

Serial-in Parallel-out LED Driver

8ch LED Driver IC with 3-line Serial Interface

BD8378FV-M

General Description

The BD8378FV-M is a serial-in parallel-out controlled LED driver with 35V output voltage rating. With the input of 3-line serial data, it turns the 8ch open drain output on/off. It is optimal for small space due to its compact size.

Features

- Open Drain Output
- 3-line Serial Control + Enable Signal
- Cascade Connection Compatible
- SSOP-B16 Package
- Internal 8ch Power Transistor
- Output Slew Rate Typical 20V/µs (Typ) (For Low EMC Noise)
- AEC-Q100 Qualified.

Applications

For indicator of Cluster Panel.

Key Specifications

- Input Voltage Range: 3.0V to 5.5V 35V (Max)
 - **Output Voltage Range:** 50mA (Max)
- DC Output Current (per CH):
- Output ON-Resistance:
- Standby Current:
- 0µA (Typ) Operating Temperature Range: -40°C to +105°C

Package SSOP-B16

W(Typ) x D(Typ) x H(Max) 5.00mm x 6.40mm x 1.35mm

6Ω (Typ)



Typical Application Circuit

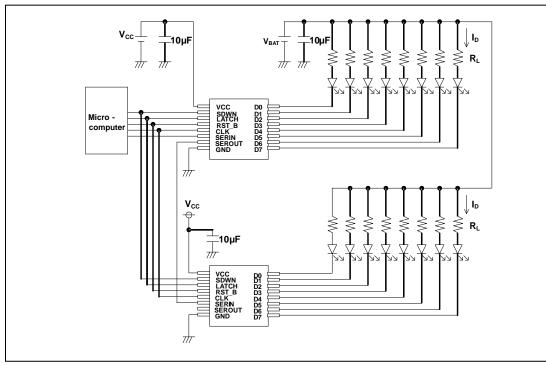


Figure 1. Typical Application Circuit

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Pin Configuration

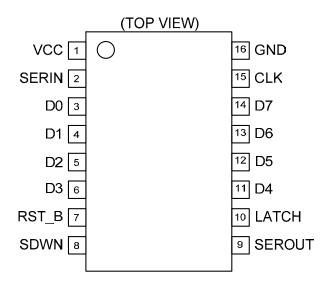
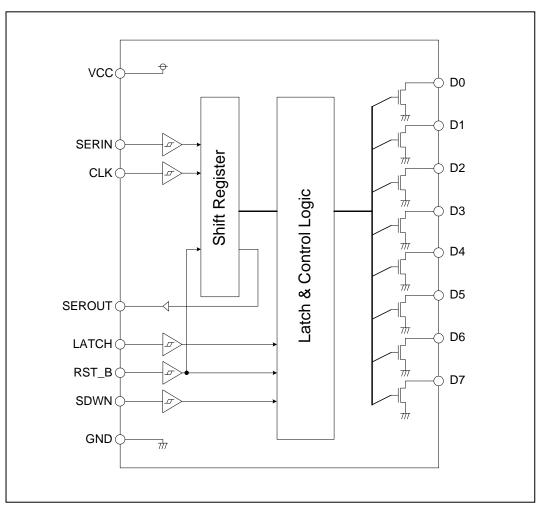


Figure 2. Pin Configuration

Block Diagram

Pin No.	Symbol	Function			
1	VCC	Power supply voltage input			
2	SERIN	Serial data input			
3	D0	Drain output 0			
4	D1	Drain output 1			
5	D2	Drain output 2			
6	D3	Drain output 3			
7	RST_B	Reset return input (Low: FF data 0)			
8	SDWN	Shutdown enable (High: Output OFF)			
9	SEROUT	Serial data output			
10	LATCH	Latch signal input (High: Data latch)			
11	D4	Drain output 4			
12	D5	Drain output 5			
13	D6	Drain output 6			
14	D7	Drain output 7			
15	CLK	Clock input			
16	GND	Ground			

Pin Descriptions





Absolute Maximum Ratings

Item	Symbol	Value	Unit
Power Supply Voltage	V _{CC}	7	V
Output Voltage	V _{Dmax}	35	V
Input Voltage	V _{IN}	-0.3 to V_{CC}	V
Power Dissipation	Pd	0.87 ^(Note 1)	W
Operating Temperature Range	Topr	-40 to +105	°C
Storage Temperature Range	Tstg	-55 to +150	°C
Drive Current (DC)	I _{omaxD}	50	mA
Drive Current (Pulse)	I _{omaxP}	150 ^(Note 2)	mA
Junction Temperature	Tjmax	150	°C

(Note 1) Pd is decreased by 7.0mW/°C for temperatures above Ta=25°C, mounted on 70mm x70mm x1.6mm Glass-epoxy PCB.

(Note 2) Do not however exceed Pd. Time to impress ≤ 200 ms.

Caution: Operating the IC over the absolute maximum ratings may damage the IC. The damage can either be a short circuit between pins or an open circuit between pins and the internal circuitry. Therefore, it is important to consider circuit protection measures, such as adding a fuse, in case the IC is operated over the absolute maximum ratings.

Recommended Operating Conditions

Item	Symbol	Value	Unit
Power Supply Voltage	V _{CC}	3.0 to 5.5	V
Operational Temperature	Topr	-40 to 105	°C

Electrical Characteristics

(Unless specified, Ta=-40 to 105°C VCC=3.0 to 5.5V)

Item	Symbol	St	andard Val	ue	Unit	Conditions
nom	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Onic	Conditions
[Output D0~D7]						
ON Resistor1	R _{ON1}	-	6	12	Ω	I _D =20mA,V _{CC} =4.5V to 5.5V
ON Resistor2	R _{ON2}	-	9	18	Ω	I _D =20mA,V _{CC} =3.0V to 4.5V
Output Leakage Current	I _{DL}	-	-	0.3	μA	V _D =34V, Ta=-40 to 125°C
【Logic input】						
Upper Limit Threshold Voltage1	V _{TH1}	V _{CC} × 0.5	-	-	V	V _{CC} =4.5V to 5.5V
Upper Limit Threshold Voltage2	V_{TH2}	V _{CC} × 0.6	-	-	V	V _{CC} =3.0V to 4.5V
Bottom Limit Threshold Voltage1	V _{TL1}	-	-	V _{CC} × 0.2	V	V_{CC} =4.5V to 5.5V
Bottom Limit Threshold Voltage2	V _{TL2}	-	-	V _{CC} × 0.3	V	V _{CC} =3.0V to 4.5V
SDWN Hysteresis Width	V _{HYS}	0.15	0.30	0.50	V	V _{CC} =5.0V, SDWN Pin
Serial Clock Frequency	F _{CLK}	-	-	1.25	MHz	
Input Leakage Current L	I _{INLL}	-5	0	-	μA	V _{IN} =0V
Input Leakage Current H	I _{INLH}	-	0	5	μA	V _{IN} =5V
[WHOLE]						
Circuit Current	I _{CC}	-	0.3	1	mA	Serial Data Input, V _{CC} =5V, CLK=500kHz, SEROUT=OPEN
Static Current	I _{STN}	-	0	50	μA	SEROUT=OPEN
[SEROUT]	·					·
Output Voltage High1	V _{OH1}	4.6	4.8	-	V	V _{CC} =5V, I _{SO} =-4mA
Output Voltage Low1	V _{OL1}	-	0.2	0.4	V	V _{CC} =5V, I _{SO} =4mA
Output Voltage High2	V _{OH2}	2.7	3.0	-	V	V _{CC} =3.3V, I _{SO} =-4mA
Output Voltage Low2	V _{OL2}	-	0.3	0.6	V	V _{CC} =3.3V, I _{SO} =4mA

Typical Performance Curves

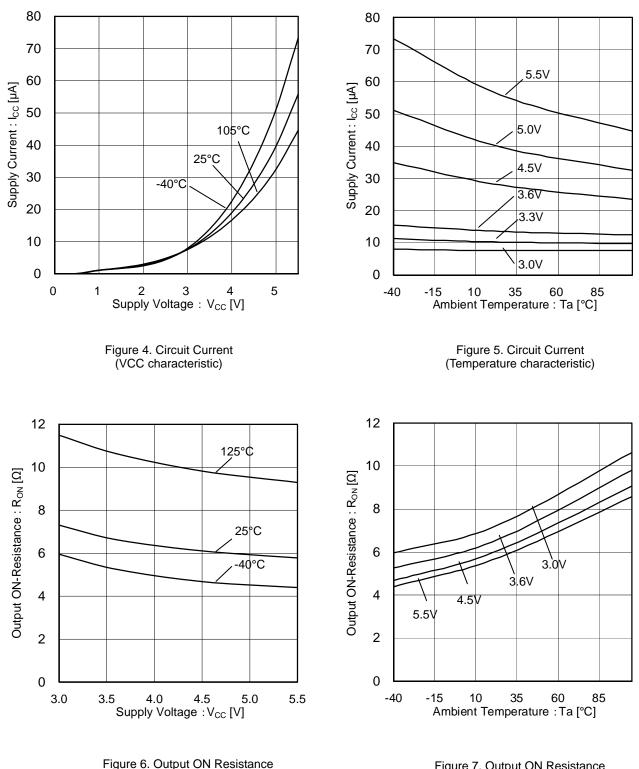


Figure 7. Output ON Resistance (Temperature characteristic @ ID=20mA)

(VCC characteristic @ ID=20mA)

Typical Performance Curves - continued

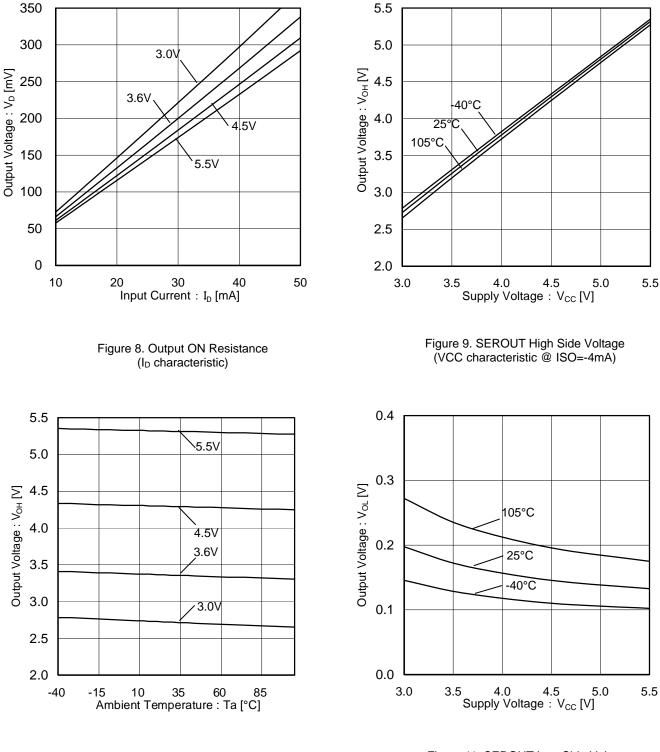




Figure 11. SEROUT Low Side Voltage (VCC characteristic @ ISO=4mA)

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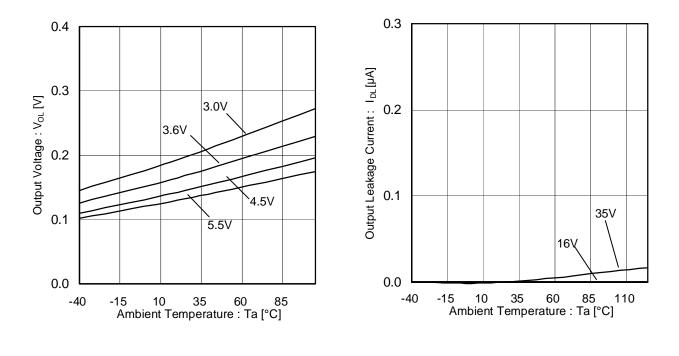


Figure 12. SEROUT Low Side Voltage (Temperature characteristic @ ISO=4mA)

Figure 13. Output Leakage Current (Temperature characteristic)

Serial Communication

The serial interface is composed of a shift register which changes the clock "CLK" and serial "SERIN" signals to parallel signals and a register to store those signals with a LATCH signal. The registers are reset by applying a voltage below V_{TL} to the RST_B terminal causing D7 to D0 to become open. Erroneous LED lighting could be prevented by applying a voltage below V_{TL} to RST_B during start-up.

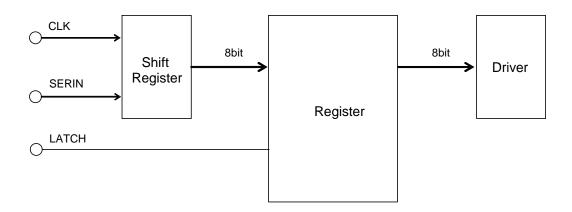


Figure 14. Block Diagram of Serial Communication

1) Serial Communication Timing

The 8-bit serial data input from SERIN is taken into the shift register by the rising edge of the CLK signal and is recorded in the register by the rising edge of the LATCH signal. The recorded data is valid until the next rising edge of the LATCH signal.

2) Serial Communication Data

The serial data input configuration of SERIN terminal is shown below:

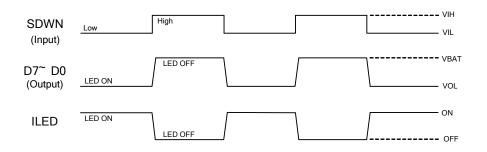
First \rightarrow \rightarrow Last								
d7	d6	d5	d4	d3	d2	d1	d0	
Data								

	Output				Da	ata			
Terminal	Condition	d7	d6	d5	d4	d3	d2	d1	d0
D7	ON	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
D7	OFF	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
DC	ON	*	1	*	*	*	*	*	*
D6	OFF	*	0	*	*	*	*	*	*
DE	ON	*	*	1	*	*	*	*	*
D5	OFF	*	*	0	*	*	*	*	*
	ON	*	*	*	1	*	*	*	*
D4	OFF	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	*
D 2	ON	*	*	*	*	1	*	*	*
D3	OFF	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	*
Da	ON	*	*	*	*	*	1	*	*
D2	OFF	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*
D1	ON	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	*
D1	OFF	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*
DO	ON	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1
D0	OFF	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0

* indicate don't care

3) Enable Signal

By applying voltage at least V_{TH} or more to the SDWN terminal, D7 to D0 become open forcibly. D7 to D0 become PWM operation by having the PWM signal to the SDWN terminal.



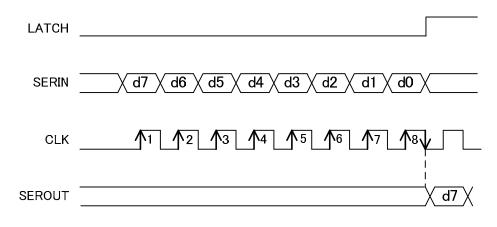


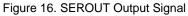
4) SEROUT

A cascade connection can be made (connecting at least 2 or more IC's in serial).

Serial signal input from SERIN is transferred into receiver IC by the falling edge of the CLK signal.

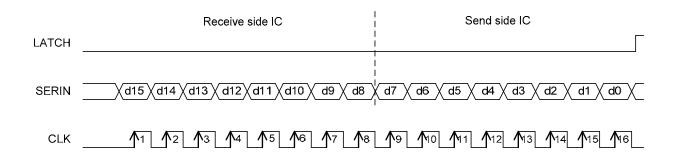
Since this functionality gives enough margins for the setup time prior to the rising edge of the CLK signal on the receiver IC (using the exact same CLK signal of sender IC), the application reliability can be improved as cascade connection functionality.





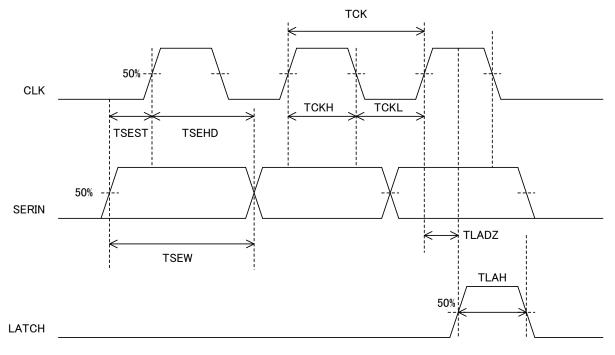
Cascade Connection

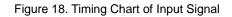
By using (at least) 2 ICs, each IC's D7 to D0, at (at least) 16ch, can be controlled by the 16-bit SERIN signal. The serial data input to the sender IC can be transferred to the receiver IC by inputting 8 CLK to the CLK terminal.





INPUT SIGNAL'S TIMING CHART





INPUT SIGNAL'S TIMING RULE (Ta=-40°C to 105°C V_{CC}=3.0V to 5.5V)

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Unit
CLK period	t _{ск}	800	ns
CLK high pulse width	t _{СКН}	380	ns
CLK low pulse width	t _{CKL}	380	ns
SERIN high and low pulse width	t _{SEW}	780	ns
SERIN setup time prior to CLK rise	tsest	150	ns
SERIN hold time after CLK rise	t _{SEHD}	150	ns
LATCH high pulse time	t _{LAH}	380	ns
Last CLK rise to LATCH rise	t _{LADZ}	200	ns

OUTPUT SIGNAL'S DELAY CHART

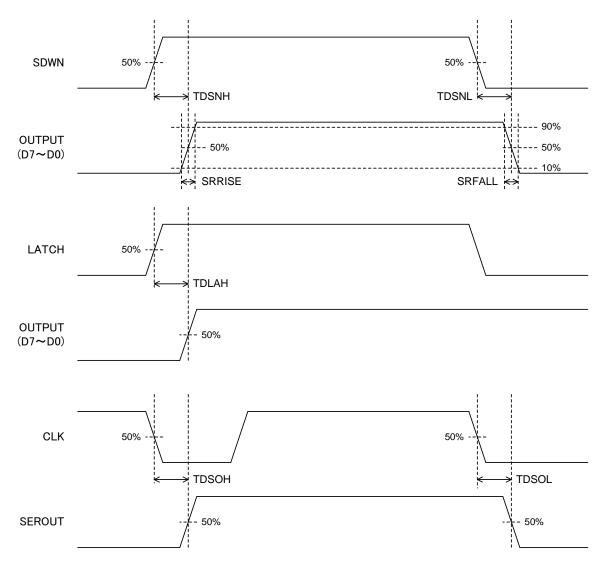
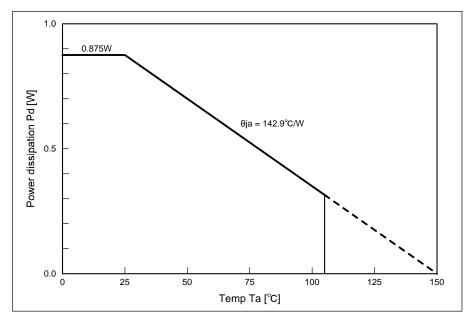


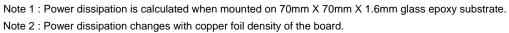
Figure 19. Delay Chart of Output Signal

OUTPUT SIGNAL'S DELAY TIME (Ta=-40°C to 105°C VCC=3.0V to 5.5V)

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Condition
SDWN Switching Time (Low→High)	t _{DSNH}	-	-	3000	ns	
SDWN Switching Time (High→Low)	t _{DSNL}	-	-	2000	ns	
LATCH Switching Delay Time	t _{DLAH}	-	-	3000	ns	
SEROUT Propagation Delay Time (Low→High)	t _{DSOH}	-	-	350	ns	
SEROUT Propagation Delay Time (High→Low)	t _{DSOL}	-	-	350	ns	
Rising Slew Rate	SR _{RISE}	-	20	-	V/µs	Ta=25°C,VCC=5V, RL=500Ω,VBAT=10V
Falling Slew Rate	SR _{FALL}	-	20	-	V/µs	Ta=25°C, VCC=5V, RL=500Ω,VBAT=10V

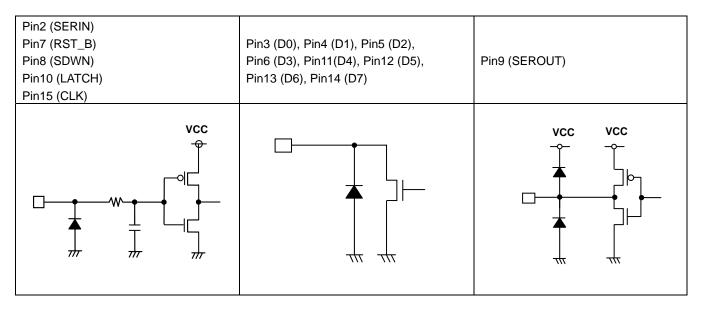
Power Dissipation







I/O Equivalence Circuits



Operational Notes

1. Reverse Connection of Power Supply

Connecting the power supply in reverse polarity can damage the IC. Take precautions against reverse polarity when connecting the power supply, such as mounting an external diode between the power supply and the IC's power supply pins.

2. Power Supply Lines

Design the PCB layout pattern to provide low impedance supply lines. Separate the ground and supply lines of the digital and analog blocks to prevent noise in the ground and supply lines of the digital block from affecting the analog block. Furthermore, connect a capacitor to ground at all power supply pins. Consider the effect of temperature and aging on the capacitance value when using electrolytic capacitors.

3. Ground Voltage

Ensure that no pins are at a voltage below that of the ground pin at any time, even during transient condition.

4. Ground Wiring Pattern

When using both small-signal and large-current ground traces, the two ground traces should be routed separately but connected to a single ground at the reference point of the application board to avoid fluctuations in the small-signal ground caused by large currents. Also ensure that the ground traces of external components do not cause variations on the ground voltage. The ground lines must be as short and thick as possible to reduce line impedance.

5. Thermal Consideration

Should by any chance the power dissipation rating be exceeded the rise in temperature of the chip may result in deterioration of the properties of the chip. The absolute maximum rating of the Pd stated in this specification is when the IC is mounted on a 70mm x 1.6mm glass epoxy board. In case of exceeding this absolute maximum rating, increase the board size and copper area to prevent exceeding the Pd rating.

6. Recommended Operating Conditions

These conditions represent a range within which the expected characteristics of the IC can be approximately obtained. The electrical characteristics are guaranteed under the conditions of each parameter.

7. Inrush Current

When power is first supplied to the IC, it is possible that the internal logic may be unstable and inrush current may flow instantaneously due to the internal powering sequence and delays, especially if the IC has more than one power supply. Therefore, give special consideration to power coupling capacitance, power wiring, width of ground wiring, and routing of connections.

8. Operation Under Strong Electromagnetic Field

Operating the IC in the presence of a strong electromagnetic field may cause the IC to malfunction.

9. Testing on Application Boards

When testing the IC on an application board, connecting a capacitor directly to a low-impedance output pin may subject the IC to stress. Always discharge capacitors completely after each process or step. The IC's power supply should always be turned off completely before connecting or removing it from the test setup during the inspection process. To prevent damage from static discharge, ground the IC during assembly and use similar precautions during transport and storage.

10. Inter-pin Short and Mounting Errors

Ensure that the direction and position are correct when mounting the IC on the PCB. Incorrect mounting may result in damaging the IC. Avoid nearby pins being shorted to each other especially to ground, power supply and output pin. Inter-pin shorts could be due to many reasons such as metal particles, water droplets (in very humid environment) and unintentional solder bridge deposited in between pins during assembly to name a few.

Operational Notes – continued

11. Unused Input Pins

Input pins of an IC are often connected to the gate of a MOS transistor. The gate has extremely high impedance and extremely low capacitance. If left unconnected, the electric field from the outside can easily charge it. The small charge acquired in this way is enough to produce a significant effect on the conduction through the transistor and cause unexpected operation of the IC. So unless otherwise specified, unused input pins should be connected to the power supply or ground line.

12. Regarding the Input Pin of the IC

This monolithic IC contains P+ isolation and P substrate layers between adjacent elements in order to keep them isolated. P-N junctions are formed at the intersection of the P layers with the N layers of other elements, creating a parasitic diode or transistor. For example (refer to figure below):

When GND > Pin A and GND > Pin B, the P-N junction operates as a parasitic diode. When GND > Pin B, the P-N junction operates as a parasitic transistor.

Parasitic diodes inevitably occur in the structure of the IC. The operation of parasitic diodes can result in mutual interference among circuits, operational faults, or physical damage. Therefore, conditions that cause these diodes to operate, such as applying a voltage lower than the GND voltage to an input pin (and thus to the P substrate) should be avoided.

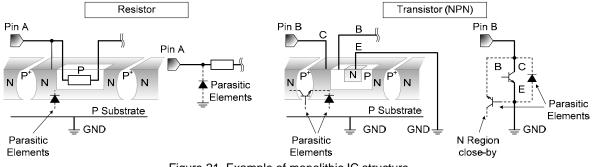


Figure 21. Example of monolithic IC structure

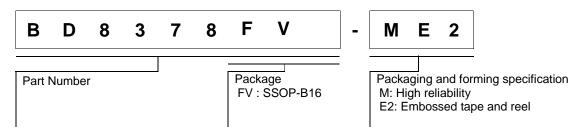
13. Ceramic Capacitor

When using a ceramic capacitor, determine the dielectric constant considering the change of capacitance with temperature and the decrease in nominal capacitance due to DC bias and others.

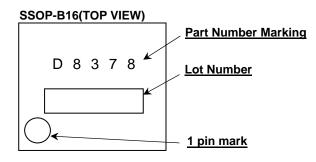
14. Area of Safe Operation (ASO)

Operate the IC such that the output voltage, output current, and power dissipation are all within the Area of Safe Operation (ASO).

Ordering Information

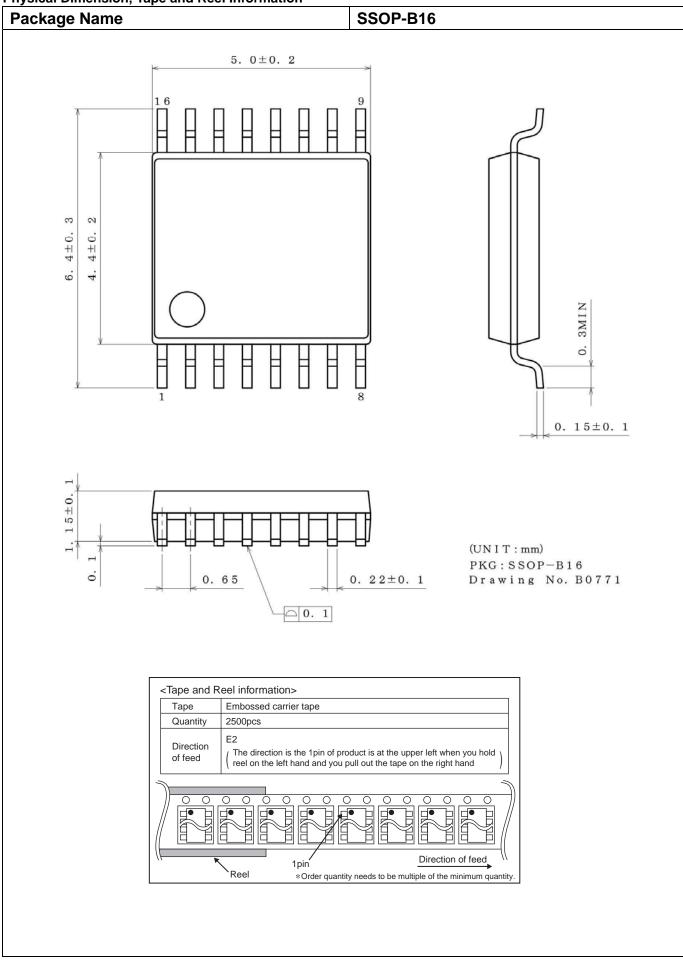


Marking Diagram (TOP VIEW)



Datasheet

Physical Dimension, Tape and Reel Information



Revision History

Date	Revision	Changes
14.Nov.2013	001	New Release
01.Oct.2014	002	P1 Add AEC-Q100 Qualified

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