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74HC/HCT161

Presetable synchronous 4-bit binary counter; asynchronous reset

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FEATURES

- Synchronous counting and loading
- Two count enable inputs for n-bit cascading
- Positive-edge triggered clock
- Asynchronous reset
- Output capability: standard
- I_{cc} category: MSI

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The 74HC/HCT161 are high-speed Si-gate CMOS devices and are pin compatible with low power Schottky TTL (LSTTL). They are specified in compliance with JEDEC standard no. 7A.

The 74HC/HCT161 are synchronous presettable binary counters which feature an internal look-ahead carry and can be used for high-speed counting.

Synchronous operation is provided by having all flip-flops clocked simultaneously on the positive-going edge of the clock (CP).

The outputs (Q₀ to Q₃) of the counters may be preset to a HIGH or LOW level. A LOW level at the parallel enable

input (PE) disables the counting action and causes the data at the data inputs (D₀ to D₃) to be loaded into the counter on the positive-going edge of the clock (providing that the set-up and hold time requirements for PE are met). Preset takes place regardless of the levels at count enable inputs (CEP and CET).

A LOW level at the master reset input (MR) sets all four outputs of the flip-flops (Q₀ to Q₃) to LOW level regardless of the levels at CP, PE, CET and CEP inputs (thus providing an asynchronous clear function).

The look-ahead carry simplifies serial cascading of the counters. Both count enable inputs (CEP and CET) must be HIGH to count. The CET input is fed forward to enable the terminal count output (TC). The TC output thus enabled will produce a HIGH output pulse of a duration approximately equal to a HIGH level output of Q₀. This pulse can be used to enable the next cascaded stage.

The maximum clock frequency for the cascaded counters is determined by the CP to TC propagation delay and CEP to CP set-up time, according to the following formula:

$$f_{\max} = \frac{1}{t_{P(\max)} (CP \text{ to } TC) + t_{SU} (CEP \text{ to } CP)}$$

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

GND = 0 V; T_{amb} = 25 °C; t_r = t_f = 6 ns

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	TYPICAL		UNIT
			HC	HCT	
t _{PHL} / t _{PLH}	propagation delay CP to Q _n	C _L = 15 pF; V _{CC} = 5 V	19	20	ns
	CP to TC		21	24	ns
	MR to Q _n		20	25	ns
	MR to TC		20	26	ns
	CET to TC		10	14	ns
			44	45	MHz
f _{max}	maximum clock frequency				
C _I	input capacitance		3.5	3.5	pF
C _{PD}	power dissipation capacitance per package	notes 1 and 2	33	35	pF

Notes

1. C_{PD} is used to determine the dynamic power dissipation (P_D in µW):

$$P_D = C_{PD} \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_i + \sum (C_L \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_o)$$

where:

f_i = input frequency in MHz

f_o = output frequency in MHz

$\sum (C_L \times V_{CC}^2 \times f_o)$ = sum of outputs

C_L = output load capacitance in pF

V_{CC} = supply voltage in V

2. For HC the condition is
V_I = GND to V_{CC}

For HCT the condition is
V_I = GND to V_{CC} - 1.5 V

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ORDERING INFORMATION

See "74HC/HCT/HCU/HCMOS Logic Package Information".

PIN DESCRIPTION

PIN NO.	SYMBOL	NAME AND FUNCTION
1	MR	asynchronous master reset (active LOW)
2	CP	clock input (LOW-to-HIGH, edge-triggered)
3, 4, 5, 6	D ₀ to D ₃	data inputs
7	CEP	count enable input
8	GND	ground (0 V)
9	PE	parallel enable input (active LOW)
10	CET	count enable carry input
14, 13, 12, 11	Q ₀ to Q ₃	flip-flop outputs
15	TC	terminal count output
16	V _{CC}	positive supply voltage

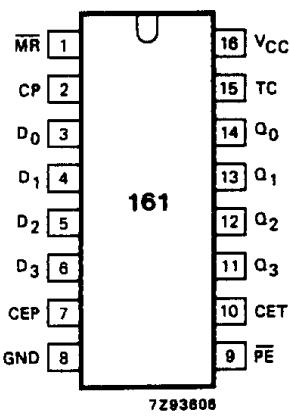


Fig.1 Pin configuration.

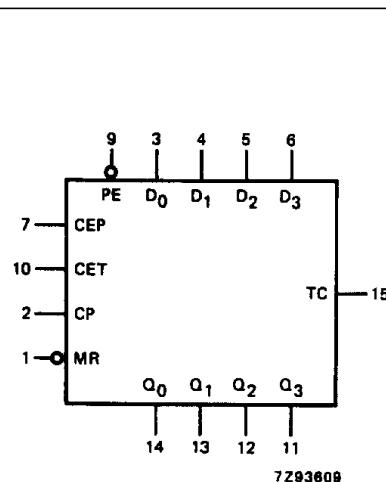


Fig.2 Logic symbol.

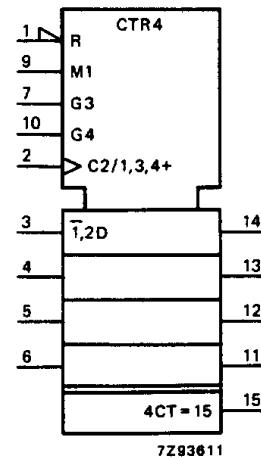


Fig.3 IEC logic symbol.

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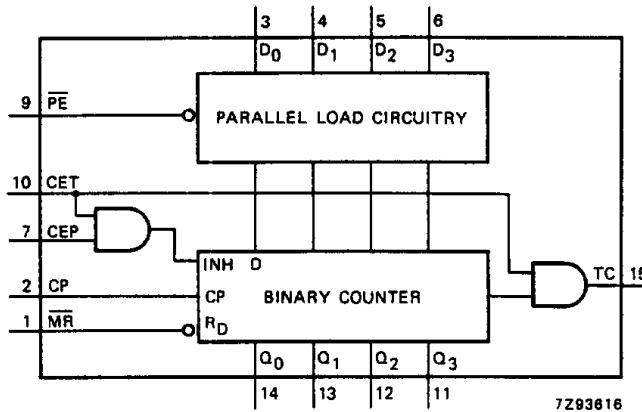


Fig.4 Functional diagram.

FUNCTION TABLE

OPERATING MODE	INPUTS						OUTPUTS	
	MR	CP	CEP	CET	PE	D _n	Q _n	TC
reset (clear)	L	X	X	X	X	X	L	L
parallel load	H	↑	X	X	I	I	L	L
	H	↑	X	X	I	h	H	(1)
count	H	↑	h	h	h	X	count	(1)
hold (do nothing)	H	X	I	X	h	X	q _n	(1)
	H	X	X	I	h	X	q _n	L

Note

1. The TC output is HIGH when CET is HIGH and the counter is at terminal count (HHHH).

H = HIGH voltage level

h = HIGH voltage level one set-up time prior to the LOW-to-HIGH CP transition

L = LOW voltage level

I = LOW voltage level one set-up time prior to the LOW-to-HIGH CP transition

q = lower case letters indicate the state of the referenced output one set-up time prior to the LOW-to-HIGH CP transition

X = don't care

↑ = LOW-to-HIGH CP transition

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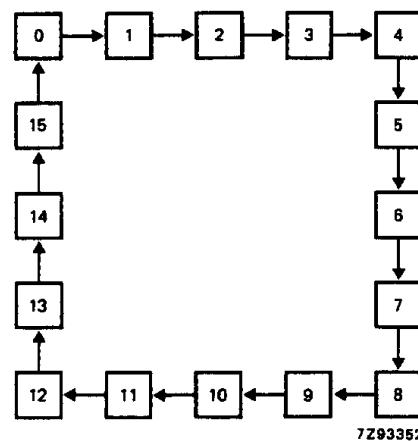


Fig.5 State diagram.

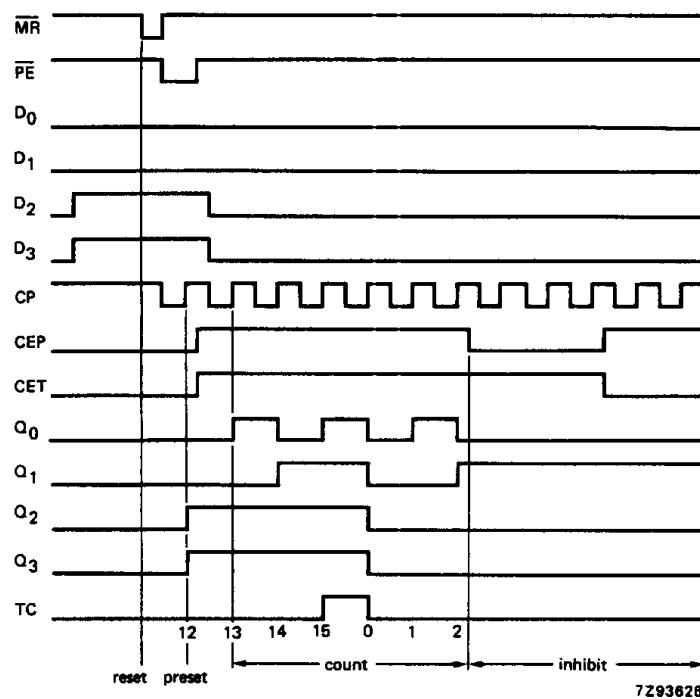


Fig.6 Typical timing sequence: reset outputs to zero; preset to binary twelve; count to thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, zero, one and two; inhibit.

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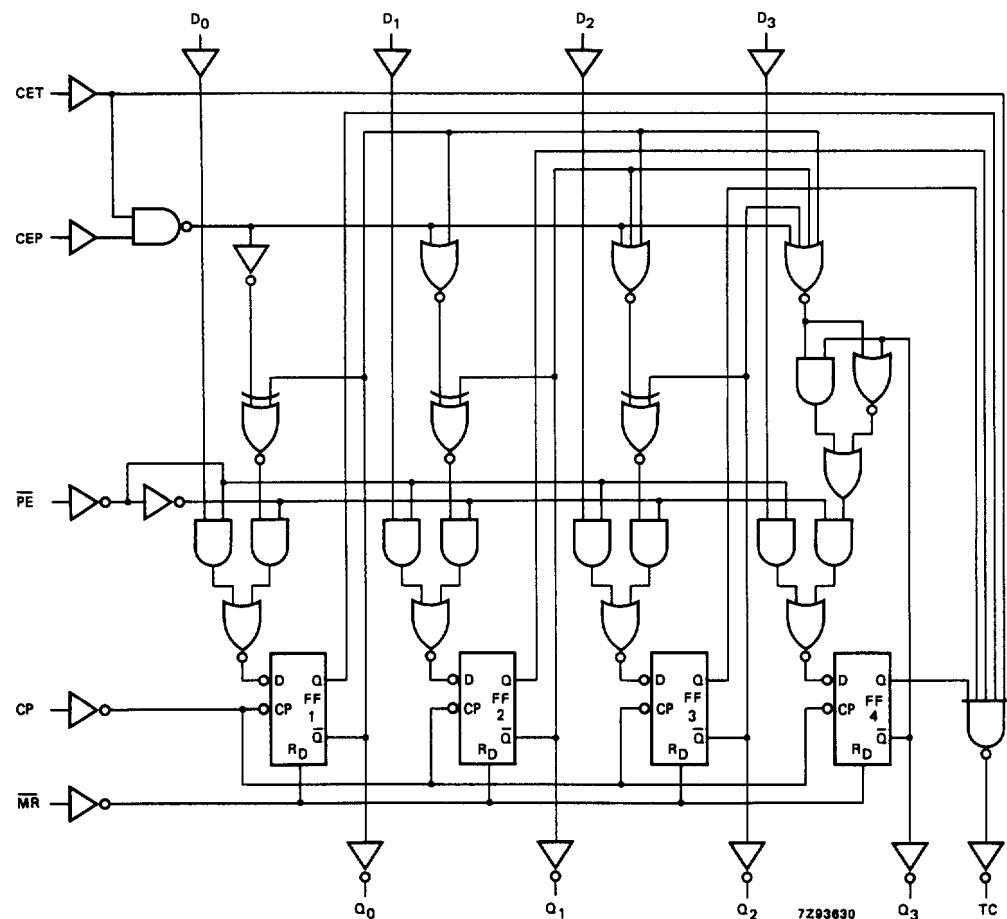


Fig.7 Logic diagram.

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DC CHARACTERISTICS FOR 74HC

For the DC characteristics see "[74HC/HCT/HCU/HCMOS Logic Family Specifications](#)".

Output capability: standard

I_{CC} category: MSI

AC CHARACTERISTICS FOR 74HC

$GND = 0 \text{ V}$; $t_r = t_f = 6 \text{ ns}$; $C_L = 50 \text{ pF}$

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	$T_{amb} (\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C})$						UNIT	TEST CONDITIONS			
		74HC							V _{cc} (V)	WAVEFORMS		
		+25			−40 to +85		−40 to +125					
		min.	typ.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.				
t_{PHL}/t_{PLH}	propagation delay CP to Q_n		61 22 18	190 38 32		240 48 41		285 57 48	ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.8	
t_{PHL}/t_{PLH}	propagation delay CP to TC		69 25 20	215 43 37		270 54 46		325 65 55	ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.8	
t_{PHL}	propagation delay \overline{MR} to Q_n		63 23 18	210 42 36		265 53 45		315 63 54	ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.9	
t_{PHL}	propagation delay \overline{MR} to TC		63 23 18	220 44 37		275 55 47		330 66 56	ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.9	
t_{PHL}/t_{PLH}	propagation delay CET to TC		33 12 10	150 30 26		190 38 33		225 45 38	ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.10	
t_{THL}/t_{TLH}	output transition time		19 7 6	75 15 13		95 19 16		110 22 19	ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Figs 8 and 10	
t_W	clock pulse width HIGH or LOW	80 16 14	22 8 6		100 20 17		120 24 20		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.8	
t_W	master reset pulse width; LOW	80 16 14	19 7 6		100 20 17		120 24 20		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.9	
t_{rem}	removal time \overline{MR} to CP	100 20 17	19 7 6		125 25 21		150 30 26		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.9	
t_{su}	set-up time D_n to CP	80 16 14	25 9 7		100 20 17		120 24 20		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.11	
t_{su}	set-up time \overline{PE} to CP	100 20 17	30 11 9		125 25 21		150 30 26		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.11	

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		+25			−40 to +85		−40 to +125								
		min.	typ.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.							
t _{su}	set-up time CEP, CET to CP	170 34 29	47 17 14		215 43 37		255 51 43		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.12				
t _h	hold time D _n , P̄E, CEP, CET to CP	0 0 0	−14 −5 −4		0 0 0		0 0 0		ns	2.0 4.5 6.0	Figs 11 and 12				
f _{max}	maximum clock pulse frequency	4.6 23 27	13 40 48		3.6 18 21		3.0 15 18		MHz	2.0 4.5 6.0	Fig.8				

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DC CHARACTERISTICS FOR 74HCT

For the DC characteristics see "[74HC/HCT/HCU/HCMOS Logic Family Specifications](#)".

Output capability: standard

I_{CC} category: MSI

Note to HCT types

The value of additional quiescent supply current (ΔI_{CC}) for a unit load of 1 is given in the family specifications.

To determine ΔI_{CC} per input, multiply this value by the unit load coefficient shown in the table below.

INPUT	UNIT LOAD COEFFICIENT
MR	0.95
CP	1.10
CEP	0.25
D _n	0.25
CET	0.75
PE	0.30

AC CHARACTERISTICS FOR 74HCT

GND = 0 V; $t_r = t_f = 6$ ns; $C_L = 50$ pF

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	T_{amb} (°C)						UNIT	TEST CONDITIONS			
		74HCT							V _{CC} (V)	WAVEFORMS		
		+25			−40 to +85		−40 to +125					
		min.	typ.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.				
t_{PHL}/t_{PLH}	propagation delay CP to Q _n		23	43		54		65	ns	4.5	Fig.8	
t_{PHL}/t_{PLH}	propagation delay CP to TC		28	48		60		72	ns	4.5	Fig.8	
t_{PHL}	propagation delay \overline{MR} to Q _n		29	46		58		69	ns	4.5	Fig.9	
t_{PHL}	propagation delay \overline{MR} to TC		30	51		64		77	ns	4.5	Fig.9	
t_{PHL}/t_{PLH}	propagation delay CET to TC		17	35		44		53	ns	4.5	Fig.10	
t_{THL}/t_{TLH}	output transition time		7	15		19		22	ns	4.5	Figs 8 and 10	
t_W	clock pulse width HIGH or LOW	16	7		20		24		ns	4.5	Fig.8	
t_W	master reset pulse width; LOW	20	10		25		30		ns	4.5	Fig.9	
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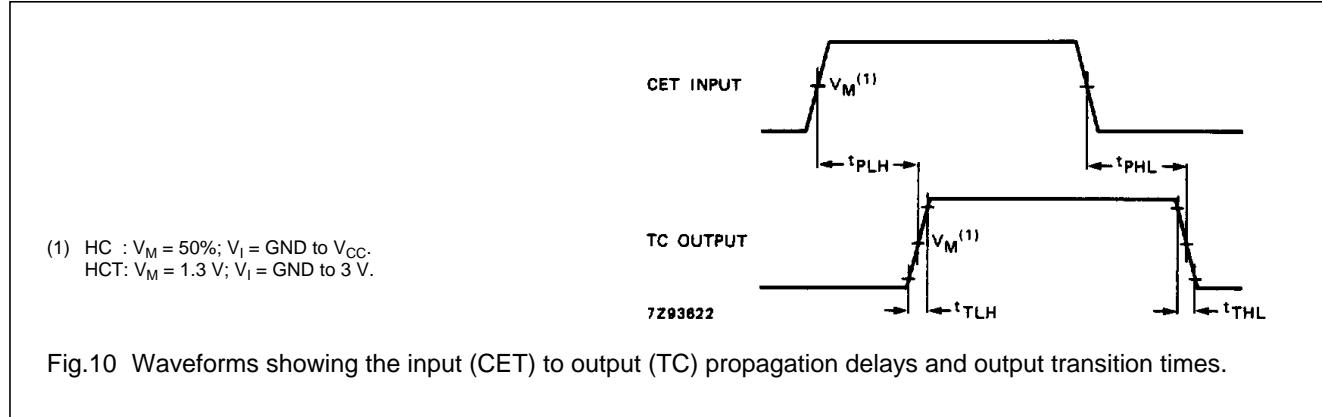
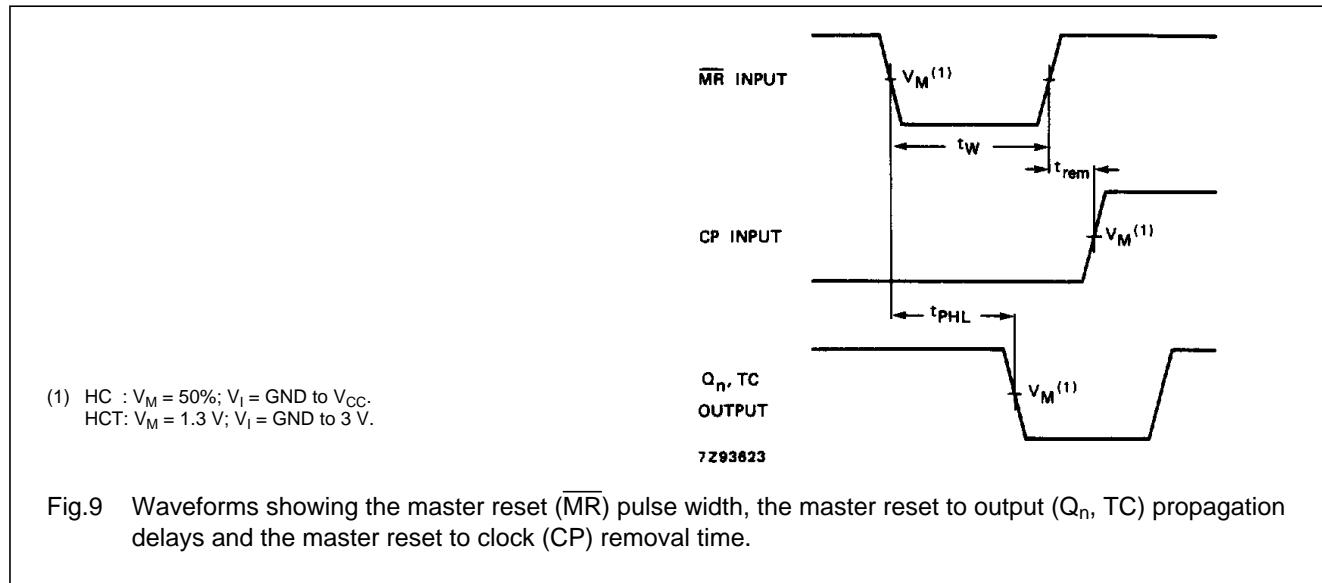
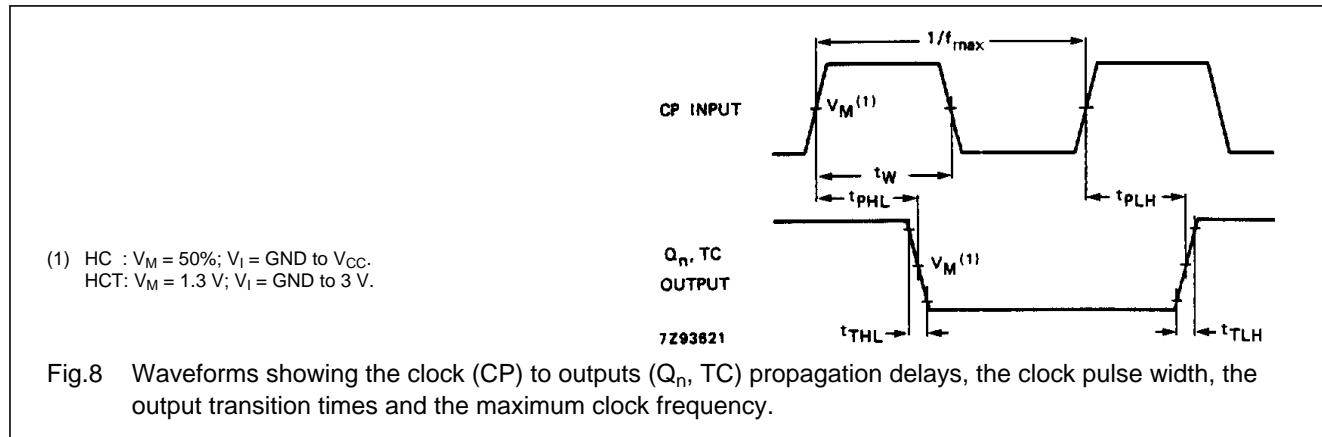
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t _{su}	set-up time PE to CP	30	17		38		45		ns	4.5	Fig.11	
t _{su}	set-up time CEP, CET to CP	40	17		50		60		ns	4.5	Fig.12	
t _h	hold time D _n , PE, CEP, CET to CP	0	-7		0		0		ns	4.5	Figs 11 and 12	
f _{max}	maximum clock pulse frequency	23	41		18		15		MHz	4.5	Fig.8	

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AC WAVEFORMS



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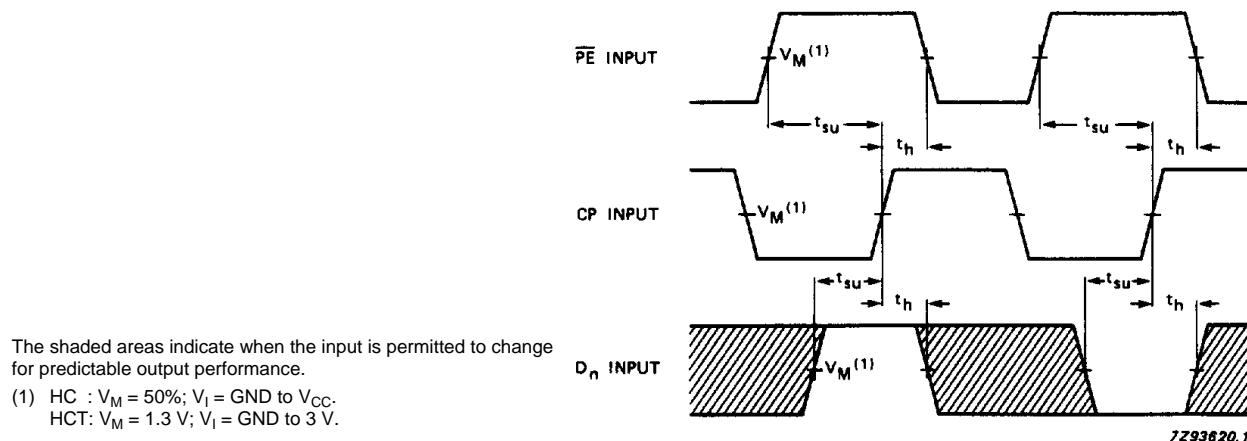
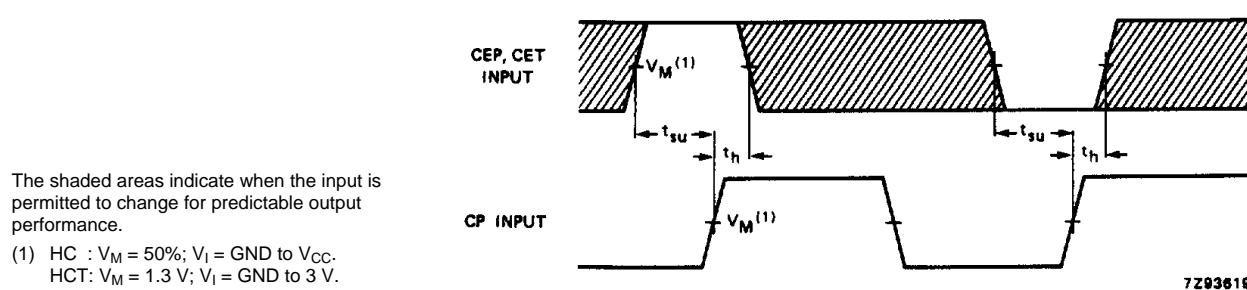
Fig.11 Waveforms showing the set-up and hold times for the input (D_n) and parallel enable input \overline{PE} .

Fig.12 Waveforms showing the CEP and CET set-up and hold times.

PACKAGE OUTLINES

See "[74HC/HCT/HCU/HCMOS Logic Package Outlines](#)".

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▣ Features

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▣ Datasheet

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▣ Parametrics

Type number	Package	Description	Propagation Delay(ns)	Voltage	No. of Pins	Power Dissipation Considerations	Logic Switching Levels	Output Drive Capability
74HC161D	SOT109 (SO16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	CMOS	Low
74HC161DB	SOT338-1 (SSOP16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	CMOS	Low

74HC161N	SOT38-1 (DIP16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	CMOS	Low
74HC161PW	SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	CMOS	Low
74HC161U	uncased die	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	CMOS	Low
74HCT161D	SOT109 (SO16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset; TTL Enabled	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	TTL	Low
74HCT161DB	SOT338-1 (SSOP16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset; TTL Enabled	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	TTL	Low
74HCT161N	SOT38-1 (DIP16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset; TTL Enabled	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	TTL	Low
74HCT161PW	SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset; TTL Enabled	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	TTL	Low
74HCT161U	uncased die	Presetable Synchronous 4-Bit Binary Counter; Asynchronous Reset; TTL Enabled	15	5 Volts +	16	Low Power or Battery Applications	TTL	Low

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	74HC161D-T	9337 145 20653	Standard Marking * Reel Pack, SMD, 13", CECC	SOT109 (SO16)	Full production	order this [-]
74HC161DB	74HC161DB	9351 745 10112	Standard Marking * Bulk Pack	SOT338-1 (SSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
	74HC161DB-T	9351 745 10118	Standard Marking * Reel Pack, SMD, 13"	SOT338-1 (SSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
74HC161N	74HC161N	9336 693 70652	Standard Marking * Bulk Pack, CECC	SOT38-1 (DIP16)	Full production	order this [-]
74HC161PW	74HC161PW	9351 883 20112	Standard Marking * Bulk Pack	SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
	74HC161PW-T	9351 883 20118	Standard Marking * Reel Pack, SMD, 13"	SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
74HC161U		9337 833 80005	No Marking * Chips on Wafer, Pre-Sawn, On FFC	Uncased die	Full production	-
74HCT161D	74HCT161D	9337 150 00652	Standard Marking * Bulk Pack, CECC	SOT109 (SO16)	Full production	order this [-]
	74HCT161D-T	9337 150 00653	Standard Marking * Reel Pack, SMD, 13", CECC	SOT109 (SO16)	Full production	order this [-]
74HCT161DB	74HCT161DB	9351 885 70112	Standard Marking * Bulk Pack	SOT338-1 (SSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
	74HCT161DB-T	9351 885 70118	Standard Marking * Reel Pack, SMD, 13"	SOT338-1 (SSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
74HCT161IN	74HCT161IN	9336 700 00652	Standard Marking * Bulk Pack, CECC	SOT38-1 (DIP16)	Full production	order this [-]
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	74HCT161PW-T	9351 883 10118	Standard Marking * Reel Pack, SMD, 13"	SOT403-1 (TSSOP16)	Full production	order this [-]
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