# 74HC161

Presettable synchronous 4-bit binary counter; asynchronous reset

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**Product data sheet** 

## 1. General description

The 74HC161 is a synchronous presettable binary counter with an internal look-head carry. Synchronous operation is provided by having all flip-flops clocked simultaneously on the positivegoing edge of the clock (CP). The outputs (Q0 to Q3) of the counters may be preset HIGH or LOW. A LOW at the parallel enable input (PE) disables the counting action and causes the data at the data inputs (D0 to D3) to be loaded into the counter on the positive-going edge of the clock. Preset takes place regardless of the levels at count enable inputs (CEP and CET). A LOW at the master reset input (MR) sets Q0 to Q3 LOW regardless of the levels at input pins CP, PE, CET and CEP (thus providing an asynchronous clear function). The look-ahead carry simplifies serial cascading of the counters. Both CEP and CET must be HIGH to count. The CET input is fed forward to enable the terminal count output (TC). The TC output thus enabled will produce a HIGH output pulse of a duration approximately equal to a HIGH output of Q0. This pulse can be used to enable the next cascaded stage. The maximum clock frequency for the cascaded counters is determined by the CP to TC propagation delay and CEP to CP set-up time, according to the following formula:

$$f_{\max} = \frac{1}{t_{P(\max)}(\text{CPtoTC}) + t_{SU}(\text{CEPtoCP})}$$

Inputs include clamp diodes. This enables the use of current limiting resistors to interface inputs to voltages in excess of  $V_{\text{CC}}.$ 

## 2. Features and benefits

- Complies with JEDEC standard no. 7A
- CMOS input levels
- Synchronous counting and loading
- 2 count enable inputs for n-bit cascading
- Asynchronous reset
- Positive-edge triggered clock
- 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 -40 °C to +125 °C

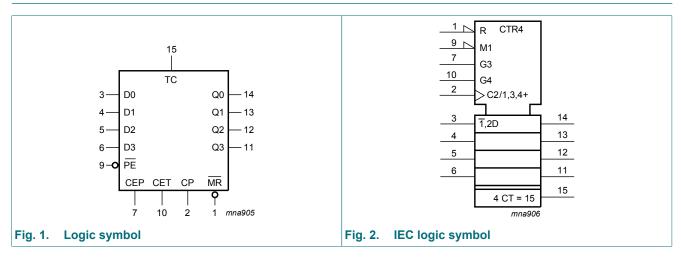
# 3. Ordering information

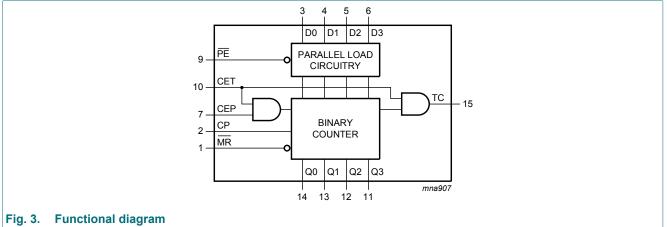
#### Table 1. Ordering information

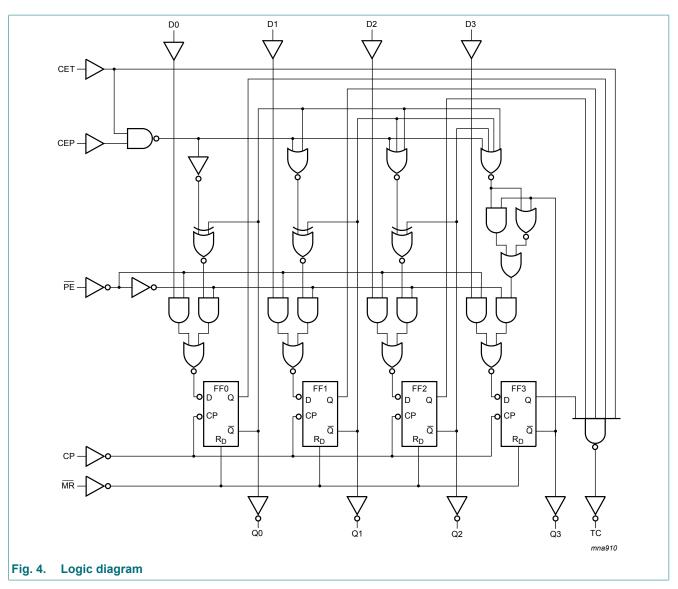
Type number	Package			
	Temperature range	Name	Description	Version
74HC161D	-40 °C to +125 °C	SO16	plastic small outline package; 16 leads; body width 3.9 mm	SOT109-1
74HC161DB	-40 °C to +125 °C	SSOP16	plastic shrink small outline package; 16 leads; body width 5.3 mm	SOT338-1
74HC161PW	-40 °C to +125 °C	TSSOP16	plastic thin shrink small outline package; 16 leads; body width 4.4 mm	SOT403-1

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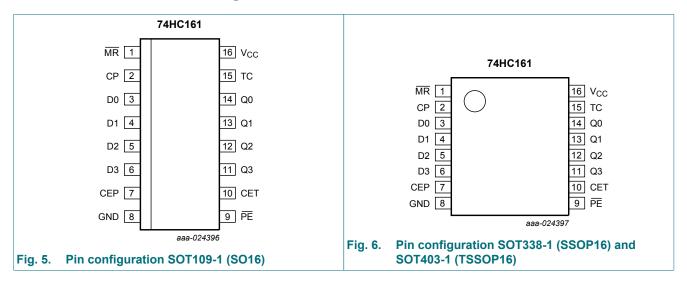
# 4. Functional diagram







# 5. Pinning information



## 5.1. Pinning

## 5.2. Pin description

Symbol	Pin	Description
MR	1	asynchronous master reset (active LOW)
СР	2	clock input (LOW-to-HIGH, edge-triggered)
D0, D1, D2, D3	3, 4, 5, 6	data input
CEP	7	count enable input
GND	8	ground (0 V)
PE	9	parallel enable input (active LOW)
CET	10	count enable carry input
Q0, Q1, Q2, Q3	14, 13, 12, 11	flip-flop output
TC	15	terminal count output
V <sub>CC</sub>	16	supply voltage

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## 6. Functional description

	Input	Output						
modes	MR	СР	CEP	CET	PE	Dn	Qn	тс
Reset (clear)	L	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	L	L
Parallel load	Н	1	Х	Х	I	I	L	L
	Н	1	Х	Х	I	h	Н	[2]
Count	Н	1	h	h	h	Х	count	[2]
Hold	Н	Х	I	Х	h	Х	q <sub>n</sub>	[2]
(do nothing)	Н	Х	Х	I	h	Х	<b>q</b> <sub>n</sub>	L

[1] H = HIGH voltage level

h = HIGH voltage level one set-up time prior to the LOW-to-HIGH clock transition

L = LOW voltage level

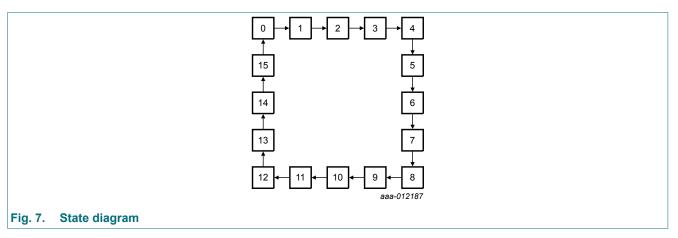
I = LOW voltage level one set-up time prior to the LOW-to-HIGH clock transition

q<sub>n</sub> = lower case letters indicate the state of the referenced output one set-up time prior to the LOW-to-HIGH clock transition

X = don't care

↑ = LOW-to-HIGH clock transition

[2] The TC output is HIGH when CET is HIGH and the counter is at terminal count (HHHH)



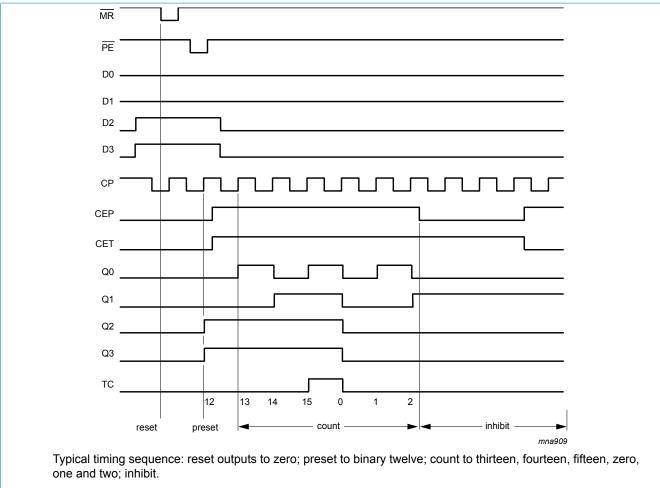


Fig. 8. Typical timing sequence

# 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 <sub>CC</sub>	supply voltage			-0.5	+7.0	V
I <sub>IK</sub>	input clamping current	$V_{\rm I}$ < -0.5 V or $V_{\rm I}$ > $V_{\rm CC}$ + 0.5 V		-	±20	mA
I <sub>ОК</sub>	output clamping current	$V_{\rm O}$ < -0.5 V or $V_{\rm O}$ > $V_{\rm CC}$ + 0.5 V		-	±20	mA
I <sub>O</sub>	output current	$V_{\rm O}$ = -0.5 V to $V_{\rm CC}$ + 0.5 V		-	±25	mA
I <sub>CC</sub>	supply current			-	50	mA
I <sub>GND</sub>	ground current			-50	-	mA
T <sub>stg</sub>	storage temperature			-65	+150	°C
P <sub>tot</sub>	total power dissipation		[1]	-	500	mW

For SO16 packages: above 70 °C the value of P<sub>tot</sub> derates linearly at 8 mW/K.
 For (T)SSOP16 packages: above 60 °C the value of P<sub>tot</sub> derates linearly at 5.5 mW/K.

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## 8. Recommended operating conditions

#### Table 5. Recommended operating conditions

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V)

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit
V <sub>CC</sub>	supply voltage		2.0	5.0	6.0	V
VI	input voltage		0	-	V <sub>CC</sub>	V
Vo	output voltage		0	-	V <sub>CC</sub>	V
T <sub>amb</sub>	ambient temperature		-40	+25	+125	°C
Δt/ΔV	input transition rise and fall rate	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	-	625	ns/V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	1.67	139	ns/V
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 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		25 °C		-40 °C to	o +85 °C	-40 °C to	o +125 °C	Unit
			Min	Тур	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
V <sub>IH</sub>	HIGH-level	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	1.5	1.2	-	1.5	-	1.5	-	V
	input voltage	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	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	0.8	0.5	-	0.5	-	0.5	V
	input voltage	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	V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>								
	output voltage	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; V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	3.98	4.32	-	3.84	-	3.7	-	V
		I <sub>O</sub> = -5.2; V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	5.48	5.81	-	5.34	-	5.2	-	V
V <sub>OL</sub>	LOW-level	$V_{I} = V_{IH} \text{ or } V_{IL}$								
	output voltage	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>O</sub> = 5.2 mA; V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	0.16	0.26	-	0.33	-	0.4	V
l <sub>l</sub>	input leakage current	$V_{I} = V_{CC}$ or GND; $V_{CC} = 6.0 V$	-	-	±0.1	-	±1.0	-	±1.0	μA
I <sub>CC</sub>	supply current	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or GND; $I_O = 0$ A; $V_{CC} = 6.0$ V	-	-	8.0	-	80.0	-	160.0	μA
CI	input capacitance		-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	pF

# **10. Dynamic characteristics**

#### Table 7. Dynamic characteristics

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V);  $C_L$  = 50 pF unless otherwise specified; for test circuit see Fig. 14.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		25 °C		-40 °C to +85 °C		-40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Тур	Max	Min	Мах	Min	Max	1
t <sub>pd</sub>	propagation	CP to Qn; see Fig. 9 [1]								
	delay	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	61	190	-	240	-	285	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	22	38	-	48	-	57	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	18	32	-	41	-	48	ns
		CP to TC; see Fig. 9								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	69	215	-	270	-	325	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	25	43	-	54	-	65	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	20	37	-	46	-	55	ns
		CET to TC; see Fig. 10								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	33	150	-	190	-	225	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	12	30	-	38	-	45	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	10	26	-	38	-	31	ns
HIGH to LOW	MR to Qn; see Fig. 11									
	propagation	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	63	210	-	265	-	315	ns
	delay	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	23	42	-	53	-	63	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	18	36	-	45	-	54	ns
		MR to TC; see Fig. 11								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	-	63	220	-	275	-	330	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	-	23	44	-	55	-	66	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	-	18	37	-	47	-	56	ns
tt	transition	see <u>Fig. 9</u> and <u>Fig. 10</u> [2]								
	time	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
t <sub>w</sub>	pulse width	CP; HIGH or LOW; see Fig. 9								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	80	22	-	100	-	120	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	16	8	-	20	-	24	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	14	6	-	17	-	20	-	ns
		MR; LOW; see Fig. 11								1
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	80	19	-	100	-	120	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	16	7	-	20	-	24	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	14	6	-	17	-	20	_	ns

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		25 °C		-40 °C to +85 °C		-40 °C to +125 °C		Unit
			Min	Тур	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	-
t <sub>rec</sub>	recovery	MR to CP; see Fig. 11								
	time	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	100	19	-	125	-	150	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	20	7	-	25	-	30	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	17	6	-	21	-	26	-	ns
t <sub>su</sub>	set-up time	Dn to CP; see Fig. 12								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	80	25	-	100	-	120	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	16	9	-	20	-	24	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	14	7	-	17	-	20	-	ns
		PE to CP; see Fig. 12								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	100	30	-	125	-	150	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	20	11	-	25	-	30	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	17	9	-	21	-	26	-	ns
		CEP, CET to CP; see Fig. 13								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	170	47	-	215	-	255	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	34	17	-	43	-	51	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	29	14	-	37	-	43	-	ns
t <sub>h</sub>	hold time	Dn, PE, CEP, CET to CP; see Fig. 12 and Fig. 13								
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	0	-14	-	0	-	0	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	0	-5	-	0	-	0	-	ns
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	0	-4	-	0	-	0	-	ns
f <sub>max</sub>	maximum	CP; see Fig. 9								
	frequency	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V	4.6	13	-	3.6	-	3.0	-	MHz
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V	23	40	-	18	-	15	-	MHz
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V; C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF	-	44	-	-	-	-	-	MHz
		V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	27	48	-	21	-	18	-	MHz
C <sub>PD</sub>	power dissipation capacitance	$V_1 = GND$ to $V_{CC}$ ; $V_{CC} = 5 V$ ; [3] $f_i = 1 MHz$	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	pF

t<sub>pd</sub> is the same as t<sub>PHL</sub> and t<sub>PLH</sub>.
 t<sub>t</sub> is the same as t<sub>THL</sub> and t<sub>TLH</sub>.
 C<sub>PD</sub> is used to determine the dynamic power dissipation (P<sub>D</sub> in μW):

 $P_{D} = C_{PD} \times V_{CC}^{2} \times f_{i} \times N + \sum (C_{L} \times V_{CC}^{2} \times f_{o}) \text{ where:}$ 

 $f_i$  = input frequency in MHz;

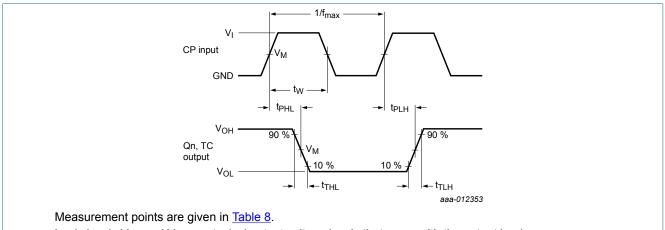
 $f_o$  = output frequency in MHz;

C<sub>L</sub> = output load capacitance in pF;

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

N = number of inputs switching;

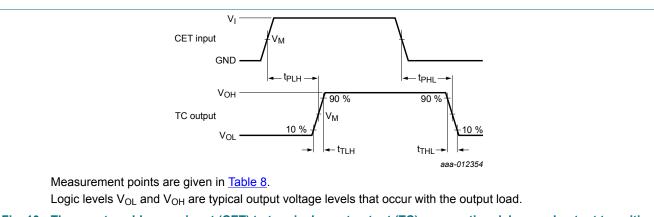
 $\Sigma(C_L \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_0)$  = sum of outputs.



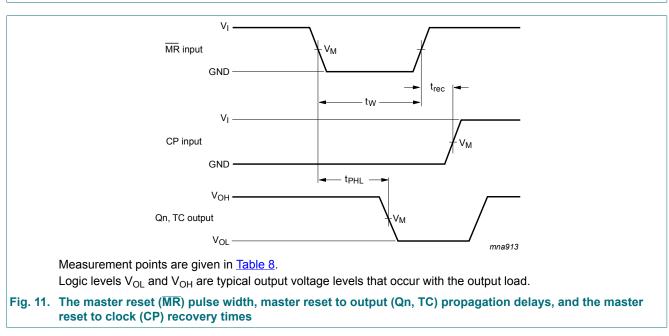
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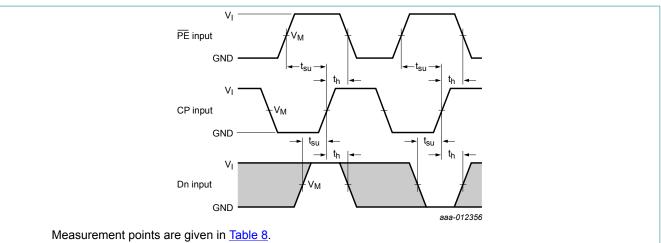
Logic levels  $V_{\text{OL}}$  and  $V_{\text{OH}}$  are typical output voltage levels that occur with the output load.

Fig. 9. The clock (CP) to outputs (Qn, TC) propagation delays, pulse width, output transition times and maximum frequency



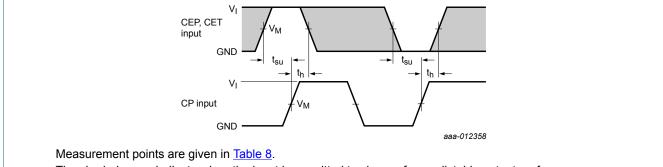






The shaded areas indicate when the input is permitted to change for predictable output performance.

#### Fig. 12. The data input (Dn) and parallel enable input (PE) set-up and hold times

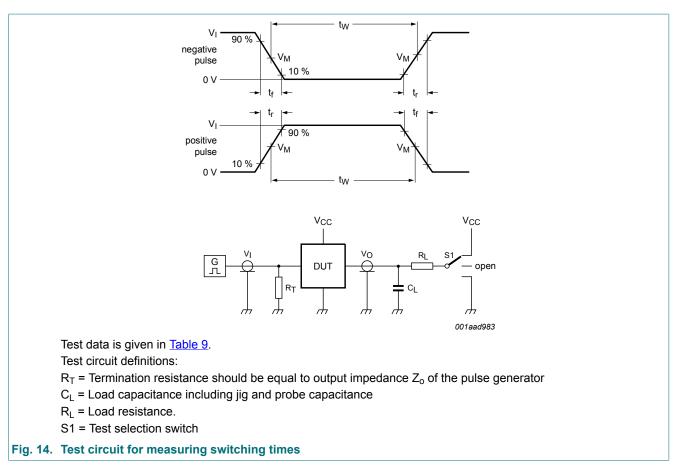


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#### Fig. 13. The count enable input (CEP) and count enable carry input (CET) set-up and hold times

#### Table 8. Measurement points

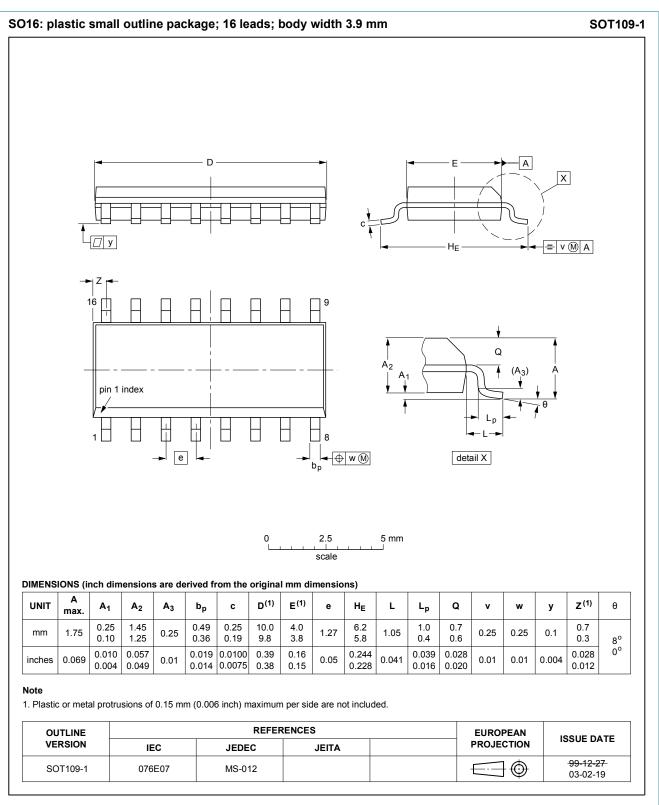
Input		Output
V <sub>M</sub>	VI	V <sub>M</sub>
$0.5 \times V_{CC}$	GND to V <sub>CC</sub>	$0.5 \times V_{CC}$



#### Table 9. Test data

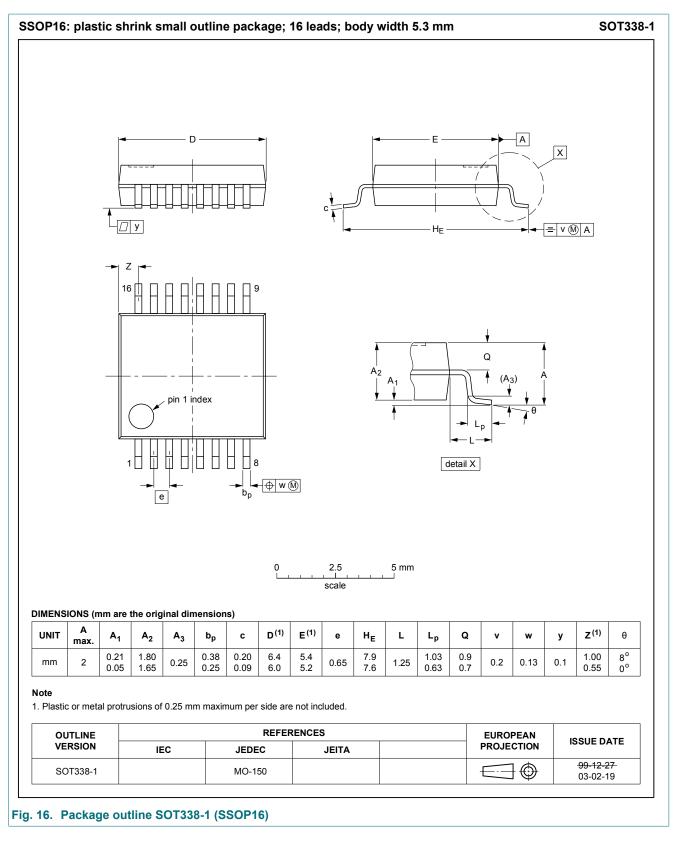
Input		Load		S1 position
VI	t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub>	CL	R <sub>L</sub>	t <sub>PHL</sub> , t <sub>PLH</sub>
V <sub>CC</sub>	6 ns	15 pF, 50 pF	1 kΩ	open

## **11. Package outline**



#### Fig. 15. Package outline SOT109-1 (SO16)

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#### TSSOP16: plastic thin shrink small outline package; 16 leads; body width 4.4 mm SOT403-1 А X ┨╴┨╴ $H_{\mathsf{E}}$ = v 🕅 A - Z Q Å (A<sub>3</sub>) pin 1 index Lp Η Π 8 detail X e 2.5 5 mm 0 scale DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions) Α D <sup>(1)</sup> E <sup>(2)</sup> Z <sup>(1)</sup> UNIT A<sub>3</sub> с е $H_{\rm E}$ L Lp Q ۷ w у θ A<sub>1</sub> A<sub>2</sub> bp max 0.95 0.30 0.75 0.15 0.2 5.1 4.5 6.6 0.4 0.40 8° mm 1.1 0.25 0.65 1 0.2 0.13 0.1 0° 0.19 6.2 0.05 0.80 0.50 0.06 0.1 4.9 4.3 0.3 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. REFERENCES EUROPEAN OUTLINE **ISSUE DATE** VERSION PROJECTION IEC JEDEC JEITA 99-12-27 $\bigcirc$ SOT403-1 MO-153 03-02-18

Fig. 17. Package outline SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)

# 12. Abbreviations

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

# 13. Revision history

#### Table 11. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes		
74HC161 v.4	20181004	Product data sheet	-	74HC161 v.3		
Modifications:	<ul> <li>The format of this data sheet has been redesigned to comply with the identity guidelines of Nexperia.</li> <li>Legal texts have been adapted to the new company name where appropriate.</li> </ul>					
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74HC_HCT161 v.2	19901201	Product specification	-	-		

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