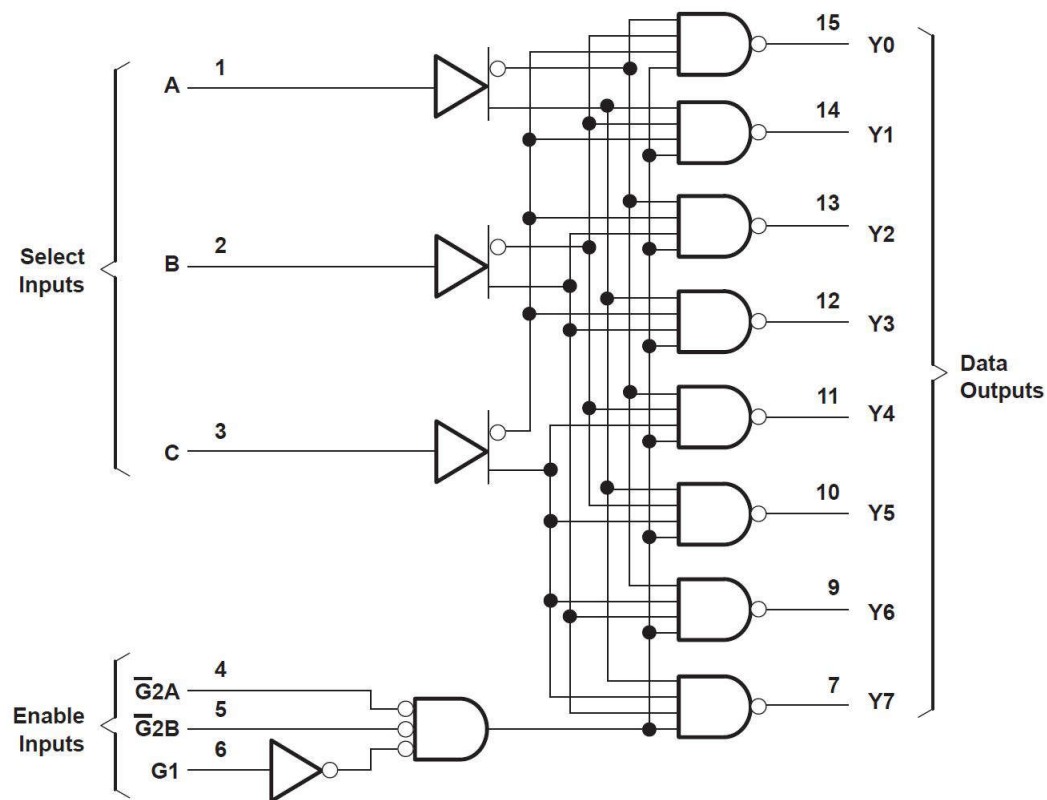


Figure 6-1. Logic Diagram (Positive Logic)

### 6.3 Device Functional Modes

Table 6-1. Function Table

ENABLE INPUTS			SELECT INPUTS			OUTPUTS							
G1	$\overline{G2A}$	$\overline{G2B}$	C	B	A	Y0	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	Y7
X	H	X	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
X	X	H	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
L	X	X	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
H	L	L	L	L	L	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
H	L	L	L	L	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H
H	L	L	L	H	L	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H
H	L	L	L	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H

Table 6-1. Function Table (continued)

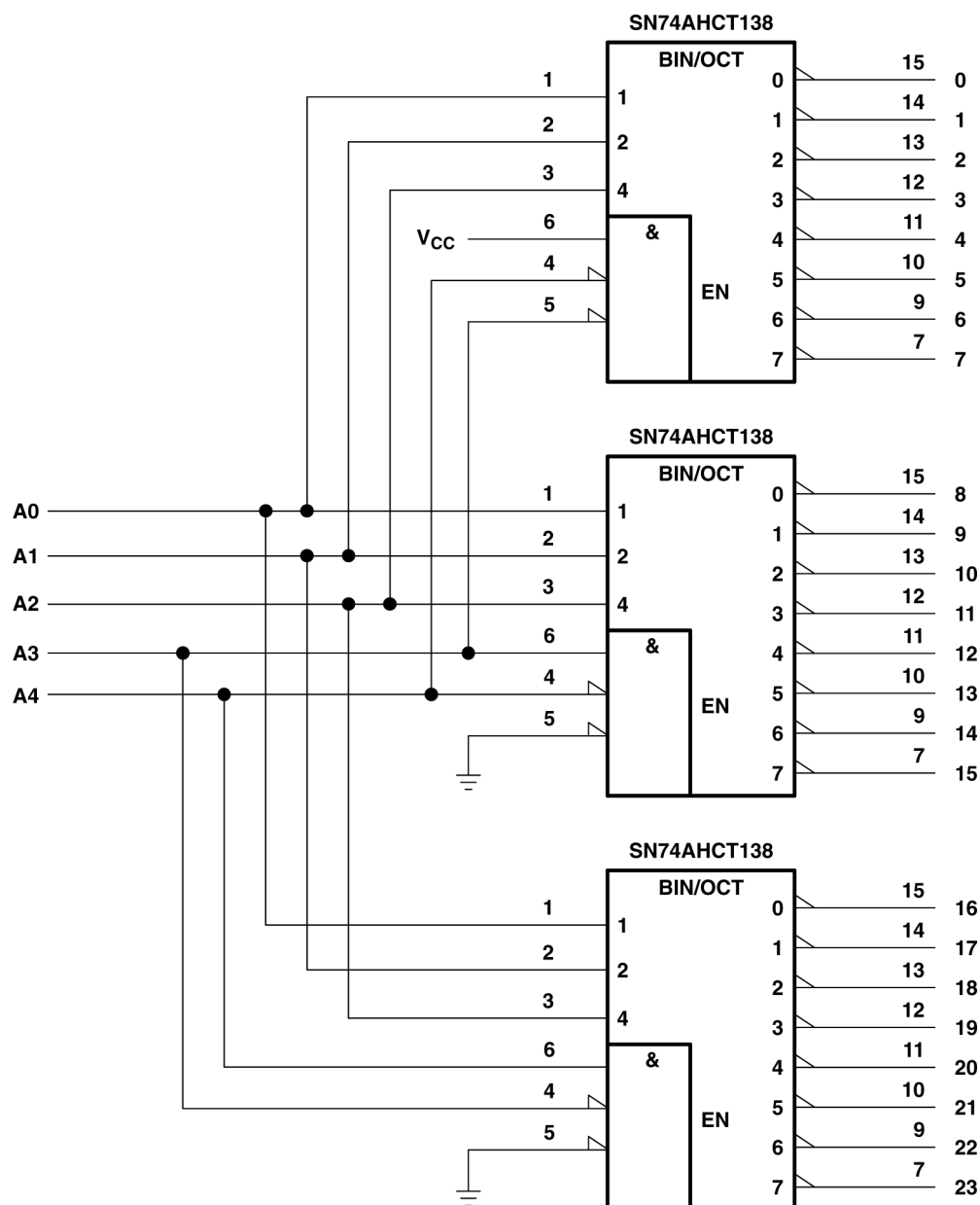
ENABLE INPUTS			SELECT INPUTS			OUTPUTS							
G1	G2A	G2B	C	B	A	Y0	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	Y7
H	L	L	H	L	L	H	H	H	H	L	H	H	H
H	L	L	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H	H
H	L	L	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H
H	L	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L

## 7 Application and Implementation

### Note

Information in the following applications sections is not part of the TI component specification, and TI does not warrant its accuracy or completeness. TI's customers are responsible for determining suitability of components for their purposes, as well as validating and testing their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

### 7.1 Application Information



**Figure 7-1. 24-Bit Decoding Scheme**

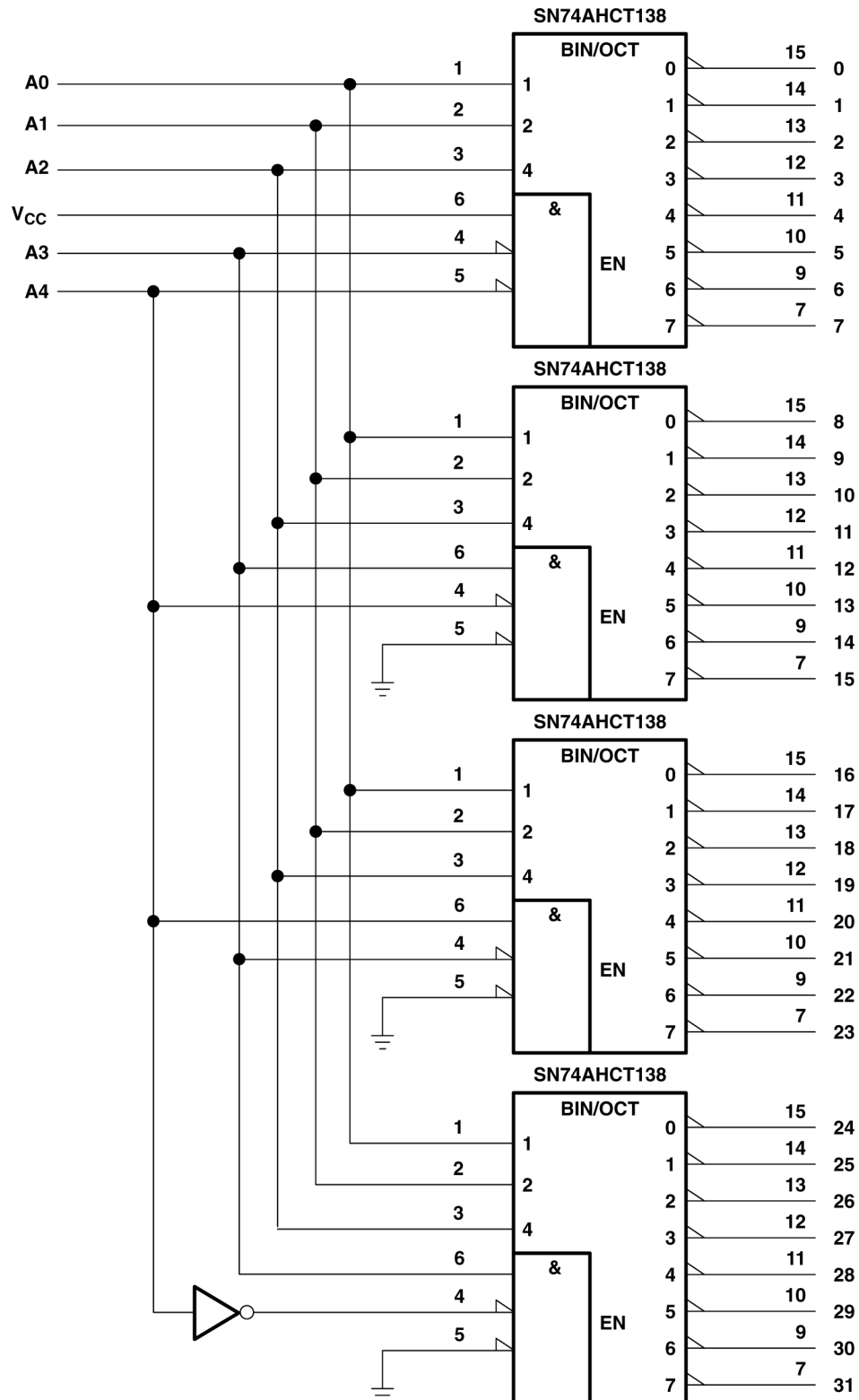


Figure 7-2. 32-Bit Decoding Scheme

## 7.2 Power Supply Recommendations

The power supply can be any voltage between the minimum and maximum supply voltage rating located in the *Recommended Operating Conditions*. Each  $V_{CC}$  terminal should have a good bypass capacitor to prevent power disturbance. A 0.1  $\mu$ F capacitor is recommended for this device. It is acceptable to parallel multiple bypass capacitors to reject different frequencies of noise. The 0.1  $\mu$ F and 1  $\mu$ F capacitors are commonly used in parallel. The bypass capacitor should be installed as close to the power terminal as possible for best results.

## 7.3 Layout

### 7.3.1 Layout Guidelines

When using multiple-input and multiple-channel logic devices, inputs must never be left floating. In many cases, functions or parts of functions of digital logic devices are unused; for example, when only two inputs of a triple-input AND gate are used or only 3 of the 4 buffer gates are used. Such unused input pins must not be left unconnected because the undefined voltages at the outside connections result in undefined operational states. All unused inputs of digital logic devices must be connected to a logic high or logic low voltage, as defined by the input voltage specifications, to prevent them from floating. The logic level that must be applied to any particular unused input depends on the function of the device. Generally, the inputs are tied to GND or  $V_{CC}$ , whichever makes more sense for the logic function or is more convenient.

## 8 Device and Documentation Support

### 8.1 Documentation Support

#### 8.1.1 Related Links

The table below lists quick access links. Categories include technical documents, support and community resources, tools and software, and quick access to sample or buy.

**Table 8-1. Related Links**

PARTS	PRODUCT FOLDER	SAMPLE & BUY	TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS	TOOLS & SOFTWARE	SUPPORT & COMMUNITY
SN54AHCT138	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>
SN74AHCT138	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>	<a href="#">Click here</a>

### 8.2 Receiving Notification of Documentation Updates

To receive notification of documentation updates, navigate to the device product folder on [ti.com](http://ti.com). Click on *Notifications* to register and receive a weekly digest of any product information that has changed. For change details, review the revision history included in any revised document.

### 8.3 Support Resources

[TI E2E™ support forums](#) are an engineer's go-to source for fast, verified answers and design help — straight from the experts. Search existing answers or ask your own question to get the quick design help you need.

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### 8.5 Electrostatic Discharge Caution



This integrated circuit can be damaged by ESD. Texas Instruments recommends that all integrated circuits be handled with appropriate precautions. Failure to observe proper handling and installation procedures can cause damage.

ESD damage can range from subtle performance degradation to complete device failure. Precision integrated circuits may be more susceptible to damage because very small parametric changes could cause the device not to meet its published specifications.

### 8.6 Glossary

[TI Glossary](#)

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

## 9 Revision History

Changes from Revision N (April 2024) to Revision O (July 2024)	Page
• Updated RθJA value: D = 73 to 93.8, all values in °C/W .....	6

Changes from Revision M (July 2003) to Revision N (April 2024)	Page
• Added <i>Device Information</i> table, <i>Pin Functions</i> table, <i>ESD Ratings</i> table, <i>Thermal Information</i> table, <i>Device Functional Modes</i> , <i>Application and Implementation</i> section, <i>Device and Documentation Support</i> section, and <i>Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information</i> section .....	1
• Deleted references to machine model.....	1
• Updated RθJA value: PW = 108 to 135.9, all values in °C/W .....	6

## 10 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

The following pages include mechanical, packaging, and orderable information. This information is the most current data available for the designated devices. This data is subject to change without notice and revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, refer to the left-hand navigation.

**PACKAGING INFORMATION**

Orderable part number	Status (1)	Material type (2)	Package   Pins	Package qty   Carrier	RoHS (3)	Lead finish/ Ball material (4)	MSL rating/ Peak reflow (5)	Op temp (°C)	Part marking (6)
<a href="#">5962-9851701Q2A</a>	Active	Production	LCCC (FK)   20	55   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962- 9851701Q2A SNJ54AHCT 138FK
<a href="#">5962-9851701QEA</a>	Active	Production	CDIP (J)   16	25   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-9851701QE A SNJ54AHCT138J
<a href="#">5962-9851701QFA</a>	Active	Production	CFP (W)   16	25   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-9851701QF A SNJ54AHCT138W
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138D</a>	Obsolete	Production	SOIC (D)   16	-	-	Call TI	Call TI	-40 to 85	AHCT138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138DBR</a>	Active	Production	SSOP (DB)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	HB138
SN74AHCT138DBR.A	Active	Production	SSOP (DB)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	HB138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138DGVR</a>	Active	Production	TVSOP (DGV)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	HB138
SN74AHCT138DGVR.A	Active	Production	TVSOP (DGV)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	HB138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138DR</a>	Active	Production	SOIC (D)   16	2500   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	AHCT138
SN74AHCT138DR.A	Active	Production	SOIC (D)   16	2500   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	AHCT138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138N</a>	Active	Production	PDIP (N)   16	25   TUBE	Yes	NIPDAU	N/A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	SN74AHCT138N
SN74AHCT138N.A	Active	Production	PDIP (N)   16	25   TUBE	Yes	NIPDAU	N/A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	SN74AHCT138N
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138NSR</a>	Active	Production	SOP (NS)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	AHCT138
SN74AHCT138NSR.A	Active	Production	SOP (NS)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	AHCT138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138PW</a>	Obsolete	Production	TSSOP (PW)   16	-	-	Call TI	Call TI	-40 to 85	HB138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138PWR</a>	Active	Production	TSSOP (PW)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU   SN	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	HB138
SN74AHCT138PWR.A	Active	Production	TSSOP (PW)   16	2000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	HB138
<a href="#">SN74AHCT138RGYR</a>	Active	Production	VQFN (RGY)   16	3000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	HB138
SN74AHCT138RGYR.A	Active	Production	VQFN (RGY)   16	3000   LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	HB138
<a href="#">SNJ54AHCT138FK</a>	Active	Production	LCCC (FK)   20	55   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962- 9851701Q2A SNJ54AHCT 138FK



Orderable part number	Status (1)	Material type (2)	Package   Pins	Package qty   Carrier	RoHS (3)	Lead finish/ Ball material (4)	MSL rating/ Peak reflow (5)	Op temp (°C)	Part marking (6)
SNJ54AHCT138FK.A	Active	Production	LCCC (FK)   20	55   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962- 9851701Q2A SNJ54AHCT 138FK
<a href="#">SNJ54AHCT138J</a>	Active	Production	CDIP (J)   16	25   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-9851701QE A SNJ54AHCT138J
SNJ54AHCT138J.A	Active	Production	CDIP (J)   16	25   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-9851701QE A SNJ54AHCT138J
<a href="#">SNJ54AHCT138W</a>	Active	Production	CFP (W)   16	25   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-9851701QF A SNJ54AHCT138W
SNJ54AHCT138W.A	Active	Production	CFP (W)   16	25   TUBE	No	SNPB	N/A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-9851701QF A SNJ54AHCT138W

<sup>(1)</sup> **Status:** For more details on status, see our [product life cycle](#).

<sup>(2)</sup> **Material type:** When designated, preproduction parts are prototypes/experimental devices, and are not yet approved or released for full production. Testing and final process, including without limitation quality assurance, reliability performance testing, and/or process qualification, may not yet be complete, and this item is subject to further changes or possible discontinuation. If available for ordering, purchases will be subject to an additional waiver at checkout, and are intended for early internal evaluation purposes only. These items are sold without warranties of any kind.

<sup>(3)</sup> **RoHS values:** Yes, No, RoHS Exempt. See the [TI RoHS Statement](#) for additional information and value definition.

<sup>(4)</sup> **Lead finish/Ball material:** Parts may have multiple material finish options. Finish options are separated by a vertical ruled line. Lead finish/Ball material values may wrap to two lines if the finish value exceeds the maximum column width.

<sup>(5)</sup> **MSL rating/Peak reflow:** The moisture sensitivity level ratings and peak solder (reflow) temperatures. In the event that a part has multiple moisture sensitivity ratings, only the lowest level per JEDEC standards is shown. Refer to the shipping label for the actual reflow temperature that will be used to mount the part to the printed circuit board.

<sup>(6)</sup> **Part marking:** There may be an additional marking, which relates to the logo, the lot trace code information, or the environmental category of the part.

Multiple part markings will be inside parentheses. Only one part marking contained in parentheses and separated by a "~" will appear on a part. If a line is indented then it is a continuation of the previous line and the two combined represent the entire part marking for that device.

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- Catalog : [SN74AHCT138](#)
- Enhanced Product : [SN74AHCT138-EP](#), [SN74AHCT138-EP](#)
- Military : [SN54AHCT138](#)

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- Catalog - TI's standard catalog product
- Enhanced Product - Supports Defense, Aerospace and Medical Applications
- Military - QML certified for Military and Defense Applications

## TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION



\*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
SN74AHCT138DBR	SSOP	DB	16	2000	330.0	16.4	8.35	6.6	2.4	12.0	16.0	Q1
SN74AHCT138DGVR	TVSOP	DGV	16	2000	330.0	12.4	6.8	4.0	1.6	8.0	12.0	Q1
SN74AHCT138DR	SOIC	D	16	2500	330.0	12.4	3.75	3.75	1.15	8.0	12.0	Q1
SN74AHCT138DR	SOIC	D	16	2500	330.0	16.4	6.5	10.3	2.1	8.0	16.0	Q1
SN74AHCT138NSR	SOP	NS	16	2000	330.0	16.4	8.1	10.4	2.5	12.0	16.0	Q1
SN74AHCT138PWR	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	330.0	12.4	6.9	5.6	1.6	8.0	12.0	Q1
SN74AHCT138RGYR	VQFN	RGY	16	3000	330.0	12.4	3.8	4.3	1.5	8.0	12.0	Q1

## TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS



\*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
SN74AHCT138DBR	SSOP	DB	16	2000	353.0	353.0	32.0
SN74AHCT138DGVR	TVSOP	DGV	16	2000	353.0	353.0	32.0
SN74AHCT138DR	SOIC	D	16	2500	340.5	336.1	32.0
SN74AHCT138DR	SOIC	D	16	2500	353.0	353.0	32.0
SN74AHCT138NSR	SOP	NS	16	2000	353.0	353.0	32.0
SN74AHCT138PWR	TSSOP	PW	16	2000	353.0	353.0	32.0
SN74AHCT138RGYR	VQFN	RGY	16	3000	353.0	353.0	32.0

## TUBE



\*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Name	Package Type	Pins	SPQ	L (mm)	W (mm)	T (μm)	B (mm)
5962-9851701Q2A	FK	LCCC	20	55	506.98	12.06	2030	NA
5962-9851701QFA	W	CFP	16	25	506.98	26.16	6220	NA
SN74AHCT138N	N	PDIP	16	25	506	13.97	11230	4.32
SN74AHCT138N	N	PDIP	16	25	506	13.97	11230	4.32
SN74AHCT138N.A	N	PDIP	16	25	506	13.97	11230	4.32
SN74AHCT138N.A	N	PDIP	16	25	506	13.97	11230	4.32
SNJ54AHCT138FK	FK	LCCC	20	55	506.98	12.06	2030	NA
SNJ54AHCT138FK.A	FK	LCCC	20	55	506.98	12.06	2030	NA
SNJ54AHCT138W	W	CFP	16	25	506.98	26.16	6220	NA
SNJ54AHCT138W.A	W	CFP	16	25	506.98	26.16	6220	NA



NS0016A

# PACKAGE OUTLINE

SOP - 2.00 mm max height

SOP



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## NOTES:

1. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. This dimension does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs. Mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs shall not exceed 0.15 mm, per side.
4. This dimension does not include interlead flash. Interlead flash shall not exceed 0.25 mm, per side.

# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

NS0016A

SOP - 2.00 mm max height

SOP



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NOTES: (continued)

5. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.

6. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.

# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

NS0016A

SOP - 2.00 mm max height

SOP



SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE  
BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL  
SCALE:7X

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NOTES: (continued)

7. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
8. Board assembly site may have different recommendations for stencil design.



D (R-PDSO-G16)

PLASTIC SMALL OUTLINE



## NOTES:

- A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).
- B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- $\triangle C$  Body length does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs. Mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs shall not exceed 0.006 (0,15) each side.
- $\triangle D$  Body width does not include interlead flash. Interlead flash shall not exceed 0.017 (0,43) each side.
- E. Reference JEDEC MS-012 variation AC.

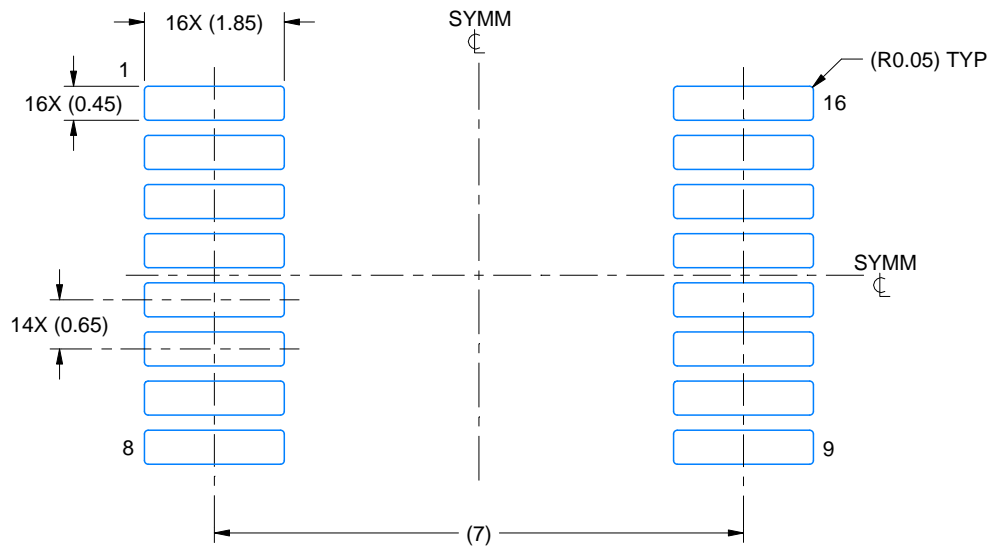


# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

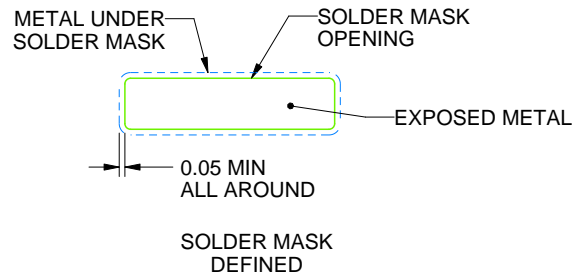
DB0016A

SSOP - 2 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
SCALE: 10X



SOLDER MASK DETAILS

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NOTES: (continued)

5. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.

6. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.

# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

DB0016A

SSOP - 2 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE  
BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL  
SCALE: 10X

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NOTES: (continued)

7. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
8. Board assembly site may have different recommendations for stencil design.

## DGV (R-PDSO-G\*\*)

## PLASTIC SMALL-OUTLINE

24 PINS SHOWN



- NOTES: A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters.  
 B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.  
 C. Body dimensions do not include mold flash or protrusion, not to exceed 0,15 per side.  
 D. Falls within JEDEC: 24/48 Pins – MO-153  
 14/16/20/56 Pins – MO-194

W (R-GDFP-F16)

CERAMIC DUAL FLATPACK



- NOTES:
- All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).
  - This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - This package can be hermetically sealed with a ceramic lid using glass frit.
  - Index point is provided on cap for terminal identification only.
  - Falls within MIL STD 1835 GDFP2-F16

## GENERIC PACKAGE VIEW

**FK 20**

**LCCC - 2.03 mm max height**

8.89 x 8.89, 1.27 mm pitch

LEADLESS CERAMIC CHIP CARRIER

This image is a representation of the package family, actual package may vary.  
Refer to the product data sheet for package details.



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J (R-GDIP-T\*\*)

14 LEADS SHOWN

# CERAMIC DUAL IN-LINE PACKAGE



PINS ** DIM	14	16	18	20
A	0.300 (7,62) BSC	0.300 (7,62) BSC	0.300 (7,62) BSC	0.300 (7,62) BSC
B MAX	0.785 (19,94)	.840 (21,34)	0.960 (24,38)	1.060 (26,92)
B MIN	—	—	—	—
C MAX	0.300 (7,62)	0.300 (7,62)	0.310 (7,87)	0.300 (7,62)
C MIN	0.245 (6,22)	0.245 (6,22)	0.220 (5,59)	0.245 (6,22)



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- NOTES:
- A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).
  - B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - C. This package is hermetically sealed with a ceramic lid using glass frit.
  - D. Index point is provided on cap for terminal identification only on press ceramic glass frit seal only.
  - E. Falls within MIL STD 1835 GDIP1-T14, GDIP1-T16, GDIP1-T18 and GDIP1-T20.





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## NOTES:

1. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Any dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. This dimension does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs. Mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs shall not exceed 0.15 mm per side.
4. This dimension does not include interlead flash. Interlead flash shall not exceed 0.25 mm per side.
5. Reference JEDEC registration MO-153.

# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

PW0016A

TSSOP - 1.2 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
SCALE: 10X



SOLDER MASK DETAILS

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NOTES: (continued)

6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.

7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.

## EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

PW0016A

TSSOP - 1.2 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE PACKAGE



SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE  
BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL  
SCALE: 10X

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NOTES: (continued)

8. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
9. Board assembly site may have different recommendations for stencil design.

## N (R-PDIP-T\*\*)

16 PINS SHOWN

## PLASTIC DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE



PINS **	14	16	18	20
DIM				
A MAX	0.775 (19,69)	0.775 (19,69)	0.920 (23,37)	1.060 (26,92)
A MIN	0.745 (18,92)	0.745 (18,92)	0.850 (21,59)	0.940 (23,88)
MS-001 VARIATION	AA	BB	AC	AD



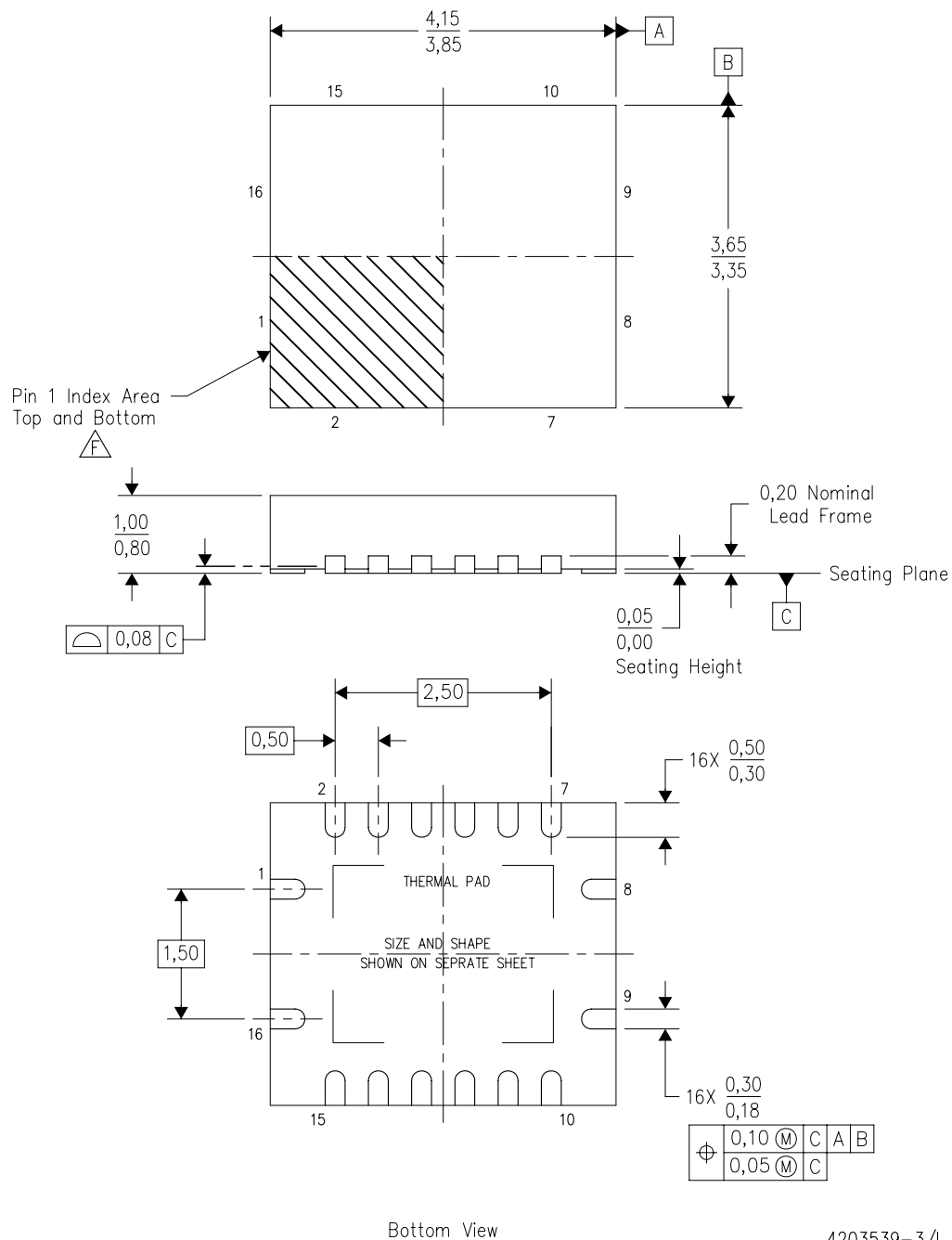
14/18 Pin Only  
20 Pin vendor option

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- NOTES:
- A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).
  - B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - Falls within JEDEC MS-001, except 18 and 20 pin minimum body length (Dim A).
  - The 20 pin end lead shoulder width is a vendor option, either half or full width.

RGY (R-PVQFN-N16)

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK NO-LEAD



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- NOTES:
- All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M-1994.
  - This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - QFN (Quad Flatpack No-Lead) package configuration.
  - The package thermal pad must be soldered to the board for thermal and mechanical performance.
  - See the additional figure in the Product Data Sheet for details regarding the exposed thermal pad features and dimensions.
- F** Pin 1 identifiers are located on both top and bottom of the package and within the zone indicated. The Pin 1 identifiers are either a molded, marked, or metal feature.
- Package complies to JEDEC MO-241 variation BA.

RGY (R-PVQFN-N16)

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK NO-LEAD

## THERMAL INFORMATION

This package incorporates an exposed thermal pad that is designed to be attached directly to an external heatsink. The thermal pad must be soldered directly to the printed circuit board (PCB). After soldering, the PCB can be used as a heatsink. In addition, through the use of thermal vias, the thermal pad can be attached directly to the appropriate copper plane shown in the electrical schematic for the device, or alternatively, can be attached to a special heatsink structure designed into the PCB. This design optimizes the heat transfer from the integrated circuit (IC).

For information on the Quad Flatpack No-Lead (QFN) package and its advantages, refer to Application Report, QFN/SON PCB Attachment, Texas Instruments Literature No. SLUA271. This document is available at [www.ti.com](http://www.ti.com).

The exposed thermal pad dimensions for this package are shown in the following illustration.



Bottom View

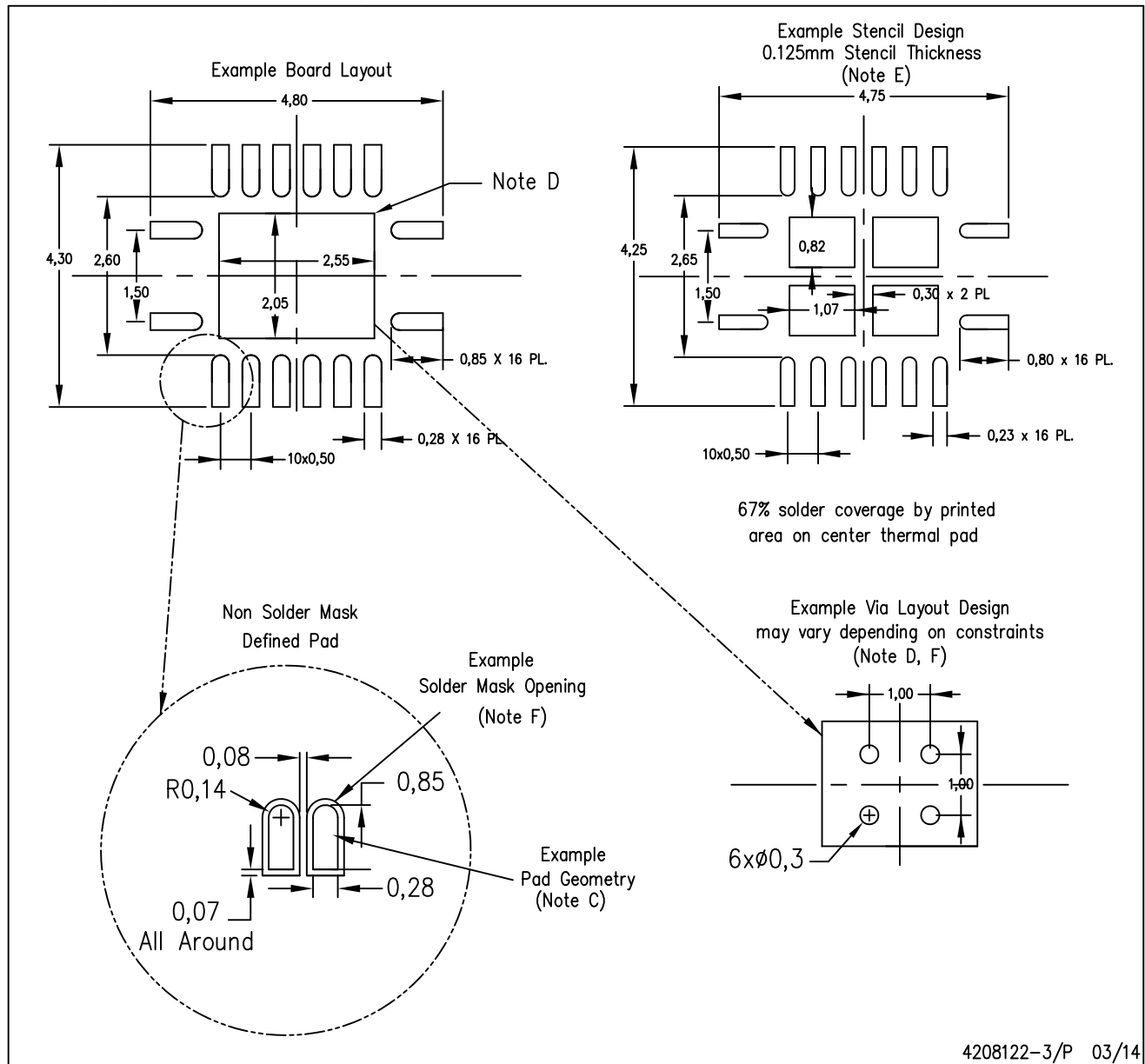
Exposed Thermal Pad Dimensions

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NOTE: All linear dimensions are in millimeters

RGY (R-PVQFN-N16)

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK NO-LEAD



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- NOTES:
- All linear dimensions are in millimeters.
  - This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - Publication IPC-7351 is recommended for alternate designs.
  - This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. Refer to Application Note, Quad Flat-Pack QFN/SON PCB Attachment, Texas Instruments Literature No. SLUA271, and also the Product Data Sheets for specific thermal information, via requirements, and recommended board layout. These documents are available at [www.ti.com](http://www.ti.com) <<http://www.ti.com>>.
  - Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and also rounding corners will offer better paste release. Customers should contact their board assembly site for stencil design recommendations. Refer to IPC 7525 for stencil design considerations.
  - Customers should contact their board fabrication site for minimum solder mask web tolerances between signal pads.

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