## 16K Serial E<sup>2</sup>PROM with a Precision Low-V<sub>CC</sub> Lockout Circuit 3 and 5 Volt Systems

#### **FEATURES**

- Voltage Protection™
- Precision Low-V<sub>CC</sub> Write Lockout
- All Write Operations Inhibited When V<sub>CC</sub> Falls below V<sub>LOCK</sub>
- One 3Volt and Two 5Volt System Versions
  - $V_{LOCK} = 2.6V + .1V / .05V$
  - VLOCK = 4.25V +.25V/-0.0V
  - $V_{LOCK} = 4.50 + .25 V/-0.0 V$
- 100% Compatible with Industry Standard I<sup>2</sup>C™ Devices
  - Bi-directional data transfer protocol
  - Standard 100kHz and 400kHz Transfer Rates
- 16-Byte Page-Write Mode
  - Minimizes total write time per byte
- 1,000,000 Program/Erase Cycles
- 100 Year Data Retention
- Commercial Industrial Temperature Range

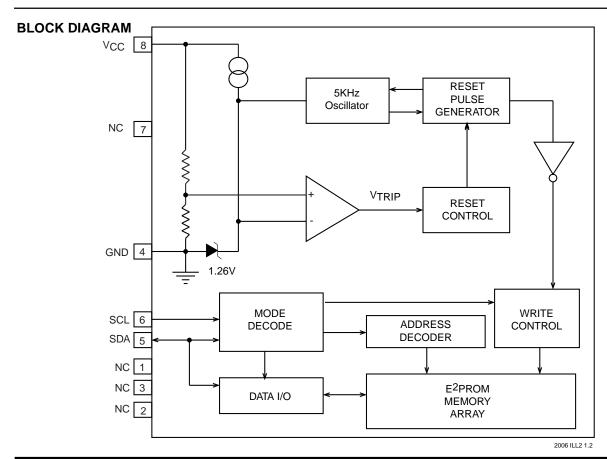
## **OVERVIEW**

The S24VP16 is a 16K-bit serial E<sup>2</sup>PROM memory integrated with a precision  $V_{CC}$  sense circuit. The sense circuit will disable write operations whenever  $V_{CC}$  falls below the  $V_{LOCK}$  voltage. It is fabricated using SUMMIT's advanced CMOS E<sup>2</sup>PROM technology and is suitable for both 3 and 5 volt systems.

The S24VP16 is internally organized as 2,048 x 8. It features the I<sup>2</sup>C serial interface and software protocol allowing operation on a simple two-wire bus.

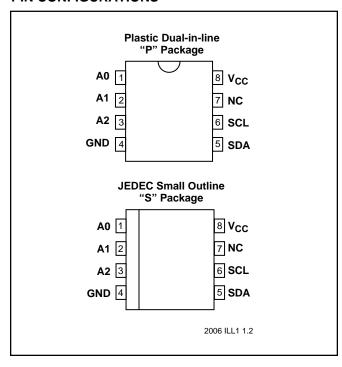
## **PIN DESCRIPTIONS**

**Serial Clock (SCL)** - The SCL input is used to clock data into and out of the device. In the WRITE mode, data must remain stable while SCL is HIGH. In the READ mode, data is clocked out on the falling edge of SCL.





#### PIN CONFIGURATIONS



#### **PIN NAMES**

A0, A1, A2	Unused Address Inputs
SDA	Serial Data I/O
SCL	Serial Clock Input
GND	Ground
Vcc	Supply Voltage
NC	No Connect

**Serial Data (SDA)** - The SDA pin is a bidirectional pin used to transfer data into and out of the device. Data may change only when SCL is LOW, except START and STOP conditions. It is an open-drain output and may be wire-ORed with any number of open-drain or open-collector outputs.

Address Inputs (A0, A1, A2) - The A0, A1 and A2 inputs are unused by the S24VP16; however, to insure proper operation they should be tied to ground. They must not be tied to  $V_{\rm CC}$ .

#### **ENDURANCE AND DATA RETENTION**

The S24VP16 is designed for applications requiring up to 1,000,000 erase/write cycles and unlimited read cycles. It provides 100 years of secure data retention, with or without power applied, after the execution of 1,000,000 erase/write cycles.

#### **DEVICE OPERATION**

## **APPLICATIONS**

The S24VP16 was designed specifically for applications where the integrity of the stored data is paramount. In recent years, as the operating voltage range of serial E²PROMs has widened, most semiconductor manufacturers have arbitrarily eliminated their  $V_{CC}$  sense circuits. The S24VP16 will protect your data by guaranteeing write lockout below the selected  $V_{CC}$  Lockout voltage.

## V<sub>CC</sub> Lockout

The S24VP16 has an on-board precision  $V_{CC}$  sense circuit. Whenever  $V_{CC}$  is below  $V_{LOCK}$ , the S24VP16 will disable the internal write circuitry. The  $V_{CC}$  lockout circuit will ensure a higher level of data integrity than can be expected from industry standard devices that have either a very loose specification or no  $V_{CC}$  lockout specification.

During a power-on sequence all writes will be inhibited below the  $V_{LOCK}$  level and will continue to be held in a write inhibit state for approximately 200ms after  $V_{CC}$  reaches, then stays at or above  $V_{LOCK}$ . The 200ms delay provides a buffer space for the microcontroller to complete its power-on initialization routines (reading is OK) while still protecting against inadvertent writes.

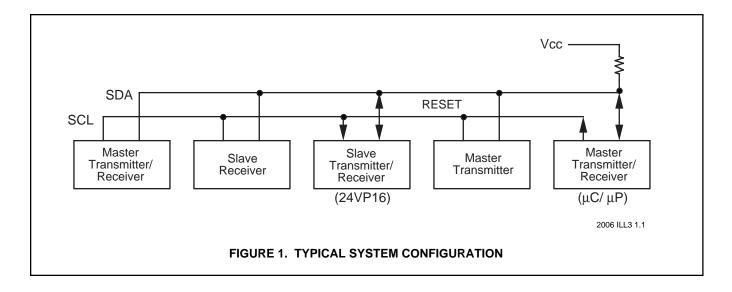
During a power-down sequence initiation of writes will be inhibited whenever  $V_{CC}$  falls below  $V_{LOCK}$ . This will guard against the system's microcontroller performing an inadvertent write within the 'danger zone'. (see AN001)

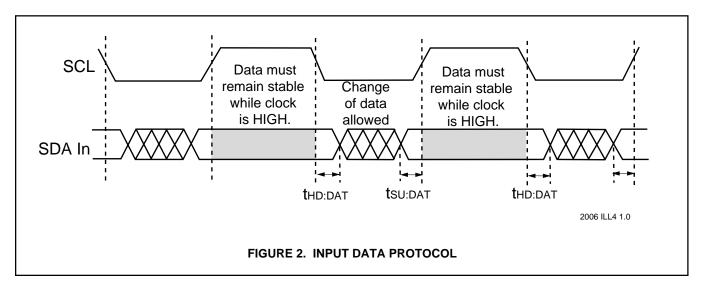
## CHARACTERISTICS OF THE I2C BUS

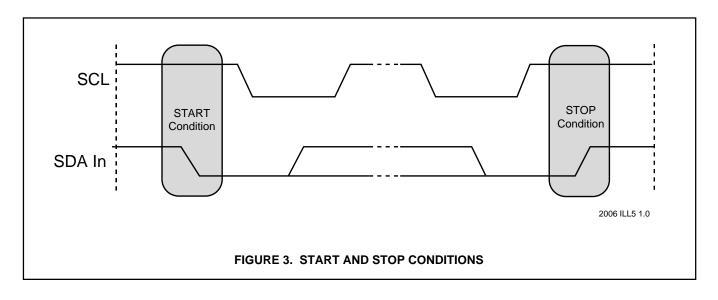
### **General Description**

The I<sup>2</sup>C bus was designed for two-way, two-line serial communication between different integrated circuits. The two lines are: a serial data line (SDA), and a serial clock line (SCL). The SDA line must be connected to a positive supply by a pull-up resistor, located somewhere on the bus (See Figure 1). Data transfer between devices may be initiated with a START condition only when SCL and SDA are HIGH (bus is not busy).

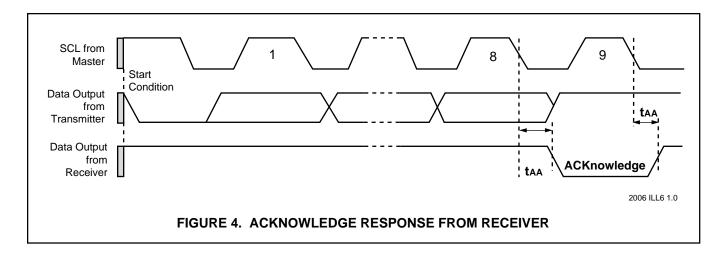












## **Input Data Protocol**

One data bit is transferred during each clock pulse. The data on the SDA line must remain stable during clock HIGH time, because changes on the data line while SCL is HIGH will be interpreted as start or stop condition (See Figure 2).

## **START and STOP Conditions**

When both the data and clock lines are HIGH, the bus is said to be not busy. A HIGH-to-LOW transition on the data line, while the clock is HIGH, is defined as the "START" condition. A LOW-to-HIGH transition on the data line, while the clock is HIGH, is defined as the "STOP" condition (See Figure 3).

## **DEVICE OPERATION**

The S24VP16 is a 16,384-bit serial E<sup>2</sup>PROM. The device supports the I<sup>2</sup>C bidirectional data transmission protocol. The protocol defines any device that sends data onto the bus as a "transmitter" and any device which receives data as a "receiver." The device controlling data transmission is called the "master" and the controlled device is called the "slave." In all cases, the S24VP16 will be a "slave" device, since it never initiates any data transfers.

## Acknowledge (ACK)

Acknowledge is a software convention used to indicate successful data transfers. The transmitting device, either the master or the slave, will release the bus after transmitting eight bits. During the ninth clock cycle, the receiver will pull the SDA line LOW to ACKnowledge that it received the eight bits of data (See Figure 4).

The S24VP16 will respond with an ACKnowledge after recognition of a START condition and its slave address byte. If both the device and a write operation are selected, the S24VP16 will respond with an ACKnowledge after the receipt of each subsequent 8-bit word.

In the READ mode, the S24VP16 transmits eight bits of data, then releases the SDA line, and monitors the line for an ACKnowledge signal. If an ACKnowledge is detected, and no STOP condition is generated by the master, the S24VP16 will continue to transmit data. If an ACKnowledge is not detected, the S24VP16 will terminate further data transmissions and awaits a STOP condition before returning to the standby power mode.

## **Device Addressing**

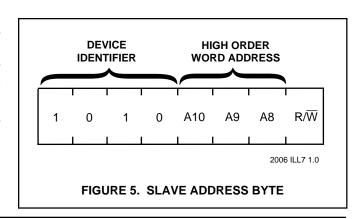
Following a start condition the master must output the address of the slave it is accessing. The most significant four bits of the slave address are the device type identifier (see figure 5). For the S24VP16 this is fixed as 1010[B].

#### **Word Address**

The next three bits of the slave address are an extension of the array's address and are concatenated with the eight bits of address in the word address field, providing direct access to the 2,048 X 8 array.

## Read/Write Bit

The last bit of the data stream defines the operation to be performed. When set to "1," a read operation is selected; when set to "0," a write operation is selected.





#### WRITE OPERATIONS

The S24VP16 allows two types of write operations: byte write and page write. The byte write operation writes a single byte during the nonvolatile write period ( $t_{WR}$ ). The page write operation allows up to 16 bytes in the same page to be written during  $t_{WR}$ .

## **Byte WRITE**

After the slave address is sent (to identify the slave device, specify high order word address and a read or write operation), a second byte is transmitted which contains the low 8 bit addresses of any one of the 2,048 words in the array.

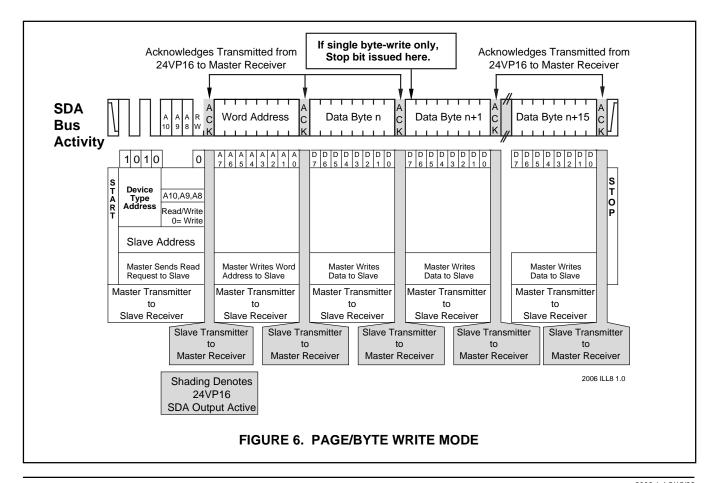
Upon receipt of the word address, the S24VP16 responds with an ACKnowledge. After receiving the next byte of data, it again responds with an ACKnowledge. The master then terminates the transfer by generating a STOP condition, at which time the S24VP16 begins the internal write cycle.

While the internal write cycle is in progress, the S24VP16 inputs are disabled, and the device will not respond to any requests from the master. Refer to Figure 6 for the address, ACKnowledge and data transfer sequence.

## Page WRITE

The S24VP16 is capable of a 16-byte page write operation. It is initiated in the same manner as the byte-write operation, but instead of terminating the write cycle after the first data word, the master can transmit up to 15 more words of data. After the receipt of each word, the S24VP16 will respond with an ACKnowledge.

The S24VP16 automatically increments the address for subsequent data words. After the receipt of each word, the four low order address bits are internally incremented by one. The high order five bits of the address byte remain constant. Should the master transmit more than sixteen words, prior to generating the STOP condition, the address counter will "roll over," and the previously written data will be overwritten. As with the byte-write operation, all inputs are disabled during the internal write cycle. Refer to Figure 6 for the address, ACKnowledge and data transfer sequence.



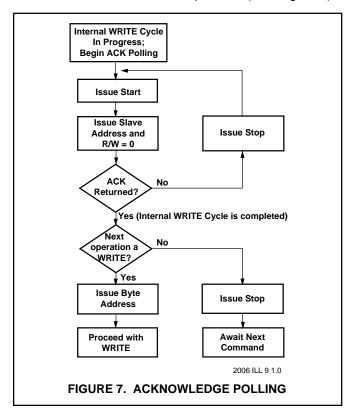
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## **Acknowledge Polling**

When the S24VP16 is performing an internal WRITE operation, it will ignore any new START conditions. Since the device will only return an acknowledge after it accepts the START, the part can be continuously queried until an acknowledge is issued, indicating that the internal WRITE cycle is complete.

To poll the device, give it a START condition, followed by a slave address for a WRITE operation (See Figure 7).



#### READ OPERATIONS

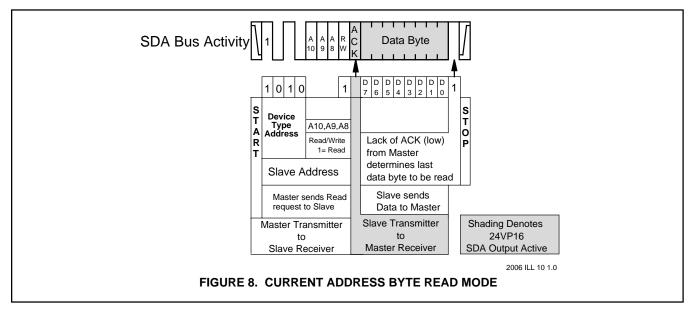
Read operations are initiated with the R/W bit of the identification field set to "1." There are four different read options:

- 1. Current Address Byte Read
- 2. Random Address Byte Read
- 3. Current Address Sequential Read
- 4. Random Address Sequential Read

## **Current Address Byte Read**

The S24VP16 contains an internal address counter which maintains the address of the last word accessed, incremented by one. If the last address accessed (either a read or write) was to address location n, the next read operation would access data from address location n+1 and increment the current address pointer. When the S24VP16 receives the slave address field with the R/W bit set to "1," it issues an acknowledge and transmits the 8-bit word stored at address location n+1.

The current address byte read operation only accesses a single byte of data. The master does not acknowledge the transfer, but does generate a stop condition. At this point, the S24VP16 discontinues data transmission. See Figure 8 for the address acknowledge and data transfer sequence.

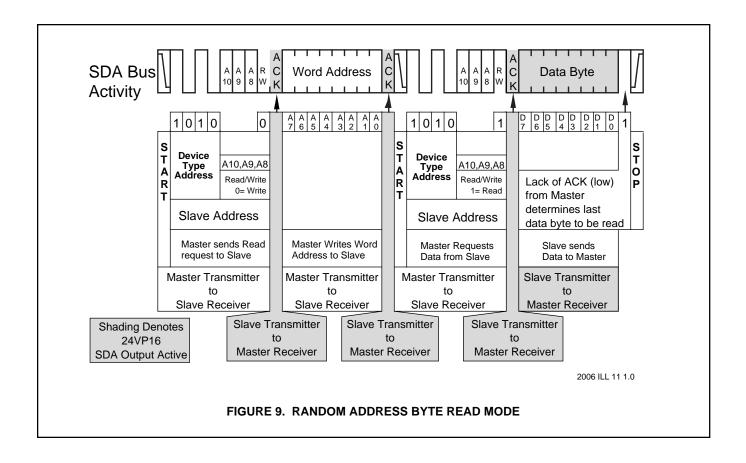




## **Random Address Byte Read**

Random address read operations allow the master to access any memory location in a random fashion. This operation involves a two-step process. First, the master issues a write command which includes the start condition and the slave address field (with the R/W bit set to WRITE) followed by the address of the word it is to read. This procedure sets the internal address counter of the S24VP16 to the desired address.

After the word address acknowledge is received by the master, the master immediately reissues a start condition followed by another slave address field with the R/W bit set to READ. The S24VP16 will respond with an acknowledge and then transmit the 8-data bits stored at the addressed location. At this point, the master does not acknowledge the transmission but does generate the stop condition. The S24VP16 discontinues data transmission and reverts to its standby power mode. See Figure 9 for the address, acknowledge and data transfer sequence.

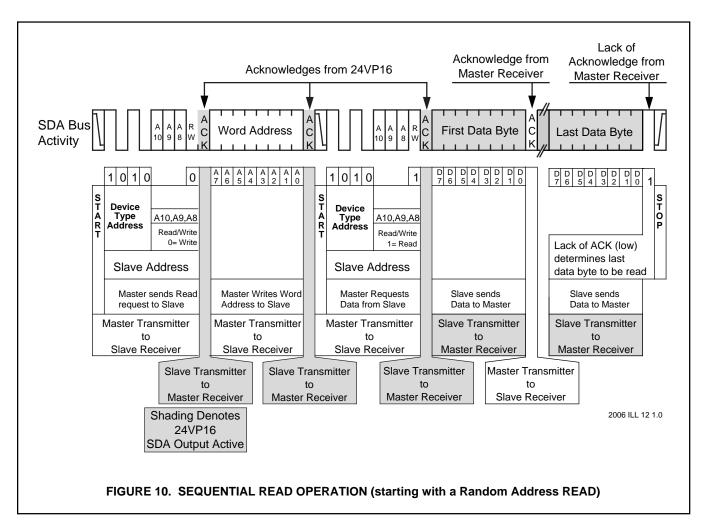




## **Sequential READ**

Sequential READs can be initiated as either a current address READ or random access READ. The first word is transmitted as with the other byte read modes (current address byte READ); however, the master now responds with an ACKnowledge, indicating that it requires additional data from the S24VP16. The S24VP16 continues to output data for each ACKnowledge received. The master terminates the sequential READ operation by not responding with an ACKnowledge, and issues a STOP conditions.

During a sequential read operation, the internal address counter is automatically incremented with each acknowledge signal. For read operations, all address bits are incremented, allowing the entire array to be read using a single read command. After a count of the last memory address, the address counter will 'roll-over' and the memory will continue to output data. See Figure 10 for the address, acknowledge and data transfer sequence.



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## **ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Temperature Under Bias	-40°C to +85°C
Storage Temperature	
Soldering Temperature (less than 10 seconds)	300°C
Supply Voltage	
Voltage on Any Pin	
ESD Voltage (JEDEC method)	
NOTE: These are STRESS ratings only. Appropriate conditions for operating these devices	

NOTE: These are STRESS ratings only. Appropriate conditions for operating these devices are given elsewhere in this specification. Stresses beyond those listed here may permanently damage the part. Prolonged exposure to maximum ratings may affect device reliability.

## DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

S24VP16,  $T_A$  = -40°C to +85°C,  $V_{CC}$  = 5V  $\pm$  10% S24VP16-3,  $T_A$  = -40°C to +85°C,  $V_{CC}$  = 2.7V to 5.5V

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions			Max	Units
Icc Supply Current (CMOS)	Supply Current (CMOS)	SCL = CMOS Levels @ 100KHz V <sub>CC</sub> =5.5V SDA = Open	V <sub>CC</sub> =5.5V		3	mA
	Supply Current (CiviCS)	All other inputs = GND or V <sub>CC</sub>	V <sub>CC</sub> =3.3V		2	mA
I <sub>SB</sub>	Standby Current (CMOS)	SCL = SDA = V <sub>CC</sub>	V <sub>CC</sub> =5.5V		50	μΑ
		All other inputs = GND V <sub>CC</sub> =3.3V			25	μA
I <sub>LI</sub>	Input Leakage	$V_{IN} = 0$ To $V_{CC}$			10	μΑ
I <sub>LO</sub>	Output Leakage	V <sub>OUT</sub> = 0 To V <sub>CC</sub>			10	μΑ
V <sub>IL</sub>	Input Low Voltage	S0, S1, S2, SCL, SDA, RESET			0.3xV <sub>CC</sub>	V
V <sub>IH</sub>	Input High Voltage	S0, S1, S2, SCL, SDA				V
V <sub>OL</sub>	Output Low Voltage	I <sub>OL</sub> = 3mA			0.4	V

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## **AC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

S24VP16,  $T_A = -40^{\circ}C$  to +85°C,  $V_{CC} = 5V \pm 10\%$ S24VP16-3,  $T_A = -40^{\circ}C$  to +85°C,  $V_{CC} = 2.7V$  to 5.5V

$4VP16-3$ , $TA = -40^{\circ}C$ to $+85^{\circ}C$ , $V_{CC} = 2.7V$		7V to 5.5V	2.7V t	o 4.5V	4.5V to 5.5V		
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Min	Max	Unit
fscL	SCL Clock Frequency		0	100		400	KHz
tLOW	Clock Low Period		4.7		1.3		μs
tніgн	Clock High Period		4.0		0.6		μs
tbuf	Bus Free Time	Before New Transmission	4.7		1.3		μs
tsu:sta	Start Condition Setup Time		4.7		0.6		μs
thd:sta	Start Condition Hold Time		4.0		0.6		μs
tsu:sто	Stop Condition Setup Time		4.7		0.6		μs
taa	Clock to Output	SCL Low to SDA Data Out Valid	0.3	3.5	0.2	0.9	μs
tон	Data Out Hold Time	SCL Low to SDA Data Out Change	0.3		0.2		μs
tr	SCL and SDA Rise Time			1000		300	ns
tF	SCL and SDA Fall Time			300		300	ns
tsu:dat	Data In Setup Time		250		100		ns
thd:dat	Data In Hold Time		0		0		ns
Tı	Noise Spike Width @ SCL, SDA Inputs	Noise Suppression Time Constant		100		100	ns
twr	Write Cycle Time			10		10	ms

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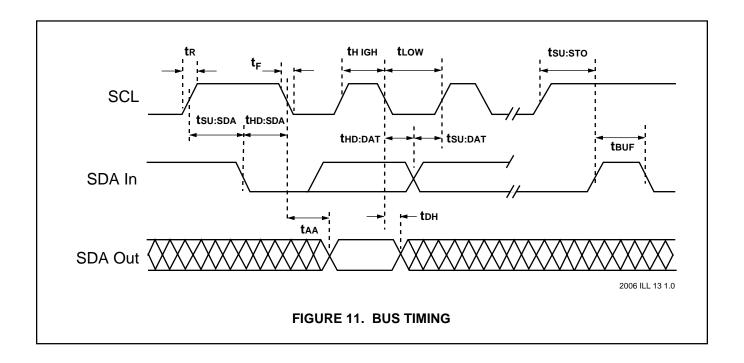


## **CAPACITANCE**

 $TA = 25^{\circ}C$ , f = 100KHz

Symbol	Parameter	Max	Units
C <sub>IN</sub>	Input Capacitance	5	pF
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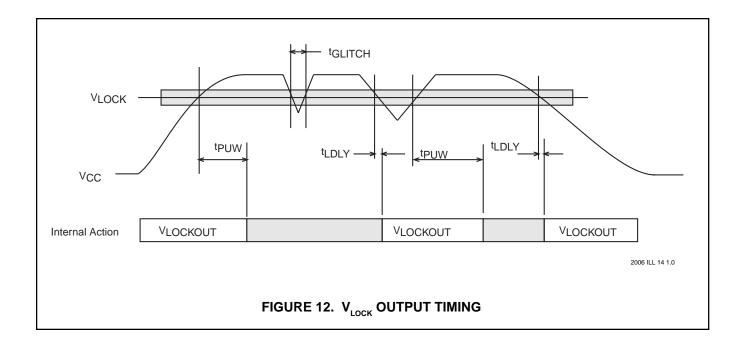


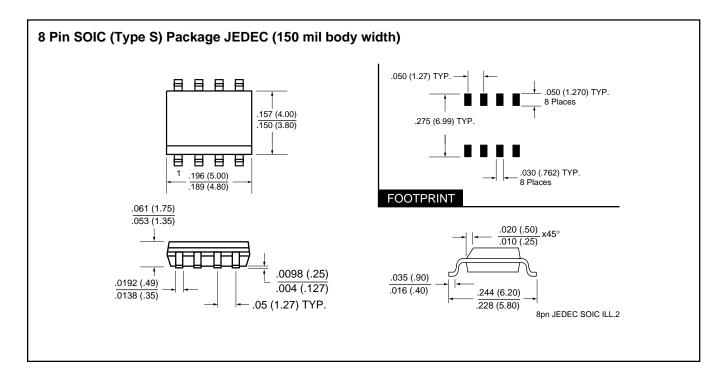
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Symbol	Parameter	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Unit
VLOCK	Write Lockout Voltage Level	2.55	2.70	4.25	4.50	4.50	4.75	V
tpuw	Power-Up Write Delay	130	20	130	270	130	270	ms
tLDLY	Delay to VLOCKOUT		5		5		5	μs
tGLITCH	Glitch Filter		30		30		30	ns

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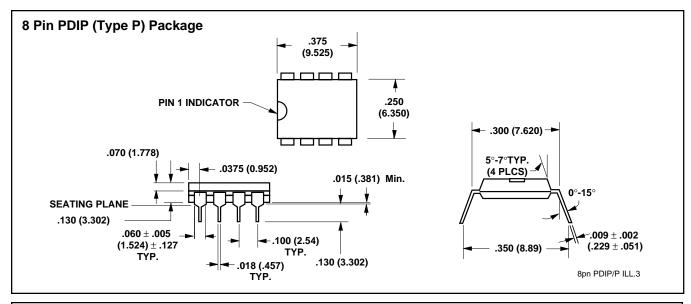


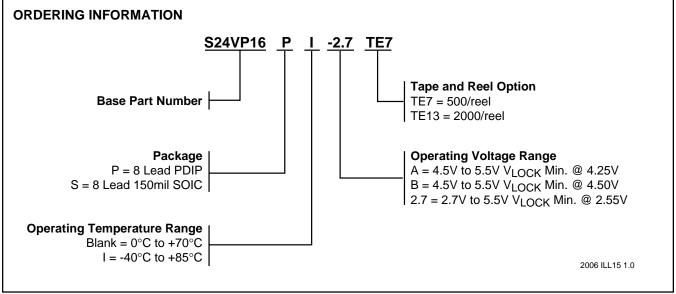




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