

74ALVC244

Octal buffer/line driver; 3-state

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Product data sheet

1. General description

The 74ALVC244 is an 8-bit buffer/line driver with 3-state outputs. The device can be used as two 4-bit buffers or one 8-bit buffer. The device features two output enables (1OE and 2OE), each controlling four of the 3-state outputs. A HIGH on nOE causes the outputs to assume a high-impedance OFF-state.

Schmitt trigger action on all inputs makes the device tolerant of slow 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

- Wide supply voltage range from 1.65 V to 3.6 V
- CMOS low power dissipation
- Overvoltage tolerant inputs to 3.6 V
- Direct interface with TTL levels
- I_{OFF} circuitry provides partial Power-down mode operation
- Latch-up performance exceeds 250 mA per JESD78 Class II.A
- Complies with JEDEC standards:
 - JESD8-7 (1.65 V to 1.95 V)
 - JESD8-5 (2.3 V to 2.7 V)
 - JESD8C/JESD36 (2.7 V to 3.6 V)
- 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 from -40 °C to +125 °C

3. Ordering information

Table 1. Ordering information

Type number	Package			
	Temperature range	Name	Description	Version
74ALVC244D	-40 °C to +125 °C	SO20	plastic small outline package; 20 leads; body width 7.5 mm	SOT163-1
74ALVC244PW	-40 °C to +125 °C	TSSOP20	plastic thin shrink small outline package; 20 leads; body width 4.4 mm	SOT360-1
74ALVC244BQ	-40 °C to +125 °C	DHVQFN20	plastic dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads; 20 terminals; body 2.5 × 4.5 × 0.85 mm	SOT764-1

4. Functional diagram

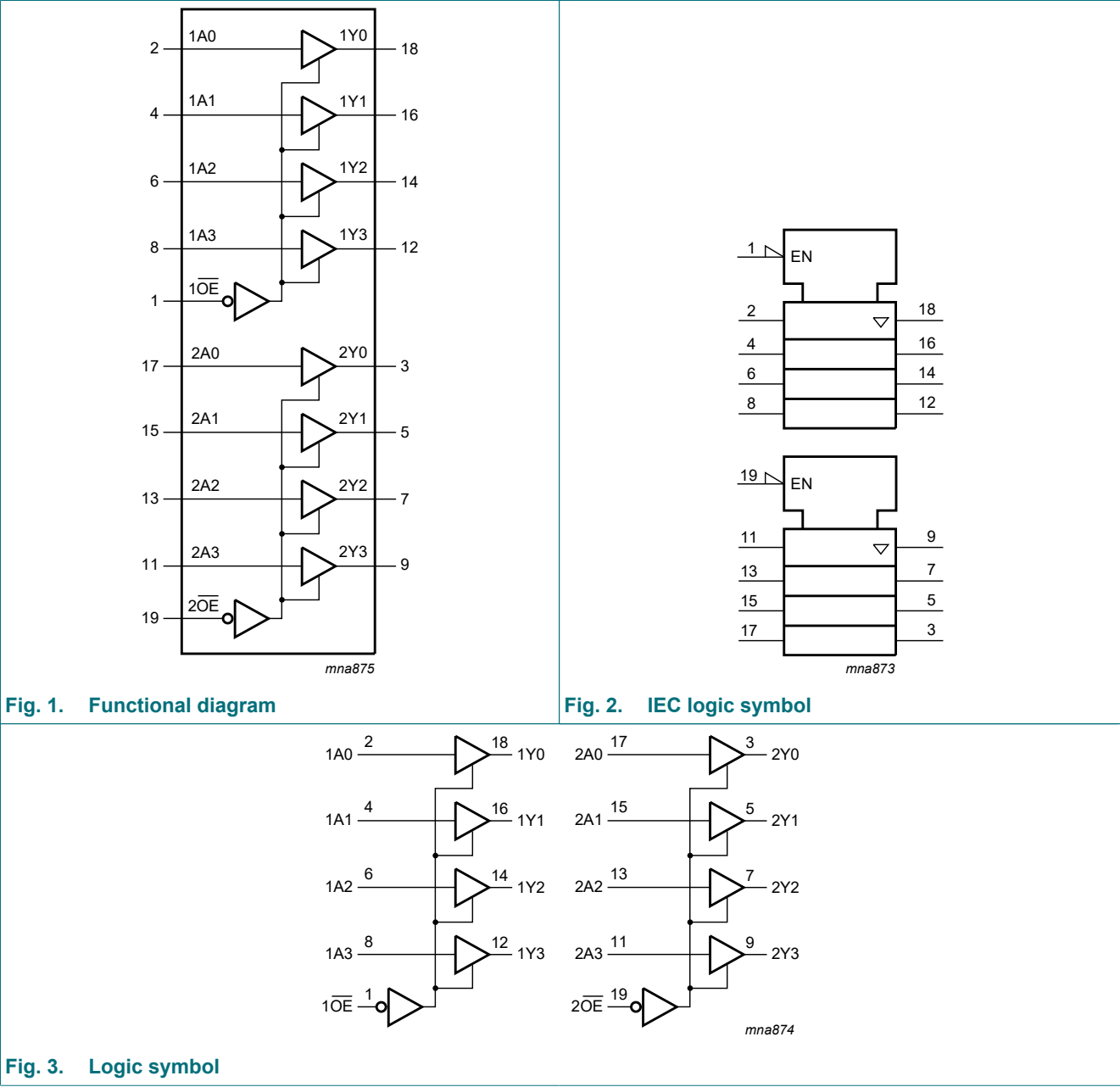


Fig. 1. Functional diagram

Fig. 2. IEC logic symbol

Fig. 3. Logic symbol

5. Pinning information

5.1. Pinning

D package
SOT163-1 (SO20)

aaa-035023

PW package
SOT360-1 (TSSOP20)

aaa-035024

BQ package
SOT764-1 (DHVQFN20)

aaa-035028

Transparent top view

(1) This is not a ground pin. There is no electrical or mechanical requirement to solder the pad. In case soldered, the solder land should remain floating or connected to GND.

5.2. Pin description

Table 2. Pin description

Symbol	Pin	Description
1OE, 2OE	1, 19	output enable input (active LOW)
1A0, 1A1, 1A2, 1A3	2, 4, 6, 8	data input
2Y0, 2Y1, 2Y2, 2Y3	3, 5, 7, 9	bus output
GND	10	ground (0 V)
2A0, 2A1, 2A2, 2A3	17, 15, 13, 11	data input
1Y0, 1Y1, 1Y2, 1Y3	18, 16, 14, 12	bus output
VCC	20	supply voltage

6. Functional description

Table 3. Function table

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

Input		Output
nOE	nAn	nYn
L	L	L
L	H	H
H	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_{CC}	supply voltage		-0.5	+4.6	V
V_I	input voltage	[1]	-0.5	+4.6	V
V_O	output voltage	output HIGH or LOW state [1]	-0.5	$V_{CC} + 0.5$	V
		output 3-state	-0.5	+4.6	V
		power-down mode; $V_{CC} = 0$ V	-0.5	+4.6	V
I_{IK}	input clamping current	$V_I < 0$ V	-	-50	mA
I_{OK}	output clamping current	$V_O > V_{CC}$ or $V_O < 0$ V	-	±50	mA
I_O	output current	$V_O = 0$ V to V_{CC}	-	±50	mA
I_{CC}	supply current		-	100	mA
I_{GND}	ground current		-100	-	mA
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} = -40$ °C to +125 °C [2]	-	500	mW

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

[2] For SOT163-1 (SO20) package: P_{tot} derates linearly with 12.3 mW/K above 109 °C.

For SOT360-1 (TSSOP20) package: P_{tot} derates linearly with 10.0 mW/K above 100 °C.

For SOT764-1 (DHVQFN20) package: P_{tot} derates linearly with 12.9 mW/K above 111 °C.

8. Recommended operating conditions

Table 5. Recommended operating conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V_{CC}	supply voltage		1.65	3.6	V
V_I	input voltage		0	3.6	V
V_O	output voltage	output HIGH or LOW state	0	V_{CC}	V
		output 3-state	0	3.6	V
		power-down mode; $V_{CC} = 0$ V	0	3.6	V
T_{amb}	ambient temperature	in free air	-40	+125	°C
$\Delta t/\Delta V$	input transition rise and fall rate	$V_{CC} = 1.65$ V to 2.7 V	0	20	ns/V
		$V_{CC} = 2.7$ 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 °C			-40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Typ [1]	Max	Min	Max	
V _{IH}	HIGH-level input voltage	V _{CC} = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	0.65 × V _{CC}	-	-	0.65 × V _{CC}	-	V
		V _{CC} = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	1.7	-	-	1.7	-	V
		V _{CC} = 2.7 V to 3.6 V	2.0	-	-	2.0	-	V
V _{IL}	LOW-level input voltage	V _{CC} = 1.65 V to 1.95 V	-	-	0.35 × V _{CC}	-	0.35 × V _{CC}	V
		V _{CC} = 2.3 V to 2.7 V	-	-	0.7	-	0.7	V
		V _{CC} = 2.7 V to 3.6 V	-	-	0.8	-	0.8	V
V _{OH}	HIGH-level output voltage	V _I = V _{IH} or V _{IL}						
		I _O = -100 µA; V _{CC} = 1.65 V to 3.6 V	V _{CC} - 0.2	-	-	V _{CC} - 0.2	-	V
		I _O = -6 mA; V _{CC} = 1.65 V	1.25	-	-	1.25	-	V
		I _O = -12 mA; V _{CC} = 2.3 V	1.8	-	-	1.8	-	V
		I _O = -18 mA; V _{CC} = 2.3 V	1.7	-	-	1.7	-	V
		I _O = -12 mA; V _{CC} = 2.7 V	2.2	-	-	2.2	-	V
		I _O = -18 mA; V _{CC} = 3.0 V	2.4	-	-	2.4	-	V
		I _O = -24 mA; V _{CC} = 3.0 V	2.2	-	-	2.2	-	V
V _{OL}	LOW-level output voltage	V _I = V _{IH} or V _{IL}						
		I _O = 100 µA; V _{CC} = 1.65 V to 3.6 V	-	-	0.2	-	0.2	V
		I _O = 6 mA; V _{CC} = 1.65 V	-	-	0.3	-	0.3	V
		I _O = 12 mA; V _{CC} = 2.3 V	-	-	0.4	-	0.4	V
		I _O = 18 mA; V _{CC} = 2.3 V	-	-	0.6	-	0.6	V
		I _O = 12 mA; V _{CC} = 2.7 V	-	-	0.4	-	0.4	V
		I _O = 18 mA; V _{CC} = 3.0 V	-	-	0.4	-	0.45	V
		I _O = 24 mA; V _{CC} = 3.0 V	-	-	0.55	-	0.55	V
I _I	input leakage current	V _{CC} = 3.6 V; V _I = 3.6 V or GND	-	±0.1	±5	-	±20	µA
I _{OZ}	OFF-state output current	V _I = V _{IH} or V _{IL} ; V _{CC} = 1.65 V to 3.6 V; V _O = 3.6 V or GND	-	0.1	±10	-	±80	µA
I _{OFF}	power-off leakage current	V _{CC} = 0 V; V _I or V _O = 3.6 V	-	±0.1	±10	-	±80	µA
I _{CC}	supply current	V _{CC} = 3.6 V; V _I = V _{CC} or GND; I _O = 0 A	-	0.2	20	-	160	µA
ΔI _{CC}	additional supply current	per input pin; V _{CC} = 3.0 V to 3.6 V; V _I = V _{CC} - 0.6 V; I _O = 0 A	-	5	750	-	750	µA
C _I	input capacitance		-	3.5	-	-	-	pF

[1] All typical values are measured at 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_{pd}	propagation delay	nAn to nYn; see Fig. 4 [2]						
		$V_{CC} = 1.65 \text{ V to } 1.95 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.7	4.4	1.0	5.1	ns
		$V_{CC} = 2.3 \text{ V to } 2.7 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.0	3.1	1.0	3.6	ns
		$V_{CC} = 2.7 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.3	3.1	1.0	3.6	ns
		$V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.2	2.8	1.0	3.2	ns
t_{en}	enable time	nOE to nYn; see Fig. 5 [2]						
		$V_{CC} = 1.65 \text{ V to } 1.95 \text{ V}$	1.0	3.4	6.9	1.0	7.9	ns
		$V_{CC} = 2.3 \text{ V to } 2.7 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.6	5.4	1.0	6.2	ns
		$V_{CC} = 2.7 \text{ V}$	1.0	3.2	5.3	1.0	6.1	ns
		$V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.5	4.5	1.0	5.2	ns
t_{dis}	disable time	nOE to nYn; see Fig. 5 [2]						
		$V_{CC} = 1.65 \text{ V to } 1.95 \text{ V}$	1.0	3.8	5.9	1.0	6.8	ns
		$V_{CC} = 2.3 \text{ V to } 2.7 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.2	4.1	1.0	4.7	ns
		$V_{CC} = 2.7 \text{ V}$	1.0	3.0	4.4	1.0	5.1	ns
		$V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ V to } 3.6 \text{ V}$	1.0	2.9	4.2	1.0	4.8	ns
C_{PD}	power dissipation capacitance	per buffer; $V_I = \text{GND to } V_{CC}$; $V_{CC} = 3.3 \text{ V}$ [3]						
		outputs HIGH or LOW state	-	20	-	-	-	pF
		outputs 3-state	-	1	-	-	-	pF

[1] Typical values are measured at $T_{amb} = 25 \text{ °C}$ and $V_{CC} = 1.8 \text{ V, } 2.5 \text{ V, } 2.7 \text{ V}$ and 3.3 V

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

t_{en} is the same as t_{PZH} and t_{PZL} .

t_{dis} is the same as t_{PHZ} and t_{PLZ} .

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

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

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

10.1. Waveforms and test circuit

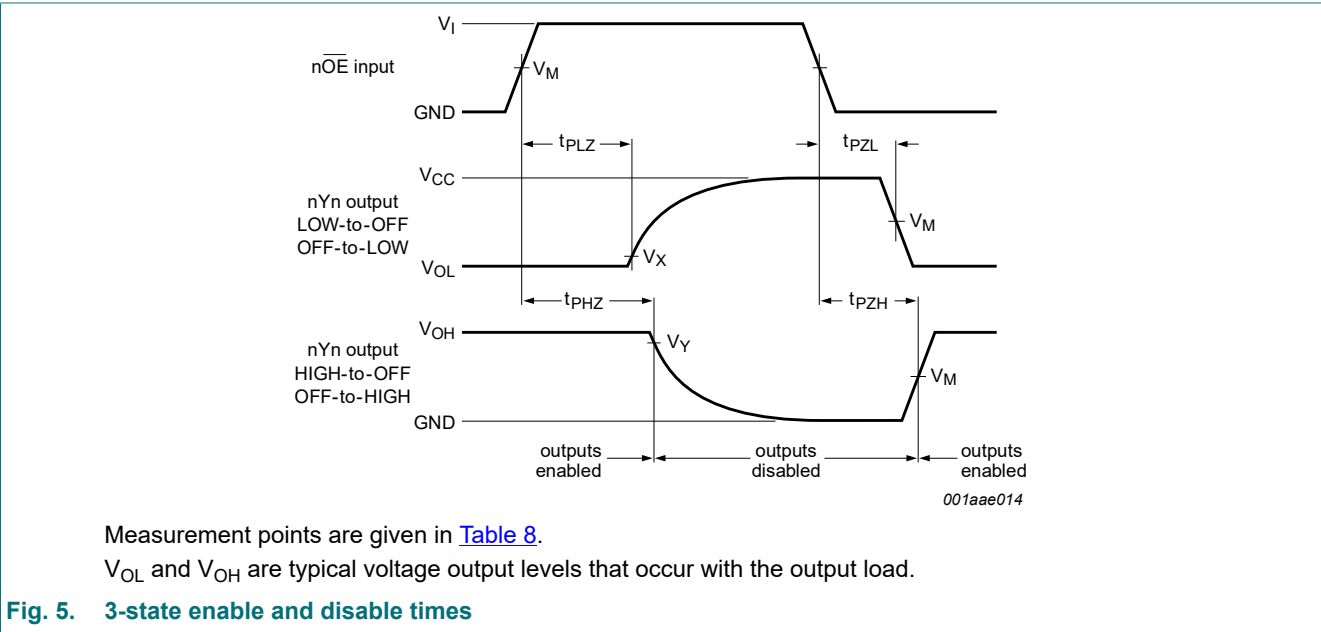
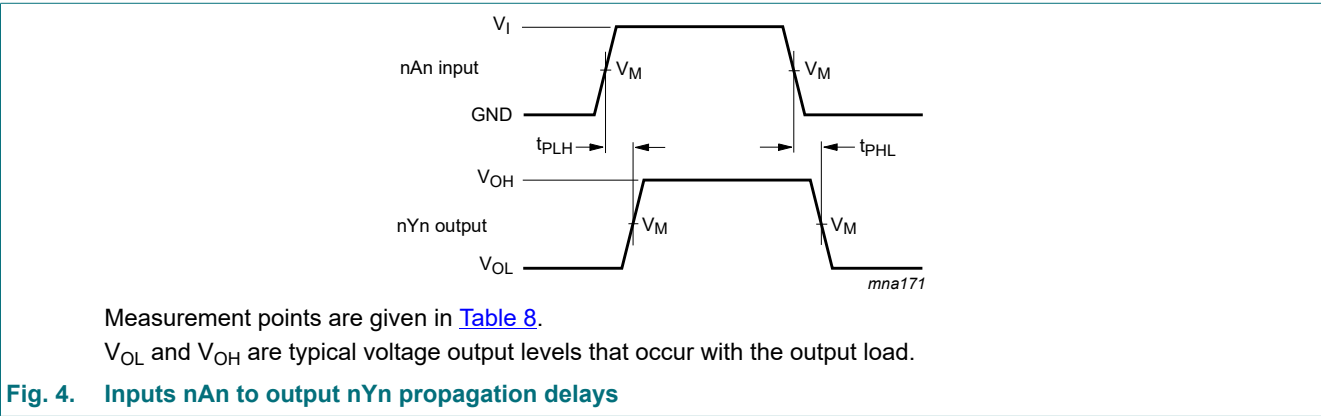
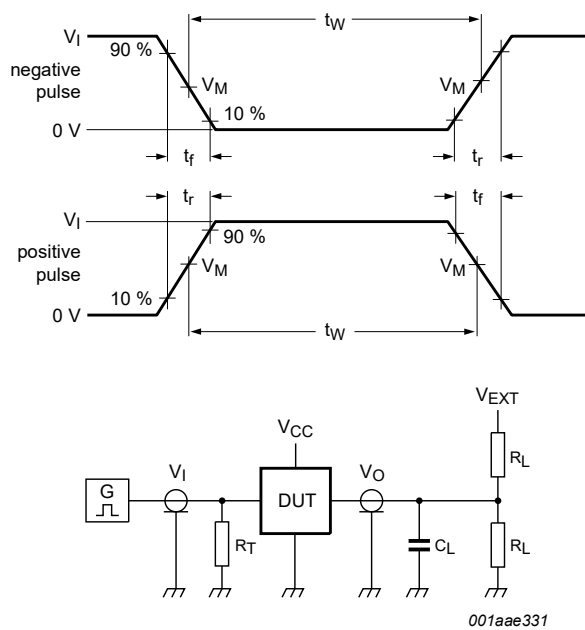


Table 8. Measurement points

Supply voltage	Input		Output		
V_{CC}	V_I	V_M	V_M	V_X	V_Y
1.65 V to 1.95 V	V_{CC}	$0.5 \times V_{CC}$	$0.5 \times V_{CC}$	$V_{OL} + 0.15 \text{ V}$	$V_{OH} - 0.15 \text{ V}$
2.3 V to 2.7 V	V_{CC}	$0.5 \times V_{CC}$	$0.5 \times V_{CC}$	$V_{OL} + 0.15 \text{ V}$	$V_{OH} - 0.15 \text{ V}$
2.7 V	2.7 V	1.5 V	1.5 V	$V_{OL} + 0.3 \text{ V}$	$V_{OH} - 0.3 \text{ V}$
3.0 V to 3.6 V	2.7 V	1.5 V	1.5 V	$V_{OL} + 0.3 \text{ V}$	$V_{OH} - 0.3 \text{ V}$



Test data is given in [Table 9](#).
Definitions for test circuit:
 R_L = Load resistance;
 C_L = Load capacitance including jig and probe capacitance;
 R_T = Termination resistance should be equal to output impedance Z_o of the pulse generator;
 V_{EXT} = External voltage for measuring switching times.

Fig. 6. Test circuit for measuring switching times

Table 9. Test data

Supply voltage	Input		Load		V_{EXT}		
V_{CC}	V_I	t_r, t_f	C_L	R_L	t_{PLH}, t_{PHL}	t_{PLZ}, t_{PZL}	t_{PHZ}, t_{PZH}
1.65 V to 1.95 V	V_{CC}	≤ 2.0 ns	30 pF	1 k Ω	open	$2 \times V_{CC}$	GND
2.3 V to 2.7 V	V_{CC}	≤ 2.0 ns	30 pF	500 Ω	open	$2 \times V_{CC}$	GND
2.7 V	2.7 V	≤ 2.5 ns	50 pF	500 Ω	open	6 V	GND
3.0 V to 3.6 V	2.7 V	≤ 2.5 ns	50 pF	500 Ω	open	6 V	GND

11. Package outline

SO20: plastic small outline package; 20 leads; body width 7.5 mm

SOT163-1

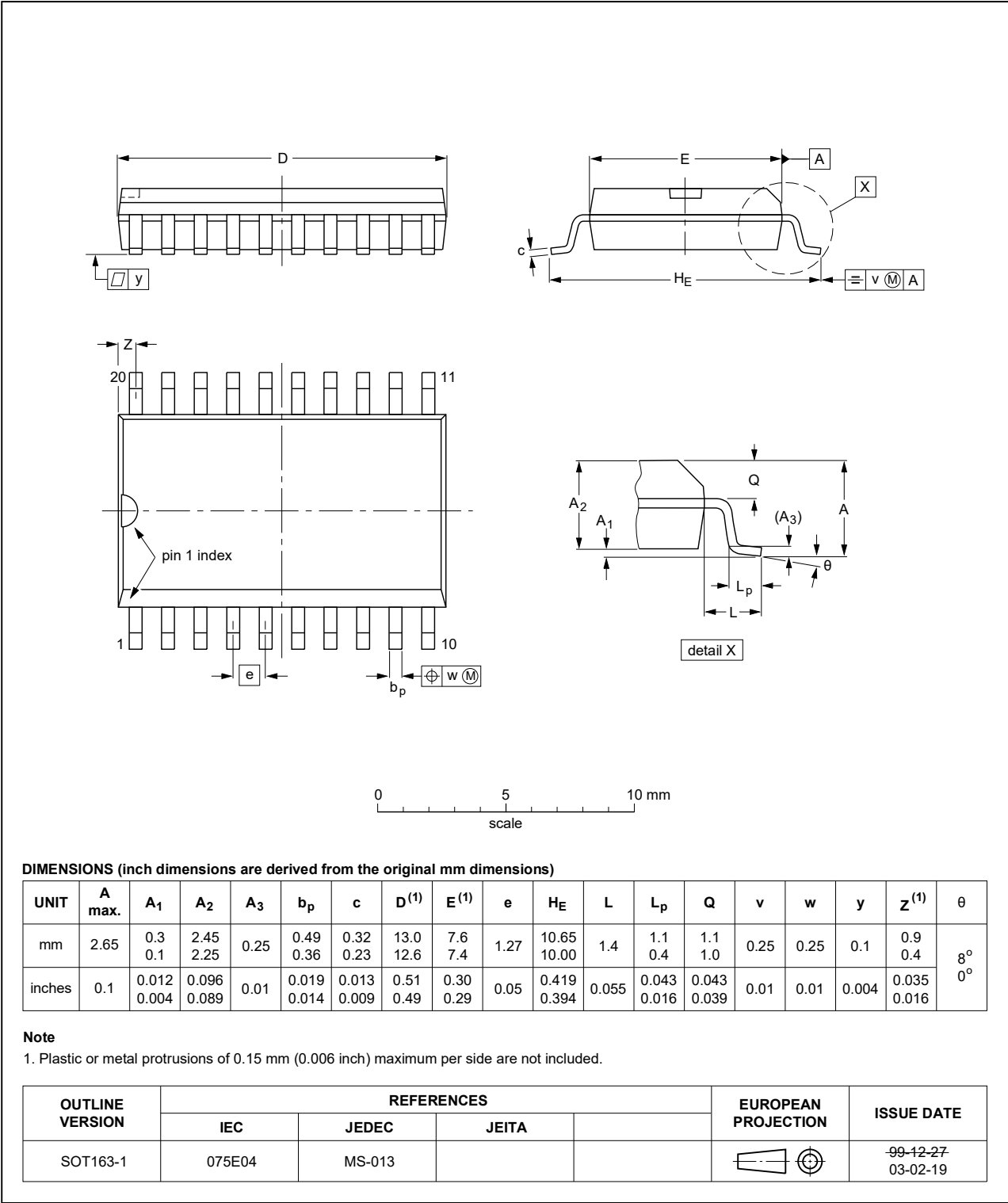


Fig. 7. Package outline SOT163-1 (SO20)

TSSOP20: plastic thin shrink small outline package; 20 leads; body width 4.4 mm

SOT360-1



Fig. 8. Package outline SOT360-1 (TSSOP20)

DHVQFN20: plastic dual in-line compatible thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads;
20 terminals; body 2.5 x 4.5 x 0.85 mm

SOT764-1

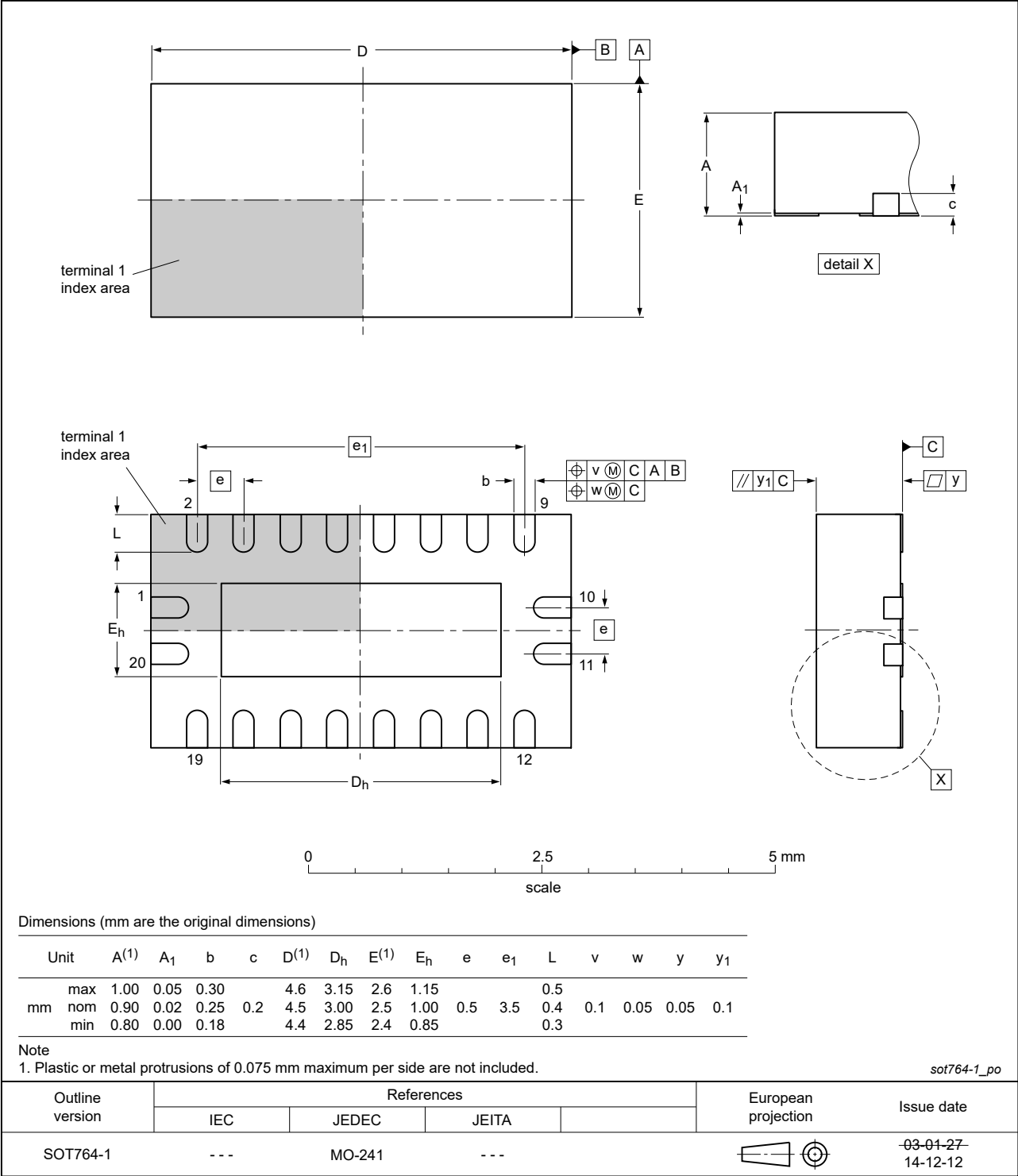


Fig. 9. Package outline SOT764-1 (DHVQFN20)

12. Abbreviations

Table 10. Abbreviations

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

13. Revision history

Table 11. Revision history

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