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SN54/74LS160A
SN54/74LS161A
SN54/74LS162A
SN54/74LS163A

BCD DECADE COUNTERS/ 4-BIT BINARY COUNTERS

The LS160A/161A/162A/163A are high-speed 4-bit synchronous counters. They are edge-triggered, synchronously presettable, and cascadable MSI building blocks for counting, memory addressing, frequency division and other applications. The LS160A and LS162A count modulo 10 (BCD). The LS161A and LS163A count modulo 16 (binary.)

The LS160A and LS161A have an asynchronous Master Reset (Clear) input that overrides, and is independent of, the clock and all other control inputs. The LS162A and LS163A have a Synchronous Reset (Clear) input that overrides all other control inputs, but is active only during the rising clock edge.

	BCD (Modulo 10)	Binary (Modulo 16)
Asynchronous Reset	LS160A	LS161A
Synchronous Reset	LS162A	LS163A

- Synchronous Counting and Loading
- Two Count Enable Inputs for High Speed Synchronous Expansion
- Terminal Count Fully Decoded
- Edge-Triggered Operation
- Typical Count Rate of 35 MHz
- ESD > 3500 Volts

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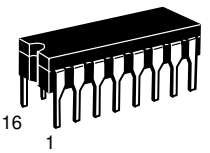

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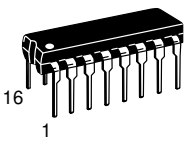
CASE 620-09



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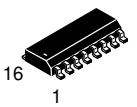

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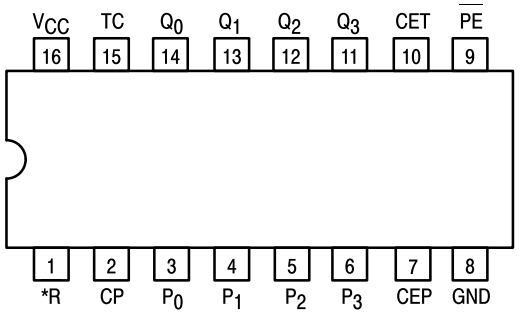
CONNECTION DIAGRAM DIP (TOP VIEW)



NOTE:
The Flatpak version has the same pinouts (Connection Diagram) as the Dual In-Line Package.

*MR for LS160A and LS161A
*SR for LS162A and LS163A

ORDERING INFORMATION

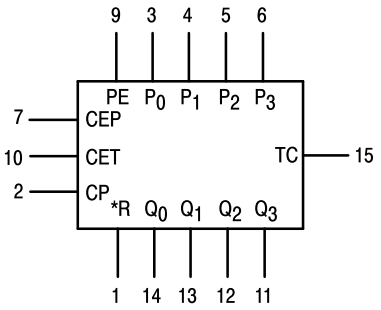
SN54LSXXXJ	Ceramic
SN74LSXXXN	Plastic
SN74LSXXXD	SOIC

PIN NAMES

		LOADING (Note a) HIGH	LOW
$\overline{PE}$	Parallel Enable (Active LOW) Input	1.0 U.L.	0.5 U.L.
P_0-P_3	Parallel Inputs	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
CEP	Count Enable Parallel Input	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
CET	Count Enable Trickle Input	1.0 U.L.	0.5 U.L.
$\underline{CP}$	Clock (Active HIGH Going Edge) Input	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
$\underline{MR}$	Master Reset (Active LOW) Input	0.5 U.L.	0.25 U.L.
SR	Synchronous Reset (Active LOW) Input	1.0 U.L.	0.5 U.L.
Q_0-Q_3	Parallel Outputs (Note b)	10 U.L.	5 (2.5) U.L.
TC	Terminal Count Output (Note b)	10 U.L.	5 (2.5) U.L.

NOTES:
a) 1 TTL Unit Load (U.L.) = 40 µA HIGH/1.6 mA LOW.
b) The Output LOW drive factor is 2.5 U.L. for Military (54) and 5 U.L. for Commercial (74) Temperature Ranges.

LOGIC SYMBOL



VCC = PIN 16
GND = PIN 8

*MR for LS160A and LS161A
*SR for LS162A and LS163A

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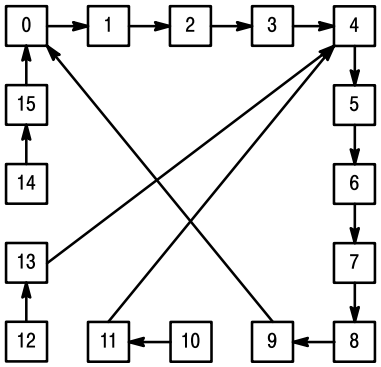
STATE DIAGRAM

LS160A • LS162A



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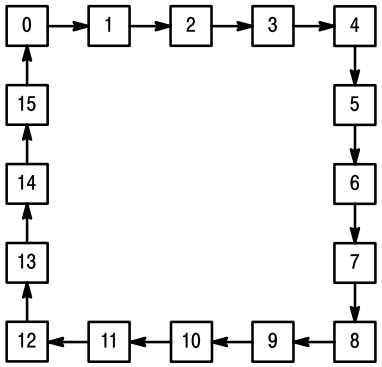

LOGIC EQUATIONS

Count Enable = CEP • CET • PE

TC for LS160A & LS162A = CET • Q_0 • $\overline{Q_1}$ • $\overline{Q_2}$ • Q_3

TC for LS161A & LS163A = CET • Q_0 • Q_1 • Q_2 • Q_3

Preset = PE • CP + (rising clock edge)

Reset = MR (LS160A & LS161A)

Reset = SR • CP + (rising clock edge)
(LS162A & LS163A)

NOTE:
The LS160A and LS162A can be preset to any state, but will not count beyond 9. If preset to state 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, or 15, it will return to its normal sequence within two clock pulses.

FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

The LS160A/161A/162A/163A are 4-bit synchronous counters with a synchronous Parallel Enable (Load) feature. The counters consist of four edge-triggered D flip-flops with the appropriate data routing networks feeding the D inputs. All changes of the Q outputs (except due to the asynchronous Master Reset in the LS160A and LS161A) occur as a result of, and synchronous with, the LOW to HIGH transition of the Clock input (CP). As long as the set-up time requirements are met, there are no special timing or activity constraints on any of the mode control or data inputs.

Three control inputs — Parallel Enable ($\overline{PE}$), Count Enable Parallel (CEP) and Count Enable Trickle (CET) — select the mode of operation as shown in the tables below. The Count Mode is enabled when the CEP, CET, and PE inputs are HIGH. When the PE is LOW, the counters will synchronously load the data from the parallel inputs into the flip-flops on the LOW to HIGH transition of the clock. Either the CEP or CET can be used to inhibit the count sequence. With the PE held HIGH, a LOW on either the CEP or CET inputs at least one set-up time prior to the LOW to HIGH clock transition will cause the existing output states to be retained. The AND feature of the two Count Enable inputs (CET • CEP) allows synchronous cascading without external gating and without delay accumulation over any practical number of bits or digits.

The Terminal Count (TC) output is HIGH when the Count Enable Trickle (CET) input is HIGH while the counter is in its maximum count state (HLLH for the BCD counters, HHHH for the Binary counters). Note that TC is fully decoded and will, therefore, be HIGH only for one count state.

The LS160A and LS162A count modulo 10 following a binary coded decimal (BCD) sequence. They generate a TC output when the CET input is HIGH while the counter is in state 9 (HLLH). From this state they increment to state 0 (LLLL). If loaded with a code in excess of 9 they return to their legitimate sequence within two counts, as explained in the state diagram. States 10 through 15 do *not* generate a TC output.

The LS161A and LS163A count modulo 16 following a binary sequence. They generate a TC when the CET input is HIGH while the counter is in state 15 (HHHH). From this state they increment to state 0 (LLLL).

The Master Reset (MR) of the LS160A and LS161A is asynchronous. When the MR is LOW, it overrides all other input conditions and sets the outputs LOW. The MR pin should never be left open. If not used, the MR pin should be tied through a resistor to V_{CC}, or to a gate output which is permanently set to a HIGH logic level.

The active LOW Synchronous Reset ($\overline{SR}$) input of the LS162A and LS163A acts as an edge-triggered control input, overriding CET, CEP and PE, and resetting the four counter flip-flops on the LOW to HIGH transition of the clock. This simplifies the design from race-free logic controlled reset circuits, e.g., to reset the counter synchronously after reaching a predetermined value.

MODE SELECT TABLE

*SR	PE	CET	CEP	Action on the Rising Clock Edge (↑)
L	X	X	X	RESET (Clear)
H	L	X	X	LOAD (P_n Q_n)
H	H	H	H	COUNT (Increment)
H	H	L	X	NO CHANGE (Hold)
H	H	X	L	NO CHANGE (Hold)

*For the LS162A and LS163A only.

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