

# P24C256H

# I<sup>2</sup>C-Compatible Serial E<sup>2</sup>PROM

### **Datasheet Rev.1.4**

# **General Description**

The P24C256H is I<sup>2</sup>C-compatible Serial EEPROM (Electrically Erasable Programmable Memory) device. It contains a memory array of 256 Kbits (32 Kbytes), which is organized in 64 bytes per page.

## Features

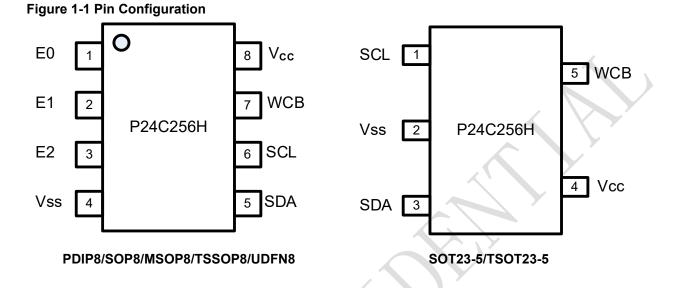
- Single Supply Voltage and Support Fast and High Speed Mode
  - ♦ Minimum operating voltage down to 1.7 V
  - ♦ 400 kHz/1 MHz clock from 1.7 V to 5.5 V
  - ♦ 3.4 MHz clock from 1.7 V to 5.5 V
- Low power CMOS technology
  - ♦ Read current 0.3 mA (5.5 V,400 kHz, typical)
- Schmitt Trigger, Filtered Inputs for Noise Suppression
- Transparent ECC on each group of four bytes which can correct 1 bit error
- Write protect of the whole memory array
- Additional write lockable page (Identification page)
- Additional 128 bits Serial Number (Unique ID)
- Sequential & Random Read Features
- 64 bytes Page Write Modes, Partial Page Writes Allowed
- Self-timed Write Cycle (5ms maximum)
- High Reliability
  - ♦ Endurance: 10 Million Write Cycles
  - ♦ Data Retention: 200 Years
  - ♦ HBM: 6 kV
  - ♦ Latch up Capability:

+/-200 mA(25C)

Package: PDIP8, SOP8, TSSOP8, MSOP8, UDFN8, SOT23-5, TSOT23-5

# 1. Pin Configuration

### **1.1 Pin Configuration**



### **1.2 Pin Definition**

### Table 1-1 Pin Definition for PDIP8/SOP8/MSOP8/TSSOP8/UDFN8 Packages

Pin	Name	Туре	Description
1	E0	Input	Slave Address Setting
2	E1	Input	Slave Address Setting
3	E2	Input	Slave Address Setting
4	Vss	Ground	Ground
5	SDA	I/O	Serial Data Input and Serial Data Output
6	SCL	Input	Serial Clock Input
7	WCB	Input	Write Control, Low Enable Write
8	V <sub>cc</sub>	Power	Power

### Table 1-2 Pin Definition for SOT23-5/TSOT23-5 Packages

Pin	Name	Туре	Description
1	SCL	Input	Serial Clock Input
2	Vss	Ground	Ground
3	SDA	I/O	Serial Data Input and Serial Data Output
4	Vcc	Power	Power
5	WCB	Input	Write Control, Low Enable Write

### **1.3 Pin Descriptions**

Serial Clock (SCL): The SCL input is used to positive-edge clock data in and negative-edge clock data out of each device.

**Serial Data (SDA):** The SDA pin is bidirectional for serial data transfer. This pin is open drain driven and may be wire-ORed with any number of other open-drain or open-collector devices.

**Device Addresses (E2, E1, E0):** The E2, E1, and E0 pins are device address inputs. Typically, the E2, E1, and E0 pins are for hardware addressing and a total of 8 devices can be connected on a single bus system. If these pins are left floating, the E2, E1, and E0 pins will be internally pulled down to Vss.

**Write Control (WCB):** The Write Control input, when WCB is connected directly to  $V_{cc}$ , all write operations to the memory are inhibited. When connected to Vss, allows normal write operations. If the pin is left floating, the WCB pin will be internally pulled down to Vss.

Supply Voltage (V<sub>cc</sub>): V<sub>cc</sub> is the supply voltage.

Ground (Vss): Vss is the reference for the V<sub>cc</sub> supply voltage.

# 2. Block Diagram

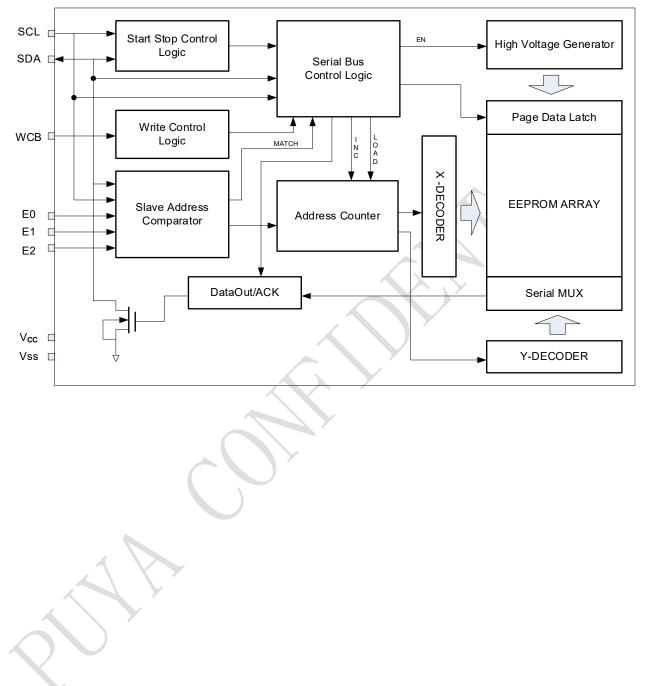


Figure 2-1 Block Diagram

# 3. Electrical Characteristics

#### Table 3-1 Absolute Maximum Ratings [1]

Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units
Т <sub>stg</sub>	Storage Temperature	-65	150	°C
T <sub>A</sub>	Ambient operating temperature	-40	125	°C
V <sub>cc</sub>	Supply Voltage	-0.5	6.5	V
V <sub>IO</sub>	Input or output range	-0.5	6.5	V
l <sub>oL</sub>	DC output current (SDA=0)	-	5	mA

Note: [1] 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 listings of this specification is not implied. Exposure to maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

#### Table 3-2 Input parameters <sup>[1],[2]</sup>

Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units	Test Condition
C <sub>I/O</sub>	Input/output Capacitance (SDA)		8	pF	V <sub>I/O</sub> = Vss
CIN	Input Capacitance (SCL)		6	pF	V <sub>IN</sub> = Vss
Z <sub>L</sub> <sup>[3]</sup>	Input Impedance	3.5			$V_{IN} < 0.3 V_{CC}$
ΔΓ <sub>101</sub>	(E2, E1, E0, WCB)	5.5		kΩ	$v_{\rm IN} < 0.3 v_{\rm CC}$
7 [3]	Input Impedance	20		MO	
Z <sub>H</sub> <sup>[3]</sup>	(E2, E1, E0, WCB)	20		MΩ	$V_{\rm IN} > 0.7 V_{\rm CC}$

Note: [1] Test Conditions:  $T_A$ = 25°C,  $f_{SCL}$  = 1MHz, Vcc =3.3V.

[2] Characterized values, not tested 100% in production

[3] E2,E1,E0,WCB: Input impedance when the memory is selected (after a Start condition).

[4] Recommended external pull-up resistors less than  $1.3k\Omega$ 

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Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	Test Condition
$V_{\text{cc}}$	Supply Voltage	1.7	-	5.5	V	T <sub>A</sub> = -40 °C to 125 °C
lab	Standby Current	-	0.4[2]	5.0	μA	V <sub>cc</sub> =5.5V, Vin = Vss or V <sub>cc,</sub> Ta=85℃
lsb	(Standby mode)	-	6.0	12.0	μA	$V_{CC}$ =5.5V, Vin = Vss or $V_{CC}$ ,Ta=125°
		-	0.2	0.6	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 2.5 V, f <sub>SCL</sub> = 400 kHz
	Supply Current (Read)	-	0.3	0.8	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, f <sub>SCL</sub> = 400 kHz
I <sub>CC1</sub>		-	0.4	1.0	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, f <sub>SCL</sub> = 1 MHz
		-	0.5	1.5	mA	V <sub>CC</sub> = 5.5 V, f <sub>SCL</sub> = 3.4 MHz
I <sub>CC2</sub>	Supply Current (Write)	-	-	3.0	mA	During t <sub>wr</sub> , $1.7V \le V_{CC} \le 5.5 V$
l <sub>u</sub>	Input Leakage Current	-2.0	-	+2.0	μA	$V_{IN} = V_{CC}$ or Vss, device in standby mode
I <sub>LO</sub>	Output Leakage Current	-2.0	-	+2.0	μA	SDA in Hi-Z, external voltage applied on SDA: Vss or Vcc
VIL	Input Low Voltage	-0.45	-	0.3Vcc	V	SCL, SDA
VIH	Input High Voltage	0.7Vcc	-	V <sub>CC</sub> +0.5	V	SCL, SDA
Vol	Output Low Voltage	-	-	0.4	V	I <sub>OL</sub> = 2.1 mA, VCC = 2.5 V

### Table 3-3 DC Characteristics (Unless otherwise specified, V<sub>CC</sub> = 1.7 V to 5.5 V, T<sub>A</sub>= -40°C to +125°C)

Note: [1] Characterized values, not tested in production

[2] Typ. ISB @ VCC =5.5V, T<sub>A</sub> =25°C

			≤ V <sub>cc</sub> ≤	5.5	1.7	$\leq V_{cc} \leq$	≦ <b>5.5</b>	Units
Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units
f <sub>scL</sub>	Clock Frequency	-	-	400	-	-	1000	kHz
t <sub>∟ow</sub>	Clock Pulse Width Low	1.3	-	-	0.55	-	-	μs
t <sub>ніGH</sub>	Clock Pulse Width High	0.6	-	-	0.3	-	-	μs
t <sub>AA</sub>	Clock Low to Data Out Valid	0.05	-	0.9	0.05	-	0.50	μs
tı	Noise Suppression Time	-	-	0.05	-	-	0.05	μs
t <sub>BUF</sub>	Time the bus must be free before a new	1.3	_	-	0.5			μs
<sup>4</sup> BUF	transmission can start	1.5			0.5	7		μσ
t <sub>hd.sta</sub>	Start Hold Time	0.6	-	-	0.25	-		μs
t <sub>su.sta</sub>	Start Setup Time	0.6	-	-	0.25	-	<u>}</u>	μs
t <sub>hd.dat</sub>	Data in Hold Time	0	-	-	0	-	-	μs
t <sub>su.dat</sub>	Data in Setup Time	0.1	-	-	0.08	-	-	μs
t <sub>R</sub>	Inputs Rise Time <sup>[1]</sup>	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.3	μs
t <sub>F</sub>	Inputs Fall Time <sup>[1]</sup>	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.3	μs
t <sub>su.sтo</sub>	Stop Setup Time	0.6	-	<b>···</b>	0.25	-	-	μs
t <sub>DH</sub>	Data Out Hold Time	0.05	-	-	0.05	-	-	μs
t <sub>SU.WCB</sub>	WCB pin Setup Time	1.0	- /	-	0.6	-	-	μs
t <sub>HD.WCB</sub>	WCB pin Hold Time	1.0	-	-	0.6	-	-	μs
t <sub>wR</sub>	Write Cycle Time	- >	-	5	-	-	5	ms

### Table 3-4 Fast Mode AC Characteristics (T<sub>A</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C)

Notes: [1] This parameter is ensured by characterization not 100% tested

[2] AC measurement conditions:

- tAA is the time (from the falling edge of SCL) required by the SDA bus line to reach either 0.3 Vcc or 0.7 Vcc, assuming that Rbus× Cbus time constant is within 400 ns for 0.4 MHz frequency, within 120 ns for 1 MHz frequency
- $\diamond$  RL (connect to VCC): 1.3 k $\Omega$
- ♦ CL = 100 pF
- ♦ Input pulse voltage: 0.2 VCC to 0.8 VCC
- ♦ Input rise and fall time: < 50 ns</p>
- ♦ Input and output timing reference voltage: 0.3 Vcc and 0.7 Vcc

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Table 3-5 I	Table 3-5 High Speed Mode AC Characteristics (T <sub>A</sub> = -40 °C to +125 °C)										
Symbol	Parameter	1.7	Units								
Symbol		Min.	Тур.	Max.	011113						
f <sub>scL</sub>	Clock Frequency	-	-	3400	kHz						
t <sub>∟ow</sub>	Clock Pulse Width Low	0.16	-	-	μs						
t <sub>ніGH</sub>	Clock Pulse Width High	0.11	-	-	μs						
t <sub>AA</sub>	Clock Low to Data Out Valid	0.01	-	0.14	μs						
tı	Noise Suppression Time	-	-	0.01	μs						
t <sub>BUF</sub>	Time the bus must be free before a new transmission can start	0.3	-	4	μs						
t <sub>hd.sta</sub>	Start Hold Time	0.16	- (	-	μs						
t <sub>su.sta</sub>	Start Setup Time	0.16	-		μs						
t <sub>hd.dat</sub>	Data in Hold Time	0	-	-	μs						
t <sub>su.dat</sub>	Data in Setup Time	0.01	-	-	μs						
t <sub>R</sub>	Inputs Rise Time <sup>[1]</sup>	0.01	-	0.08	μs						
t <sub>F</sub>	Inputs Fall Time <sup>[1]</sup>	0.01	-	0.08	μs						
t <sub>su.sтo</sub>	Stop Setup Time	0.16	-	-	μs						
t <sub>DH</sub>	Data Out Hold Time	0.05	-	-	μs						
t <sub>SU.WCB</sub>	WCB pin Setup Time	0.6	-	-	μs						
t <sub>HD.WCB</sub>	WCB pin Hold Time	0.6	-	-	μs						
t <sub>wR</sub>	Write Cycle Time	-	-	5	ms						

Notes: [3] AC measurement conditions:

- ♦ t<sub>AA</sub> is the time (from the falling edge of SCL) required by the SDA bus line to reach either 0.3 VCC or 0.7 VCC, assuming that Rbus × Cbus time constant is within 20 ns
- RL (connect to VCC): 1.3 kΩ
- ♦ CL = 15 pF
- ♦ Input pulse voltage: 0.2 VCC to 0.8 VCC
- ♦ Input rise and fall time: < 50 ns</p>
- ♦ Input and output timing reference voltage: 0.3 VCC and 0.7 VCC

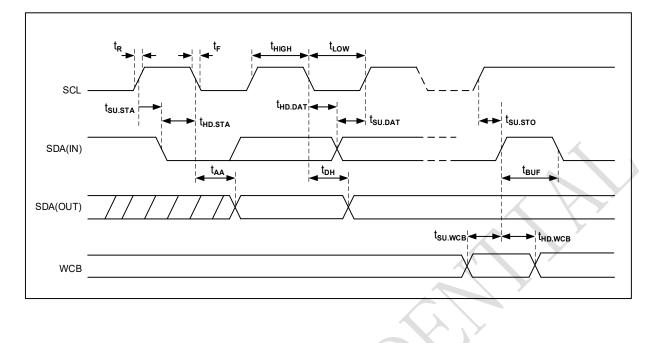
### Table 3-6 Reliability Characteristic [1]

Symbol	Parameter	Test condition	Min.	Unit	
		TA ≤ 25 °C, VCC(min) < VCC < VCC(max)	10,000,000		
EDR <sup>[2]</sup>	Endurance	4,000,000	Write cycles		
Y		TA = 125°C, VCC(min) < VCC < VCC(max)	1,000,000		
		TA = 55 °C	200		
DRET	Data retention	TA = 85 °C	50	Years	
		TA = 125 °C	20		

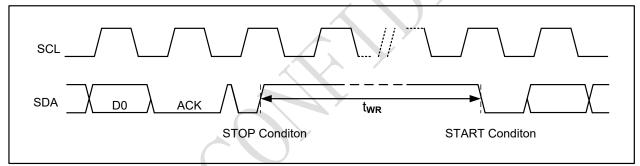
Note: [1] The Write cycle endurance is defined for groups of four data bytes located at addresses [4\*N, 4\*N+1, 4\*N+2, 4\*N+3] where N is an integer, or for the status register byte. This parameter is ensured by characterization and is not 100% tested

[2] Under the condition: 3.3V, Page mode

### Figure 3-1 Bus Timing



### Figure 3-2 Write Cycle Timing



Note: [1] The write cycle time  $t_{WR}$  is the time from a valid stop condition of a write sequence to the end of the internal write cycle.

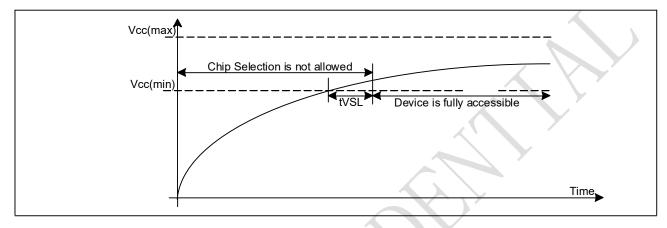


#### **Device Power-Up**

The EEPROM has a built-in power-on-reset circuit that initializes itself at the same time during power-on. Unsuccessful initialization may cause a malfunction. To operate the power-on-reset circuit normally, the following conditions must be satisfied to raise the power supply voltage.

When initialization is successfully completed by the power-on-reset circuit, the EEPROM enters the standby status. tVSL is the time required to initialize the EEPROM. No instructions are accepted during this time.

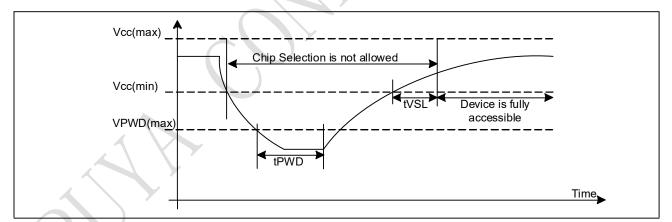
### Figure 3-3 Power up Timing



### Power Up/Down and Voltage Drop

For Power-down to Power-up operation, the VCC of EEPROM device must below VPWD for at least tPWD timing. Please check the table below for more detail.

#### Figure 3-4 Power down-up Timing



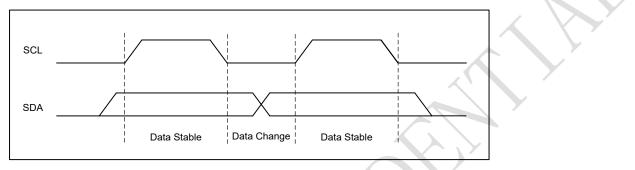
Symbol	Parameter	min	max	unit
VPWD	VCC voltage needed to below VPWD for ensuring initialization will occur		0.7	V
tPWD	The minimum duration for ensuring initialization will occur	300		us
tVSL	VCC(min.) to device operation	100		us
tVR	VCC Rise Time	1	500000	us/V

## 4. Device Operation

### 4.1 Data Input

The SDA pin is normally pulled high with an external device. Data on the SDA pin may change only during SCL low time periods (see to Figure 4-1). Data changes during SCL high periods will indicate a start or stop condition as defined in Figure 4-2.

### Figure 4-1 Data Validity

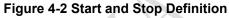


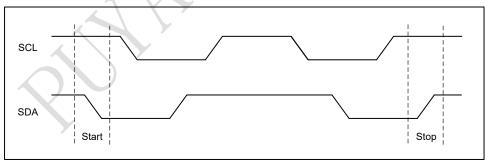
### 4.2 Start Condition

A high-to-low transition of SDA with SCL high is a start condition which must precede any other command (see to Figure 4-2).

### 4.3 Stop Condition

A low-to-high transition of SDA with SCL high is a stop condition. After a read sequence, the stop command will place the P24C256H in a standby mode (see Figure 4-2).

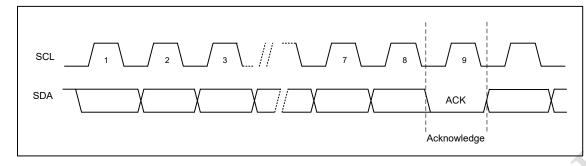




### 4.4 Acknowledge (ACK)

All addresses and data words are serially transmitted to and from the P24C256H in 8-bit words. The P24C256H sends a "0" to acknowledge that it has received each word. This happens during the ninth clock cycle.

#### Figure 4-3 Output Acknowledge



### 4.5 Power Up Sequence

During a power-up sequence, the  $V_{CC}$  supplied to P24C256H should monotonically rise from Vss to the minimum  $V_{CC}$  level with a slew rate no greater than 1V/us.

To prevent inadvertent write operations or other spurious events from happening during a power-up sequence, P24C256H includes a power-on-reset circuit. Upon power-up, the device will not respond to any commands until the  $V_{CC}$  level crosses the internal voltage threshold and waiting 100µs that brings the device out of reset and into standby mode.

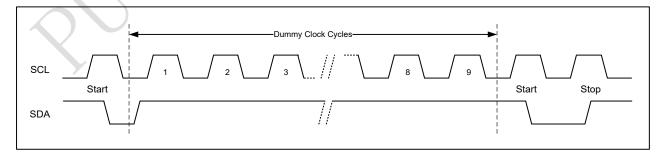
### 4.6 Standby Mode

The P24C256H features a low-power standby mode which is enabled: (a) after a fresh power up, (b) after receiving a STOP bit in read mode, and (c) after completing a self-time internal programming operation.

### 4.7 Soft Reset

After an interruption in protocol, power loss or system reset, any two-wire part can be reset by following these steps: (a) Create a start condition, (b) Clock nine cycles, and (c) create another start bit followed by stop bit condition, as shown below. The device is ready for the next communication after the above steps have been completed.

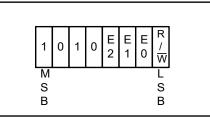
#### Figure 4-4 Soft Reset



### 4.8 Device Addressing

The P24C256H requires an 8-bit device address word following a start condition to enable the chip for a read or write operation (see Figure 4-5). The device address word consists of a mandatory one-zero sequence for the first four most-significant bits, as shown.

### Figure 4-5 Device Address



The three E2, E1, and E0 device address bits allow as many as eight devices on the same bus. These bits must compare to their corresponding hardwired input pins.

The E2, E1, and E0 pins use an internal proprietary circuit that biases them to a logic low condition if the pins are floating.

The eighth bit of the device address is the read/write operation select bit. A read operation is initiated if this bit is high and a write operation is initiated if this bit is low. Upon a compare of the device address, the Chip will output a zero. If a compare is not made, the device will return to a standby state.

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Chip	Access area	Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
	Normal Area	1	0	1	0	E2	E1	E0	R/W
DOACOFEL	ID Page	1	0	1	1	E2	E1	E0	R/W
P24C256H	Lock Bit	1	0	1	1	E2	E1	E0	R/W
	Serial Number	1	0	1	1	E2	E1	E0	1

### **Table 4-1 Device Address**

#### Table 4-2 Word Address0

Chip	Data	Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
	Normal Area	Х	A14	A13	A12	A11	A10	A9	A8
P24C256H	ID Page	Х	Х	Х	Х	0	0	Х	X
P240200	Lock Bit	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	1	Х	Х
	Serial Number	Х	Х	Х	Х	1	0	Х	X

#### Table 4-3 Word Address1

Chip	Data	Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
P24C256H	Normal Area	A7	A6	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	A0
	ID Page	Х	Х	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	A0
	Lock Bit	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Serial Number	Х	Х	Х	Х	A3	A2	A1	A0

### 4.9 Data Security

P24C256H has a hardware data protection scheme that allows the user to write protect the whole memory when the WCB pin is at Vcc.

### 4.10 ECC (Error Correction Code) and Write cycling

The Error Correction Code (ECC) is an internal logic function which is transparent for the I2C communication protocol.

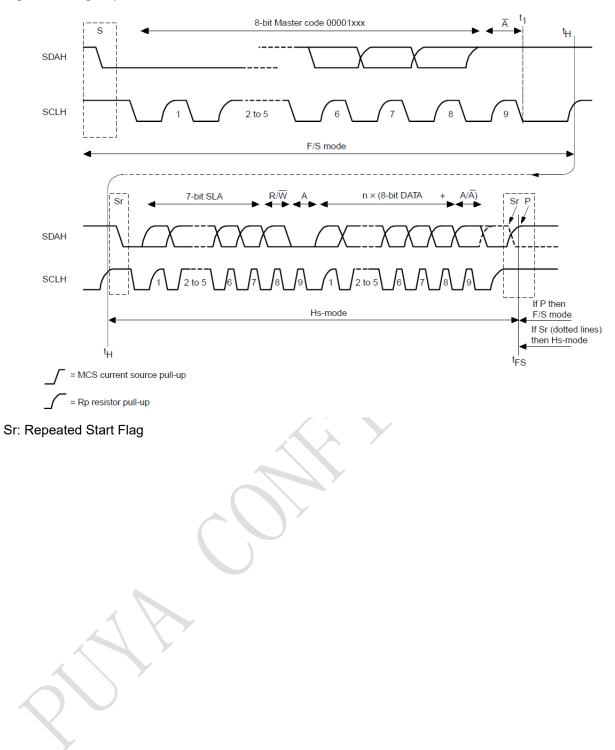
The ECC logic is implemented on each group of four EEPROM bytes<sup>[1]</sup>. Inside a group, if a single bit out of the four bytes happens to be erroneous during a Read operation, the ECC detects this bit and replaces it with the correct value. The read reliability is therefore much improved.

Even if the ECC function is performed on groups of four bytes, a single byte can be written/cycled independently. In this case, the ECC function also writes/cycles the three other bytes located in the same group <sup>[1]</sup>. As a consequence, the maximum cycling budget is defined at group level and the cycling can be distributed over the 4 bytes of the group: the sum of the cycles seen by byte0, byte1, byte2 and byte3 of the same group must remain below the maximum value.

Note: [1] A group of four bytes is located at addresses [4\*N, 4\*N+1, 4\*N+2, 4\*N+3], where N is an integer

### 4.11 High Speed Mode (HS-mode)

The P24C256H supports 3.4 MHz high speed mode. A master code (00001XXXb) must be issued to place the device into high speed mode. Communication between master and slave will then be enabled for speeds up to 3. MHz. A STOP condition will exit Hs-mode. Single- and multiple-byte reads and writes are supported.



#### Figure 4-6 High Speed Communication

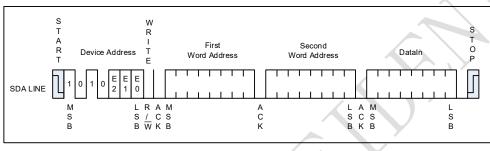
### 5. Instructions

### 5.1 Write Operations

### 5.1.1 Byte Write

A write operation requires two 8-bit data word address (A14~A0) following the device address word and acknowledgment. Upon receipt of this address, the P24C256H will again respond with a "0" and then clock in the first 8-bit data word. Following receipt of the 8-bit data word, the P24C256H will output a "0" and the addressing device, such as a microcontroller, must terminate the write sequence with a stop condition. And then the P24C256H enters an internally timed write cycle, all inputs are disabled during this write cycle and the P24C256H will not respond until the write is complete (see Figure 5-1).

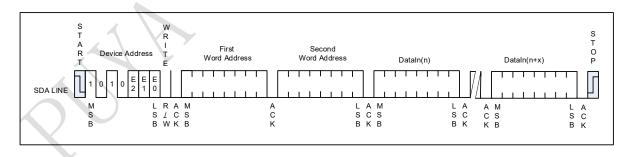
### Figure 5-1 Byte Write



#### 5.1.2 Page Write

A page write is initiated the same as a byte write, but the master does not send a stop condition after the first data word is clocked in. Instead, after the P24C256H acknowledges receipt of the first data word, the master can transmit more data words. The P24C256H will respond with a "0" after each data word received. The microcontroller must terminate the page write sequence with a stop condition.

### Figure 5-2 Page Write



The lower six bits of the data word address are internally incremented following the receipt of each data word. The higher data word address bits are not incremented, retaining the memory page row location. When the word address, internally generated, reaches the page boundary, the following byte is placed at the beginning of the same page. If more than 64 data words are transmitted to the P24C256H, the data word address will roll-over, and previous data will be overwritten. The address roll-over during write is from the last byte of the current page to the first byte of the same page.

### 5.1.3 Acknowledge Polling

Once the internally timed write cycle has started and the P24C256H inputs are disabled, acknowledge polling can be initiated. This involves sending a start condition followed by the device address word. The read/write bit is representative of the operation desired. Only if the internal write cycle has completed will the P24C256H respond with a "0", allowing the read or write sequence to continue.

### 5.1.4 Write Identification Page

The Identification Page (64 bytes) is an additional page which can be written and later permanently locked in Read-only mode. It is written by the Write Identification Page instruction. This instruction uses the same protocol and format as Page Write, except for the following differences:

- Device type identifier = 1011b
- MSB address A11 and A10 must be "0" while other bits in A14~A6 are don't care.
- LSB address bits A5~A0 define the byte address inside the Identification page.

If the Identification page is locked, the data bytes transferred during the Write Identification Page instruction are not acknowledged (NoACK).

#### 5.1.5 Lock Identification Page

The Lock Identification Page instruction (Lock Bit Write Instruction) permanently locks the Identification page in Read-only mode. The Lock ID Page instruction is similar to Byte Write with the following specific conditions:

- Device type identifier = 1011b
- Address bit A10 must be '1'; all other address bits are don't care
- The data byte must be equal to the binary value xxxx xx1x, where x is don't care

### 5.2 Read Operations

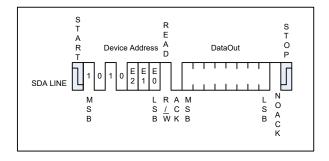
Read operations are initiated the same way as write operations with the exception that the read/write select bit in the device address word is set to "1". There are three read operations: Current Address Read; Random Address Read and Sequential Read.

#### 5.2.1 Current Address Read

The internal data word address counter maintains the last address accessed during the last read or write operation, incremented by one. This address stays valid between operations as long as the chip power is maintained. The address roll-over during read is from the last byte of the last memory page to the first byte of the first page.

Once the device address with the read/write select bit set to "1" is clocked in and acknowledged by the P24C256H, the current address data word is serially clocked out. The microcontroller does not respond with an input "0" but does generate a following stop condition (see Figure 5-3).

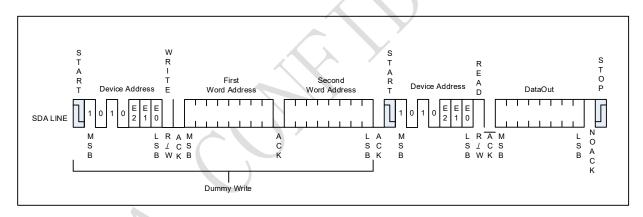
#### Figure 5-3 Current Address Read



### 5.2.2 Random Read

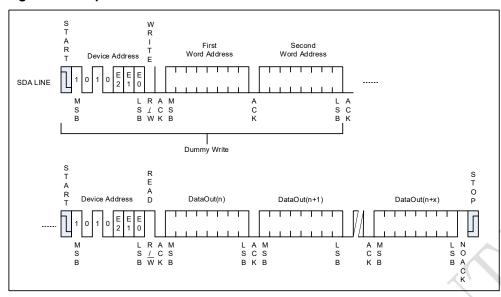
A Random Read requires a "dummy" byte write sequence to load in the data word address. Once the device address word and data word address are clocked in and acknowledged by the P24C256H, the microcontroller must generate another start condition. The microcontroller now initiates a Current Address Read by sending a device address with the read/write select bit high. The P24C256H acknowledges the device address and serially clocks out the data word. The microcontroller responds with a "1" and generates stop condition (see Figure 5-4) followed.

### Figure 5-4 Random Read



#### 5.2.3 Sequential Read

Sequential Reads are initiated by either a Current Address Read or a Random Address Read. After the microcontroller receives a data word, it responds with acknowledge. As long as the P24C256H receives acknowledge, it will continue to increment the data word address and serially clock out sequential data words. When the memory address limit is reached, the data word address will roll-over and the Sequential Read will continue. The Sequential Read operation is terminated when the microcontroller responds with a "1" and generates a stop condition (see Figure 5-5) followed.



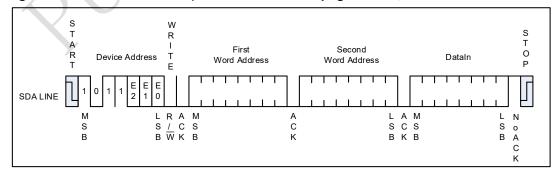
#### Figure 5-5 Sequential Read

### 5.2.4 Read Identification Page

The Identification Page (64 bytes) is an additional page which can be written and later permanently locked in Read-only mode. The Identification Page can be read by Read Identification Page instruction which uses the same protocol and format as the Read Command with device type identifier defined as 1011b. The MSB address bits A11~A10 must be 0, the LSB address bits A5~A0 define the byte address inside the Identification Page. The number of bytes to read in the ID page must not exceed the page boundary (e.g. When reading the Identification Page from location 10d, the number of bytes should be less than or equal to 54, as the ID page boundary is 64 bytes).

#### 5.2.5 Read Lock Status

The locked/unlocked status of the Identification page can be checked by transmitting a specific truncated command [Identification Page Write instruction + one data byte] to the device. The device returns an acknowledge bit if the Identification page is unlocked, otherwise a NO-ACK bit if the Identification page is locked.



#### Figure 5-6 Lock Status Read (When Identification page locked, return NO-ACK after one data byte)

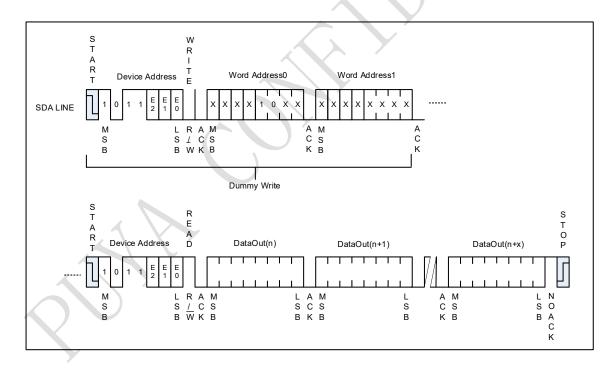
#### 5.2.6 Read Serial Number

Reading the serial number is similar to the sequential read sequence but requires use of the device address seen in Table 4-1, and the use of a specific word address. The entire 128-bit value must be read from the starting address of the serial number block to guarantee a unique number.

Since the address pointer of the device is shared between the regular EEPROM array and the serial number block, a dummy write sequence, as part of a Random Read or Sequential Read protocol, should be performed to ensure the address pointer is set to zero. Reading the serial number from a location other than the first address of the block will not result in a unique serial number.

Additionally, the word address contains a '10' sequence in bit A11 and A10 of the word address, regardless of the intended address as depicted in Table 4-2. If a word address other than '10' is used, then the device will output unintended data.

When the end of the serial number is reached (16 bytes of data), continued reading of the extended memory region will return 16 bytes data 00, then result in rolling over to the first byte. The Serial Number Read operation is terminated when the microcontroller does not respond with a zero (ACK) and instead issues a Stop condition (see Figure 5-7).



#### Figure 5-7 Serial Number Read

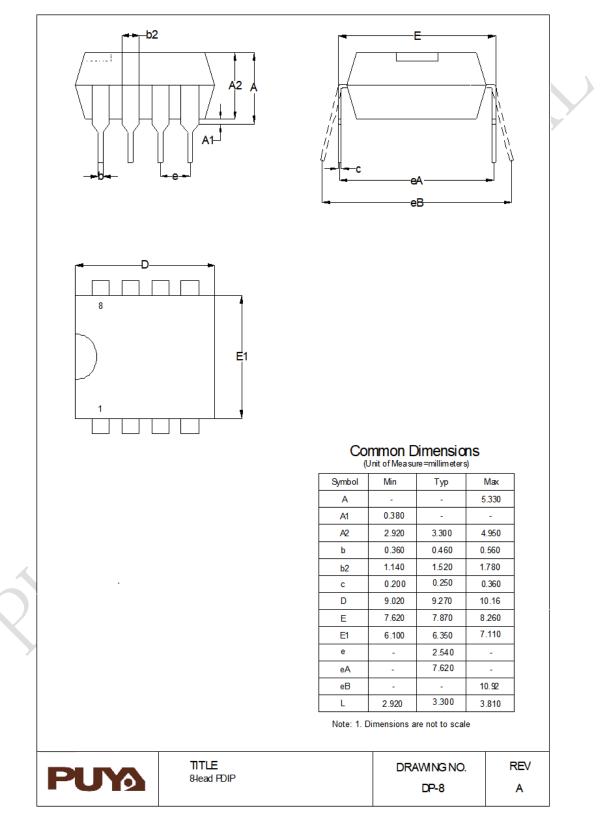
# 6. Ordering Code Detail

Example:	<u>P 2 4 C 256 H – SS H – M I R</u>
Company Designator	
P = Puya Semiconducto	r
Product Series Name	
24C = I2C-compatible In	terface EEPROM
Device Density	
256 = 256 Kbits	
Device Reversion	
H = Version H	
Package Option	
DP: PDIP8	SS: SOP8
TS: TSSOP8	UN: UDFN8
WF: WAFER	MS: MSOP8
ST: SOT23-5	TO: TSOT23-5
Plating Technology	
H: RoHS Compliant, Hal	ogen-free
Operation Voltage	
M: 1.7~5.5V	
N: 1.8~5.5V	
D: 2.5~5.5V	
	,
Device Grade	
I: -40~85C	
K: -40~105C	
E: -40~125C	
Shipping Carrier Option	n

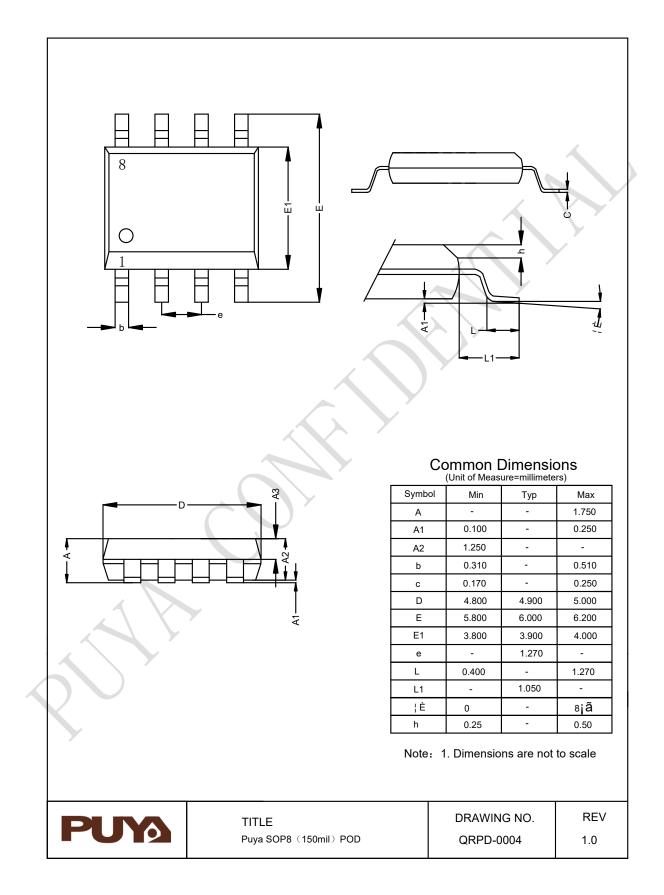
W: WAFER T: TUBE R: TAPE& REEL

# 7. Package information

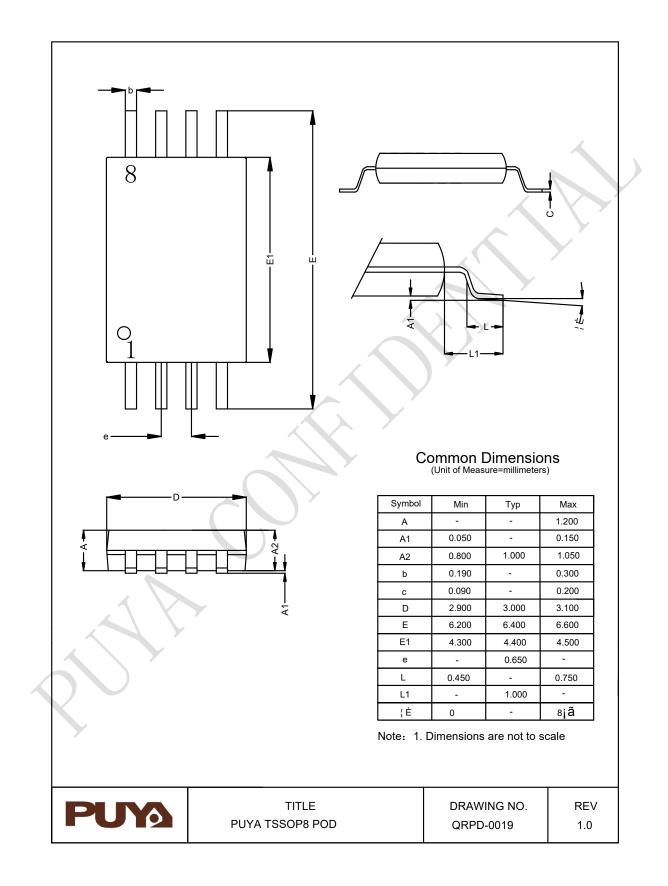
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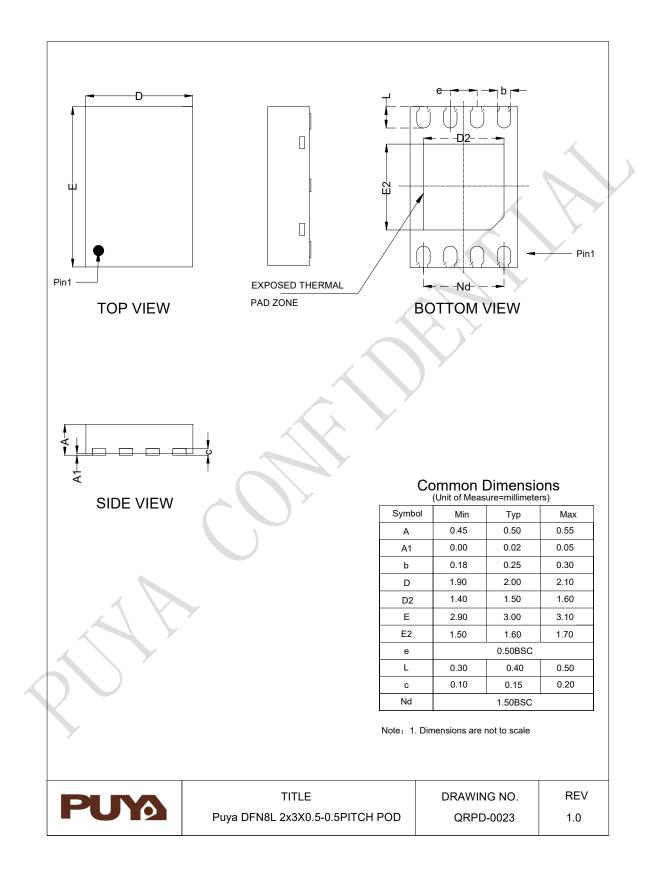
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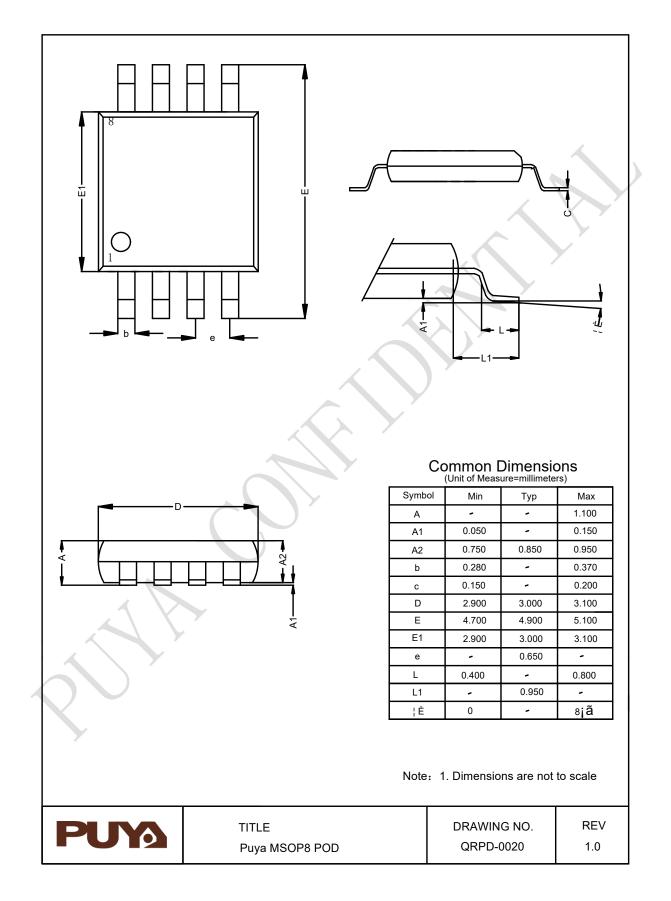
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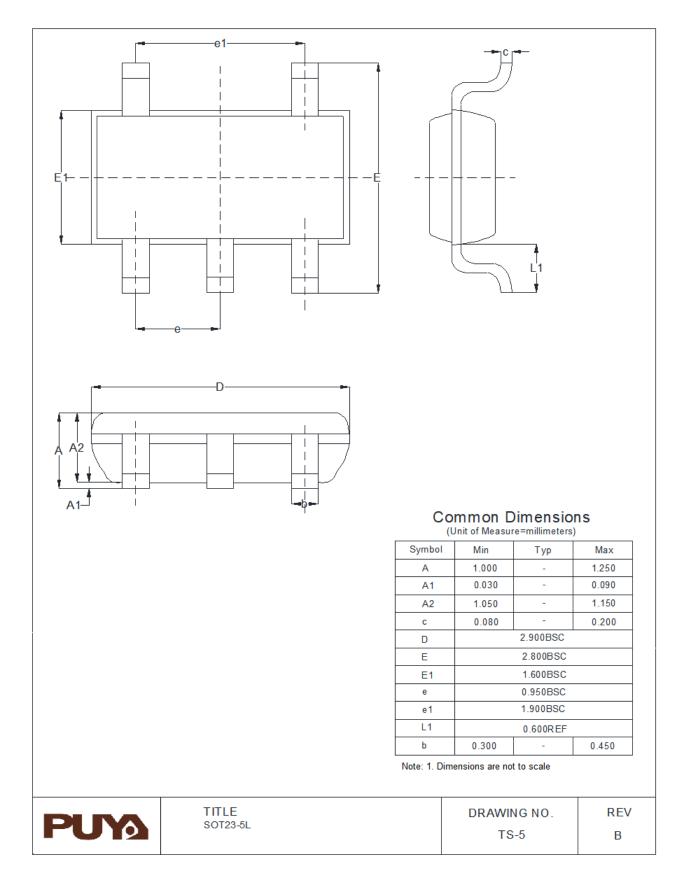
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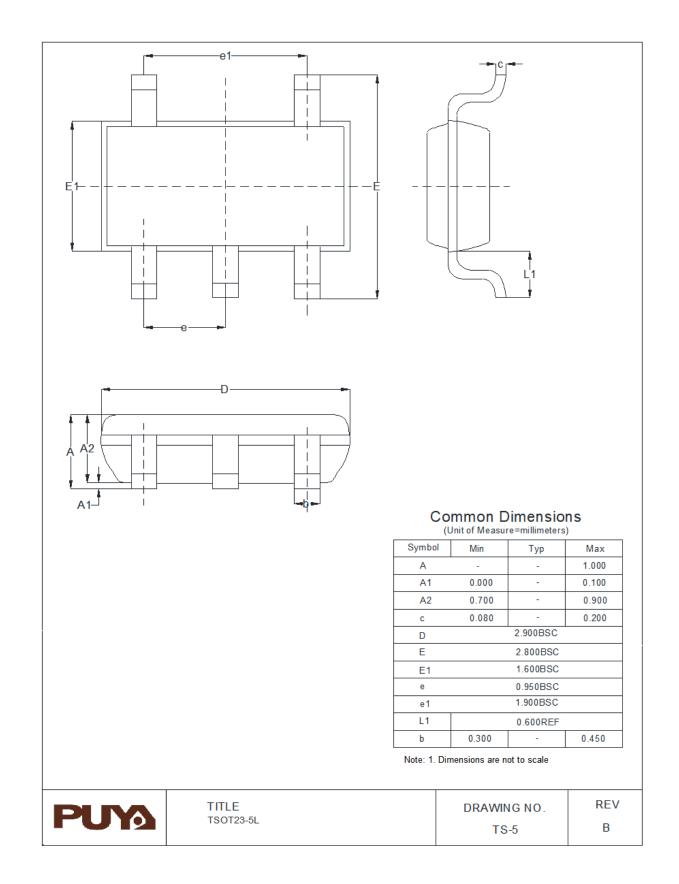
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### 7.6 SOT23-5



### 7.7 TSOT23-5



## 8. Revision History

Version	Content	Date
Rev 1.0	Initial Release	2023-02-10
Rev 1.1	Update parameter of lsb, ICC1 and reliability	2023-05-31
Rev 1.2	Update Features ,tLOW / tHIGH in Table 3-5 and parameter in Table 3-6	2023-12-20
Rev 1.3	Update Table 3-2	2024-03-26
Rev 1.4	Update Features, parameter of tLOW in Table 3-5	2024-08-29



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