



## 54LS138

### FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

The 'LS138 is a high-speed dual 1-of-8 Decoder/ Demultiplexer fabricated with the low power Schottky barrier diode process. The decoder accepts three binary weighted inputs (A, B, C) and when enabled provides eight mutually exclusive active LOW outputs ( $\bar{Y}_0$ ,  $\bar{Y}_7$ ). The 'LS138 features three Enable inputs, two active LOW ( $\bar{G}_{2A}$ ,  $\bar{G}_{2B}$ ) and one active HIGH ( $G_1$ ). All outputs will be HIGH unless  $\bar{G}_{2A}$  and  $\bar{G}_{2B}$  are LOW and  $G_1$  is HIGH. This multiple enable function allows

easy parallel expansion of the device to a 1-of-32 (5 lines to 32 lines) decoder with just four 'LS138s and one inverter.

The 'LS138 can be used as an 8-output demultiplexer by using one of the active LOW enable inputs as a data input and the other Enable inputs as strobes. The Enable inputs which are not used must be permanently tied to their appropriate active HIGH or active LOW state.

TRUTH TABLE													
Inputs						Outputs							
$\bar{G}_{2A}$	$\bar{G}_{2B}$	$G_1$	A	B	C	$\bar{Y}_0$	$\bar{Y}_1$	$\bar{Y}_2$	$\bar{Y}_3$	$\bar{Y}_4$	$\bar{Y}_5$	$\bar{Y}_6$	$\bar{Y}_7$
H	X	X	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
X	H	X	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
X	X	L	X	X	X	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
L	L	H	L	L	L	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
L	L	H	H	L	L	H	L	H	H	H	H	H	H
L	L	H	L	H	L	H	H	L	H	H	H	H	H
L	L	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	L	H	H	H	H
L	L	H	L	L	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	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L	H
L	L	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	L

H = HIGH Voltage Levels  
 L = LOW Voltage Levels  
 X = Don't Care

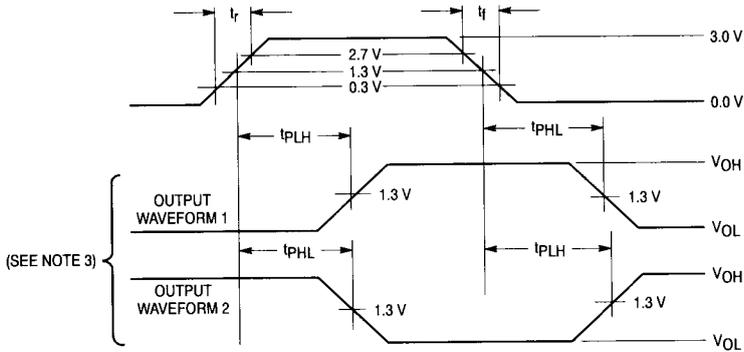
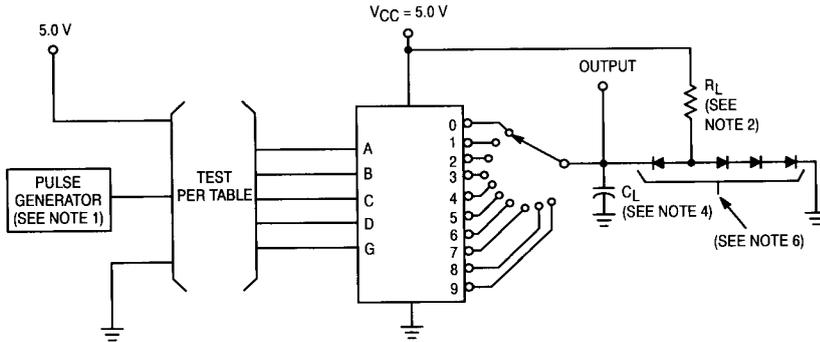
Pin Names	Loading (Note a)	
	HIGH	LOW
A, B, C Address Inputs	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
$\bar{G}_{2A}, \bar{G}_{2B}$ Enable (Active LOW) Input	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
$G_1$ Enable (Active HIGH) Inputs	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
$\bar{Y}_0, \bar{Y}_3$ Active Low Outputs	10 U.L.	5(2.5) U.L.

**NOTES:**

- a. One TTL Unit Load (U.L.) = 40  $\mu$ A HIGH/1.6 mA LOW.
- b. The Output LOW drive factor is 2.5 U.L. for Military (54) Temperature Ranges.

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TEST CIRCUIT AND WAVEFORM



NOTES:

1. Input pulse has the following characteristics:  
 $t_r \leq 15 \text{ ns}$ ,  $t_f \leq 6.0 \text{ ns}$ ,  $\text{PRR} \leq 1.0 \text{ MHz}$  and minimum duty cycle = 50%.
2.  $R_L = 2.0 \text{ k}\Omega \pm 10\%$ .
3. Input-output waveform combination in accordance with truth table.
4.  $C_L = 50 \text{ pF} \pm 10\%$ , including scope probe, wiring and stray capacitance.
5. Voltage measurements are to be made with respect to network ground terminal.
6. All diodes are 1N3064 or equivalent.
7. The limits specified for  $C_L = 15 \text{ pF}$  are guaranteed but not tested.

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Symbol	Parameter	Limits						Unit	Test Condition (Unless Otherwise Specified)
		+ 25°C		+ 125°C		- 55°C			
		Subgroup 1		Subgroup 2		Subgroup 3			
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
V <sub>OH</sub>	Logical "1" Output Voltage	2.5		2.5		2.5		V	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V, I <sub>OH</sub> = -0.4 mA, G <sub>1</sub> = 0.7 V, other inputs are open.
V <sub>OL</sub>	Logical "0" Output Voltage		0.4		0.4		0.4	V	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V, I <sub>OL</sub> = 4.0 mA, V <sub>IL</sub> = 0.7 V, V <sub>IH</sub> = 2.0 V, G <sub>1</sub> = 0.7 V, $\bar{G}_{2A,B}$ = 0.7 V.
V <sub>IC</sub>	Input Clamping Voltage		-1.5					V	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V, I <sub>IN</sub> = -18 mA, other inputs are open.
I <sub>IH</sub>	Logical "1" Input Current		20		20		20	μA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, V <sub>IH</sub> = 2.7 V (all inputs).
I <sub>IHH</sub>	Logical "1" Input Current		100		100		100	μA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, V <sub>IHH</sub> = 5.5 V (all inputs).
I <sub>IL</sub>	Logical "0" Input Current	-0.12	-0.36	-0.12	-0.36	-0.12	-0.36	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, V <sub>IN</sub> = 0.4 V (all inputs).
I <sub>OS</sub>	Output Short Circuit Current	-15	-100	-15	-100	-15	-100	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, V <sub>IN</sub> = 5.5 V ( $\bar{G}_{2A,B}$ ), V <sub>OUT</sub> = GND, other inputs are open.
I <sub>CC</sub>	Power Supply Current Off		10		10		10	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, V <sub>IN</sub> = 5.5 V (G <sub>1</sub> ), $\bar{G}_{2A/B}$ = GND
V <sub>IH</sub>	Logical "1" Input Voltage	2.0		2.0		2.0		V	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V.
V <sub>IL</sub>	Logical "0" Input Voltage		0.7		0.7		0.7	V	V <sub>CC</sub> = 4.5 V.
	Functional Tests	Subgroup 7		Subgroup 8A		Subgroup 8B			per Truth Table with V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, V <sub>INL</sub> = 0.4 V, and V <sub>INH</sub> = 2.5 V.

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		+ 25°C		+ 125°C		- 55°C			
		Subgroup 9		Subgroup 10		Subgroup 11			
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
t <sub>PHL2</sub> t <sub>PHL2</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output High-Low	5.0 —	46 41	5.0 —	69 64	5.0 —	69 64	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PLH2</sub> t <sub>PLH2</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output Low-High	5.0 —	25 20	5.0 —	38 33	5.0 —	38 33	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PHL3</sub> t <sub>PHL3</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output High-Low	5.0 —	37 39	5.0 —	56 51	5.0 —	56 51	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PLH3</sub> t <sub>PLH3</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output Low-High	5.0 —	23 27	5.0 —	35 30	5.0 —	35 30	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PHL4</sub> t <sub>PHL4</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output High-Low	5.0 —	54 32	5.0 —	81 76	5.0 —	81 76	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PLH4</sub> t <sub>PLH4</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output Low-High	5.0 —	32 18	5.0 —	48 43	5.0 —	48 43	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PHL5</sub> t <sub>PHL5</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output High-Low	5.0 —	43 38	5.0 —	65 61	5.0 —	65 61	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.
t <sub>PLH5</sub> t <sub>PLH5</sub>	Propagation Delay /Data-Output Low-High	5.0 —	31 26	5.0 —	47 42	5.0 —	47 42	ns	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 50 pF, R <sub>L</sub> = 2.0 kΩ. V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V, C <sub>L</sub> = 15 pF.