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CD74ACT138E**

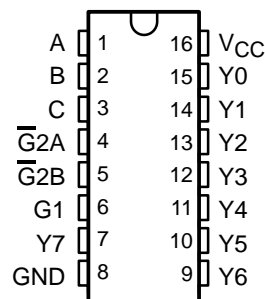


# CD54ACT138, CD74ACT138 3-LINE TO 8-LINE DECODERS/DEMULTIPLEXERS

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- Inputs Are TTL-Voltage Compatible
- Speed of Bipolar F, AS, and S, With Significantly Reduced Power Consumption
- Designed Specifically for High-Speed Memory Decoders and Data-Transmission Systems
- Incorporate Three Enable Inputs to Simplify Cascading and/or Data Reception
- Balanced Propagation Delays
- $\pm 24$ -mA Output Drive Current  
– Fanout to 15 F Devices
- SCR-Latchup-Resistant CMOS Process and Circuit Design
- Exceeds 2-kV ESD Protection Per MIL-STD-883, Method 3015

CD54ACT138 . . . F PACKAGE  
CD74ACT138 . . . E OR M PACKAGE  
(TOP VIEW)



## description/ordering information

The 'ACT138 decoders/demultiplexers are designed for high-performance memory-decoding and data-routing applications that require very short propagation-delay times. In high-performance memory systems, these decoders can be used to minimize the effects of system decoding. When employed with high-speed memories utilizing a fast enable circuit, the delay times of these decoders 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 decoders 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 (see Application Information).

## ORDERING INFORMATION

| T <sub>A</sub> | PACKAGE† |               | ORDERABLE PART NUMBER | TOP-SIDE MARKING |
|----------------|----------|---------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| –55°C to 125°C | PDIP – E | Tube          | CD74ACT138E           | CD74ACT138E      |
|                | SOIC – M | Tube          | CD74ACT138M           | ACT138M          |
|                |          | Tape and reel | CD74ACT138M96         |                  |
|                | CDIP – F | Tube          | CD54ACT138F3A         | CD54ACT138F3A    |

† Package drawings, standard packing quantities, thermal data, symbolization, and PCB design guidelines are available at [www.ti.com/sc/package](http://www.ti.com/sc/package).



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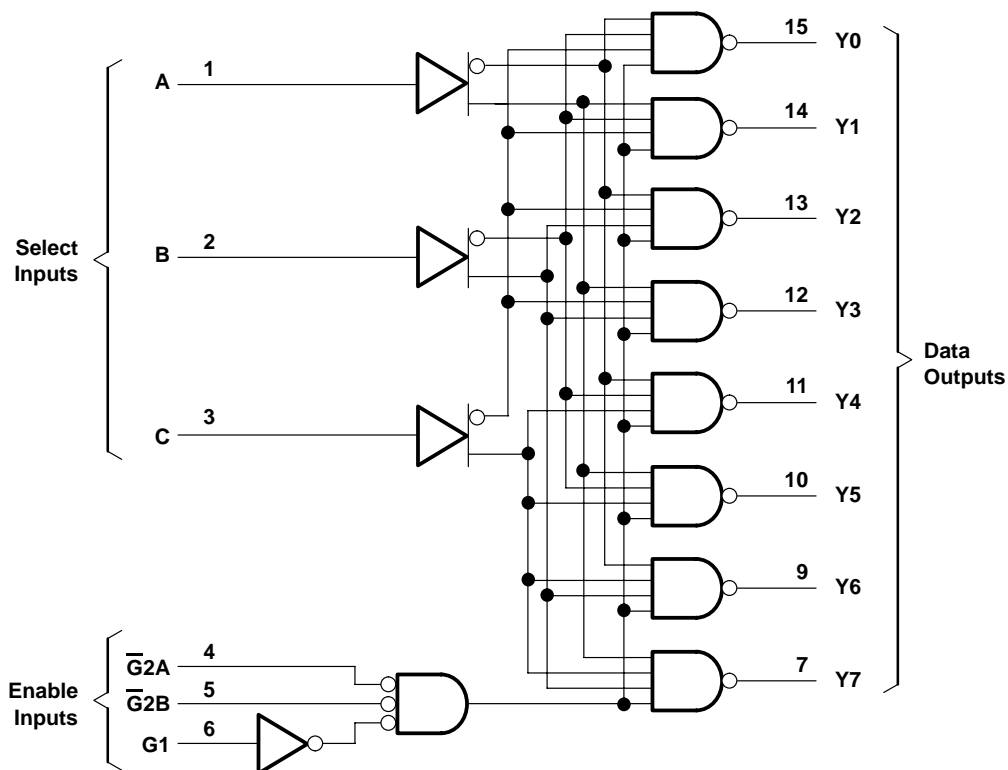
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FUNCTION TABLE

| 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  | L  | H  | H  | H  | H  | H  |
| 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  |

logic diagram (positive logic)



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## absolute maximum ratings over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)†

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Supply voltage range, $V_{CC}$ .....  | –0.5 V to 6 V  |
| Input clamp current, $I_{IK}$ ( $V_I < 0$ V or $V_I > V_{CC}$ ) (see Note 1) .....  | ±20 mA         |
| Output clamp current, $I_{OK}$ ( $V_O < 0$ V or $V_O > V_{CC}$ ) (see Note 1) ..... | ±50 mA         |
| Continuous output current, $I_O$ ( $V_O > 0$ V or $V_O < V_{CC}$ ) .....            | ±50 mA         |
| Continuous current through $V_{CC}$ or GND .....                                    | ±100 mA        |
| Package thermal impedance, $\theta_{JA}$ (see Note 2): E package .....              | 67°C/W         |
| M package .....   | 73°C/W         |
| Storage temperature range, $T_{stg}$ .....  | –65°C to 150°C |

† 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.

- NOTES: 1. The input and output voltage ratings may be exceeded if the input and output current ratings are observed.  
2. The package thermal impedance is calculated in accordance with JESD 51-7.

## recommended operating conditions (see Note 3)

|  | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ |          | –55°C to 125°C |          | –40°C to 85°C |          | UNIT |
|--|--------------------------|----------|----------------|----------|---------------|----------|------|
|  | MIN                      | MAX      | MIN            | MAX      | MIN           | MAX      |      |
| $V_{CC}$ Supply voltage                                | 4.5                      | 5.5      | 4.5            | 5.5      | 4.5           | 5.5      | V    |
| $V_{IH}$ High-level input voltage                      | 2                        |          | 2              |          | 2             |          | V    |
| $V_{IL}$ Low-level input voltage                       |                          | 0.8      |                | 0.8      |               | 0.8      | V    |
| $V_I$ Input voltage                                    | 0                        | $V_{CC}$ | 0              | $V_{CC}$ | 0             | $V_{CC}$ | V    |
| $V_O$ Output voltage                                   | 0                        | $V_{CC}$ | 0              | $V_{CC}$ | 0             | $V_{CC}$ | V    |
| $I_{OH}$ High-level output current                     |                          | –24      |                | –24      |               | –24      | mA   |
| $I_{OL}$ Low-level output current                      |                          | 24       |                | 24       |               | 24       | mA   |
| $\Delta t/\Delta v$ Input transition rise or fall rate |                          | 10       |                | 10       |               | 10       | ns/V |

NOTE 3: 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.

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

| PARAMETER          | TEST CONDITIONS   | V <sub>CC</sub>           | T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C |      | -55°C to 125°C |      | -40°C to 85°C |     | UNIT |
|--------------------|---|---------------------------|-----------------------|------|----------------|------|---------------|-----|------|
|                    |   |                           | MIN                   | MAX  | MIN            | MAX  | MIN           | MAX |      |
| V <sub>OH</sub>    | V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>         | I <sub>OH</sub> = -50 μA  | 4.5 V                 | 4.4  | 4.4            | 4.4  |               |     | V    |
|                    |   | I <sub>OH</sub> = -24 mA  | 4.5 V                 | 3.94 | 3.7            | 3.8  |               |     |      |
|                    |   | I <sub>OH</sub> = -50 mA† | 5.5 V                 |      | 3.85           |      |               |     |      |
|                    |   | I <sub>OH</sub> = -75 mA† | 5.5 V                 |      |                | 3.85 |               |     |      |
| V <sub>OL</sub>    | V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>IH</sub> or V <sub>IL</sub>         | I <sub>OL</sub> = 50 μA   | 4.5 V                 | 0.1  | 0.1            | 0.1  |               |     | V    |
|                    |   | I <sub>OL</sub> = 24 mA   | 4.5 V                 | 0.36 | 0.5            | 0.44 |               |     |      |
|                    |   | I <sub>OL</sub> = 50 mA†  | 5.5 V                 |      | 1.65           |      |               |     |      |
|                    |   | I <sub>OL</sub> = 75 mA†  | 5.5 V                 |      |                | 1.65 |               |     |      |
| I <sub>I</sub>     | V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND                     | 5.5 V                     | ±0.1                  | ±1   | ±1             |      |               | μA  |      |
| I <sub>CC</sub>    | V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> or GND, I <sub>O</sub> = 0 | 5.5 V                     | 8                     | 160  | 80             |      |               | μA  |      |
| ΔI <sub>CC</sub> ‡ | V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub> - 2.1 V                    | 4.5 V to 5.5 V            | 2.4                   | 3    | 2.8            |      |               | mA  |      |
| C <sub>i</sub>     |   |                           | 10                    | 10   | 10             |      |               | pF  |      |

† Test one output at a time, not exceeding 1-second duration. Measurement is made by forcing indicated current and measuring voltage to minimize power dissipation. Test verifies a minimum 50-Ω transmission-line drive capability at 85°C and 75-Ω transmission-line drive capability at 125°C.

‡ Additional quiescent supply current per input pin, TTL inputs high, 1 unit load

### ACT INPUT LOAD TABLE

| INPUT                                | UNIT LOAD |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| A, B, or C                           | 0.83      |
| $\overline{G}2A$ or $\overline{G}2B$ | 1         |
| G1                                   | 0.42      |

Unit Load is ΔI<sub>CC</sub> limit specified in electrical characteristics table (e.g., 2.4 mA at 25°C).

switching characteristics over recommended operating free-air temperature range, V<sub>CC</sub> = 5 V ± 0.5 V, C<sub>L</sub> = 50 pF (unless otherwise noted) (see Figure 1)

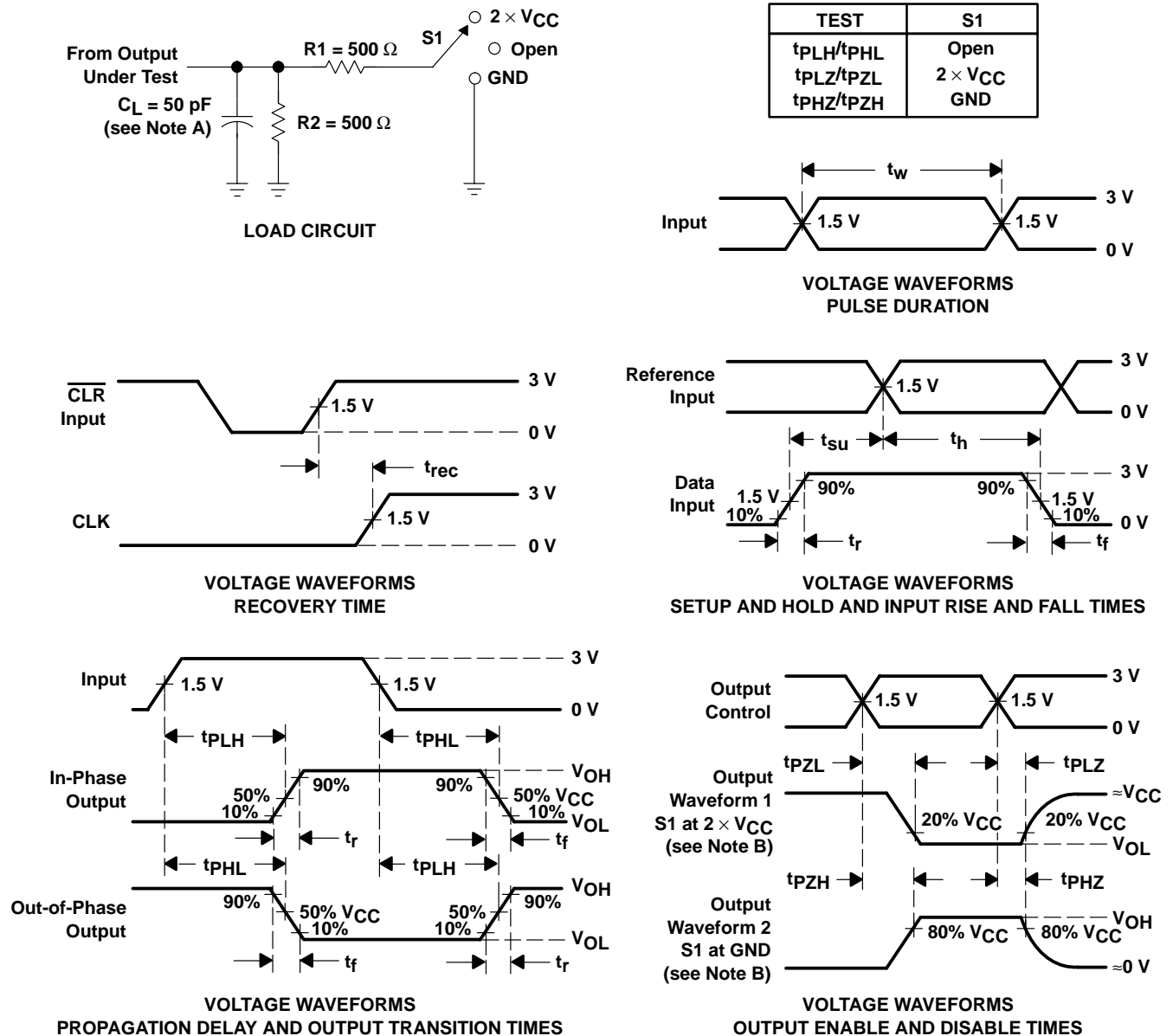
| PARAMETER        | FROM (INPUT)                     | TO (OUTPUT) | -55°C to 125°C |      | -40°C to 85°C |      | UNIT |
|------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|----------------|------|---------------|------|------|
|                  |                                  |             | MIN            | MAX  | MIN           | MAX  |      |
| t <sub>PLH</sub> | A, B, C                          | Any Y       | 3              | 12   | 3.1           | 10.9 | ns   |
| t <sub>PHL</sub> |                                  |             | 3              | 12   | 3.1           | 10.9 |      |
| t <sub>PLH</sub> | G1                               | Any Y       | 2.8            | 11   | 2.8           | 10   | ns   |
| t <sub>PHL</sub> |                                  |             | 2.8            | 11   | 2.8           | 10   |      |
| t <sub>PLH</sub> | $\overline{G}2A, \overline{G}2B$ | Any Y       | 2.6            | 10.5 | 2.7           | 9.5  | ns   |
| t <sub>PHL</sub> |                                  |             | 2.6            | 10.5 | 2.7           | 9.5  |      |

operating characteristics, V<sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C

| PARAMETER                                     | TYP | UNIT |
|---|-----|------|
| C <sub>pd</sub> Power dissipation capacitance | 110 | pF   |



PARAMETER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION



- NOTES:
- A.  $C_L$  includes probe and test-fixture 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:  $PRR \leq 1 \text{ MHz}$ ,  $Z_O = 50 \Omega$ ,  $t_r = 3 \text{ ns}$ ,  $t_f = 3 \text{ ns}$ . Phase relationships between waveforms are arbitrary.
  - D. For clock inputs,  $f_{max}$  is measured with the input duty cycle at 50%.
  - E. The outputs are measured one at a time with one input transition per measurement.
  - F.  $t_{PLH}$  and  $t_{PHL}$  are the same as  $t_{pd}$ .
  - G.  $t_{PZL}$  and  $t_{PZH}$  are the same as  $t_{en}$ .
  - H.  $t_{PLZ}$  and  $t_{PHZ}$  are the same as  $t_{dis}$ .
  - I. All parameters and waveforms are not applicable to all devices.

Figure 1. Load Circuit and Voltage Waveforms

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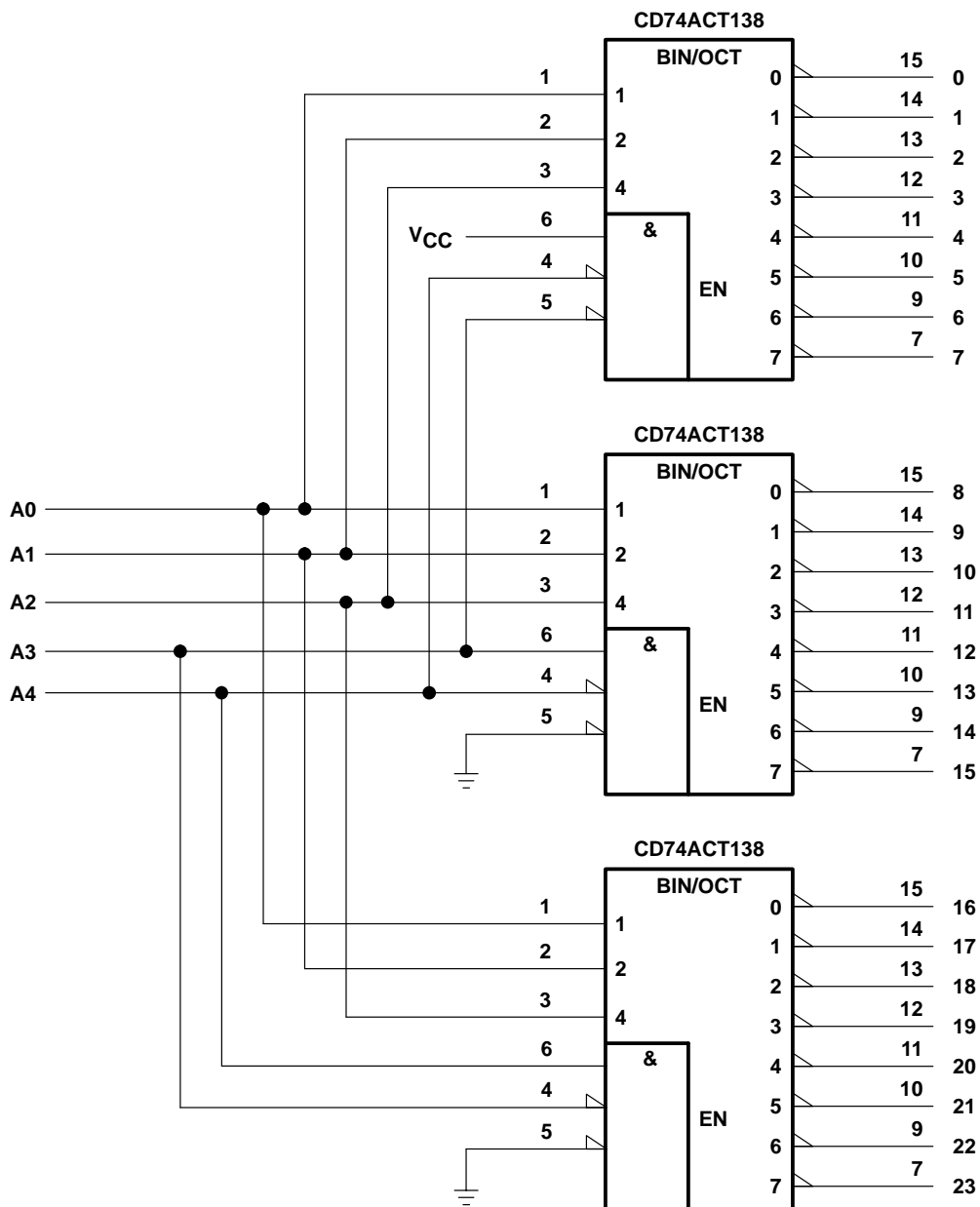


Figure 2. 24-Bit Decoding Scheme

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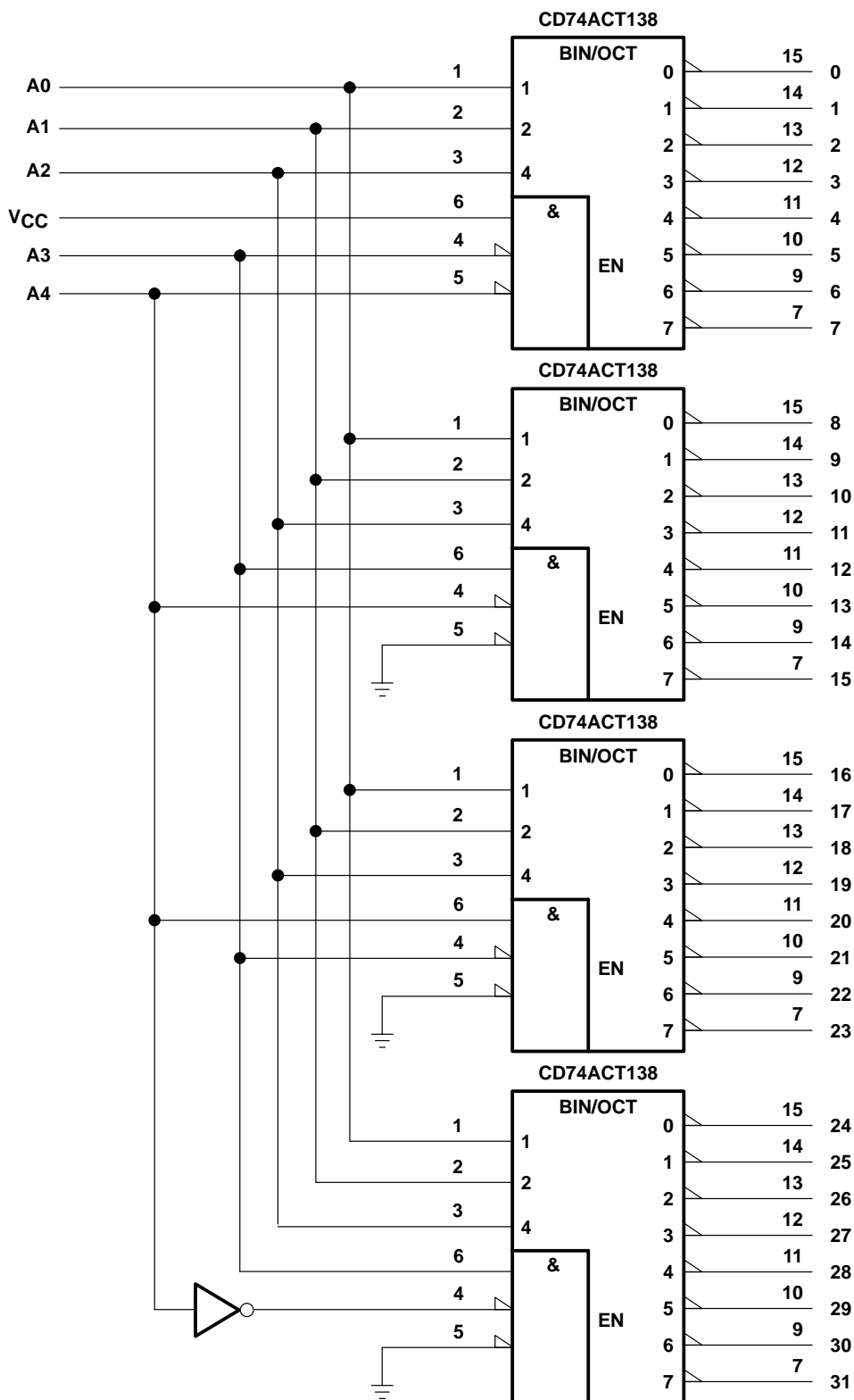


Figure 3. 32-Bit Decoding Scheme

## PACKAGING INFORMATION

| Orderable Device | Status<br>(1) | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | Package Qty | Eco Plan<br>(2)         | Lead/Ball Finish<br>(6) | MSL Peak Temp<br>(3) | Op Temp (°C) | Device Marking<br>(4/5) | Samples                 |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| CD54ACT138F3A    | ACTIVE        | CDIP         | J               | 16   | 1           | TBD                     | A42                     | N / A for Pkg Type   | -55 to 125   | CD54ACT138F3A           | <a href="#">Samples</a> |
| CD74ACT138E      | ACTIVE        | PDIP         | N               | 16   | 25          | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU               | N / A for Pkg Type   | -55 to 125   | CD74ACT138E             | <a href="#">Samples</a> |
| CD74ACT138M      | ACTIVE        | SOIC         | D               | 16   | 40          | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM   | -55 to 125   | ACT138M                 | <a href="#">Samples</a> |
| CD74ACT138M96    | ACTIVE        | SOIC         | D               | 16   | 2500        | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM   | -55 to 125   | ACT138M                 | <a href="#">Samples</a> |
| CD74ACT138M96G4  | ACTIVE        | SOIC         | D               | 16   | 2500        | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM   | -55 to 125   | ACT138M                 | <a href="#">Samples</a> |

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(5) Multiple Device Markings will be inside parentheses. Only one Device Marking contained in parentheses and separated by a "~" will appear on a device. If a line is indented then it is a continuation of the previous line and the two combined represent the entire Device Marking for that device.

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- Military - QML certified for Military and Defense Applications

## TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION



### QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE



\*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 |
|---------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|--------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------------|
| CD74ACT138M96 | SOIC         | D               | 16   | 2500 | 330.0              | 16.4               | 6.5     | 10.3    | 2.1     | 8.0     | 16.0   | Q1            |

**TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS**



\*All dimensions are nominal

| Device        | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ  | Length (mm) | Width (mm) | Height (mm) |
|---------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| CD74ACT138M96 | SOIC         | D               | 16   | 2500 | 333.2       | 345.9      | 28.6        |

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

14 LEADS SHOWN

# CERAMIC DUAL IN-LINE PACKAGE



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

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

PLASTIC DUAL-IN-LINE PACKAGE

16 PINS SHOWN





- 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.

D (R-PDSO-G16)

PLASTIC SMALL OUTLINE



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- NOTES:
- A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).
  - B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  -  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.
  -  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.

D (R-PDSO-G16)

PLASTIC SMALL OUTLINE



- NOTES:
- All linear dimensions are in millimeters.
  - This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - Publication IPC-7351 is recommended for alternate designs.
  - 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 other stencil recommendations.
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