

# HM538123 Series

131,072-Word x 8-Bit Multiport CMOS Video RAM

## DESCRIPTION

The HM538123 is a 1-Mbit multiport video RAM equipped with a 128k-word x 8-bit dynamic RAM and a 256-word x 8-bit SAM (serial access memory). Its RAM and SAM operate independently and asynchronously. It can transfer data between RAM and SAM and has a write mask function. In addition, it has two new functions. Flash write clears the data of one row in one cycle in RAM. Special read transfer internally detects that the last address in SAM is read and transfers the next data of one row automatically from RAM if a transfer cycle has previously been executed. These functions make it easier to use the HM538123.

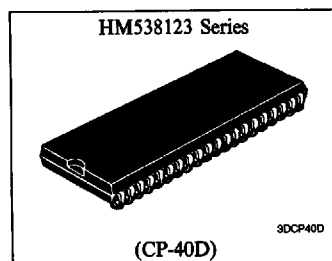
## FEATURES

- Multiport Organization
  - Asynchronous and Simultaneous Operation of RAM and SAM Capability
  - RAM ..... 128k-word x 8-bit
  - SAM ..... 256-word x 8-bit
- Access Time
  - RAM ..... 100 ns/120 ns/150 ns (max)
  - SAM ..... 30 ns/40 ns/50 ns (max)
- Cycle Time
  - RAM ..... 190 ns/220 ns/260 ns (min)
  - SAM ..... 30 ns/40 ns/60 ns (min)
- Low Power
  - Active
    - RAM ..... 385 mW (max)
    - SAM ..... 275 mW (max)
  - Standby ..... 40 mW (max)
- High-Speed Page Mode Capability
- Mask Write Mode Capability
- Bidirectional Data Transfer Cycle between RAM and SAM Capability
- Special Read Transfer Cycle Capability
- Flash Write Cycle Capability
- 3 Variations of Refresh (8 ms/512 Cycles)
  - RAS Only Refresh
  - CAS Before RAS Refresh
  - Hidden Refresh
- TTL Compatible

## ORDERING INFORMATION

Part No.	Access Time	Package
HM538123JP-10	100 ns	400 mil
HM538123JP-12	120 ns	40-pin
HM538123JP-15	150 ns	Plastic SOJ (CP-40D)

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## PIN OUT

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SC	1	40	V <sub>SS</sub> 1
SI/O0	2	39	SI/O7
SI/O1	3	38	SI/O6
SI/O2	4	37	SI/O5
SI/O3	5	36	SI/O4
DT/OE	6	35	SE
I/O0	7	34	I/O7
I/O1	8	33	I/O6
I/O2	9	32	I/O5
I/O3	10	31	I/O4
V <sub>CC</sub> 1	11	30	V <sub>SS</sub> 2
WE	12	29	DSF
NC	13	28	NC
RAS	14	27	CAS
NC	15	26	QSF
A8	16	25	A0
A6	17	24	A1
A5	18	23	A2
A4	19	22	A3
V <sub>CC</sub> 2	20	21	A7

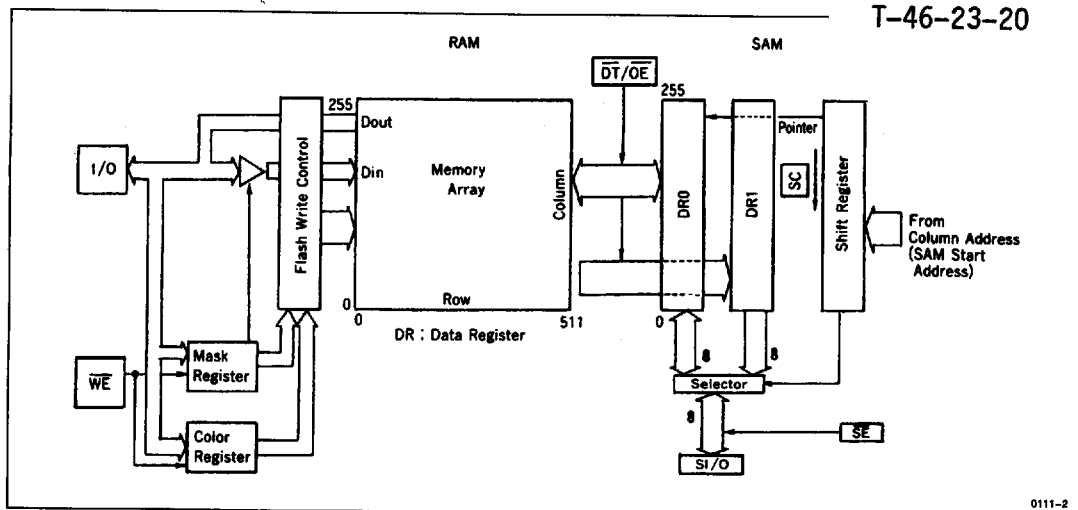
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## PIN DESCRIPTION

Pin Name	Function
A <sub>0</sub> -A <sub>8</sub>	Address Inputs
I/O <sub>0</sub> -I/O <sub>7</sub>	RAM Port Data Inputs/Outputs
SI/O <sub>0</sub> -SI/O <sub>7</sub>	SAM Port Data Inputs/Outputs
RAS	Row Address Strobe
CAS	Column Address Strobe
WE	Write Enable
DT/OE	Data Transfer Output Enable
SC	Serial Clock
SE	SAM Port Enable
DSF	Special Function Input Flag
QSF	Data Register Empty Flag
V <sub>CC</sub>	Power Supply
V <sub>SS</sub>	Ground
NC	No Connection





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## ■ PIN FUNCTION

**RAS** (input pin): RAS is a basic RAM signal. It is active in low level and standby in high level. Row address and signals as shown in Table 1 are input at the falling edge of RAS. The input level of those signals determine the operation cycle of the HM538123.

• Table 1. Operation Cycles of the HM538123

Input Level at the Falling Edge of RAS					Operation Cycle
CAS	DT/OE	WE	SE	DSF	
H	H	H	X	L	RAM Read/Write
H	H	H	X	H	Color Register Set
H	H	L	X	L	Mask Write
H	H	L	X	H	Flash Write
H	L	H	X	L	Special Read
H	L	H	X	H	Initialization
H	L	H	X	H	Special Read
H	L	L	H	X	Transfer
H	L	L	L	X	Pseudo Transfer
H	L	L	L	X	Write Transfer
L	X	X	X	X	CBR Refresh

Note: X; Don't care.

**CAS** (input pin): Column address is put into chip at the falling edge of CAS. CAS controls output impedance of I/O in RAM.

**A<sub>0</sub>-A<sub>8</sub>** (input pins): Row address is determined by A<sub>0</sub>-A<sub>8</sub> level at the falling edge of RAS. Column address is determined by A<sub>0</sub>-A<sub>7</sub> level at the falling edge of CAS. In transfer cycles, row address is the address on the word line which transfers data with SAM data register, and column address is the SAM start address after transfer.

**WE** (input pin): WE pin has two functions at the falling edge of RAS and after. When WE is low at the falling edge of RAS, the HM538123 turns to mask write mode. According to the I/O level at the time, write on each I/O can be masked. (WE level at the falling edge of RAS is don't care in read cycle.) When WE is high at the falling edge of RAS, a normal write cycle is executed. After that, WE switches read/write cycles as in a standard DRAM. In a transfer cycle, the direction of transfer is determined by WE level at the falling edge of RAS. When WE is low, data is transferred from SAM to RAM (data is written into RAM), and when WE is high, data is transferred from RAM to SAM (data is read from RAM).

**I/O<sub>0</sub>-I/O<sub>7</sub>** (input/output pins): I/O pins function as mask data at the falling edge of RAS (in mask write and flash write mode). Data is written only on high I/O pins. Data on low I/O pins are masked and internal data are retained. After that, they function as input/output pins as those of a standard DRAM.

**DT/OE** (input pin): DT/OE pin functions as DT (data transfer) pin at the falling edge of RAS and as OE (output enable) pin after that. When DT is low at the falling edge of RAS, this cycle becomes a transfer cycle. When DT is high at the falling edge of RAS, RAM and SAM operate independently.

**SC** (input pin): SC is a basic SAM clock. In a serial read cycle, data is output from an SI/O pin synchronously with the rising edge of SC. In a serial write cycle, data on an SI/O pin at the rising edge of SC is put into the SAM data register.

**SE** (input pin): SE pin activates SAM. When SE is high, SI/O is in the high impedance state in serial read cycle and data on SI/O is not put into the SAM data register in serial write cycle. SE can be used as a mask for serial write because internal pointer is incremented at the rising edge of SC.

SI/O<sub>0</sub>-SI/O<sub>7</sub> (input/output pins): SI/Os are input/output pins in SAM. Direction of input/output is determined by the previous transfer cycle. When it was a special read transfer cycle or special read initialization cycle, SI/O outputs data. When it was a pseudo transfer cycle or write transfer cycle, SI/O inputs data.

DSF (input pin): DSF is a special data input flag pin. It is set to high when new functions such as color register set, special read transfer, and flash write, are used.

QSF (output pin): The HM538123 has a double buffer organization which includes two SAM data registers to relax the restriction on timings of DT/OE and SC in real time transfer cycle. QSF flag turns high when output from one of SAM data registers finished (data register empty flag). If the condition is detected and special read transfer cycle is executed, data is transferred to the empty register. SC (serial clock) and data transfer cycle can be set asynchronously because detection of the last address in SAM and change of data register are executed automatically in the chip. It makes the system design flexible.

## ■ OPERATION OF HM538123

### • Operation of RAM Port

**RAM Read Cycle** (DT/OE High, CAS High, DSF Low at the Falling Edge of RAS)

Row address is entered at the RAS falling edge and column address at the CAS falling edge to the device as in standard DRAM. Then, when WE is high and DT/OE is low while CAS is low, the selected address data is output through I/O pin. At the falling edge of RAS, DT/OE and CAS become high to distinguish RAM read cycle from transfer cycle and CBR refresh cycle. Address access time ( $t_{AA}$ ) and RAS to column address delay time ( $t_{RAD}$ ) specifications are added to enable high-speed page mode.

### RAM Write Cycle

**(Early Write, Delayed Write, Read Modify Write)**  
(DT/OE High, CAS High, DSF Low at the Falling Edge of RAS)

#### • Normal Mode Write Cycle

(WE High at the Falling Edge of RAS)

When CAS and WE are set low after driving RAS low, a write cycle is executed and I/O data is written in the selected addresses. When all 8 I/Os are written, WE should be high at the falling edge of RAS to distinguish normal mode from mask write mode.

If WE is set low before the CAS falling edge, this cycle becomes an early write cycle and I/O becomes in high impedance. Data is entered at the CAS falling edge.

If WE is set low after the CAS falling edge, this cycle becomes a delayed write cycle. Data is input at the WE falling. I/O does not become high impedance in this cycle, so data should be entered with OE in high.

If WE is set low after  $t_{CWD}$  (min) and  $t_{AWD}$  (min) after the CAS falling edge, this cycle becomes a read modify write cycle and enables read/write to execute in the same address cycle. In this cycle also, to avoid I/O contention, data should be input after reading data and driving OE high.

#### • Mask Write Mode

(WE Low at the Falling Edge of RAS)

If WE is set low at the falling edge of RAS, the cycle becomes a mask write mode cycle which writes only to selected I/O. Whether or not an I/O is written depends on I/O level (mask data) at the falling edge of RAS. Then the data is written in high I/O pins and masked in low ones and internal data is preserved. This mask data is effective during the RAS cycle. So, in high-speed page mode cycle, the mask data is preserved during the page access.

**High-Speed Page Mode Cycle** (DT/OE High, CAS High, DSF Low at the Falling Edge of RAS)

High-speed page mode cycle reads/writes the data of the same row address at high speed by toggling CAS while RAS is low. Its cycle time is one third of the random read/write cycle and is higher than the standard page mode cycle by 70-80%. This product is based on static column mode, therefore, address access time ( $t_{AA}$ ), RAS to column address delay time ( $t_{RAD}$ ), and access time from CAS pre-charge ( $t_{ACP}$ ) are added. In one RAS cycle, 256-word memory cells of the same row address can be accessed. It is necessary to specify access frequency within  $t_{RAS}$  max (10  $\mu$ s).

### Flash Write Function (See Figure 1)

#### • Color Register Set Cycle (CAS-DT/OE-WE High, DSF High at the Falling Edge of RAS)

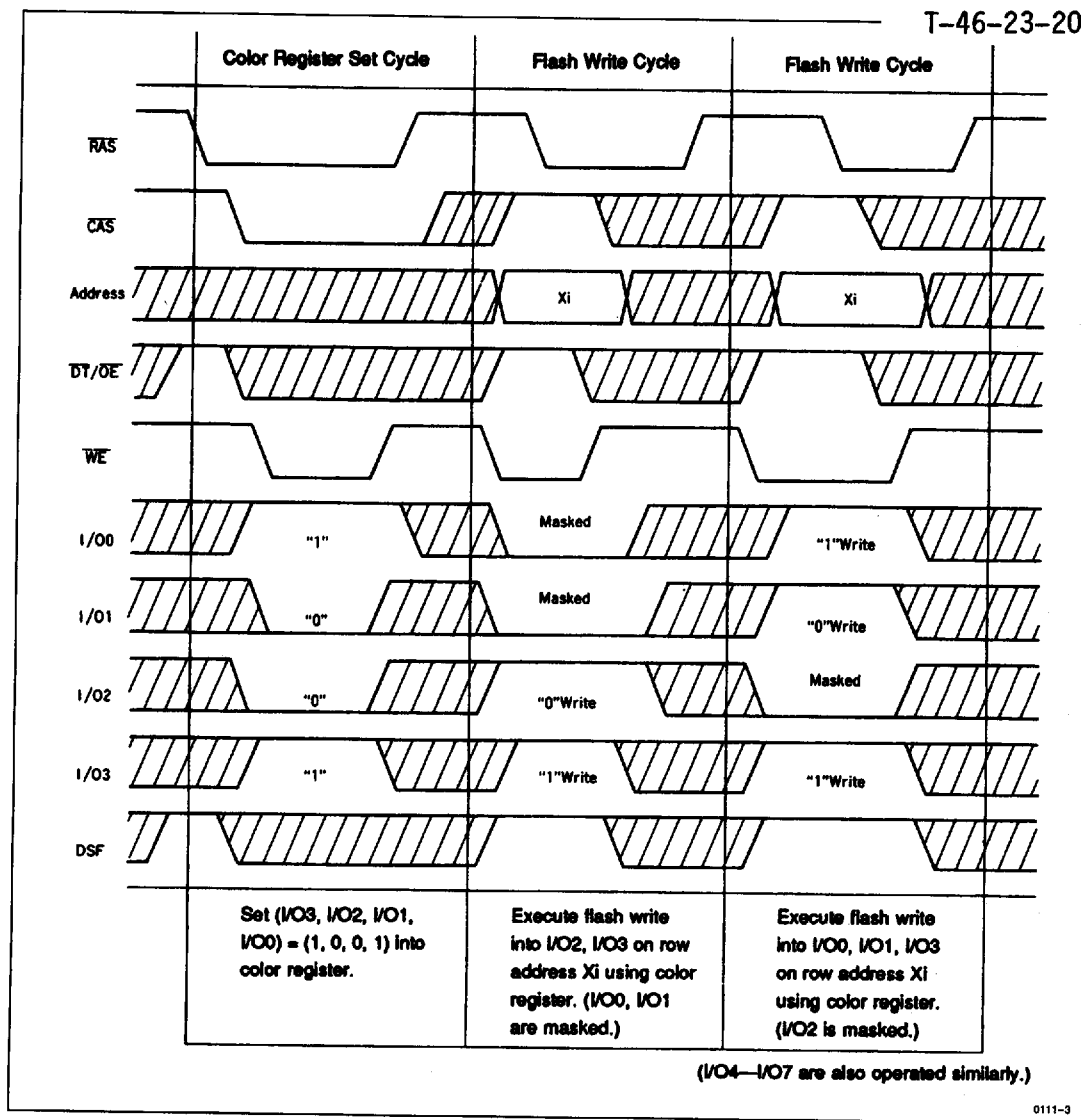
In color register set cycle, color data is set to the internal color register used in flash write cycle. 8 bits of internal color register are provided at each I/O. This register is composed of static circuits, so once it is set, it preserves the data until reset. The data set is just as same as in the usual write cycle except that DSF is set high at the falling edge of RAS, and early write and delayed write cycle can be executed. In this cycle, memory array access is not executed, so it is unnecessary to give row and column addresses.

#### • Flash Write Cycle (CAS-DT/OE High, WE Low, DSF High at the Falling Edge of RAS)

In a flash write cycle, a row of data (256 x 8 bit) is cleared to 0 or 1 at each I/O according to the data of color register mentioned before. It is also possible to mask I/O in this cycle. When CAS-DT/OE is set high, WE is low, and DSF is high at the falling edge of RAS, this cycle starts. Then, the row address to clear is given to row address and mask data is to I/O. Mask data is as same as that of a RAM write cycle. High I/O is cleared, low I/O is not cleared and the internal data is preserved. Cycle time is the same as those of RAM read/write cycles, so all bits can be cleared in 1/512 of the usual cycle time.



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Figure 1. Use of Flash Write



- **Transfer Operation**

The HM538123 provides the special read initialization cycle, special read transfer cycle, pseudo transfer cycle, and write transfer cycle as data transfer cycles. These transfer cycles are set by driving  $\overline{DT}/OE$  low at the falling edge of  $\overline{RAS}$ . They have following functions:

- (1) Transfer data between row address and SAM data register (except for pseudo transfer cycle)
- (2) Determine direction of data transfer
  - (a) Special read initialization cycle,  
Special read transfer cycle: RAM → SAM
  - (b) write transfer cycle: RAM ← SAM
- (3) Determine input or output of SAM I/O pin (SI/O)
  - Special read initialization cycle: SI/O output
  - Pseudo transfer cycle,  
write transfer cycle: SI/O input
- (4) Determine first SAM address to access (SAM start address) after transferring at column address. When SAM start address is not changed, neither CAS nor address need to be set because SAM start address can be latched internally.

**Special Read Initialization Cycle** ( $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  High,  $\overline{\text{DT}}/\overline{\text{OE}}$  Low,  $\overline{\text{WE}}$  High, DSF Low at the Falling Edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ )

If  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  is high,  $\overline{\text{DT/OE}}$  is low,  $\overline{\text{WE}}$  high, and DSF low at the falling edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ , this cycle becomes a special read initialization cycle. Special read initialization is used (1) to start special read transfer operation and (2) to switch SAM

input/output pin (SI/O) set in input state by pseudo transfer cycle or write transfer cycle, to output state. T-46

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If the clock is set as mentioned before, address of SAM transfer word line is set to row address and first SAM address to access (SAM start address) to column address, it becomes possible to execute SAM read after  $t_{SRD}$  (min) after  $\overline{RAS}$  is high. In this cycle, SI/O outputs uncertain data after the  $\overline{RAS}$  falling edge. So when SAM is in input state before executing this cycle, it is necessary to stop input before the  $\overline{RAS}$  falling edge.

SAM access is inhibited while  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  is low in this cycle.  $\text{SC}$  should not be raised during  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  low.

**Special Read Transfer Cycle** ( $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  High,  $\overline{\text{DT}}/\overline{\text{OE}}$  Low,  $\overline{\text{WE}}$  High, DSF High at the Falling Edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ )

Ordinary multiport video RAM has some problems; (1) severe limitation on timings between processor clock DT/OE and CRT clock SC, (2) complicated external control circuit to detect SAM last address externally and to insert transfer cycle synchronously. Special read transfer cycle makes it possible to relax the timing limitations and to set serial clock (SC) and transfer cycle perfectly synchronously.

Figure 2 shows the block diagram for a special read transfer. SAM double buffers are composed of two data registers (DR). When data is read out from DR0 serially, special read transfer cycle transfers a row of RAM data, which will be read from SAM next, to DR1.

The end of data read from DR0 is detected internally and data register switching circuit automatically switches to DR1 output. So data can be output continuously.

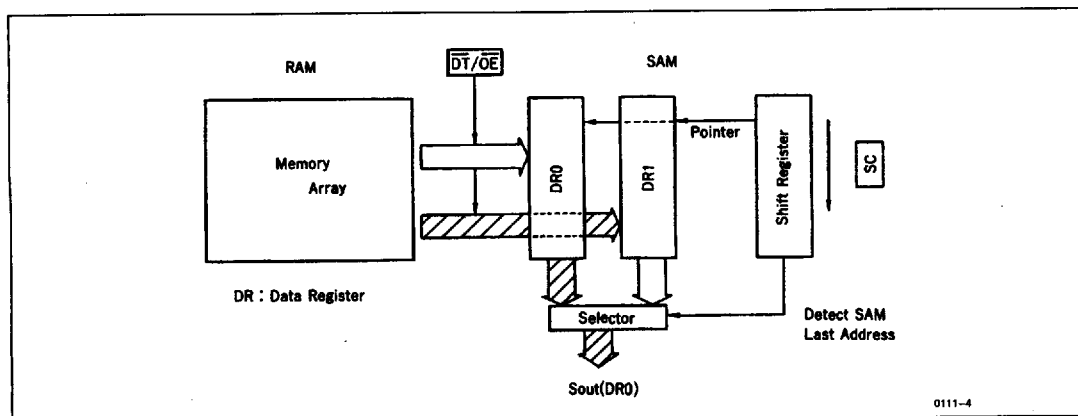


Figure 2. Block Diagram for Special Read Transfer

Figure 3 shows special read transfer operation sequence. QSF flag indicates that reading out from data register is finished (data register empty flag), and special read transfer can be executed while QSF is high. At first, special read operation starts by executing a special read initialization cycle. So QSF becomes high, the processor gives row address and SAM start address, which is needed next, to the memory, and inserts a special read transfer cycle. Data register becomes full after a special read transfer cycle, so QSF becomes low during the cycle. When the last SAM address is accessed, QSF becomes high and the data register, which outputs from the next SAM address, changes, and serial access can be executed.

By executing these handshakes, serial clock and transfer cycle can be executed perfectly asynchronously, and flexibility of the system design is improved.

Special read transfer cycle is set by making  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  high,  $\overline{\text{DT/OE}}$  low,  $\overline{\text{WE}}$  high, and  $\text{DSF}$  high at the falling edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  (same as for special read initialization cycle except  $\text{DSF}$ ). Like in other transfer cycles, the address of the word line to transfer into data register is specified by row address and SAM start is specified by column address. When the last SAM address data is output, the next data is output from the SAM start address specified by this  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  cycle. This transfer cycle can be executed asynchronously with

SAM cycle. However, it is necessary to execute SAM access after  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  becomes high after SAM start address is specified by  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  cycle. (See Figure 4).

QSF should be high at the falling edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  to execute a special read transfer cycle. A cycle whose QSF is low is neglected (refresh is executed). When the previous transfer cycle is a pseudo transfer or write transfer cycle and  $\text{SI/O}$  is in input state, special read transfer cycle cannot be used (neglected). Special read initialization cycle is required to switch  $\text{SI/O}$  to output state.

**Pseudo Transfer Cycle** ( $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  High,  $\overline{\text{DT/OE}}$  Low,  $\overline{\text{WE}}$  Low, and  $\overline{\text{SE}}$  High at the Falling Edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ )

Pseudo transfer cycle is available for switching  $\text{SI/O}$  from output state to input state because data in RAM isn't rewritten. This cycle starts when  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  is high,  $\overline{\text{DT/OE}}$  low,  $\overline{\text{WE}}$  low, and  $\overline{\text{SE}}$  high, at the falling edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ . The output buffer in  $\text{SI/O}$  becomes high impedance within  $t_{\text{SRZ}}$  (max) from the  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  falling edge. Data should be input to  $\text{SI/O}$  later than  $t_{\text{SID}}$  (min) to avoid data contention. SAM access becomes enabled after  $t_{\text{SRP}}$  (min) after  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  becomes high, like in the special read initialization cycle. In this cycle, SAM access is inhibited during  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  low, therefore,  $\text{SC}$  should not be raised.

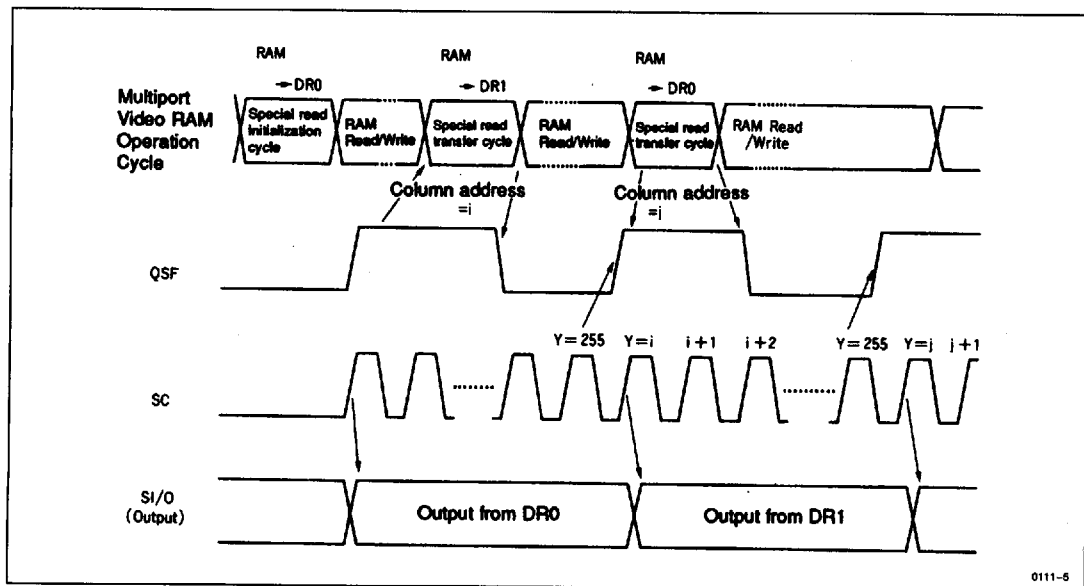


Figure 3. Special Read Transfer Operation Sequence

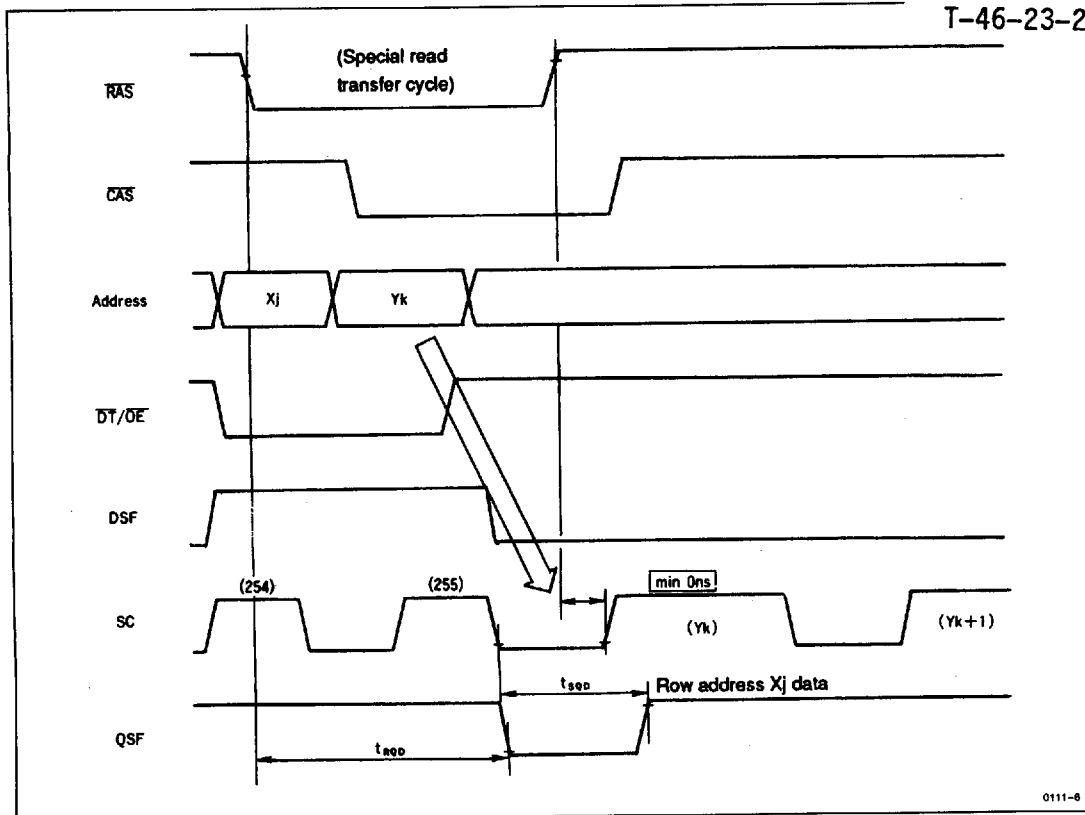


Figure 4. The Restriction of Special Read Transfer

**Write Transfer Cycle** (CAS High, DT/OE Low, WE Low, and SE Low at the Falling Edge of RAS)

Write transfer cycle can transfer a row of data input by serial write cycle to RAM. The row address of data transferred into RAM is determined by the address at the falling edge of RAS. The column address is specified as the first address to serial write after terminating this cycle. Also in this cycle, SAM access becomes enabled after  $t_{SRD}$  (min) after RAS becomes high. SAM access is inhibited during RAS low. In this period, SC should not be raised.

#### • SAM Port Operation

##### Serial Read Cycle

SAM port is in read mode when the previous data transfer cycle is special read initialization cycle or special read transfer cycle. Access is synchronized with SC rising, and SAM data is output from SI/O. When the last address is accessed at the state of QSF low (data register is full), it is signaled to external circuits that special read transfer is enabled by making QSF high. Next, after SAM access, output data register is switched, then the row address data given by previous special read transfer cycle is output from the SAM start address. If special read transfer isn't performed (QSF high), the column address 0 of the same row address is accessed after the last address is accessed.

#### Serial Write Cycle

If previous data transfer cycle is pseudo transfer cycle or write transfer cycle, SAM port goes into write mode. In this cycle, SI/O data is programmed into data register at the SC rising edge like in the serial read cycle. If SE is high, SI/O data isn't input into data register. Internal pointer is incremented according to the SC rising edge, so SE high can be used to mask data for SAM.

#### • Refresh

##### RAM Refresh

RAM, which is composed of dynamic circuits, requires refresh to retain data. Refresh is performed by accessing all 512 row addresses every 8 ms. There are three refresh cycles: (1) RAS only refresh cycle, (2) CAS before RAS (CBR) refresh cycle, and (3) Hidden refresh cycle. Besides them, the cycles which activate RAS such as read/write cycles or transfer cycles can refresh the row address. Therefore, no refresh cycle is required for accessing all row addresses every 8 ms.

**RAS Only Refresh Cycle:** RAS only refresh cycle is performed by activating only RAS cycle with CAS fixed to high by inputting the row address (= refresh address) from external circuits. In this cycle, output is high-impedance and pow-

er dissipation is less than that of normal read/write cycles because  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  internal circuits don't operate. To distinguish this cycle from data transfer cycle,  $\overline{\text{DT}}/\overline{\text{OE}}$  should be high at the falling edge of  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ .

**CBR Refresh Cycle:** CBR refresh cycle is set by activating  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  before  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ . In this cycle, refresh address need not to be input through external circuits because it is input through an internal refresh counter. In this cycle, output is in high impedance and power dissipation is lowered like in

$\overline{\text{RAS}}$  only refresh cycles because  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  circuits don't operate.

**Hidden Refresh Cycle:** Hidden refresh cycle performs refresh by reactivating  $\overline{\text{RAS}}$  when  $\overline{\text{DT}}/\overline{\text{OE}}$  and  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  keep low in normal RAM read cycles.

### SAM Refresh

SAM parts (data register, shift register, selector), organized as fully static circuitry, don't require refresh.

## ■ ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Parameter	Symbol	Rating	Unit	Note
Terminal Voltage	$V_T$	-1.0 to +7.0	V	1
Power Supply Voltage	$V_{CC}$	-0.5 to +7.0	V	1
Power Dissipation	$P_T$	1.0	W	
Operating Temperature	$T_{opr}$	0 to +70	°C	
Storage Temperature	$T_{stg}$	-55 to +125	°C	

Note: 1. Relative to  $V_{SS}$ .

## ■ ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

### • Recommended DC Operating Conditions ( $T_A = 0$ to +70°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Note
Supply Voltage	$V_{CC}$	4.5	5.0	5.5	V	1
Input High Voltage	$V_{IH}$	2.4	—	6.5	V	1
Input Low Voltage	$V_{IL}$	-0.5	—	0.8	V	1, 2

Notes: 1. All voltages referenced to  $V_{SS}$ .  
2. -3.0V for pulse width  $\leq 10$  ns.

### • DC Electrical Characteristics ( $T_A = 0$ to +70°C, $V_{CC} = 5V \pm 10\%$ , $V_{SS} = 0V$ )

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Test Conditions		Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		RAM Port	SAM Port	
Operating Current	$I_{CC1}$	—	70	—	60	—	50	mA	$\overline{\text{RAS}}, \overline{\text{CAS}}$ Cycling $t_{RC} = \text{Min}$	$SC = V_{IL}, \overline{SE} = V_{IH}$	
	$I_{CC7}$	—	120	—	100	—	80	mA		$\overline{SE} = V_{IL}, SC \text{ Cycling}$ $t_{SCC} = \text{Min}$	
Standby Current	$I_{CC2}$	—	7	—	7	—	7	mA	$\overline{\text{RAS}}, \overline{\text{CAS}} = V_{IH}$	$SC = V_{IL}, \overline{SE} = V_{IH}$	
	$I_{CC8}$	—	50	—	40	—	30	mA		$\overline{SE} = V_{IL}, SC \text{ Cycling}$ $t_{SCC} = \text{Min}$	
$\overline{\text{RAS}}$ Only Refresh Current	$I_{CC3}$	—	60	—	50	—	40	mA	$\overline{\text{RAS}}$ Cycling $\overline{\text{CAS}} = V_{IH}$ $t_{RC} = \text{Min}$	$SC = V_{IL}, \overline{SE} = V_{IH}$	
	$I_{CC9}$	—	110	—	90	—	70	mA		$\overline{SE} = V_{IL}, SC \text{ Cycling}$ $t_{SCC} = \text{Min}$	
Page Mode	$I_{CC4}$	—	65	—	55	—	45	mA	$\overline{\text{CAS}}$ Cycling $\overline{\text{RAS}} = V_{IL}$ $t_{RC} = \text{Min}$	$SC = V_{IL}, \overline{SE} = V_{IH}$	
	$I_{CC10}$	—	115	—	95	—	75	mA		$\overline{SE} = V_{IL}, SC \text{ Cycling}$ $t_{SCC} = \text{Min}$	
$\overline{\text{CAS}}$ Before $\overline{\text{RAS}}$ Refresh Current	$I_{CC5}$	—	60	—	50	—	40	mA	$\overline{\text{RAS}}$ Cycling $t_{RC} = \text{Min}$	$SC = V_{IL}, \overline{SE} = V_{IH}$	
	$I_{CC11}$	—	110	—	90	—	70	mA		$\overline{SE} = V_{IL}, SC \text{ Cycling}$ $t_{SCC} = \text{Min}$	
Data Transfer Current	$I_{CC6}$	—	90	—	90	—	90	mA	$\overline{\text{RAS}}, \overline{\text{CAS}}$ Cycling $t_{RC} = \text{Min}$	$SC = V_{IL}, \overline{SE} = V_{IH}$	
	$I_{CC12}$	—	125	—	125	—	125	mA		$\overline{SE} = V_{IL}, SC \text{ Cycling}$ $t_{SCC} = \text{Min}$	



• DC Electrical Characteristics ( $T_A = 0$  to  $+70^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{CC} = 5\text{V} \pm 10\%$ ,  $V_{SS} = 0\text{V}$ )

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Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Test Conditions	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max			
Input Leakage Current	$I_{LI}$	-10	10	-10	10	-10	10	$\mu\text{A}$		
Output Leakage Current	$I_{LO}$	-10	10	-10	10	-10	10	$\mu\text{A}$		
Output High Voltage	$V_{OH}$	2.4	—	2.4	—	2.4	—	V	$I_{OH} = -2\text{mA}$	
Output Low Voltage	$V_{OL}$	—	0.4	—	0.4	—	0.4	V	$I_{OL} = 4.2\text{mA}$	

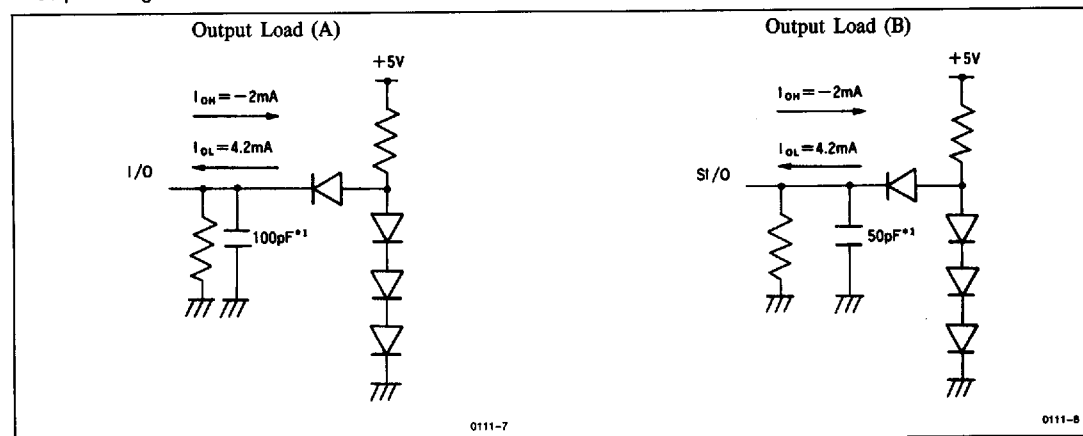
• Capacitance ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{CC} = 5\text{V}$ ,  $f = 1\text{MHz}$ , Bias: Clock, I/O =  $V_{CC}$ , Address =  $V_{SS}$ )

Item	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Address	$C_{I1}$	—	—	5	pF
Clock	$C_{I2}$	—	—	5	pF
I/O, SI/O	$C_{I/O}$	—	—	7	pF

• AC Characteristics ( $T_A = 0$  to  $+70^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{CC} = 5\text{V} \pm 10\%$ ,  $V_{SS} = 0\text{V}$ )<sup>1, 11</sup>

## Test Conditions

Input Rise and Fall Time:	5 ns
Output Load:	See Figures
Input Timing Reference Levels:	0.8V, 2.4V
Output Timing Reference Levels:	0.4V, 2.4V



Note: 1. Including scope &amp; jig.

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## Common Parameter

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Random Read or Write Cycle Time	$t_{RC}$	190	—	220	—	260	—	ns	
RAS Precharge Time	$t_{RP}$	80	—	90	—	100	—	ns	
RAS Pulse Width	$t_{RAS}$	10000	100	120	10000	150	10000	ns	
CAS Pulse Width	$t_{CAS}$	30	10000	35	10000	40	10000	ns	
Row Address Setup Time	$t_{ASR}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Row Address Hold Time	$t_{RAH}$	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
Column Address Setup Time	$t_{ASC}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Column Address Hold Time	$t_{CAH}$	20	—	20	—	25	—	ns	
RAS to CAS Delay Time	$t_{RCD}$	25	70	25	85	30	110	ns	5, 6
RAS Hold Time	$t_{RSH}$	30	—	35	—	40	—	ns	
CAS Hold Time	$t_{CSH}$	100	—	120	—	150	—	ns	
CAS to RAS Precharge Time	$t_{CRP}$	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
Transition Time (Rise to Fall)	$t_T$	3	50	3	50	3	50	ns	
Refresh Period	$t_{REF}$	—	8	—	8	—	8	ns	
$\overline{DT}$ to $\overline{RAS}$ Setup Time	$t_{DTS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
$\overline{DT}$ to $\overline{RAS}$ Hold Time	$t_{DTH}$	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
DSF to $\overline{RAS}$ Setup Time	$t_{SFS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
DSF to $\overline{RAS}$ Hold Time	$t_{SPH}$	25	—	25	—	30	—	ns	
Data-in to $\overline{OE}$ Delay Time	$t_{DZO}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Data-in to CAS Delay Time	$t_{DZC}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	

## Read Cycle (RAM), Page Mode Read Cycle

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Access Time from $\overline{RAS}$	$t_{RAC}$	—	100	—	120	—	150	ns	2, 3
Access Time from $\overline{CAS}$	$t_{CAC}$	—	30	—	35	—	40	ns	3, 5
Access Time from $\overline{OE}$	$t_{OAC}$	—	30	—	35	—	40	ns	3
Address Access Time	$t_{AA}$	—	45	—	55	—	70	ns	3, 6
Output Buffer Turn-off Delay Referenced to $\overline{CAS}$	$t_{OFF1}$	0	25	0	30	0	40	ns	7
Output Buffer Turn-off Delay Referenced to $\overline{OE}$	$t_{OFF2}$	0	25	0	30	0	40	ns	7
Read Command Setup Time	$t_{RCS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Read Command Hold Time	$t_{RCH}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	12
Read Command Hold Time Referenced to $\overline{RAS}$	$t_{RRH}$	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	12
$\overline{RAS}$ to Column Address Delay Time	$t_{RAD}$	20	55	20	65	25	80	ns	5, 6
Page Mode Cycle Time	$t_{PC}$	55	—	65	—	80	—	ns	
CAS Precharge Time	$t_{CP}$	10	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
Access Time from CAS Precharge	$t_{ACP}$	—	50	—	60	—	75	ns	



## Write Cycle (RAM), Page Mode Write Cycle, Color Register Set Cycle

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Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Write Command Setup Time	tWCS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	9
Write Command Hold Time	tWCH	25	—	25	—	30	—	ns	
Write Command Pulse Width	tWP	15	—	20	—	25	—	ns	
Write Command to RAS Lead Time	tRWL	30	—	35	—	40	—	ns	
Write Command to CAS Lead Time	tCWL	30	—	35	—	40	—	ns	
Data-in Setup Time	tDS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	10
Data-in Hold Time	tDH	25	—	25	—	30	—	ns	10
WE to RAS Setup Time	tWS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
WE to RAS Hold Time	tWH	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
Mask Data to RAS Setup Time	tMS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Mask Data to RAS Hold Time	tMH	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
OE Hold Time Referenced to WE	tOEH	10	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
Page Mode Cycle Time	tPC	55	—	65	—	80	—	ns	
CAS Precharge Time	tCP	10	—	15	—	20	—	ns	

## Read-Modify-Write Cycle

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Read-Modify-Write Cycle Time	tRWC	255	—	295	—	350	—	ns	
RAS Pulse Width	tRWS	165	10000	195	10000	240	10000	ns	
RAS to WE Delay	tCWD	65	—	75	—	90	—	ns	9
Column Address to WE Delay	tAWD	80	—	95	—	120	—	ns	9
OE to Data-in Delay Time	tODD	25	—	30	—	40	—	ns	
Access Time from RAS	tRAC	—	100	—	120	—	150	ns	2, 3
Access Time from CAS	tCAC	—	30	—	35	—	40	ns	3, 5
Access Time from OE	tOAC	—	30	—	35	—	40	ns	3
Address Access Time	tAA	—	45	—	55	—	70	ns	3, 6
RAS to Column Address Delay	tRAD	20	55	20	65	25	80	ns	5, 6
Output Buffer Turn-off Delay Referenced to OE	tOFF2	0	25	0	30	0	40	ns	
Read Command Setup Time	tRCS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Write Command to RAS Lead Time	tRWL	30	—	35	—	40	—	ns	
Write Command to CAS Lead Time	tCWL	30	—	35	—	40	—	ns	
Write Command Pulse Width	tWP	15	—	20	—	25	—	ns	
Data-in Setup Time	tDS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	10
Data-in Hold Time	tDH	25	—	25	—	30	—	ns	10
WE to RAS Setup Time	tWS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
WE to RAS Hold Time	tWH	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
Mask Data to RAS Setup Time	tMS	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Mask Data to RAS Hold Time	tMH	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
OE Hold Time Referenced to WE	tOEH	10	—	15	—	20	—	ns	



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## Refresh Cycle

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Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
CAS Setup Time (CAS Before RAS Refresh)	t <sub>CSR</sub>	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
CAS Hold Time (CAS Before RAS Refresh)	t <sub>CHR</sub>	20	—	25	—	30	—	ns	
RAS Precharge to CAS Hold Time	t <sub>RPC</sub>	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	

## Transfer Cycle

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
WE to RAS Setup Time	t <sub>WS</sub>	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
WE to RAS Hold Time	t <sub>WH</sub>	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
SE to RAS Setup Time	t <sub>ES</sub>	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
SE to RAS Hold Time	t <sub>EH</sub>	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
RAS to SC Delay Time	t <sub>SRD</sub>	25	—	30	—	35	—	ns	
SC to RAS Setup Time	t <sub>SRS</sub>	30	—	40	—	45	—	ns	
RAS to QSF Delay Time	t <sub>RQD</sub>	—	100	—	120	—	150	ns	4
RAS to QSF (High) Delay Time	t <sub>RQH</sub>	—	TBD	—	TBD	—	TBD	ns	
Serial Data Input Delay Time from RAS	t <sub>SID</sub>	50	—	60	—	75	—	ns	
Serial Data Input to RAS Delay Time	t <sub>SZR</sub>	—	10	—	10	—	10	ns	
Serial Output Buffer Turn-off Delay from RAS	t <sub>SRZ</sub>	10	50	10	60	10	75	ns	7
RAS to S <sub>out</sub> (Low-Z) Delay Time	t <sub>RLZ</sub>	5	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
Serial Clock Cycle Time	t <sub>SCC</sub>	30	—	40	—	60	—	ns	
Access Time from SC	t <sub>SCA</sub>	—	30	—	40	—	50	ns	4
Serial Data-out Hold Time	t <sub>SOH</sub>	7	—	7	—	7	—	ns	4
SC Pulse Width	t <sub>SC</sub>	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
SC Precharge Width	t <sub>SCP</sub>	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
Serial Data-in Setup Time	t <sub>SIS</sub>	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Serial Data-in Hold Time	t <sub>SIH</sub>	15	—	20	—	25	—	ns	

## Serial Read Cycle

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Serial Clock Cycle Time	t <sub>SCC</sub>	30	—	40	—	60	—	ns	
Access Time from SC	t <sub>SCA</sub>	—	30	—	40	—	50	ns	4
Access Time from SE	t <sub>SEA</sub>	—	25	—	30	—	40	ns	4
Serial Data-out Hold Time	t <sub>SOH</sub>	7	—	7	—	7	—	ns	4
SC Pulse Width	t <sub>SC</sub>	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
SC Precharge Width	t <sub>SCP</sub>	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
Serial Output Buffer Turn-off Delay from SE	t <sub>SEZ</sub>	0	25	0	25	0	30	ns	7
Last SC to QSF Delay Time	t <sub>SQD</sub>	—	TBD	—	TBD	—	TBD	ns	4



## Serial Write Cycle

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Serial Clock Cycle Time	$t_{SCC}$	30	—	40	—	60	—	ns	
SC Pulse Width	$t_{SC}$	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
SC Precharge Width	$t_{SCP}$	10	—	10	—	10	—	ns	
Serial Data-in Setup Time	$t_{SIS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Serial Data-in Hold Time	$t_{SIH}$	15	—	20	—	25	—	ns	
Serial Write Enable Setup Time	$t_{SWS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Serial Write Enable Hold Time	$t_{SWH}$	30	—	35	—	50	—	ns	
Serial Write Disable Setup Time	$t_{SWIS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Serial Write Disable Hold Time	$t_{SWIH}$	30	—	35	—	50	—	ns	

## Flash Write Cycle

Parameter	Symbol	HM538123-10		HM538123-12		HM538123-15		Unit	Note
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Flash Write Cycle Write	$t_{RCFW}$	230	—	265	—	310	—	ns	
RAS Pulse Width	$t_{RCSFW}$	140	—	165	—	200	—	ns	
$\overline{WE}$ to RAS Setup Time	$t_{WS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
$\overline{WE}$ to RAS Hold Time	$t_{WH}$	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	
CAS High Level Hold Time Reference to RAS	$t_{CHHR}$	20	—	25	—	30	—	ns	
Mask Data to RAS Setup Time	$t_{MS}$	0	—	0	—	0	—	ns	
Mask Data to RAS Hold Time	$t_{MH}$	15	—	15	—	20	—	ns	

Notes: 1. AC measurements assume  $t_T = 5$  ns.

2. Assume that  $t_{RCD} \leq t_{RCD}(\text{max})$  and  $t_{RAD} \leq t_{RAD}(\text{max})$ . If  $t_{RCD}$  or  $t_{RAD}$  is greater than the maximum recommended value shown in this table,  $t_{RAC}$  exceeds the value shown.
3. Measured with a load circuit equivalent to 2 TTL load and 100 pF.
4. Measured with a load circuit equivalent to 2 TTL load and 50 pF.
5. When  $t_{RCD} \geq t_{RCD}(\text{max})$  and  $t_{RAD} \leq t_{RAD}(\text{max})$ , access time is specified by  $t_{CAC}$ .
6. When  $t_{RCD} \leq t_{RCD}(\text{max})$  and  $t_{RAD} \geq t_{RAD}(\text{max})$ , access time is specified by  $t_{AA}$ .
7.  $t_{OFF}(\text{max})$  is defined as the time at which the output achieves the open circuit condition ( $V_{OH} = 200$  mV,  $V_{OL} + 200$  mV).
8.  $V_{IH}(\text{min})$  and  $V_{IL}(\text{max})$  are reference levels for measuring timing of input signals. Transition times are measured between  $V_{IH}$  and  $V_{IL}$ .
9. When  $t_{WCS} \geq t_{WCS}(\text{min})$ , the cycle is an early write cycle, and I/O pins remain in an open circuit (high impedance) condition. When  $t_{AWD} \geq t_{AWD}(\text{min})$  and  $t_{CWD} \geq t_{CWD}(\text{min})$ , the cycle is a read-modify-write cycle; the data of the selected address is read out from a data out pin and input data is written into the selected address. In this case, impedance on I/O pins is controlled by  $\overline{OE}$ .
10. These parameters are referenced to  $\overline{CAS}$  falling edge in early write cycles or to  $\overline{WE}$  falling edge in delayed write or read-modify-write cycles.
11. After power-up, pause for 100  $\mu$ s or more and execute at least 8 initialization cycles (normal memory cycles or refresh cycles), then start operation.
12. If either  $t_{RCH}$  or  $t_{RRH}$  is satisfied, operation is guaranteed.

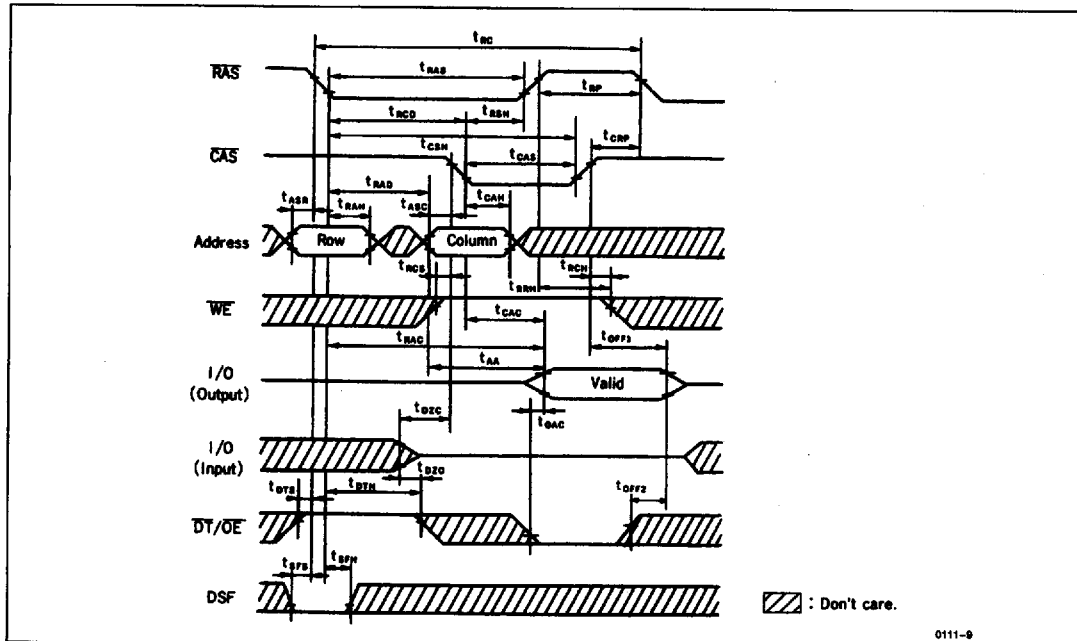


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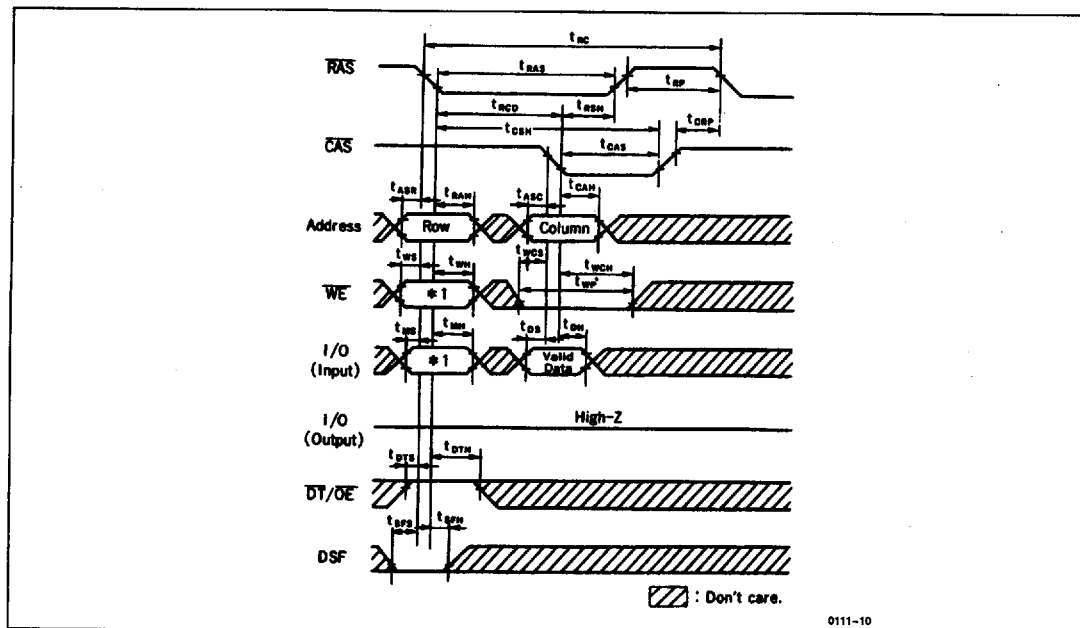
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## • Read Cycle



## • Early Write Cycle



Note: \*1. When  $\overline{WE}$  is high level, all the data on I/Os can be written into the memory cell. When  $\overline{WE}$  is low level, the data on I/Os are not written except for the case that the I/O is high at the falling edge of  $\overline{RAS}$ .



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- **Read-Modify-Write Cycle**

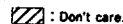


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- **Page Mode Write Cycle (Early Write)**

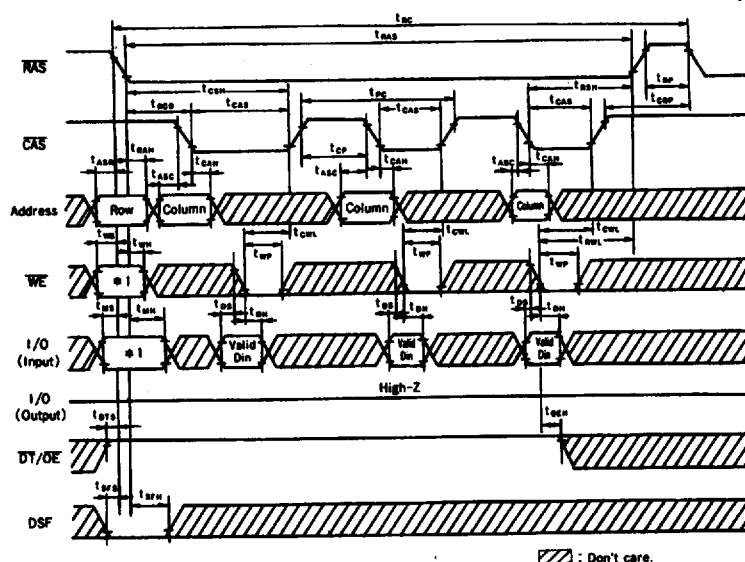


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Note: \*1. When  $\overline{WE}$  is high level, all the data on I/Os can be written into the memory cell. When  $\overline{WE}$  is low level, the data on I/Os are not written except for the case that the I/O is high at the falling edge of  $\overline{RAS}$ .

## • Page Mode Write Cycle (Delayed Write)

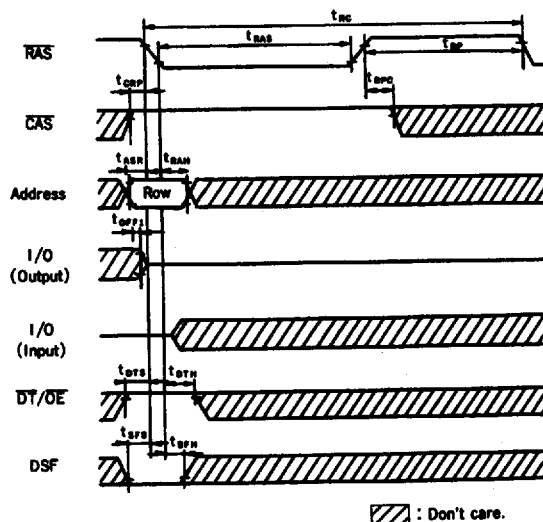
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Note: 1. When  $\overline{WE}$  is high level, all the data on I/Os can be written into the memory cell. When  $\overline{WE}$  is low level, the data on I/Os are not written except for the case that the I/O is high at the falling edge of RAS.

## • RAS Only Refresh Cycle



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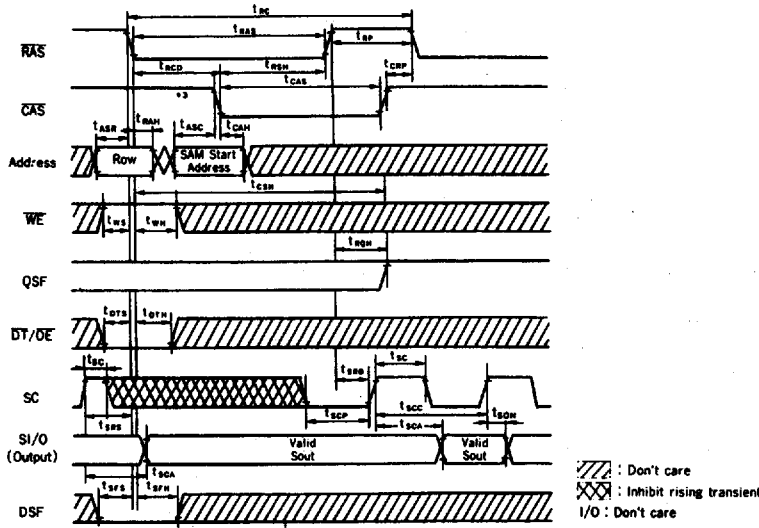




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• **Special Read Initialization Cycle (1)\*1, \*2**

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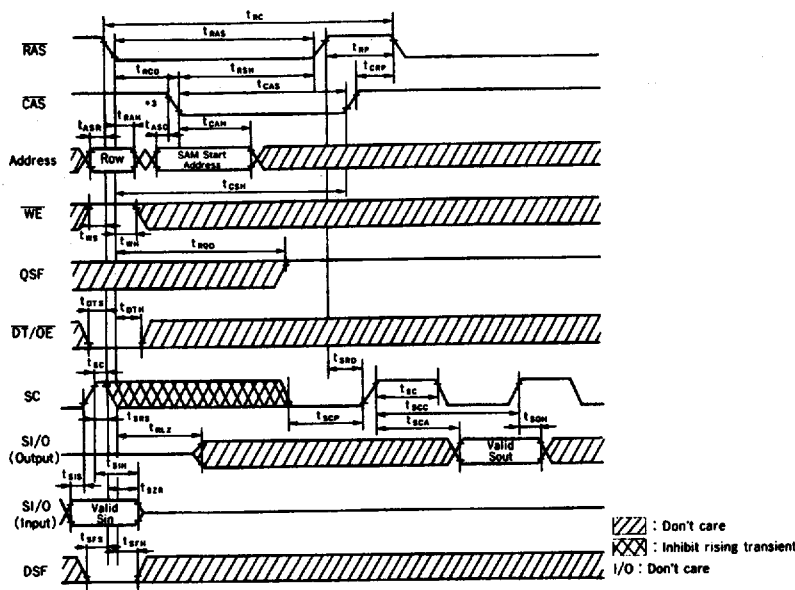
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Notes: \*1. When the previous data transfer cycle is a special read transfer cycle or special read initialization cycle, it is specified as special read initialization cycle (1).

\*2.  $\overline{SE}$  is in low level. (When  $\overline{SE}$  is high, SI/O becomes high impedance state.)

\*3. CAS and SAM start address don't need to be specified every cycle, if SAM start address is not changed.

- **Special Read Initialization Cycle (2)\*1, \*2**



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Notes: \*1. When the previous data transfer cycle is a write or pseudo transfer cycle, it is specified as special read initialization cycle (2).

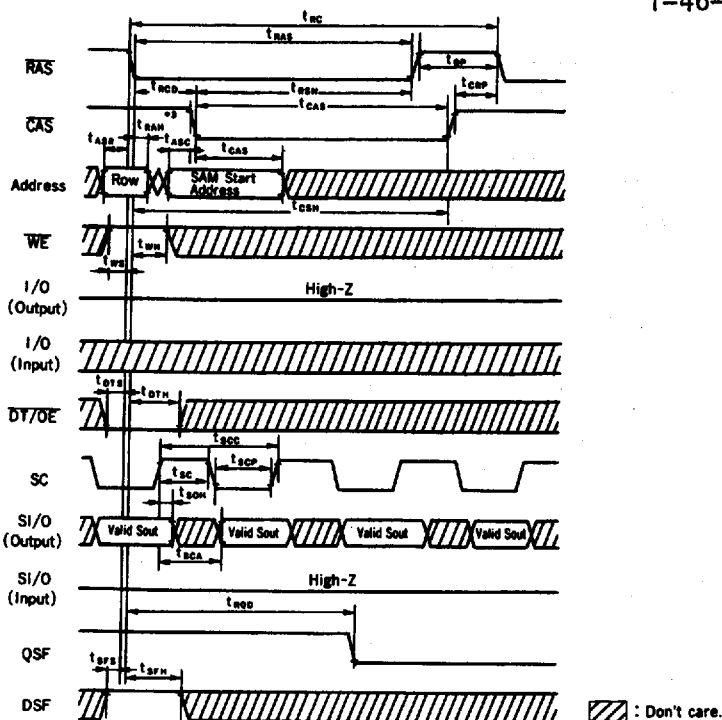
\*2.  $\overline{SE}$  is in low level. (When  $\overline{SE}$  is high, SI/O becomes high impedance state.)

\*3. CAS and SAM start address don't need to be specified every cycle, if SAM start address is not changed.



## • Special Read Transfer Cycle \*1,\*2

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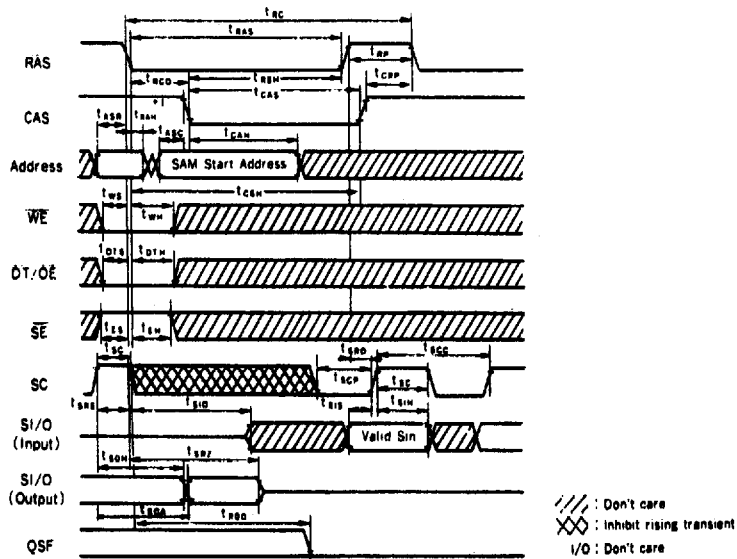
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- Notes:
- \*1. When QSF is low level at the falling edge of RAS, the special read transfer cycle is not performed.
  - \*2.  $\overline{SE}$  is in low level. (When  $\overline{SE}$  is high, SI/O becomes high impedance state.)
  - \*3. CAS and SAM start address don't need to be specified every cycle, if SAM start address is not changed.



- **Pseudo Transfer Cycle**

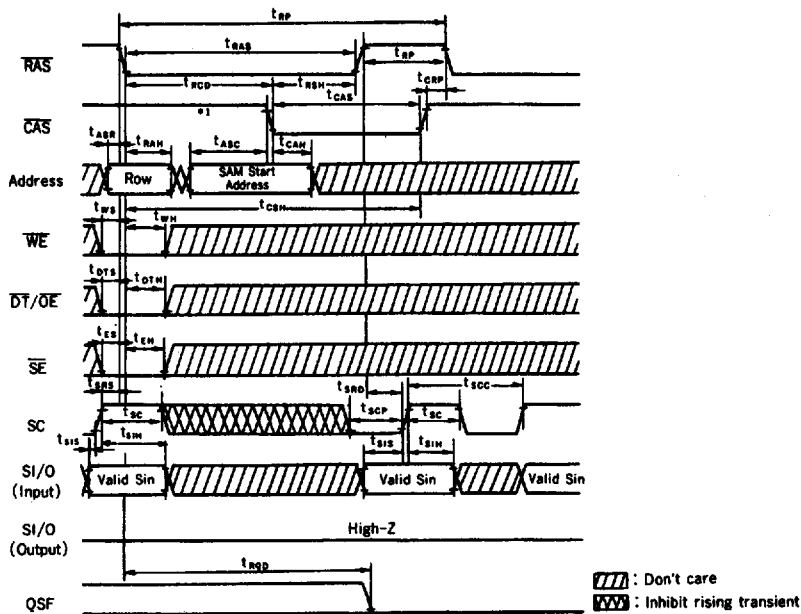
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Note: \*1.  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  and SAM start address don't need to be specified every cycle, if SAM start address is not changed.

- **Write Transfer Cycle**



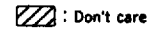
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Note: \*1.  $\overline{\text{CAS}}$  and SAM start address don't need to be specified every cycle, if SAM start address is not changed.



- **Serial Read Cycle**

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• **Serial Write Cycle** \*1, \*2



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Note: \*1. When  $\overline{SE}$  is high level in a serial write cycle, data is not written into SAM, however, the pointer is incremented.  
\*2. Address 0 is accessed next to address 255.

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- **Color Register Set Cycle (Early Write)**



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- **Flash Write Cycle**

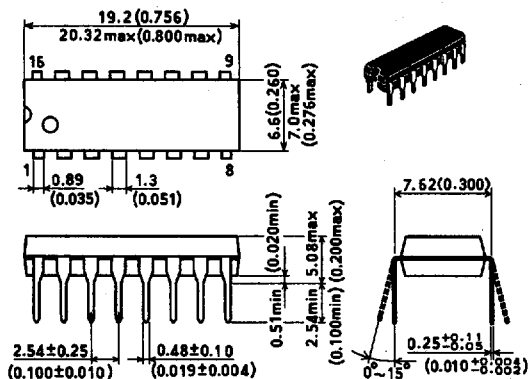


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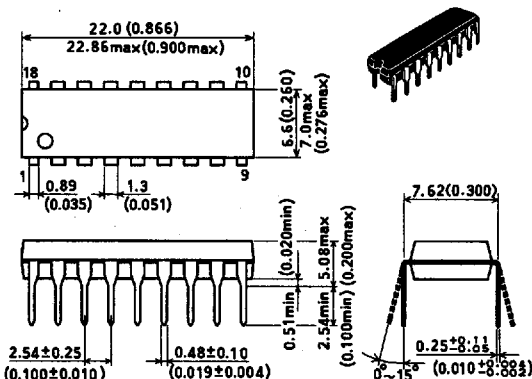
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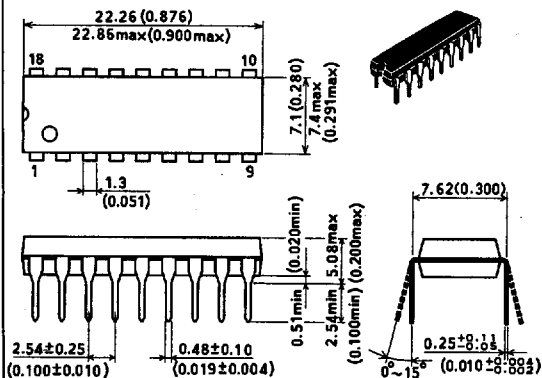
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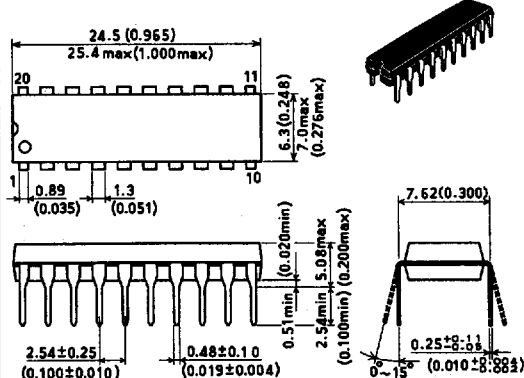
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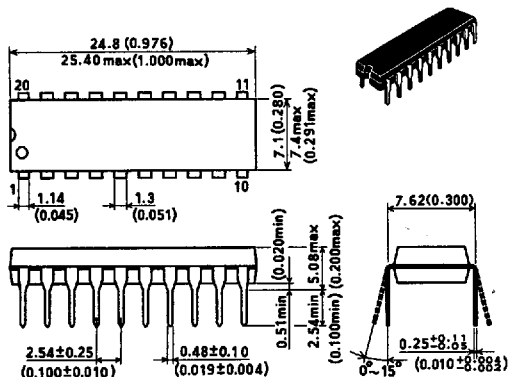
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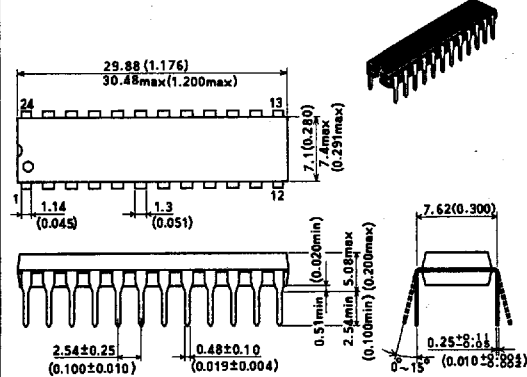
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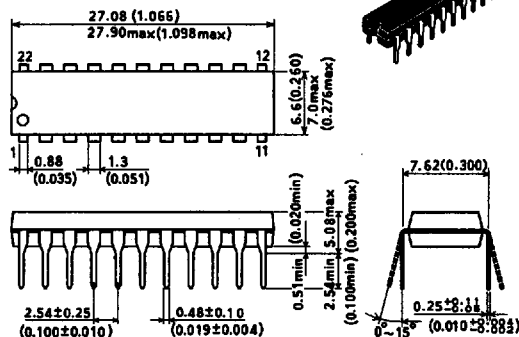


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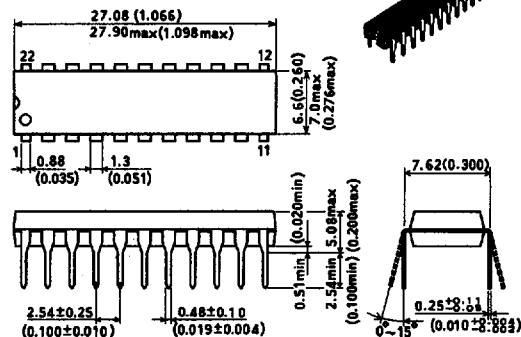
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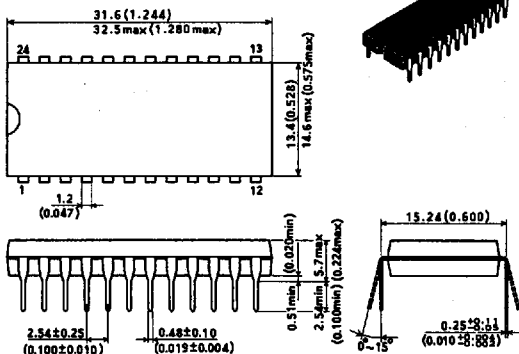


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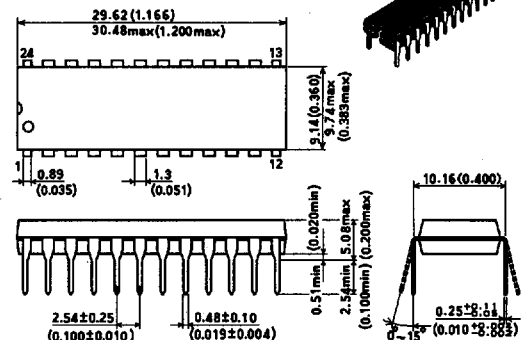
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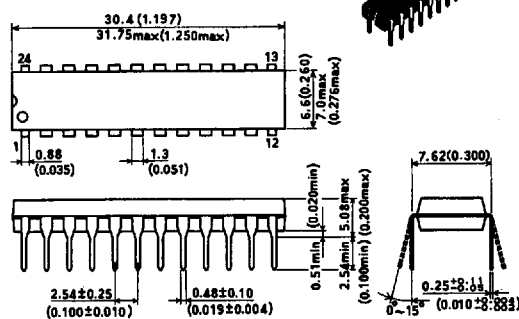
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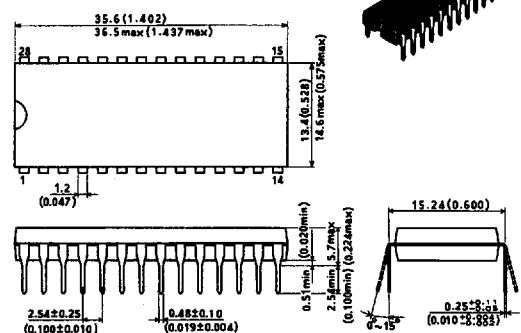
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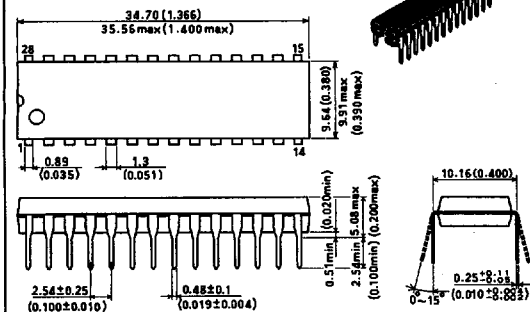


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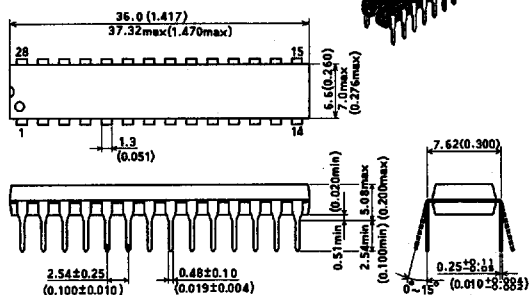
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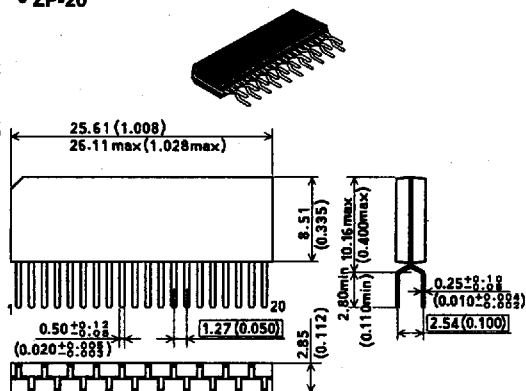


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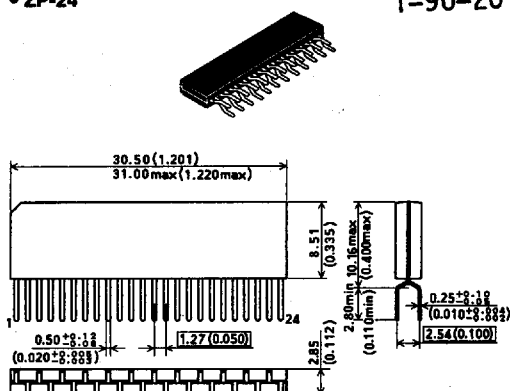
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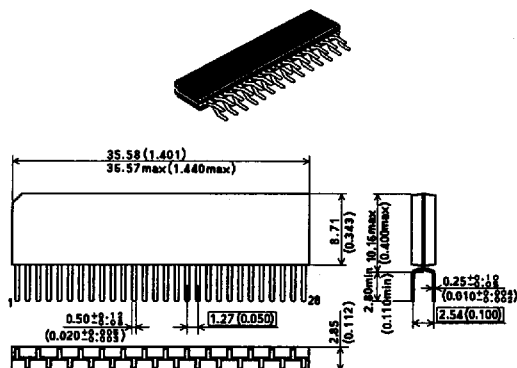


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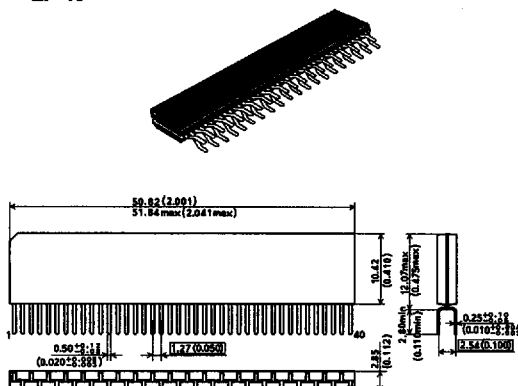


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• ZP-40



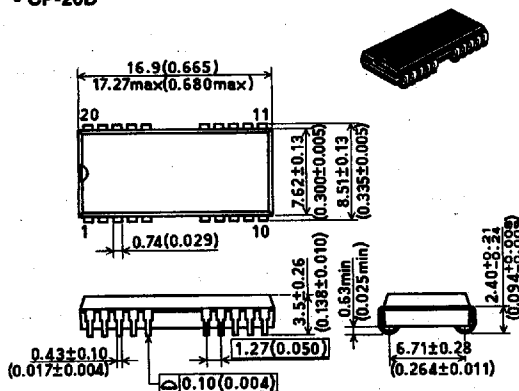
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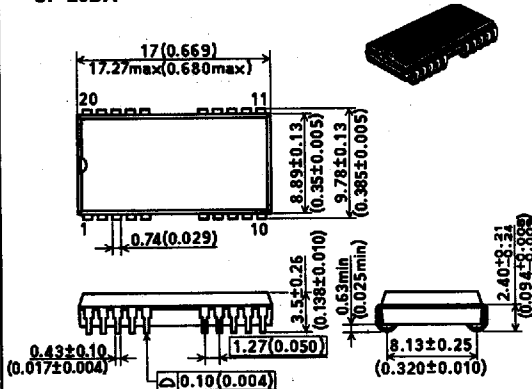
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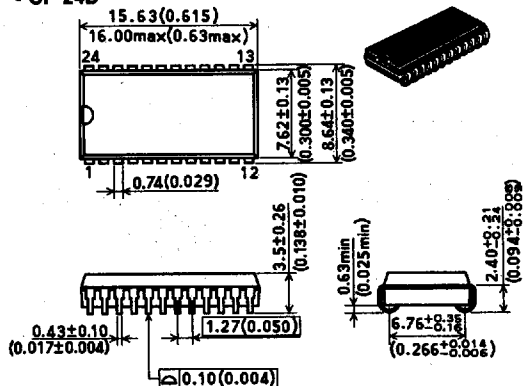
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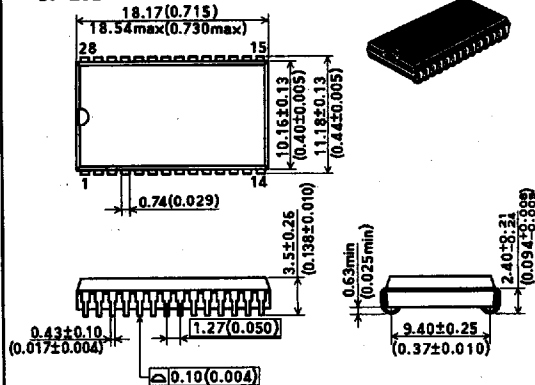
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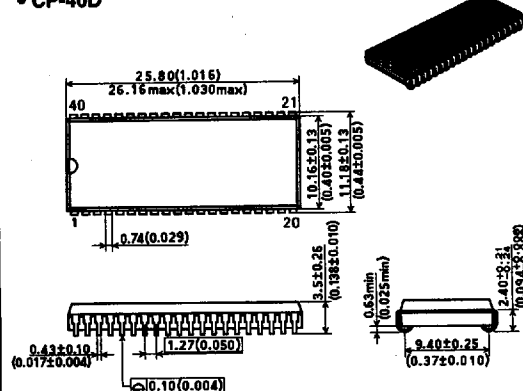
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## • CP-28D



## • CP-40D

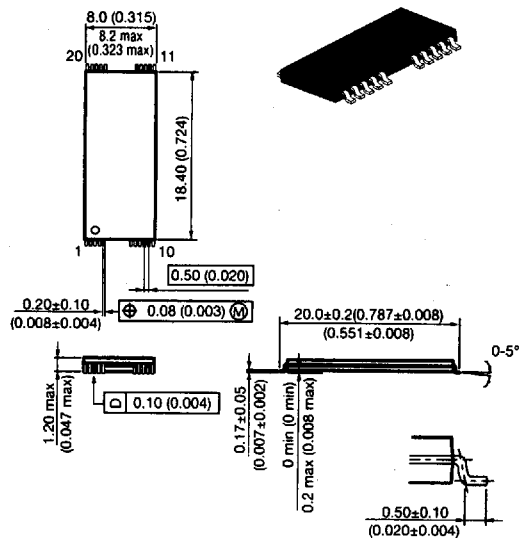


• TSOP (Thin Small Outline Package)

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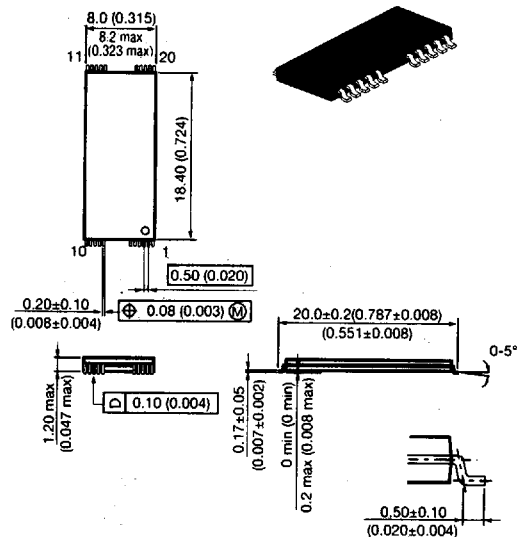
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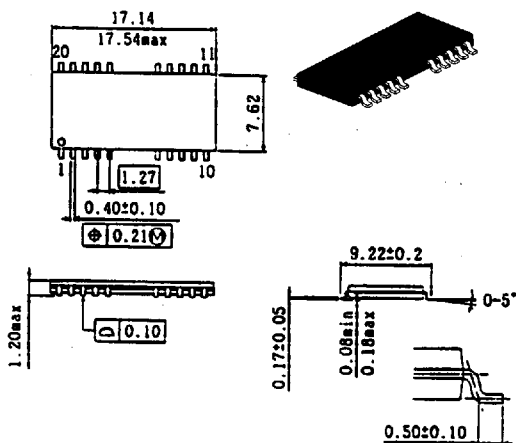


• TFP-20DAR

T-90-20



• TTP-20D



• TTP-20DR

