

# Presettable Counters

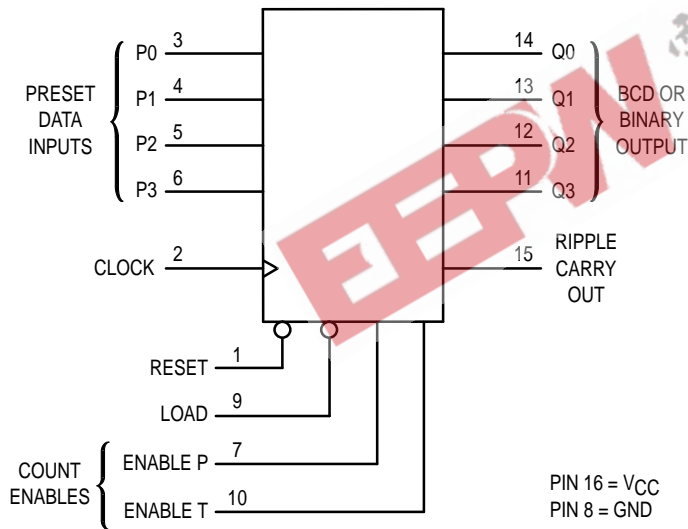
## High-Performance Silicon-Gate CMOS

The MC54/74HC161A and HC163A are identical in pinout to the LS161 and LS163. The device inputs are compatible with standard CMOS outputs; with pullup resistors, they are compatible with LSTTL outputs.

The HC161A and HC163A are programmable 4-bit binary counters with asynchronous and synchronous reset, respectively.

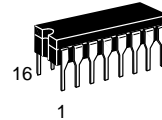
- Output Drive Capability: 10 LSTTL Loads
- Outputs Directly Interface to CMOS, NMOS, and TTL
- Operating Voltage Range: 2.0 to 6.0 V
- Low Input Current: 1.0  $\mu$ A
- High Noise Immunity Characteristic of CMOS Devices
- In Compliance with the Requirements Defined by JEDEC Standard No. 7A
- Chip Complexity: 192 FETs or 48 Equivalent Gates

### LOGIC DIAGRAM

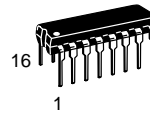


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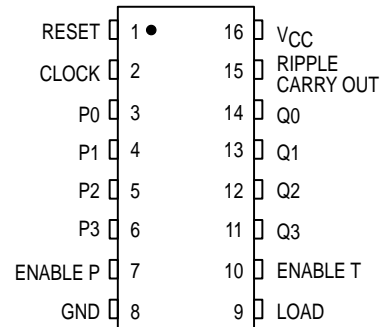


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### ORDERING INFORMATION

MC54HCXXXAJ	Ceramic
MC74HCXXXAN	Plastic
MC74HCXXXAD	SOIC

### PIN ASSIGNMENT



Device	Count Mode	Reset Mode
HC161A	Binary	Asynchronous
HC163A	Binary	Synchronous

### FUNCTION TABLE

Clock	Reset*	Inputs			Output Q
		Load	Enable P	Enable T	
↗	L	X	X	X	Reset
↗	H	L	X	X	Load Preset Data
↗	H	H	H	H	Count
↗	H	H	L	X	No Count
↗	H	H	X	L	No Count

\* HC163A only. HC161A is an Asynchronous Reset Device

H = high level  
L = low level  
X = don't care



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## MAXIMUM RATINGS\*

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V <sub>CC</sub>	DC Supply Voltage (Referenced to GND)	- 0.5 to + 7.0	V
V <sub>in</sub>	DC Input Voltage (Referenced to GND)	- 1.5 to V <sub>CC</sub> + 1.5	V
V <sub>out</sub>	DC Output Voltage (Referenced to GND)	- 0.5 to V <sub>CC</sub> + 0.5	V
I <sub>in</sub>	DC Input Current, per Pin	± 20	mA
I <sub>out</sub>	DC Output Current, per Pin	± 25	mA
I <sub>CC</sub>	DC Supply Current, V <sub>CC</sub> and GND Pins	± 50	mA
P <sub>D</sub>	Power Dissipation in Still Air, Plastic or Ceramic DIP† SOIC Package†	750 500	mW
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage Temperature	- 65 to + 150	°C
T <sub>L</sub>	Lead Temperature, 1 mm from Case for 10 Seconds (Plastic DIP or SOIC Package) (Ceramic DIP)	260 300	°C

This device contains protection circuitry to guard against damage due to high static voltages or electric fields. However, precautions must be taken to avoid applications of any voltage higher than maximum rated voltages to this high-impedance circuit. For proper operation, V<sub>in</sub> and V<sub>out</sub> should be constrained to the range GND ≤ (V<sub>in</sub> or V<sub>out</sub>) ≤ V<sub>CC</sub>. Unused inputs must always be tied to an appropriate logic voltage level (e.g., either GND or V<sub>CC</sub>). Unused outputs must be left open.

\* Maximum Ratings are those values beyond which damage to the device may occur. Functional operation should be restricted to the Recommended Operating Conditions.

† Derating — Plastic DIP: - 10 mW/°C from 65° to 125°C  
Ceramic DIP: - 10 mW/°C from 100° to 125°C  
SOIC Package: - 7 mW/°C from 65° to 125°C

For high frequency or heavy load considerations, see Chapter 2 of the Motorola High-Speed CMOS Data Book (DL129/D).

## RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Max	Unit	
V <sub>CC</sub>	DC Supply Voltage (Referenced to GND)	2.0	6.0	V	
V <sub>in</sub> , V <sub>out</sub>	DC Input Voltage, Output Voltage (Referenced to GND)	0	V <sub>CC</sub>	V	
T <sub>A</sub>	Operating Temperature, All Package Types	- 55	+ 125	°C	
t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub>	Input Rise and Fall Time (Figure 1)	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.0 V V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V V <sub>CC</sub> = 6.0 V	0 0 0	1000 500 400	ns

## DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Voltages referenced to GND)

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	V <sub>CC</sub> V	Guaranteed Limit			Unit
				- 55 to 25°C	≤ 85°C	≤ 125°C	
V <sub>IH</sub>	Minimum High-Level Input Voltage	V <sub>out</sub> = 0.1 V or V <sub>CC</sub> - 0.1 V  I <sub>out</sub>   ≤ 20 μA	2.0	1.5	1.5	1.5	V
			4.5	3.15	3.15	3.15	
			6.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	
V <sub>IL</sub>	Maximum Low-Level Input Voltage	V <sub>out</sub> = 0.1 V or V <sub>CC</sub> - 0.1 V  I <sub>out</sub>   ≤ 20 μA	2.0	0.50	0.50	0.50	V
			4.5	1.35	1.35	1.35	
			6.0	1.80	1.80	1.80	
V <sub>OH</sub>	Minimum High-Level Output Voltage	V <sub>in</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>  I <sub>out</sub>   ≤ 20 μA	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	V
			4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	
			6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	
V <sub>OL</sub>	Maximum Low-Level Output Voltage	V <sub>in</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>  I <sub>out</sub>   ≤ 20 μA	2.0	0.10	0.10	0.10	V
			4.5	0.10	0.10	0.10	
			6.0	0.10	0.10	0.10	
I <sub>in</sub>	Maximum Input Leakage Current	V <sub>in</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND	2.0	± 0.1	± 1.0	± 1.0	μA
			4.5	± 0.1	± 1.0	± 1.0	
			6.0	± 0.1	± 1.0	± 1.0	
I <sub>CC</sub>	Maximum Quiescent Supply Current (per Package)	V <sub>in</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND I <sub>out</sub> = 0 μA	2.0	4	40	160	μA
			4.5	4	40	160	
			6.0	4	40	160	

NOTE: Information on typical parametric values can be found in Chapter 2 of the Motorola High-Speed CMOS Data Book (DL129/D).

**AC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $C_L = 50$  pF, Input  $t_r = t_f = 6.0$  ns)

Symbol	Parameter	Fig.	V <sub>CC</sub> V	Guaranteed Limit			Unit
				– 55 to 25°C	≤ 85°C	≤ 125°C	
f <sub>max</sub>	Maximum Clock Frequency (50% Duty Cycle)*	1, 7	2.0	6	5	4	MHz
			4.5	30	24	20	
			6.0	35	28	24	
t <sub>PLH</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Clock to Q	1, 7	2.0	120	160	200	ns
			4.5	20	23	28	
			6.0	16	20	22	
t <sub>PHL</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Clock to Q	1, 7	2.0	145	185	320	ns
			4.5	22	25	30	
			6.0	18	20	23	
t <sub>PHL</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Reset to Q (HC161A Only)	2, 7	2.0	145	185	220	ns
			4.5	20	22	25	
			6.0	17	19	21	
t <sub>PLH</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Enable T to Ripple Carry Out	3, 7	2.0	110	150	190	ns
			4.5	16	18	20	
			6.0	14	15	17	
t <sub>PHL</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Enable T to Ripple Carry Out	3, 7	2.0	135	175	210	ns
			4.5	18	20	22	
			6.0	15	16	20	
t <sub>PLH</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Clock to Ripple Carry Out	1, 7	2.0	120	160	200	ns
			4.5	22	27	30	
			6.0	18	22	25	
t <sub>PHL</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Clock to Ripple Carry Out	1, 7	2.0	145	185	220	ns
			4.5	22	28	35	
			6.0	20	24	28	
t <sub>PHL</sub>	Maximum Propagation Delay, Reset to Ripple Carry Out (HC161A Only)	2, 7	2.0	155	190	230	ns
			4.5	22	26	30	
			6.0	18	22	25	
t <sub>TLH</sub> , t <sub>THL</sub>	Maximum Output Transition Time, Any Output	2, 7	2.0	75	95	110	ns
			4.5	15	19	22	
			6.0	13	16	19	
C <sub>in</sub>	Maximum Input Capacitance	1, 7	—	10	10	10	pF

\* Applies to noncascaded/nonsynchronous clocked configurations only with synchronously cascaded counters. (1) Clock to Ripple Carry Out propagation delays. (2) Enable T or Enable P to Clock setup times and (3) Clock to Enable T or Enable P hold times determine f<sub>max</sub>. However, if Ripple Carry out of each stage is tied to the Clock of the next stage (nonsynchronously clocked) the f<sub>max</sub> in the table above is applicable. See Applications information in this data sheet.

NOTE: For propagation delays with loads other than 50 pF, and information on typical parametric values, see Chapter 2 of the Motorola High-Speed CMOS Data Book (DL129/D).

C <sub>PD</sub>	Power Dissipation Capacitance (Per Gate)*	Typical @ 25°C, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V	
		30	

\* Used to determine the no-load dynamic power consumption:  $P_D = C_{PD} V_{CC}^2 f + I_{CC} V_{CC}$ . For load considerations, see Chapter 2 of the Motorola High-Speed CMOS Data Book (DL129/D).

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## TIMING REQUIREMENTS ( $C_L = 50$ pF, Input $t_r = t_f = 6.0$ ns)

Symbol	Parameter	Fig.	V <sub>CC</sub> V	Guaranteed Limit			Unit
				- 55 to 25°C	≤ 85°C	≤ 125°C	
t <sub>su</sub>	Minimum Setup Time, Preset Data Inputs to Clock	5	2.0	40	60	80	ns
			4.5	15	20	30	
			6.0	12	18	20	
t <sub>su</sub>	Minimum Setup Time, Load to Clock	5	2.0	60	75	90	ns
			4.5	15	20	30	
			6.0	12	18	20	
t <sub>su</sub>	Minimum Setup Time, Reset to Clock (HC163A Only)	4	2.0	60	75	90	ns
			4.5	20	25	35	
			6.0	17	23	25	
t <sub>su</sub>	Minimum Setup Time, Enable T or Enable P to Clock	6	2.0	80	95	110	ns
			4.5	20	25	35	
			6.0	17	23	25	
t <sub>h</sub>	Minimum Hold Time, Clock to Load or Preset Data Inputs	5	2.0	3	3	3	ns
			4.5	3	3	3	
			6.0	3	3	3	
t <sub>h</sub>	Minimum Hold Time, Clock to Reset (HC163A Only)	4	2.0	3	3	3	ns
			4.5	3	3	3	
			6.0	3	3	3	
t <sub>h</sub>	Minimum Hold Time, Clock to Enable T or Enable P	6	2.0	3	3	3	ns
			4.5	3	3	3	
			6.0	3	3	3	
t <sub>rec</sub>	Minimum Recovery Time, Reset Inactive to Clock (HC161A Only)	2	2.0	80	95	110	ns
			4.5	15	20	26	
			6.0	12	17	23	
t <sub>rec</sub>	Minimum Recovery Time, Load Inactive to Clock	5	2.0	80	95	110	ns
			4.5	15	20	26	
			6.0	12	17	23	
t <sub>w</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width, Clock	1	2.0	60	75	90	ns
			4.5	12	15	18	
			6.0	10	13	15	
t <sub>w</sub>	Minimum Pulse Width, Reset (HC161A Only)	2	2.0	60	75	90	ns
			4.5	12	15	18	
			6.0	10	13	15	
t <sub>r</sub> , t <sub>f</sub>	Maximum Input Rise and Fall Times		2.0	1000	1000	1000	ns
			4.5	500	500	500	
			6.0	400	400	400	

**FUNCTION DESCRIPTION**

The HC161A/163A are programmable 4-bit synchronous counters that feature parallel Load, synchronous or asynchronous Reset, a Carry Output for cascading and count-enable controls.

The HC161A and HC163A are binary counters with asynchronous Reset and synchronous Reset, respectively.

**INPUTS**

**Clock (Pin 2)**

The internal flip-flops toggle and the output count advances with the rising edge of the Clock input. In addition, control functions, such as resetting and loading occur with the rising edge of the Clock input.

**Preset Data Inputs P0, P1, P2, P3 (Pins 3, 4, 5, 6)**

These are the data inputs for programmable counting. Data on these pins may be synchronously loaded into the internal flip-flops and appear at the counter outputs. P0 (Pin 3) is the least-significant bit and P3 (Pin 6) is the most-significant bit.

**OUTPUTS**

**Q0, Q1, Q2, Q3 (Pins 14, 13, 12, 11)**

These are the counter outputs. Q0 (Pin 14) is the least-significant bit and Q3 (Pin 11) is the most-significant bit.

**Ripple Carry Out (Pin 15)**

When the counter is in its maximum state 1111, this output goes high, providing an external look-ahead carry pulse that may be used to enable successive cascaded counters. Ripple Carry Out remains high only during the maximum count state. The logic equation for this output is:

$$\text{Ripple Carry Out} = \text{Enable T} \cdot \text{Q0} \cdot \text{Q1} \cdot \text{Q2} \cdot \text{Q3}$$

**CONTROL FUNCTIONS**

**Resetting**

A low level on the Reset pin (Pin 1) resets the internal flip-flops and sets the outputs (Q0 through Q3) to a low level. The HC161A resets asynchronously, and the HC163A resets with the rising edge of the Clock input (synchronous reset).

**Loading**

With the rising edge of the Clock, a low level on Load (Pin 9) loads the data from the Preset Data input pins (P0, P1, P2, P3) into the internal flip-flops and onto the output pins, Q0 through Q3. The count function is disabled as long as Load is low.

**Count Enable/Disable**

These devices have two count-enable control pins: Enable P (Pin 7) and Enable T (Pin 10). The devices count when these two pins and the Load pin are high. The logic equation is:

$$\text{Count Enable} = \text{Enable P} \cdot \text{Enable T} \cdot \text{Load}$$

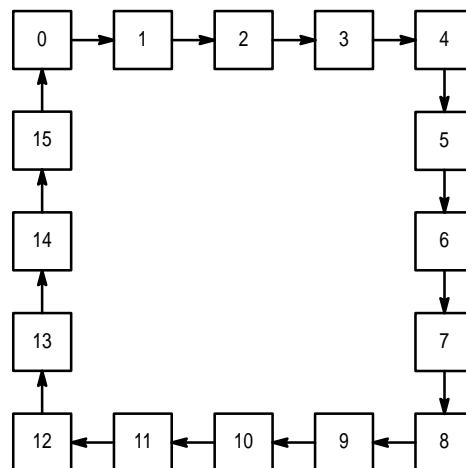
The count is either enabled or disabled by the control inputs according to Table 1. In general, Enable P is a count-enable control; Enable T is both a count-enable and a Ripple-Carry Output control.

**Table 1. Count Enable/Disable**

Control Inputs			Result at Outputs	
Load	Enable P	Enable T	Q0 – Q3	Ripple Carry Out
H	H	H	Count	High when Q0–Q3 are maximum*
L	H	H	No Count	
X	L	H	No Count	High when Q0–Q3 are maximum*
X	X	L	No Count	L

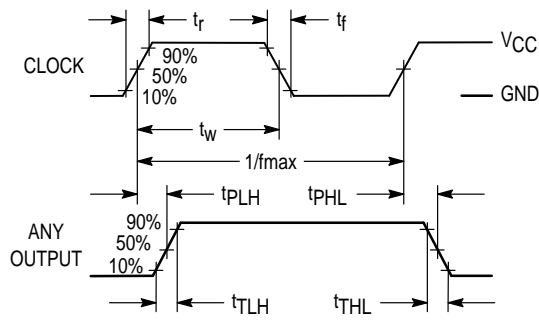
\* Q0 through Q3 are maximum when Q3 Q2 Q1 Q0 = 1111.

**OUTPUT STATE DIAGRAMS**

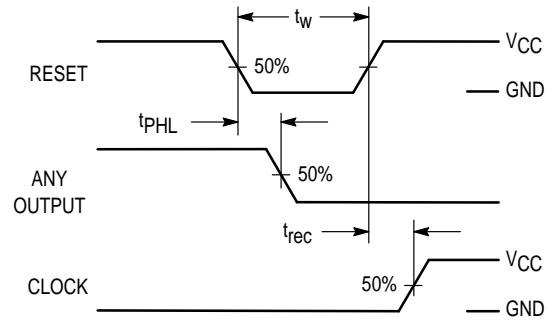


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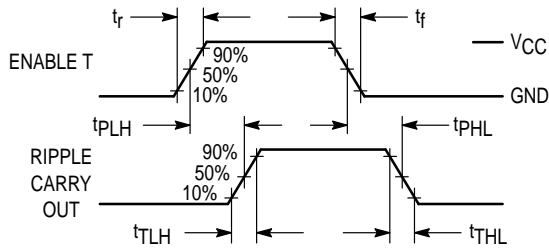
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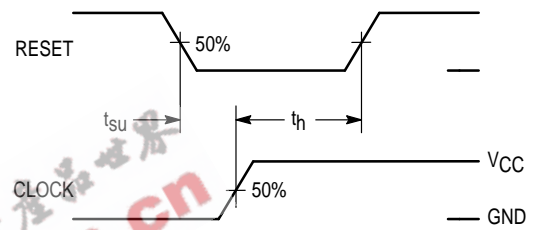
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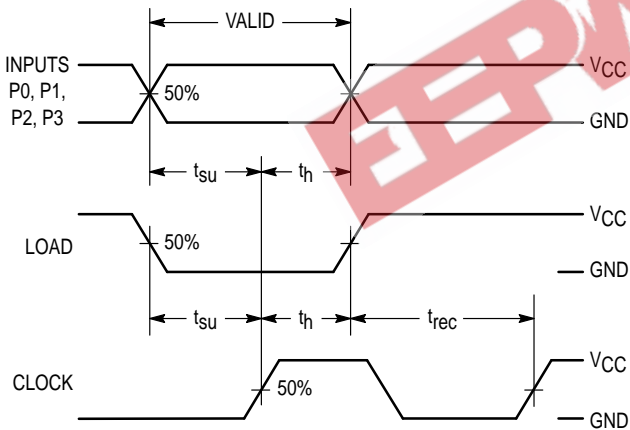
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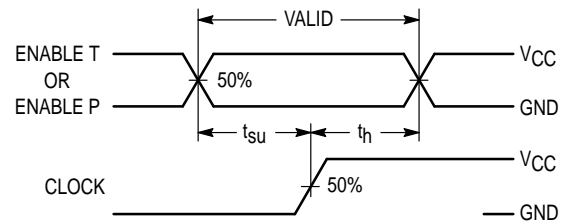
**Figure 3.**



**Figure 4. HC163A Only**

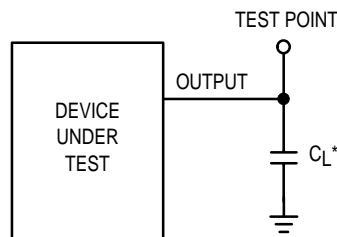


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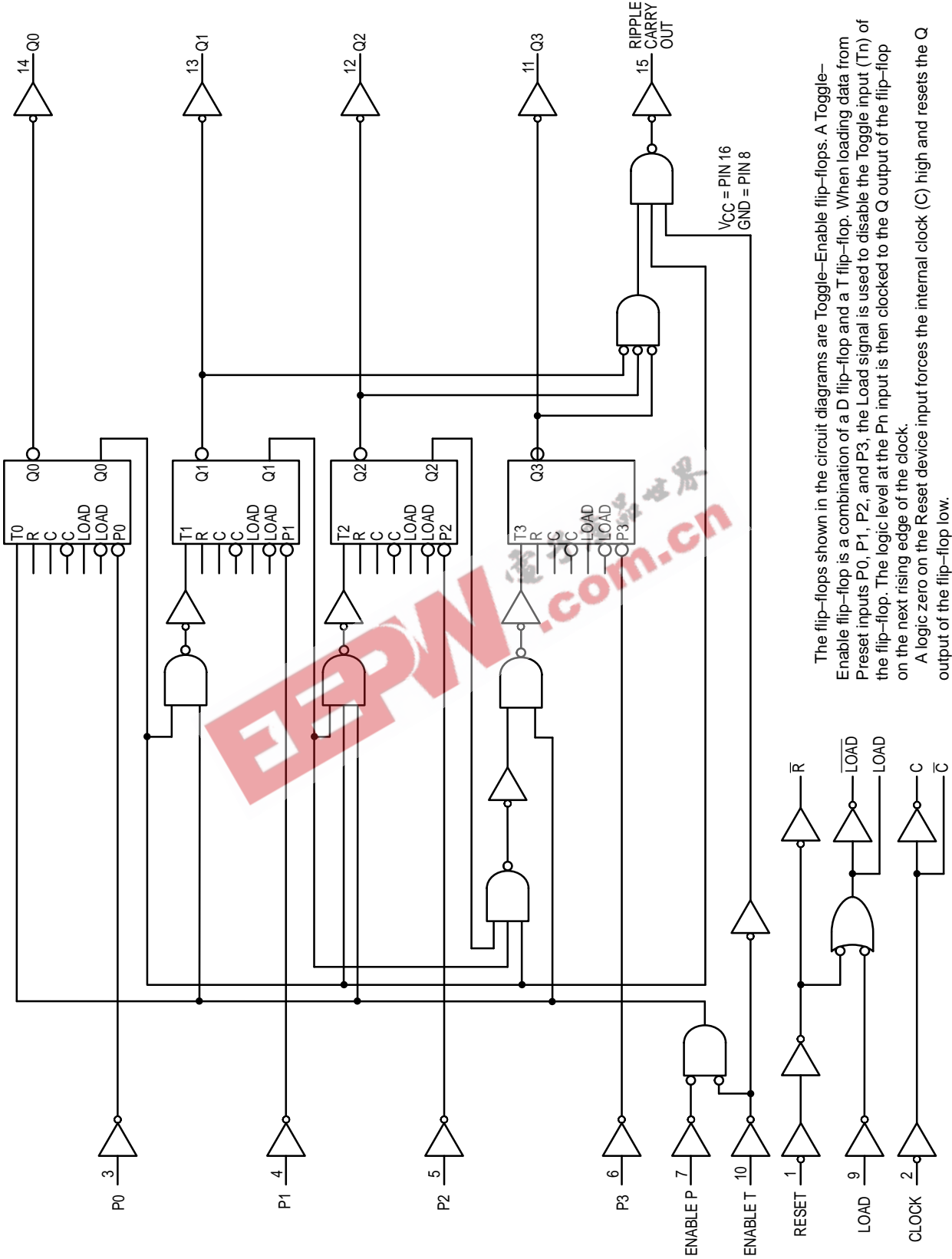
**Figure 6.**

**TEST CIRCUIT**



\* Includes all probe and jig capacitance

**Figure 7.**



The flip-flops shown in the circuit diagrams are Toggle-Enable flip-flops. A Toggle-Enable flip-flop is a combination of a D flip-flop and a T flip-flop. When loading data from Preset inputs P0, P1, P2, and P3, the Load signal is used to disable the Toggle input (Tn) of the flip-flop. The logic level at the Pn input is then clocked to the Q output of the flip-flop on the next rising edge of the clock.  
 A logic zero on the Reset device input forces the internal clock (C) high and resets the Q output of the flip-flop low.

Figure 8. 4-Bit Binary Counter with Asynchronous Reset (MC54/74HC161A)

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- Sequence illustrated in waveforms:
1. Reset outputs to zero.
  2. Preset to binary twelve.
  3. Count to thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, zero, one and two.
  4. Inhibit.

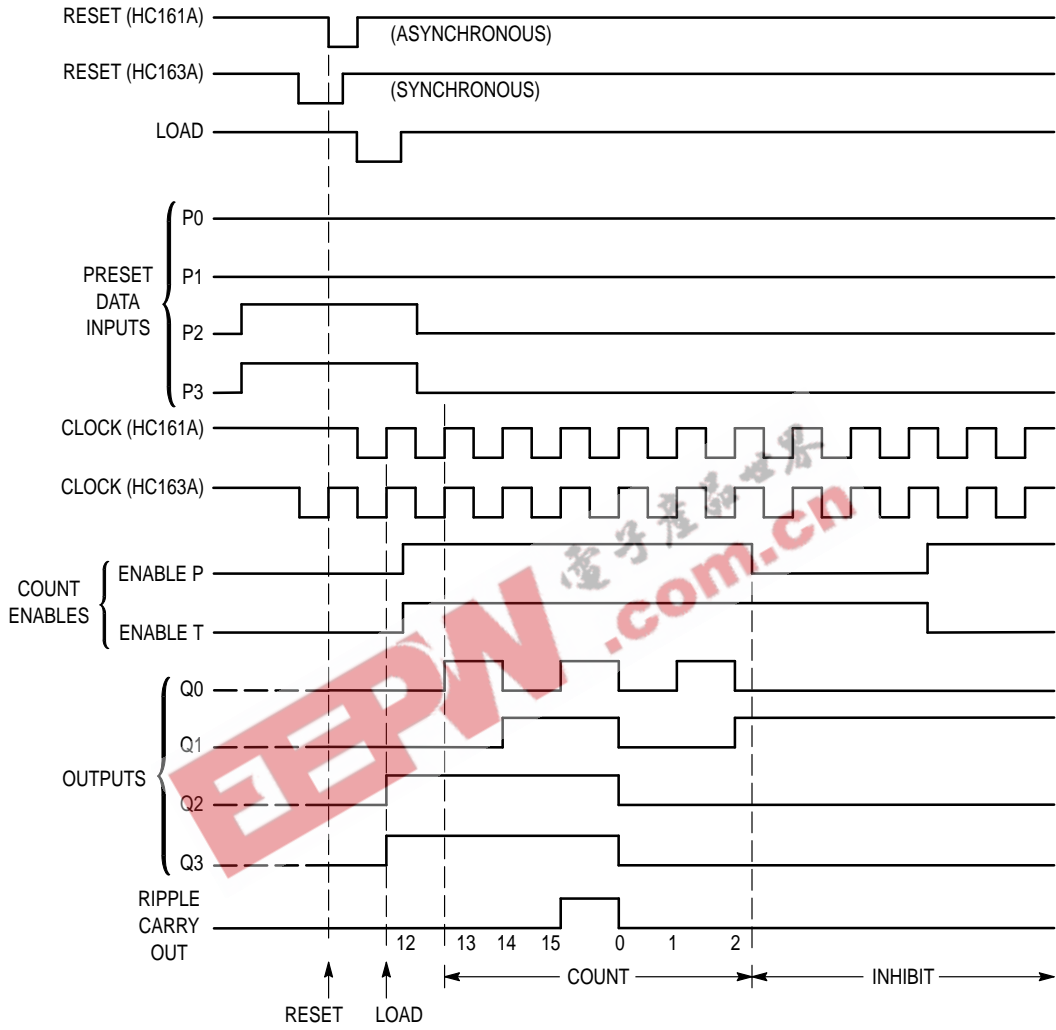
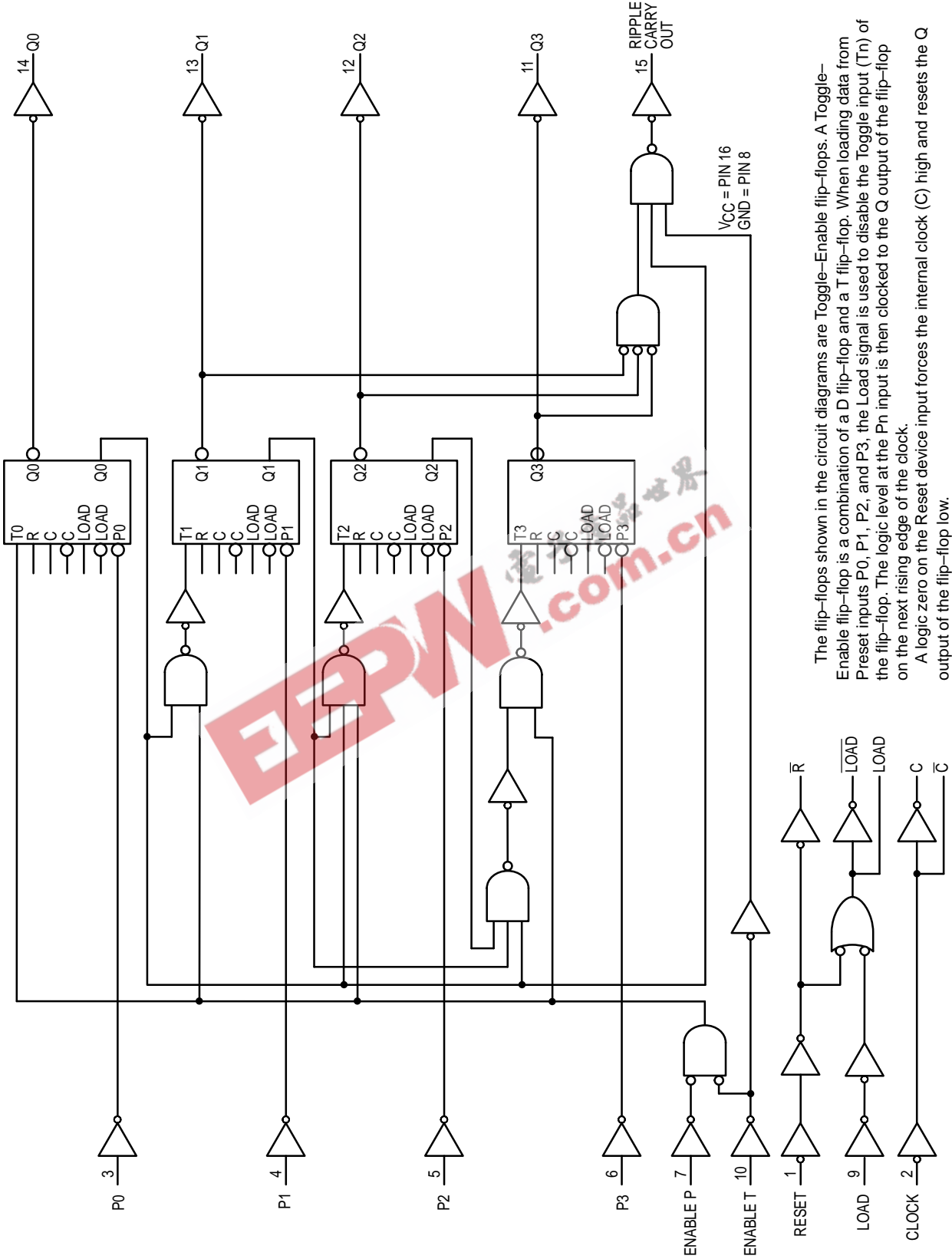


Figure 9. Timing Diagram

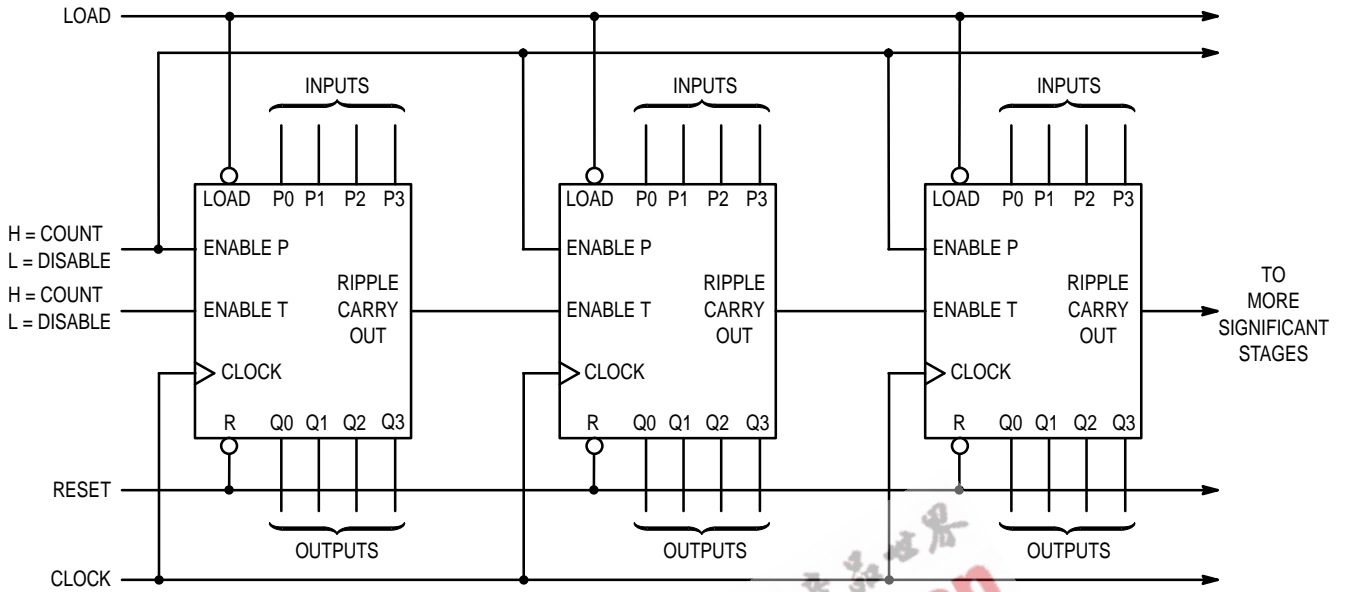




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 A logic zero on the Reset device input forces the internal clock (C) high and resets the Q output of the flip-flop low.

Figure 10. 4-Bit Binary Counter with Synchronous Reset (MC54/74HC163A)

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS CASCADING



NOTE: When used in these cascaded configurations the clock  $f_{max}$  guaranteed limits may not apply. Actual performance will depend on number of stages. This limitation is due to set up times between Enable (Port) and Clock.

Figure 11. N-Bit Synchronous Counters

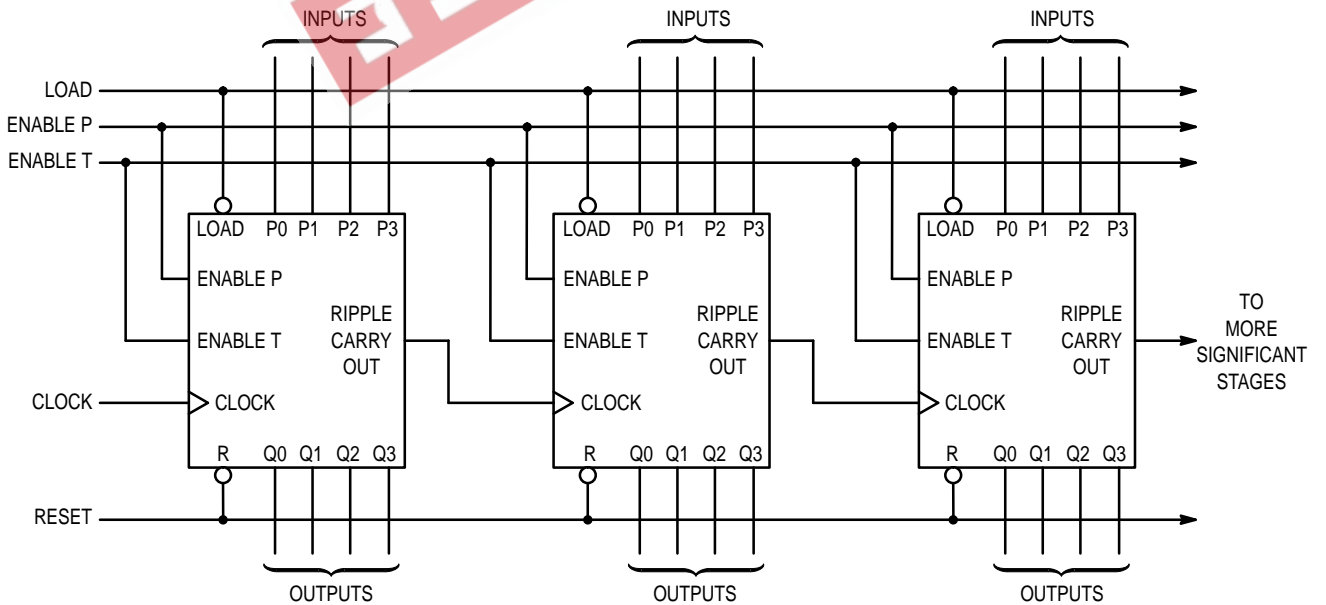


Figure 12. Nibble Ripple Counter

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS VARYING THE MODULUS

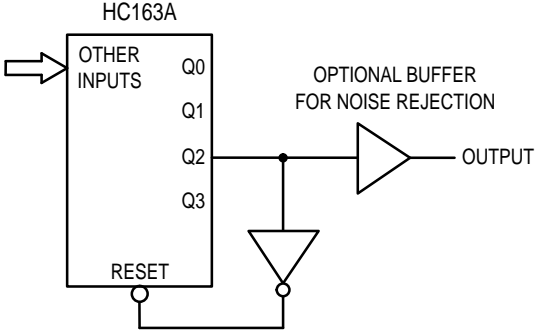


Figure 13. Modulo-5 Counter

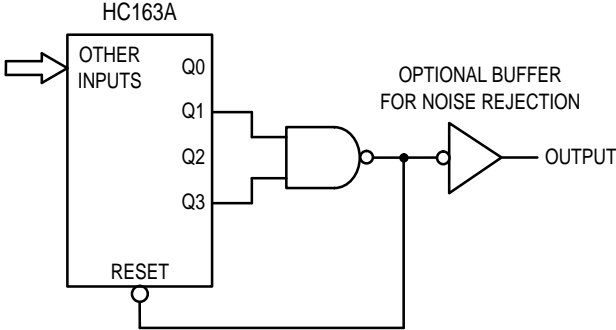


Figure 14. Modulo-11 Counter

The HC163A facilitates designing counters of any modulus with minimal external logic. The output is glitch-free due to the synchronous Reset.



OUTLINE DIMENSIONS

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**NOTES:**

1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.
3. DIMENSION L TO CENTER OF LEAD WHEN FORMED PARALLEL.
4. DIM F MAY NARROW TO 0.76 (0.030) WHERE THE LEAD ENTERS THE CERAMIC BODY.

DIM	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	0.750	0.785	19.05	19.93
B	0.240	0.295	6.10	7.49
C	—	0.200	—	5.08
D	0.015	0.020	0.39	0.50
E	0.050 BSC		1.27 BSC	
F	0.055	0.065	1.40	1.65
G	0.100 BSC		2.54 BSC	
J	0.008	0.015	0.21	0.38
K	0.125	0.170	3.18	4.31
L	0.300 BSC		7.62 BSC	
M	0°	15°	0°	15°
N	0.020	0.040	0.51	1.01

D 16 PL  $\oplus 0.25 (0.010) \text{ (M) T A } \textcircled{S}$

J 16 PL  $\oplus 0.25 (0.010) \text{ (M) T B } \textcircled{S}$

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**NOTES:**

1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.
3. DIMENSION L TO CENTER OF LEADS WHEN FORMED PARALLEL.
4. DIMENSION B DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH.
5. ROUNDED CORNERS OPTIONAL.

DIM	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	0.740	0.770	18.80	19.55
B	0.250	0.270	6.35	6.85
C	0.145	0.175	3.69	4.44
D	0.015	0.021	0.39	0.53
F	0.040	0.070	1.02	1.77
G	0.100 BSC		2.54 BSC	
H	0.050 BSC		1.27 BSC	
J	0.008	0.015	0.21	0.38
K	0.110	0.130	2.80	3.30
L	0.295	0.305	7.50	7.74
M	0°	10°	0°	10°
S	0.020	0.040	0.51	1.01

D 16 PL  $\oplus 0.25 (0.010) \text{ (M) T A } \textcircled{M}$

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**NOTES:**

1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: MILLIMETER.
3. DIMENSIONS A AND B DO NOT INCLUDE MOLD PROTRUSION.
4. MAXIMUM MOLD PROTRUSION 0.15 (0.006) PER SIDE.
5. DIMENSION D DOES NOT INCLUDE DAMBAR PROTRUSION. ALLOWABLE DAMBAR PROTRUSION SHALL BE 0.127 (0.005) TOTAL IN EXCESS OF THE D DIMENSION AT MAXIMUM MATERIAL CONDITION.

DIM	MILLIMETERS		INCHES	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	9.80	10.00	0.386	0.393
B	3.80	4.00	0.150	0.157
C	1.35	1.75	0.054	0.068
D	0.35	0.49	0.014	0.019
F	0.40	1.25	0.016	0.049
G	1.27 BSC		0.050 BSC	
J	0.19	0.25	0.008	0.009
K	0.10	0.25	0.004	0.009
M	0°	7°	0°	7°
P	5.80	6.20	0.229	0.244
R	0.25	0.50	0.010	0.019

D 16 PL  $\oplus 0.25 (0.010) \text{ (M) T B } \textcircled{S} \text{ A } \textcircled{S}$

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