

## BiCMOS 1A Current-Mode PWM Controllers

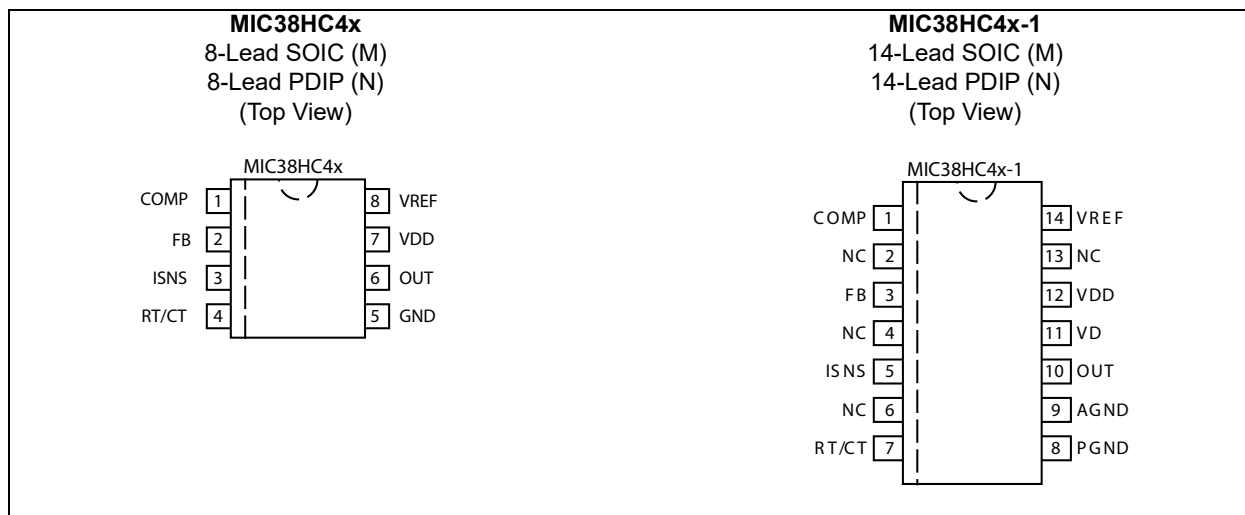
### Features

- Fast 20 ns Output Rise and 15 ns Output Fall Times
- -40°C to +85°C Temperature Range Exceeds UC284x Specifications
- High-Performance, Low-Power BiCMOS Process
- Ultra-Low Start-Up Current (50  $\mu$ A Typical)
- Low Operating Current (4 mA Typical)
- High Output Drive (1A Peak Current, HC Version)
- CMOS Outputs with Rail-to-Rail Swing
- Current-Mode Operation up to 500 kHz
- Trimmed 5V Bandgap Reference
- Pin-for-Pin Compatible with UC3842/3843/3844/3845(A)
- Trimmed Oscillator Discharge Current
- UVLO with Hysteresis
- Low Cross-Conduction Currents

### Applications

- Current-Mode, Offline, Switched-Mode Power Supplies
- Current-Mode, DC-to-DC Converters
- Step-Down “Buck” Regulators
- Step-Up “Boost” Regulators
- Flyback, Isolated Regulators
- Forward Converters
- Synchronous FET Converters

### Package Types



### General Description

The MIC38HC4x family are fixed-frequency current-mode PWM controllers with 1A drive current capability. Microchip's BiCMOS devices are pin-compatible with 384x bipolar devices. Their high output drive, with fast rise and fall times, combined with low startup current make them ideal PWM controllers when high efficiency is required.

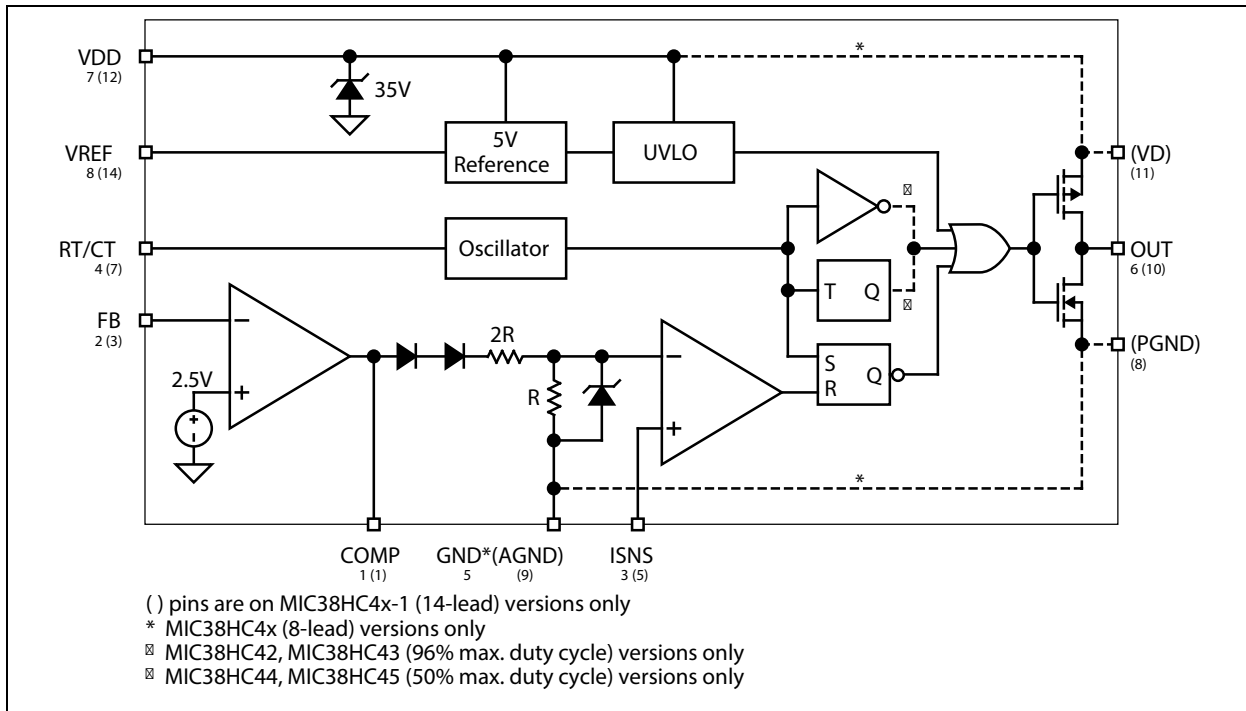
Undervoltage lockout circuitry allows the '42 and '44 versions to start up at 14.5V and operate down to 9V, and the '43 and '45 versions start at 8.4V with operation down to 7.6V. All versions operate up to 20V.

When compared to bipolar UC384x devices operating from a 15V supply, start-up current has been reduced to 50  $\mu$ A typical and operating current has been reduced to 4.0 mA typical. Decreased output rise and fall times drive larger MOSFETs, and rail-to-rail output capability increases efficiency, especially at lower supply voltages. The MIC38HC4x also features a trimmed oscillator discharge current and bandgap reference.

MIC38HC4x-1 is available in 14-lead plastic DIP and SOIC packages. 8-lead devices feature small size, while 14-lead devices separate the analog and power connections for improved performance and power dissipation.

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## Functional Block Diagram



## 1.0 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

### Absolute Maximum Ratings †

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Zener Current ( $V_{DD}$ ).....   | 30 mA          |
| <b>Operation at <math>\geq 18V</math> may require special precautions (Note 1).</b> |                |
| Supply Input Voltage ( $V_{DD}$ ) (Note 1).....                                     | +20V           |
| Switch Supply Voltage ( $V_D$ ).....  | +20V           |
| Current Sense Voltage ( $V_{ISNS}$ ).....   | -0.3V to +5.5V |
| Feedback Voltage ( $V_{FB}$ ).....  | -0.3V to +5.5V |
| Output Current ( $I_{OUT}$ ).....   | 1A             |

† **Notice:** Stresses above those listed under “Absolute Maximum Ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only and functional operation of the device at those or any other conditions above those indicated in the operational sections of this specification is not intended. Exposure to maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

**Note 1:** On 8-lead versions, 20V is the maximum input on Pin 7 because this is also the supply pin for the output stage. On 14-lead versions, 40V is the maximum for Pin 12 and 20V is the maximum for Pin 11.

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

**Electrical Characteristics:**  $V_{DD} = 15V$ , Note 1;  $R_T = 9.09\text{ k}\Omega$ ;  $C_T = 3.3\text{ nF}$ ;  $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$ ; unless noted.

| Parameter                    | Symbol  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units                | Conditions  |
|------------------------------|---|------|------|------|----------------------|---|
| <b>Reference</b>             |   |      |      |      |                      |   |
| Output Voltage               | $V_{OUT}$   | 4.90 | 5.00 | 5.10 | V                    | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $I_O = 1\text{ mA}$                              |
| Line Regulation              | $\frac{\Delta V_{OUT}}{V_{OUT}}$                        | —    | 2    | 20   | mV                   | $12V \leq V_{DD} \leq 18V$ , $I_O = 5\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ , Note 2          |
| Load Regulation              | $\frac{\Delta V_{OUT}}{(V_{OUT} \times \Delta V_{IN})}$ | —    | 1    | 25   | mV                   | $1\text{ mA} \leq I_O \leq 20\text{ mA}$                                    |
| Temperature Stability        | $T_{STAB}$  | —    | 0.2  | —    | mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$ | Note 3  |
| Total Output Variation       |   | 4.82 | —    | 5.18 | V                    | Line, Load, Temp., Note 3   |
| Output Noise Voltage         |   | —    | 50   | —    | $\mu\text{V}$        | $10\text{Hz} \leq f \leq 10\text{ kHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , Note 3 |
| Long Term Stability          |   | —    | 5    | 25   | mV                   | $T_A = 125^\circ\text{C}$ , 1000 hrs., Note 3                               |
| Output Short Circuit         |   | -30  | -80  | -180 | mA                   | —   |
| <b>Oscillator</b>            |   |      |      |      |                      |   |
| Initial Accuracy             |   | 49   | 52   | 55   | kHz                  | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , Note 4   |
| Voltage Stability            | $V_{STAB}$  | —    | 0.2  | 1.0  | %                    | $12V \leq V_{DD} \leq 18V$ , Note 2   |
| Temperature Stability        | $T_{STAB}$  | —    | 0.04 | —    | %/ $^\circ\text{C}$  | $T_{MIN} \leq T_A \leq T_{MAX}$ , Note 3                                    |
| Clock Ramp Reset Current     | $I_{CLK\_RR}$   | 7.7  | 8.4  | 9.0  | mA                   | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $V_{RT/CT} = 2V$                                 |
|                              |   | 7.2  | 8.4  | 9.5  |                      | $T_A = T_{MIN}$ to $T_{MAX}$  |
| Amplitude                    |   | —    | 1.9  | —    | $V_{PP}$             | $V_{RT/CT}$ peak to peak  |
| <b>Error Amp</b>             |   |      |      |      |                      |   |
| Input Voltage                | $V_{IN}$  | 2.42 | 2.50 | 2.58 | V                    | $V_{COMP} = 2.5V$   |
| Input Bias Current           | $I_{IN}$  | —    | -0.1 | -2   | $\mu\text{A}$        | $V_{FB} = 5.0V$   |
| Voltage Amplitude            | $A_{VOL}$   | 65   | 90   | —    | dB                   | $2V \leq V_O \leq 4V$   |
| Unity Gain Bandwidth         |   | 0.7  | 1.0  | —    | MHz                  | Note 3  |
| Power Supply Rejection Ratio | PSRR  | 60   | —    | —    | dB                   | $12V \leq V_{DD} \leq 18V$  |
| Output Sink Current          | $I_{SINK}$  | 2    | 14   | —    | mA                   | $V_{FB} = 2.7V$ , $V_{COMP} = 1.1V$   |
| Output Source Current        | $I_{SOURCE}$  | -0.5 | -1   | —    | mA                   | $V_{FB} = 2.3V$ , $V_{COMP} = 5V$   |
| Output Voltage High          | $V_{OH}$  | 5    | 6.8  | —    | V                    | $V_{FB} = 2.3V$ , $R_L = 15\text{ k}\Omega$ to Ground                       |

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## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (CONTINUED)

Electrical Characteristics:  $V_{DD} = 15V$ , [Note 1](#);  $R_T = 9.09\text{ k}\Omega$ ;  $C_T = 3.3\text{ nF}$ ;  $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$ ; unless noted.

| Parameter                    | Symbol        | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units         | Conditions   |
|------------------------------|---------------|------|------|------|---------------|--|
| Output Voltage Low           | $V_{OL}$      | —    | 0.1  | 1.1  | V             | $V_{FB} = 2.7V$ , $R_L = 15\text{ k}\Omega$ to $V_{REF}$ |
| <b>Current Sense</b>         |               |      |      |      |               |  |
| Gain                         |               | 2.85 | 3.0  | 3.15 | V/V           | <a href="#">Note 5</a> , <a href="#">Note 6</a>          |
| Maximum Threshold            |               | 0.9  | 1    | 1.1  | V             | $V_{COMP} = 5V$ , <a href="#">Note 5</a>                 |
| Power Supply Rejection Ratio | PSRR          | —    | 70   | —    | dB            | $12V \leq V_{DD} \leq 18V$ , <a href="#">Note 5</a>      |
| Input Bias Current           |               | —    | -0.1 | -2   | $\mu\text{A}$ | —  |
| Delay to Output Time         | $t_{D-O}$     | —    | 120  | 250  | ns            | —  |
| <b>Output</b>                |               |      |      |      |               |  |
| $R_{DS(ON)}$ High            |               | —    | 10   | —    | $\Omega$      | $I_{SOURCE} = 200\text{ mA}$                             |
| $R_{DS(ON)}$ Low             |               | —    | 5.5  | —    | $\Omega$      | $I_{SINK} = 200\text{ mA}$                               |
| Rise Time                    | $t_R$         | —    | 20   | 50   | ns            | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $C_L = 1\text{ nF}$           |
| Fall Time                    | $t_F$         | —    | 15   | 40   | ns            | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $C_L = 1\text{ nF}$           |
| <b>Undervoltage Lockout</b>  |               |      |      |      |               |  |
| Start Threshold Voltage      | $V_{ST\_TH}$  | 13.5 | 14.5 | 15.5 | V             | MIC38HC42/4  |
|                              |               | 7.8  | 8.4  | 9.0  |               | MIC38HC43/5  |
| Minimum Operating Voltage    | $V_{OP(MIN)}$ | 8    | 9    | 10   | V             | MIC38HC42/4  |
|                              |               | 7.0  | 7.6  | 8.2  |               | MIC38HC43/5  |
| <b>Pulse Width Modulator</b> |               |      |      |      |               |  |
| Maximum Duty Cycle           | $D_{MAX}$     | 94   | 96   | —    | %             | MIC38HC42/3  |
|                              |               | 46   | 50   | —    |               | MIC38HC44/5  |
| Minimum Duty Cycle           | $D_{MIN}$     | —    | —    | 0    | %             | —  |
| <b>Total Standby Current</b> |               |      |      |      |               |  |
| Start-Up Current             | $I_{SU}$      | —    | 50   | 200  | $\mu\text{A}$ | $V_{DD} = 13V$ , MIC38HC42/44                            |
|                              |               | —    | 50   | 200  |               | $V_{DD} = 7.5V$ , MIC38HC43/45                           |
| Operating Supply Current     |               | —    | 4.0  | 6.0  | mA            | $V_{FB} = V_{ISNS} = 0V$                                 |
| Zener Voltage                | $V_{DD}$      | 30   | 37   | —    | V             | $I_{DD} = 25\text{ mA}$ , <a href="#">Note 2</a>         |

**Note 1:** Adjust  $V_{DD}$  above the start threshold before setting at 15V.

- 2:** On 8-lead versions, 20V is the maximum input on Pin 7 because this is also the supply pin for the output stage. On 14-lead versions, 40V is the maximum for Pin 12 and 20V is the maximum for Pin 11.
- 3:** These parameters, although ensured, are not 100% tested in production.
- 4:** Output frequency equals oscillator frequency for the MIC38HC42 and MIC38HC43. Output frequency for the MIC38HC44 and MIC38HC45 equals one half the oscillator frequency.
- 5:** Parameter measured at trip point of latch with  $V_{EA} = 0V$ .
- 6:** Gain is defined as  $A = \Delta V_{PIN1} / V_{TH} \times I_{SNS}$ ;  $0 \leq (V_{TH} \times I_{SNS}) \leq 0.8V$ .

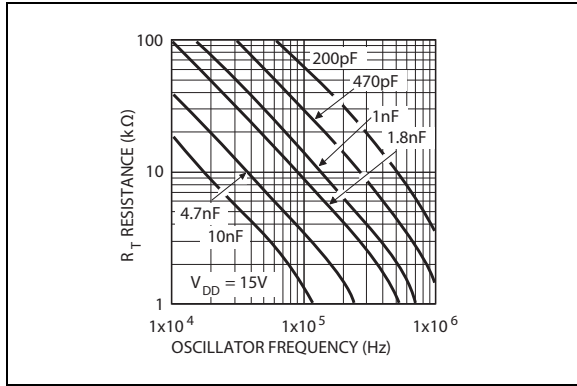
## TEMPERATURE SPECIFICATIONS

| Parameters                         | Sym.          | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Conditions |
|------------------------------------|---------------|------|------|------|-------|------------|
| <b>Temperature Ranges</b>          |               |      |      |      |       |            |
| Maximum Junction Temperature       | $T_{J(MAX)}$  | —    | —    | +150 | °C    | —          |
| Junction Temperature Range         | $T_J$         | -40  | —    | +85  | °C    | —          |
| Storage Temperature                | $T_S$         | -65  | —    | +150 | °C    | —          |
| <b>Package Thermal Resistances</b> |               |      |      |      |       |            |
| Thermal Resistance, PDIP 8-Ld      | $\theta_{JA}$ | —    | 125  | —    | °C/W  | —          |
| Thermal Resistance, SOIC 8-Ld      | $\theta_{JA}$ | —    | 170  | —    | °C/W  | —          |
| Thermal Resistance, PDIP 14-Ld     | $\theta_{JA}$ | —    | 90   | —    | °C/W  | —          |
| Thermal Resistance, SOIC 14-Ld     | $\theta_{JA}$ | —    | 145  | —    | °C/W  | —          |

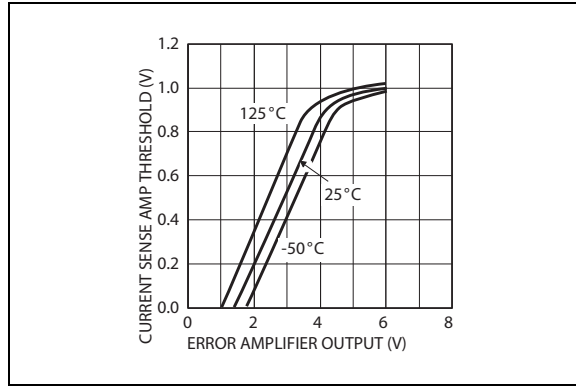
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## 2.0 TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES

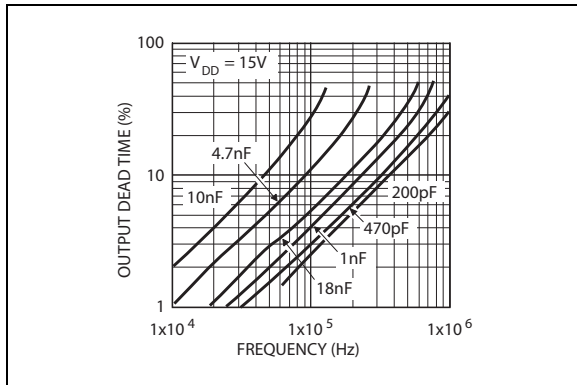
**Note:** The graphs and tables provided following this note are a statistical summary based on a limited number of samples and are provided for informational purposes only. The performance characteristics listed herein are not tested or guaranteed. In some graphs or tables, the data presented may be outside the specified operating range (e.g., outside specified power supply range) and therefore outside the warranted range.



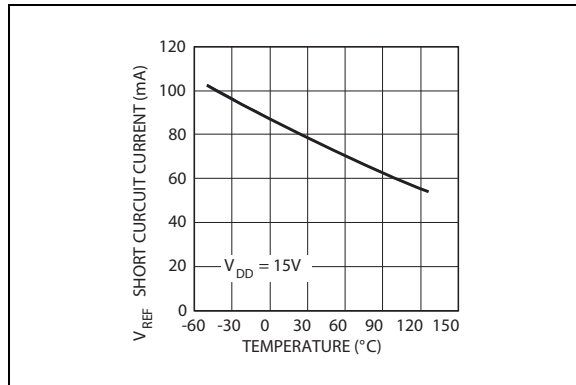
**FIGURE 2-1:** Oscillator Frequency Configuration.



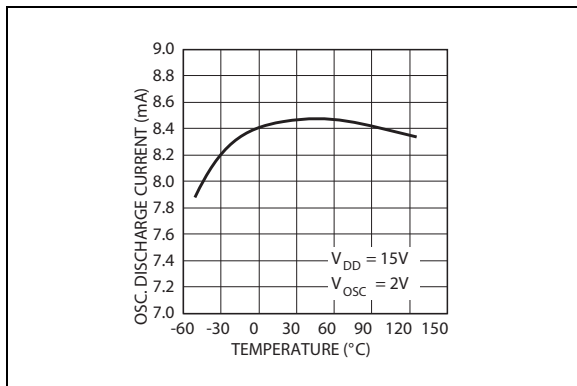
**FIGURE 2-4:** Current Sense Amplifier vs. Error Amplifier Output.



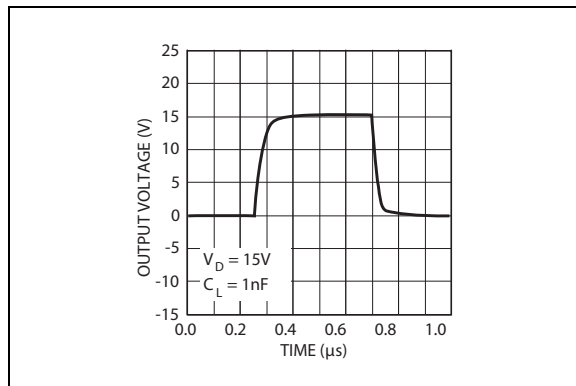
**FIGURE 2-2:** MIC38HC42/3 Output Dead Time vs. Oscillator Frequency.



**FIGURE 2-5:** Short-Circuit Reference Current vs. Temperature.



**FIGURE 2-3:** Oscillator Discharge Current vs. Temperature.



**FIGURE 2-6:** MIC38HC4x Output Waveform.

## 3.0 PIN DESCRIPTIONS

The descriptions of the pins are listed in [Table 3-1](#).

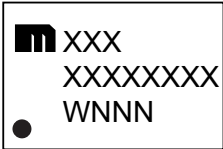
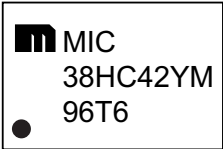
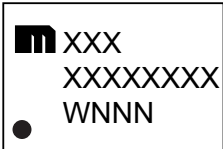
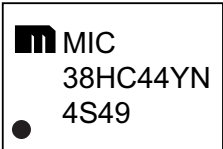
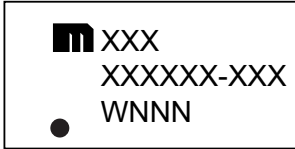
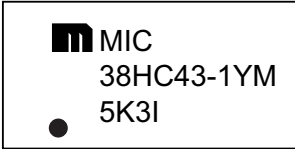
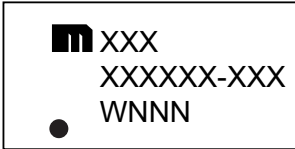
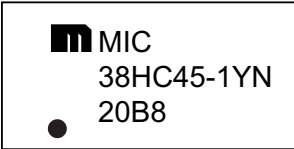
**TABLE 3-1: PIN FUNCTION TABLE**

| Pin Number<br>MIC38HC4x | Pin Number<br>MIC38HC4x-1 | Pin Name | Description  |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|----------|--|
| 1                       | 1                         | COMP     | Compensation: Connect external compensation network to modify the error amplifier output.                          |
| —                       | 2                         | NC       | Not internally connected.  |
| 2                       | 3                         | FB       | Feedback (Input): Error amplifier input. Feedback is 2.5V at desired output voltage.                               |
| —                       | 4                         | NC       | Not internally connected.  |
| 3                       | 5                         | ISNS     | Current Sense (Input): Current sense comparator input. Connect to current sensing resistor or current transformer. |
| —                       | 6                         | NC       | Not internally connected.  |
| 4                       | 7                         | RT/CT    | Timing Resistor/Timing Capacitor: Connect external RC network to select switching frequency.                       |
| 5                       | —                         | GND      | Ground: Combined analog and power ground.  |
| —                       | 8                         | PGND     | Power Ground: N-channel driver transistor ground.  |
| —                       | 9                         | AGND     | Analog Ground: Controller circuitry ground.  |
| 6                       | 10                        | OUT      | Power Output: Totem-pole output.   |
| —                       | 11                        | VD       | Power Supply (Input): P-channel driver transistor supply input. Return to power ground (PGND).                     |
| 7                       | 12                        | VDD      | Analog Supply (Input): Controller circuitry supply input. Return to analog ground (AGND).                          |
| —                       | 13                        | NC       | Not internally connected.  |
| 8                       | 14                        | VREF     | 5V Reference (Output): Connect external RC network.  |

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## 4.0 PACKAGING INFORMATION

### 4.1 Package Marking Information

| 8-Lead SOIC*  | Example   | 8-Lead PDIP*   | Example   |
|---|---|--|---|
|  |  |  |  |
| 14-Lead SOIC*   | Example   | 14-Lead PDIP*  | Example   |
|  |  |  |  |

|                |  |  |
|----------------|--|--|
| <b>Legend:</b> | XX...X   | Product code or customer-specific information  |
|                | Y  | Year code (last digit of calendar year)  |
|                | YY   | Year code (last 2 digits of calendar year)   |
|                | WW   | Week code (week of January 1 is week '01')   |
|                | NNN  | Alphanumeric traceability code   |
|                | (e3)   | Pb-free JEDEC® designator for Matte Tin (Sn)   |
|                | *  | This package is Pb-free. The Pb-free JEDEC designator (e3) can be found on the outer packaging for this package. |
|                | •, ▲, ▼  | Pin one index is identified by a dot, delta up, or delta down (triangle mark).                                   |
| <b>Note:</b>   | In the event the full Microchip part number cannot be marked on one line, it will be carried over to the next line, thus limiting the number of available characters for customer-specific information. Package may or may not include the corporate logo. |  |
|                | Underbar ( _ ) symbol may not be to scale.   |  |

**Note:** If the full seven-character YYWWNNN code cannot fit on the package, the following truncated codes are used based on the available marking space:  
6 Characters = YWWNNN; 5 Characters = WWNNN; 4 Characters = WNNN; 3 Characters = NNN;  
2 Characters = NN; 1 Character = N



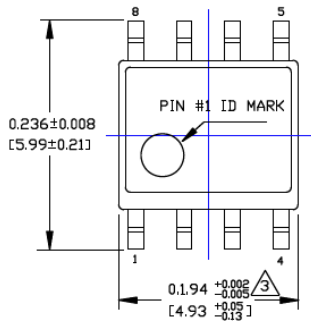
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## 8-Lead SOIC Package Outline and Recommended Land Pattern

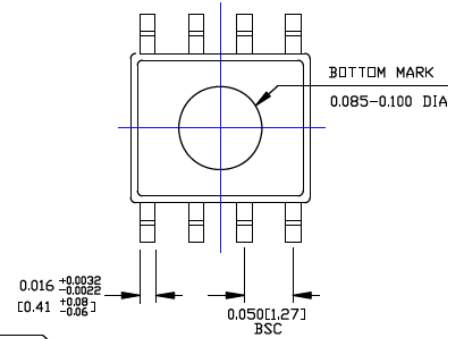
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8 LEAD SOICN PACKAGE OUTLINE & RECOMMENDED LAND PATTERN

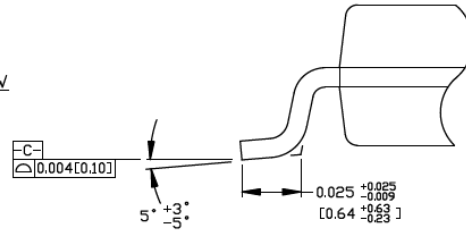
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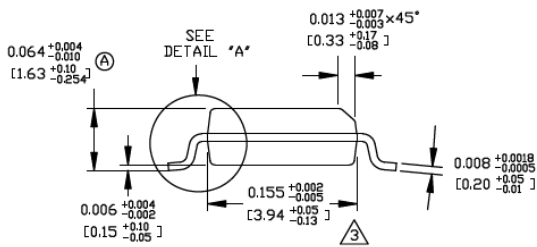
TOP VIEW



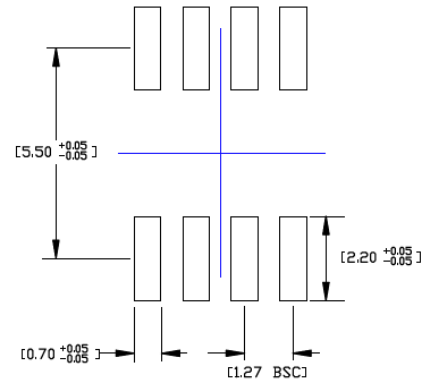
BOTTOM VIEW



DETAIL "A"



END VIEW



RECOMMENDED LAND PATTERN

**NOTES:**

1. DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES[MM].
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCHES.
3. DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS, EITHER OF WHICH SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.010[0.25] PER SIDE.

Note: For the most current package drawings, please see the Microchip Packaging Specification located at <http://www.microchip.com/packaging>.

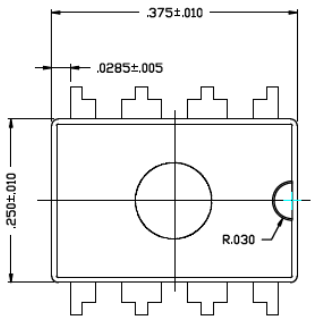
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## 8-Lead PDIP Package Outline and Recommended Land Pattern

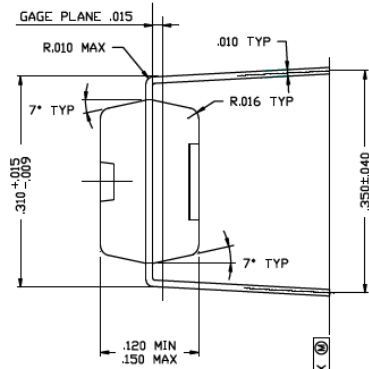
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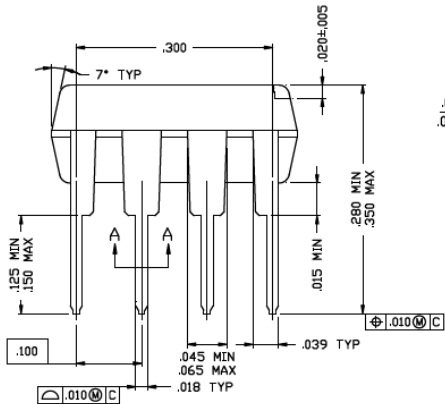
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|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------|
| <b>DRAWING #</b>  | PDIP-8LD-PL-1 | <b>UNIT</b>        | INCH      |
| <b>Lead Frame</b> | Copper        | <b>Lead Finish</b> | Matte Tin |



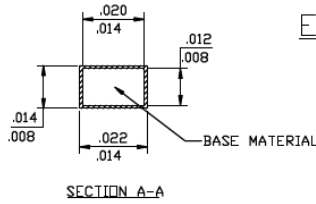
TOP VIEW



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SIDE VIEW



SECTION A-A

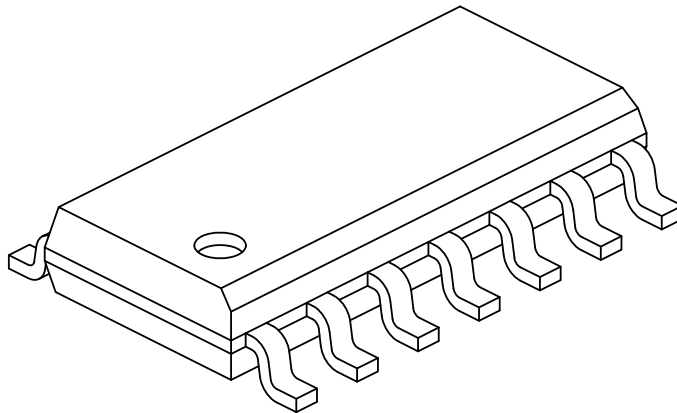
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## 14-Lead Plastic Small Outline (D3X, UEB, M5B, UEB) - Narrow, 3.90 mm Body [SOIC] Atmel Legacy Global Package Code SVQ

**Note:** For the most current package drawings, please see the Microchip Packaging Specification located at <http://www.microchip.com/packaging>



| Dimension Limits         | Units     | MILLIMETERS |     |      |
|--------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----|------|
|                          |           | MIN         | NOM | MAX  |
| Number of Pins           | N         | 14          |     |      |
| Pitch                    | e         | 1.27 BSC    |     |      |
| Overall Height           | A         | -           | -   | 1.75 |
| Molded Package Thickness | A2        | 1.25        | -   | -    |
| Standoff §               | A1        | 0.10        | -   | 0.25 |
| Overall Width            | E         | 6.00 BSC    |     |      |
| Molded Package Width     | E1        | 3.90 BSC    |     |      |
| Overall Length           | D         | 8.65 BSC    |     |      |
| Chamfer (Optional)       | h         | 0.25        | -   | 0.50 |
| Foot Length              | L         | 0.40        | -   | 1.27 |
| Footprint                | L1        | 1.04 REF    |     |      |
| Lead Angle               | $\theta$  | 0°          | -   | -    |
| Foot Angle               | $\varphi$ | 0°          | -   | 8°   |
| Lead Thickness           | c         | 0.10        | -   | 0.25 |
| Lead Width               | b         | 0.31        | -   | 0.51 |
| Mold Draft Angle Top     | $\alpha$  | 5°          | -   | 15°  |
| Mold Draft Angle Bottom  | $\beta$   | 5°          | -   | 15°  |

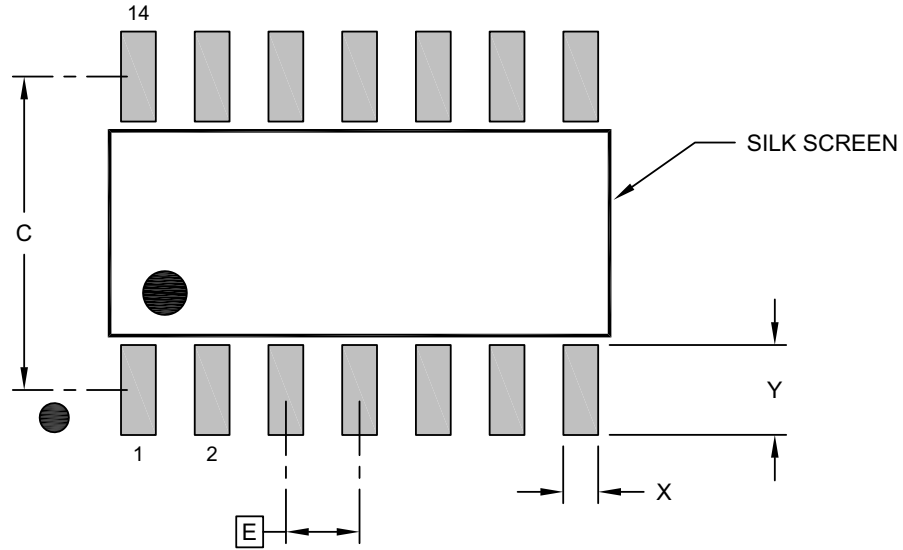
**Notes:**

- Pin 1 visual index feature may vary, but must be located within the hatched area.
- § Significant Characteristic
- Dimension D does not include mold flash, protrusions or gate burrs, which shall not exceed 0.15 mm per end. Dimension E1 does not include interlead flash or protrusion, which shall not exceed 0.25 mm per side.
- Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M  
BSC: Basic Dimension. Theoretically exact value shown without tolerances.  
REF: Reference Dimension, usually without tolerance, for information purposes only.
- Datums A & B to be determined at Datum H.

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## 14-Lead Plastic Small Outline (D3X, UEB, M5B, UEB) - Narrow, 3.90 mm Body [SOIC] Atmel Legacy Global Package Code SVQ

**Note:** For the most current package drawings, please see the Microchip Packaging Specification located at <http://www.microchip.com/packaging>



### RECOMMENDED LAND PATTERN

| Dimension Limits         | Units | MILLIMETERS |          |      |
|--------------------------|-------|-------------|----------|------|
|                          |       | MIN         | NOM      | MAX  |
| Contact Pitch            | E     |             | 1.27 BSC |      |
| Contact Pad Spacing      | C     |             | 5.40     |      |
| Contact Pad Width (X14)  | X     |             |          | 0.60 |
| Contact Pad Length (X14) | Y     |             |          | 1.55 |

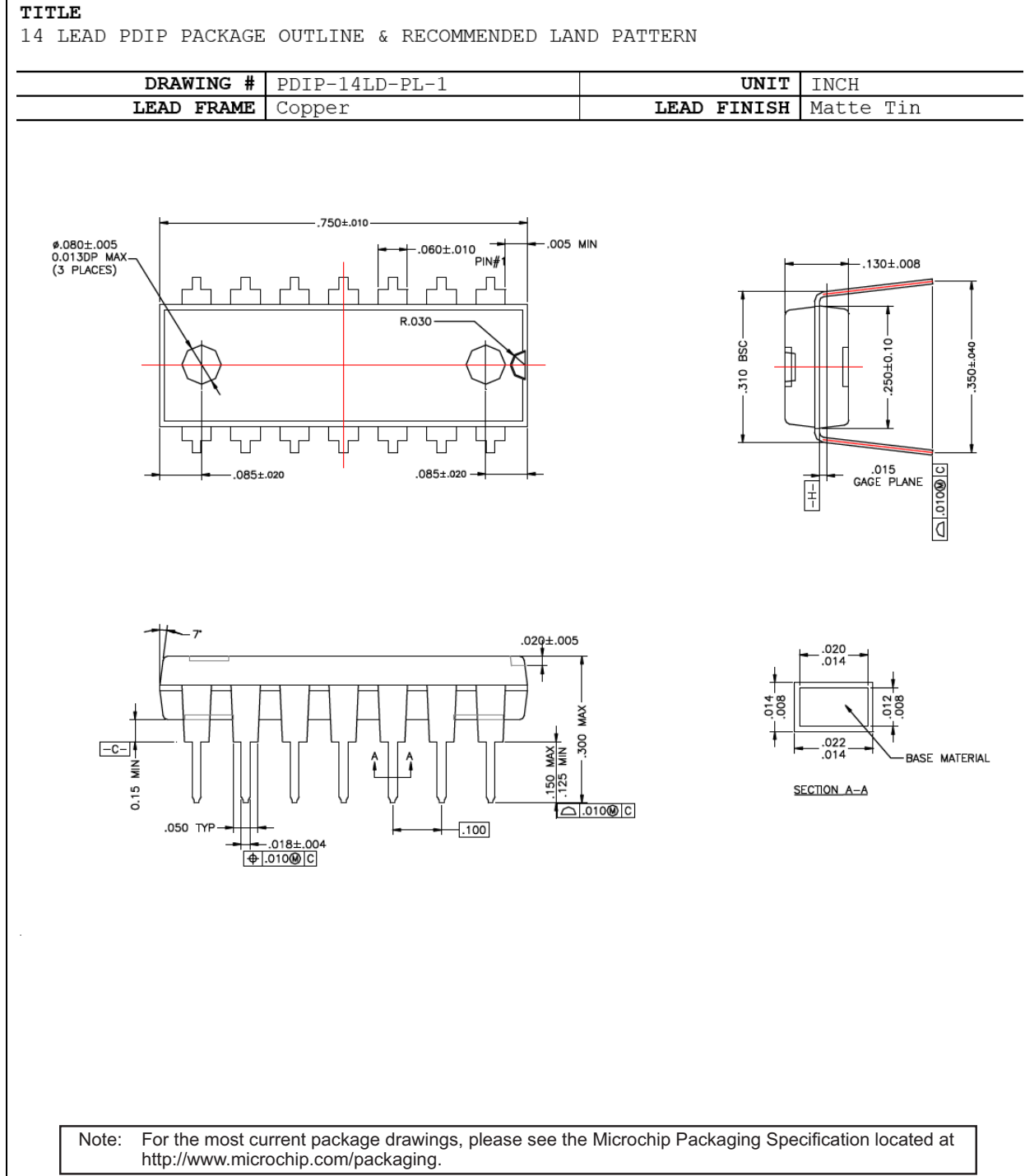
**Notes:**

1. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M  
BSC: Basic Dimension. Theoretically exact value shown without tolerances.

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## 14-Lead PDIP Package Outline and Recommended Land Pattern



## APPENDIX A: REVISION HISTORY

### Revision A (March 2023)

- Converted Micrel document MIC38HC42/3/4/5 to Microchip data sheet DS20006735A.
- Minor text changes throughout.

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## PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM

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| Part Number                    | [-X]                   | X  | X       | [-XX]      | Examples:   |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|--|---------|------------|---|
| Device                         | Special Package Option | Temp. Range  | Package | Media Type |   |
| <b>Device:</b>                 | MIC38HC4x:             | BiCMOS 1A Current-Mode PWM Controllers (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> for specifics) |         |            | a) MIC38HC42YM: MIC38HC42 (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> ), -40°C to +85°C Temp. Range, 8-Lead SOIC, 95/Tube  |
| <b>Special Package Option:</b> | 1 =                    | 14-Lead PDIP or SOIC   |         |            | b) MIC38HC43-1YN: MIC38HC43 (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> ), -40°C to +85°C Temp. Range, 14-Lead PDIP, 25/Tube   |
| <b>Temperature Range:</b>      | Y =                    | -40°C to +85°C   |         |            | c) MIC38HC44-1YM-TR: MIC38HC44 (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> ), -40°C to +85°C Temp. Range, 14-Lead SOIC, 2,500/Reel   |
| <b>Package:</b>                | M =                    | 8-Lead or 14-Lead SOIC   |         |            | d) MIC38HC45YN: MIC38HC45 (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> ), -40°C to +85°C Temp. Range, 8-Lead PDIP, 50/Tube  |
|                                | N =                    | 8-Lead or 14-Lead PDIP   |         |            | e) MIC38HC42-1YN: MIC38HC42 (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> ), -40°C to +85°C Temp. Range, 14-Lead PDIP, 25/Tube   |
| <b>Media Type:</b>             | <blank>=               | 95/Tube (8-Lead SOIC only)   |         |            | f) MIC38HC43YM-TR: MIC38HC43 (see <a href="#">Selection Guide</a> ), -40°C to +85°C Temp. Range, 8-Lead SOIC, 2,500/Reel  |
|                                | <blank>=               | 54/Tube (14-Lead SOIC only)  |         |            | <b>Note 1:</b> Tape and Reel identifier only appears in the catalog part number description. This identifier is used for ordering purposes and is not printed on the device package. Check with your Microchip Sales Office for package availability with the Tape and Reel option. |
|                                | <blank>=               | 50/Tube (8-Lead PDIP only)   |         |            |   |
|                                | <blank>=               | 25/Tube (14-Lead PDIP only)  |         |            |   |
|                                | TR =                   | 2,500/Reel (SOIC options only)   |         |            |   |

## Selection Guide

| Duty Cycle | UVLO Thresholds                        |                                       |
|------------|--|---------------------------------------|
|            | Startup 8.4V<br>Minimum Operating 7.6V | Startup 14.5V<br>Minimum Operating 9V |
| 0% to 96%  | MIC38HC43                              | MIC38HC42                             |
| 0% to 50%  | MIC38HC45                              | MIC38HC44                             |

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