

# 2.5 V/3.3 V/5.0 V Differential Data/Clock D Flip-Flop with Reset

Multi-Level Inputs to LVPECL Translator w/ Internal Termination

## NB4L52

The NB4L52 is a differential Data and Clock D flip-flop with a differential asynchronous Reset. The differential inputs incorporate internal 50  $\Omega$  termination resistors and will accept PECL, LVPECL, LVC MOS, LV TTL, CML, or LVDS logic levels. When Clock transitions from Low to High, Data will be transferred to the differential LVPECL outputs. The differential Clock inputs allow the NB4L52 to also be used as a negative edge triggered device. The device is housed in a small 3x3 mm 16 pin QFN package.

### Features

- Maximum Input Clock Frequency > 4 GHz Typical
- 330 ps Typical Propagation Delay
- 145 ps Typical Rise and Fall Times
- Differential LVPECL Outputs, 750 mV Peak-to-Peak, Typical
- Operating Range:  $V_{CC} = 2.375$  V to 5.5 V with  $V_{EE} = 0$  V
- Internal Input Termination Resistors, 50  $\Omega$
- Functionally Compatible with Existing 2.5 V/3.3 V/5.0 V LVPECL, LVEP, EP, and SG Devices
- $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$  Ambient Operating Temperature
- These are Pb-Free Devices

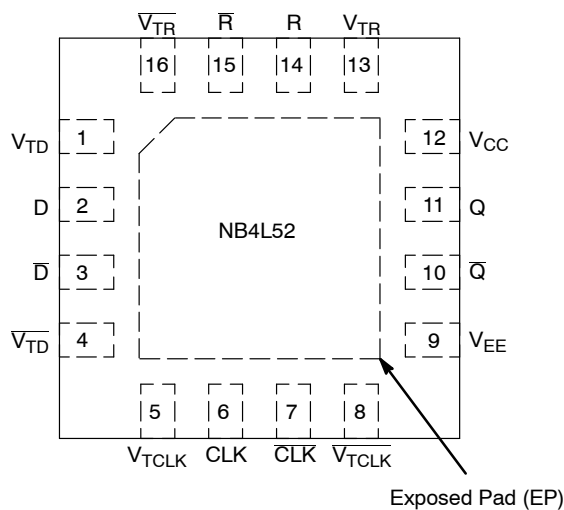
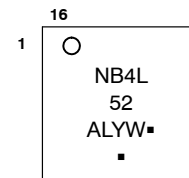


Figure 2. Pinout (Top View)



QFN-16  
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CASE 485G

### MARKING DIAGRAM\*



A = Assembly Location  
L = Wafer Lot  
Y = Year  
W = Work Week  
■ = Pb-Free Package

(Note: Microdot may be in either location)

\*For additional marking information, refer to Application Note [AND8002/D](#).

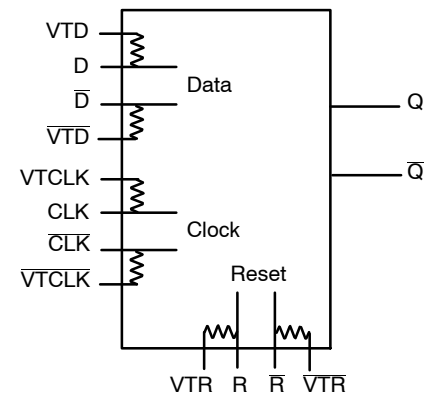


Figure 1. Logic Diagram

Table 1. TRUTH TABLE

R	D	CLK	Q
H	x	x	L
L	L	Z	L
L	H	Z	H

Z = LOW to HIGH Transition

x = Don't Care

### ORDERING INFORMATION

See detailed ordering and shipping information in the package dimensions section on page 6 of this data sheet.

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**Table 2. PIN DESCRIPTION**

Pin	Name	I/O	Description
1	$V_{TD}$	–	Internal 50 $\Omega$ Termination Pin. (See Table 4)
2	D	ECL, CML, LVCMOS, LVDS, LVTTTL Input	Noninverted Differential Input. (Note 1)
3	$\bar{D}$	ECL, CML, LVCMOS, LVDS, LVTTTL Input	Inverted Differential Input. (Note 1)
4	$\overline{V_{TD}}$	–	Internal 50 $\Omega$ Termination Pin. (See Table 4)
5	$V_{TCLK}$	–	Internal 50 $\Omega$ Termination Pin. (See Table 4)
6	CLK	ECL, CML, LVCMOS, LVDS, LVTTTL Input	Noninverted Differential Input. (Note 1)
7	$\overline{CLK}$	ECL, CML, LVCMOS, LVDS, LVTTTL Input	Inverted Differential Input. (Note 1)
8	$\overline{V_{TCLK}}$	–	Internal 50 $\Omega$ Termination Pin. (See Table 4)
9	$V_{EE}$	–	Negative Supply Voltage
10	$\bar{Q}$	ECL Output	Inverted Differential Output. Typically terminated with 50 $\Omega$ resistor to $V_{CC} - 2.0$ V.
11	Q	ECL Output	Noninverted Differential Output. Typically terminated with 50 $\Omega$ resistor to $V_{CC} - 2.0$ V.
12	$V_{CC}$	–	Positive Supply Voltage
13	$V_{TR}$	–	Internal 50 $\Omega$ Termination Pin. (See Table 4)
14	R	LVECL, LVCMOS, LVTTTL Input	Noninverted Differential Reset Input. (Note 1)
15	$\bar{R}$	LVECL, LVCMOS, LVTTTL Input	Inverted Differential Reset Input. (Note 1)
16	$\overline{V_{TR}}$	–	Internal 50 $\Omega$ Termination Pin. (See Table 4)
–	EP	–	The Exposed Pad (EP) on the QFN–16 package bottom is thermally connected to the die for improved heat transfer out of package. The pad is not electrically connected to the die, but is recommended to be electrically and thermally connected to $V_{EE}$ on the PC board.

1. In the differential configuration when the input termination pin ( $V_{TD}$ ,  $\overline{V_{TD}}$ ,  $V_{TR}$ ,  $\overline{V_{TR}}$ ,  $V_{TCLK}$ ,  $\overline{V_{TCLK}}$ ) are connected to a common termination voltage or left open, and if no signal is applied on D/ $\bar{D}$ , CLK/ $\overline{CLK}$ , R/ $\bar{R}$  input then the device will be susceptible to self-oscillation.

**Table 3. ATTRIBUTES**

Characteristic	Value	
ESD Protection	Human Body Model	> 2 kV
	Machine Model	> 200 V
	Charged Device Model	> 1 kV
Moisture Sensitivity (Note 2)	Pb Pkg	Pb-Free Pkg
QFN-16	Level 1	Level 1
Flammability Rating Oxygen Index: 28 to 34	UL 94 V-0 @ 0.125 in	
Transistor Count	164	
Meets or exceeds JEDEC Spec EIA/JESD78 IC Latchup Test		

2. For additional information, see Application Note AND8003/D.

Table 4. MAXIMUM RATINGS

Symbol	Parameter	Condition 1	Condition 2	Rating	Unit
V <sub>CC</sub>	Positive Power Supply	V <sub>EE</sub> = 0 V		6.0	V
V <sub>EE</sub>	Negative Power Supply	V <sub>CC</sub> = 0 V		-6.0	V
V <sub>IO</sub>	Positive Input/Output Negative Input/Output	V <sub>EE</sub> = 0 V V <sub>CC</sub> = 0 V	V <sub>I</sub> ≤ V <sub>CC</sub> V <sub>I</sub> ≥ V <sub>EE</sub>	6.0 -6.0	V V
I <sub>IN</sub>	Input Current Through R <sub>T</sub> (50 Ω Resistor)	Static Surge		45 80	mA mA
I <sub>out</sub>	Output Current	Continuous Surge		25 50	mA mA
T <sub>A</sub>	Operating Temperature Range			-40 to +85	°C
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage Temperature Range			-65 to +150	°C
θ <sub>JA</sub>	Thermal Resistance (Junction-to-Ambient)	0 LFPM 500 LFPM	16 QFN 16 QFN	42 35	°C/W °C/W
θ <sub>JC</sub>	Thermal Resistance (Junction-to-Case)	2S2P (Note 3)	16 QFN	4.0	°C/W
T <sub>sol</sub>	Wave Solder Pb-Free			265	°C

Stresses exceeding those listed in the Maximum Ratings table may damage the device. If any of these limits are exceeded, device functionality should not be assumed, damage may occur and reliability may be affected.

3. JEDEC standard multilayer board – 2S2P (2 signal, 2 power) with 8 filled thermal vias under exposed pad.

Table 5. DC CHARACTERISTICS, CLOCK INPUTS, LVPECL OUTPUTS

(V<sub>CC</sub> = 2.375 V to 5.5 V, V<sub>EE</sub> = 0 V or V<sub>CC</sub> = 0 V, V<sub>EE</sub> = -2.375 to -5.5 V, T<sub>A</sub> = -40°C to +85°C)

Symbol	Characteristic	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I <sub>EE</sub>	Power Supply Current (Inputs and Outputs Open)	–	16	25	mA
V <sub>OH</sub>	Output HIGH Voltage (Note 4, 5) V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0 V V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.3 V V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.5 V	V <sub>CC</sub> – 1145 3855 2155 1355	V <sub>CC</sub> – 1020 3980 2280 1480	V <sub>CC</sub> – 895 4105 2405 1605	mV
V <sub>OL</sub>	Output LOW Voltage (Note 4, 5) V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.0V V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.3V V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.5V	V <sub>CC</sub> – 1945 3055 1355 555	V <sub>CC</sub> – 1770 3230 1530 730	V <sub>CC</sub> – 1600 3400 1700 900	mV

#### DIFFERENTIAL INPUT DRIVEN SINGLE-ENDED (Figures 4 & 7)

V <sub>th</sub>	Input Threshold Reference Voltage Range (Note 6)	1050	–	V <sub>CC</sub> – 150	mV
V <sub>IH</sub>	Single-ended Input HIGH Voltage	V <sub>th</sub> + 150	–	V <sub>CC</sub>	mV
V <sub>IL</sub>	Single-ended Input LOW Voltage	V <sub>EE</sub>	–	V <sub>th</sub> – 150	mV

#### DIFFERENTIAL INPUT DRIVEN DIFFERENTIALLY (Figures 5, 6 & 8)

V <sub>IHD</sub>	Differential Input HIGH Voltage	1200	–	V <sub>CC</sub>	mV
V <sub>ILD</sub>	Differential Input LOW Voltage	V <sub>EE</sub>	–	V <sub>CC</sub> – 150	mV
V <sub>CMR</sub>	Input Common Mode Range (Differential Configuration) (Note 7)	1125	–	V <sub>CC</sub> – 75	mV
V <sub>ID</sub>	Differential Input Voltage (V <sub>IHD</sub> – V <sub>ILD</sub> )	150	–	V <sub>CC</sub>	mV
I <sub>IH</sub>	Input HIGH Current D / $\bar{D}$ , CLK / $\bar{CLK}$ , R / $\bar{R}$ (VTx/VTx Open)	–150	–	150	μA
I <sub>IL</sub>	Input LOW Current D / $\bar{D}$ , CLK / $\bar{CLK}$ , R / $\bar{R}$ (VTx/VTx Open)	–150	–	150	μA
R <sub>TIN</sub>	Internal Input Termination Resistor	40	50	60	Ω

NOTE: Device will meet the specifications after thermal equilibrium has been established when mounted in a test socket or printed circuit board with maintained transverse airflow greater than 500 lfm.

4. LVPECL outputs loaded with 50 Ω to V<sub>CC</sub> – 2.0 V for proper operation.

5. Input and output parameters vary 1:1 with V<sub>CC</sub>.

6. V<sub>th</sub> is applied to the complementary input when operating in single-ended mode.

7. V<sub>CMRMIN</sub> varies 1:1 with V<sub>EE</sub>, V<sub>CMRMAX</sub> varies 1:1 with V<sub>CC</sub>. The V<sub>CMR</sub> range is referenced to the most positive side of the differential input signal.

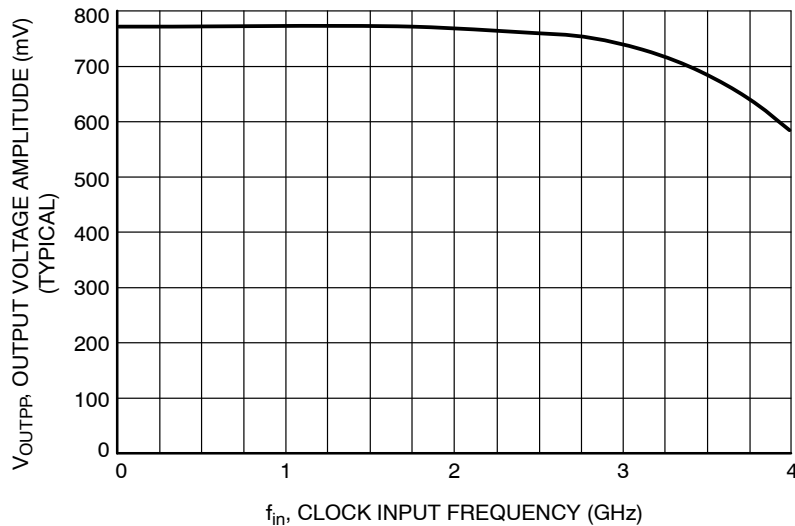
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**Table 6. AC CHARACTERISTICS**  $V_{CC} = 2.375 \text{ V to } 5.5 \text{ V}$ ;  $V_{EE} = 0 \text{ V or } V_{CC} = 0 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{EE} = -2.375 \text{ to } -5.5 \text{ V}$  (Note 8)

Symbol	Characteristic	-40°C			25°C			85°C			Unit
		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
$V_{OUTPP}$	Output Voltage Amplitude (@ $V_{INPPmin}$ ) (Note 10) (See Figure 4) $f_{in} \leq 2.0 \text{ GHz}$ $f_{in} \leq 3.0 \text{ GHz}$ $f_{in} \leq 4.0 \text{ GHz}$	530 490 380	770 720 580	– – –	530 490 380	780 730 580	– – –	530 490 380	760 680 530	– – –	mV
$t_{PLH}$ , $t_{PHL}$	Propagation Delay to CLK to Q, R to Q Output Differential	300	400	500	300	400	500	300	400	500	ps
$t_s$	Setup Time	100	–	–	100	–	–	100	–	–	ps
$t_h$	Hold Time	50	–	–	50	–	–	50	–	–	ps
$t_{RR}$	Reset Recovery	400	–	–	400	–	–	400	–	–	ps
$t_{PW}$	Minimum Pulse Width R/R	250	–	–	250	–	–	250	–	–	ps
$t_{JITTER}$	RMS Random Clock Jitter (Note 9) $f_{in} \leq 2.0 \text{ GHz}$ $f_{in} \leq 3.0 \text{ GHz}$ $f_{in} \leq 4.0 \text{ GHz}$	– – –	1 1 1	– – –	– – –	1 1 1	– – –	– – –	1 1 1	– – –	ps
$V_{INPP}$	Input Voltage Swing/Sensitivity (Differential Configuration) (Note 10)	150	–	2800	150	–	2800	150	–	2800	mV
$t_r$ $t_f$	Output Rise/Fall Times @ 0.5 GHz (20% – 80%)	80	135	190	80	145	190	80	155	190	ps

NOTE: Device will meet the specifications after thermal equilibrium has been established when mounted in a test socket or printed circuit board with maintained transverse airflow greater than 500 lfpm.

8. Measured by forcing  $V_{INPP}$  (MIN) from a 50% duty cycle clock source. All loading with an external  $R_L = 50 \Omega$  to  $V_{CC} - 2.0 \text{ V}$ . Input edge rates 40 ps (20% – 80%).
9. Additive RMS jitter with 50% duty cycle clock signal.
10. Input and output voltage swing is a single-ended measurement operating in differential mode.



**Figure 3. Output Voltage Amplitude ( $V_{OUTPP}$ ) vs. Clock Input Frequency at Ambient Temperature (Typical).**

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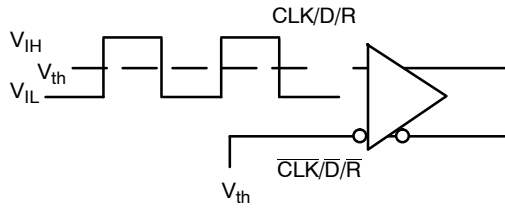


Figure 4. Differential Input Driven Single-Ended

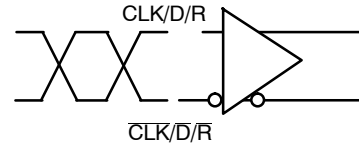


Figure 5. Differential Inputs Driven Differentially

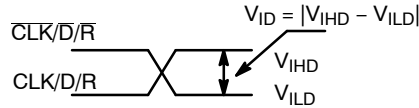


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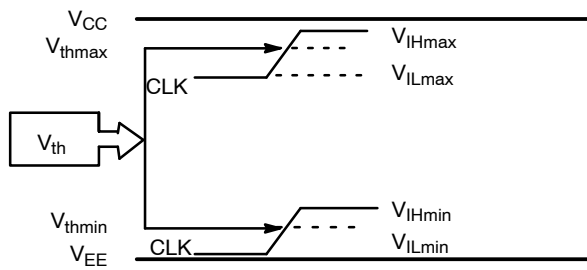


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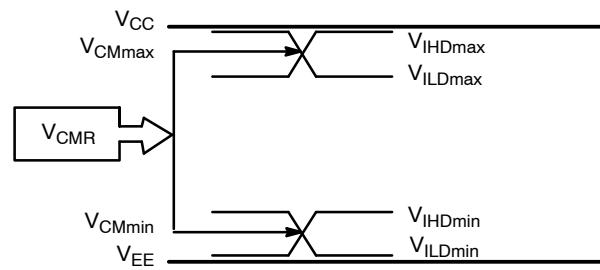


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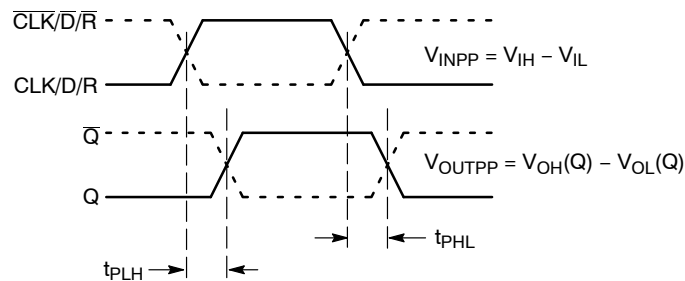
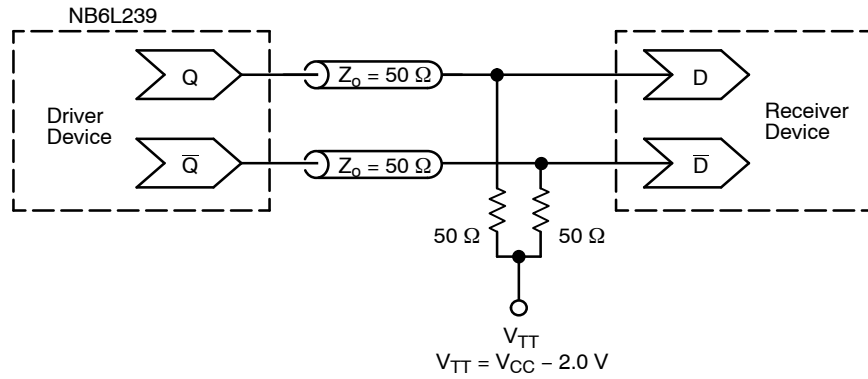


Figure 9. AC Reference Measurement

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**Figure 10. Typical Termination for Output Driver and Device Evaluation**  
 (See Application Note AND8020/D – Termination of ECL Logic Devices.)

### ORDERING INFORMATION

Device	Package	Shipping <sup>†</sup>
NB4L52MNG	QFN-16, 3 x 3 mm (Pb-Free)	123 Units / Rail
NB4L52MNR2G	QFN-16, 3 x 3 mm (Pb-Free)	3000 / Tape & Reel

<sup>†</sup>For information on tape and reel specifications, including part orientation and tape sizes, please refer to our Tape and Reel Packaging Specifications Brochure, [BRD8011/D](#).

### Resource Reference of Application Notes

- AN1405/D** – ECL Clock Distribution Techniques
- AN1406/D** – Designing with PECL (ECL at +5.0 V)
- AN1503/D** – ECLinPS I/O SPiCE Modeling Kit
- AN1504/D** – Metastability and the ECLinPS Family
- AN1568/D** – Interfacing Between LVDS and ECL
- AN1672/D** – The ECL Translator Guide
- AND8001/D** – Odd Number Counters Design
- AND8002/D** – Marking and Date Codes
- AND8020/D** – Termination of ECL Logic Devices
- AND8066/D** – Interfacing with ECLinPS
- AND8090/D** – AC Characteristics of ECL Devices

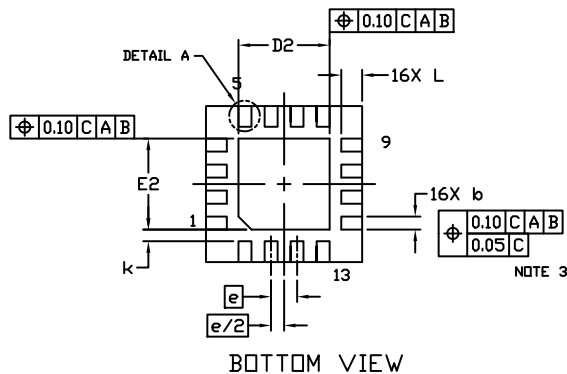
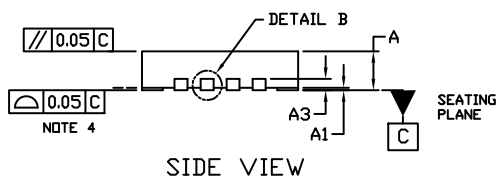
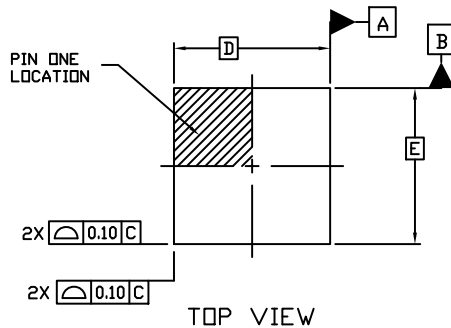
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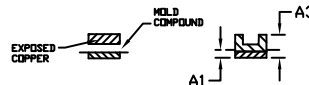
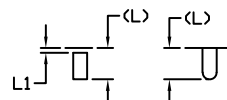
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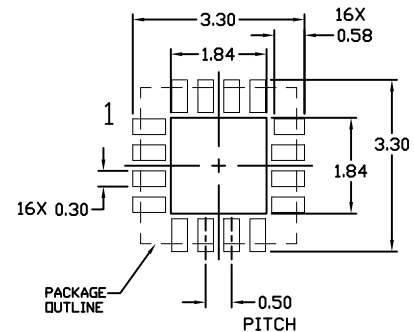
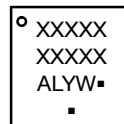
## NOTES:

1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ASME Y14.5M, 1994.
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: MILLIMETERS
3. DIMENSION b APPLIES TO PLATED TERMINAL AND IS MEASURED BETWEEN 0.15 AND 0.30 MM FROM THE TERMINAL TIP.
4. COPLANARITY APPLIES TO THE EXPOSED PAD AS WELL AS THE TERMINALS.


DETAIL B  
ALTERNATE  
CONSTRUCTIONS

DETAIL A  
ALTERNATE TERMINAL  
CONSTRUCTIONS

DIM	MILLIMETERS		
	MIN.	NOM.	MAX.
A	0.80	0.90	1.00
A1	0.00	0.03	0.05
A3	0.20 REF		
b	0.18	0.24	0.30
D	3.00 BSC		
D2	1.65	1.75	1.85
E	3.00 BSC		
E2	1.65	1.75	1.85
e	0.50 BSC		
k	0.18 TYP		
L	0.30	0.40	0.50
L1	0.00	0.08	0.15

## MOUNTING FOOTPRINT


**GENERIC  
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