

## DS15EA101 0.15 to 1.5 Gbps Adaptive Cable Equalizer with LOS Detection

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### FEATURES

- Automatic Equalization of Coaxial, Twin-Ax and Twisted Pair Cables
- High Data Rates: 150 Mbps to 1.5+ Gbps
- Up to 35 dB of Boost at 750 MHz
- LOS Detection and Output Enable
- Single-Ended or Differential Input
- 50Ω Differential Outputs
- Low Power Operation, 210 mW (typ) at 1.5 Gbps
- Industrial -40°C to +85°C Temperature
- Space-Saving 4 x 4 mm WQFN-16 Package

### APPLICATIONS

- Cable Extention Applications
- Security Cameras
- Remote LCDs and LED Panels
- Data Recovery Equalization

### DESCRIPTION

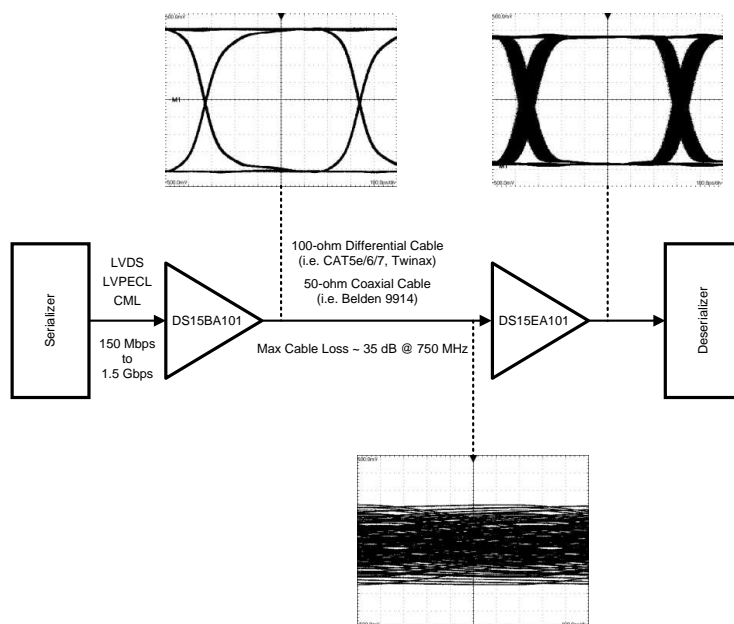
The DS15EA101 is an adaptive equalizer optimized for equalizing data transmitted over copper cables. The DS15EA101 operates over a wide range of data rates from 150 Mbps to 1.5+ Gbps and automatically adapts to equalize any cable length from zero meters to lengths that attenuate the signal by 35 dB at 750 MHz.

The DS15EA101 allows either single-ended or differential input drive. This enables equalization of coaxial cables as well as differential twin-ax and twisted pair cables.

Additional features include an LOS output and an output enable which, when tied together, disable the output when no signal is present.

The DS15EA101 is powered from a single 3.3V supply and consumes 210 mW at 1.5 Gbps. It operates over the full -40°C to +85°C industrial temperature range and is available in a space saving 4 x 4 mm WQFN-16 package which allows for high density placement of components in multi-channel applications.

### Typical Application



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These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.

### Absolute Maximum Ratings<sup>(1)</sup>

Supply Voltage	-0.5V to 3.6V
Input Voltage (all inputs)	-0.3V to $V_{CC}+0.3V$
Storage Temperature Range	-65°C to +150°C
Junction Temperature	+150°C
Lead Temperature (Soldering 4 Sec)	+260°C
Package Thermal Resistance $\theta_{JA}$ RGH0016A $\theta_{JC}$ RGH0016A	+42.1°C/W +8.2°C/W
ESD Rating (HBM)	8 kV
ESD Rating (MM)	250V

- (1) "Absolute Maximum Ratings" are those parameter values beyond which the life and operation of the device cannot be ensured. The stating herein of these maximums shall not be construed to imply that the device can or should be operated at or beyond these values. The table of [Electrical Characteristics](#) specifies acceptable device operating conditions.

### Recommended Operating Conditions

Supply Voltage ( $V_{CC}$ )	3.3V $\pm 5\%$
Input Coupling Capacitance	1.0 $\mu F$
Loop Capacitor (Connected between CAP+ and CAP-)	1.0 $\mu F$
Operating Free Air Temperature ( $T_A$ )	-40°C to +85°C

### DC Electrical Characteristics

Over Supply Voltage and Operating Temperature ranges, unless otherwise specified <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Reference	Min	Typ	Max	Units
$V_{CM}$	Input Common Mode Voltage		IN+, IN-		1.9		V
$V_{IN}$	Input Voltage					<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(4)</sup> 950	mV <sub>P-P</sub>
$V_{OS}$	Output Common Mode Voltage		OUT+, OUT-		$V_{CC} - V_{OUT}/2$		V
$V_{OUT}$	Output Voltage Swing	50 $\Omega$ load, differential			750		mV <sub>P-P</sub>
$V_{LOS}$	LOS Output Voltage	Valid signal not present	LOS	2.6			V
		Valid signal present				0.4	V
$V_{IN(EN)}$	$\overline{EN}$ Input Voltage	Min to disable outputs	$\overline{EN}$	3.0			V
		Max to enable outputs				0.8	V
$I_{CC}$	Supply Current	<sup>(5)</sup>			63	77	mA

- (1) Current flow into device pins is defined as positive. Current flow out of device pins is defined as negative. All voltages are stated referenced to 0 volts.  
 (2) Typical values are stated for  $V_{CC} = +3.3V$  and  $T_A = +25^\circ C$ .  
 (3) Specification is ensured by characterization.  
 (4) The maximum input voltage amplitude assumes a DC-balanced signal.  
 (5) Supply current depends on the amount of cable being equalized. The current is highest for short cable and decreases as the cable length is increased.

## AC Electrical Characteristics

Over Supply Voltage and Operating Temperature ranges, unless otherwise specified <sup>(1)</sup>.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Reference	Min	Typ	Max	Units
BR <sub>IN</sub>	Input Data Rate		IN+, IN-	150		1500	Mbps
t <sub>TRJ</sub>	Total Residual Jitter @ BER-12 <sup>(2)</sup>	1.5 Gbps 25m CAT5e (Belden 1700A), <sup>(1)</sup>			0.25		UI
		1.0 Gbps 50m CAT5e (Belden 1700A), <sup>(1)</sup>			0.25		UI
		0.5 Gbps 100m CAT5e (Belden 1700A), <sup>(1)</sup>			0.25		UI
		1.5 Gbps 50m CAT7 (Siemon Tera), <sup>(1)</sup>			0.25		UI
		1.5 Gbps 75m CAT7 (Siemon Tera), <sup>(1)</sup>			0.30		UI
		1.0 Gbps 100m CAT7 (Siemon Tera), <sup>(1)</sup>			0.40		UI
		1.5 Gbps 200m Belden 9914, <sup>(1)</sup>			0.25		UI
t <sub>TLH</sub>	Transition Time from Low to High	20% – 80%, <sup>(3)</sup>	OUT+, OUT-		100	220	ps
t <sub>THL</sub>	Transition Time from High to Low	20% – 80%, <sup>(3)</sup>			100	220	ps
R <sub>OUT</sub>	Output Resistance	single-ended, <sup>(4)</sup>			50		Ω

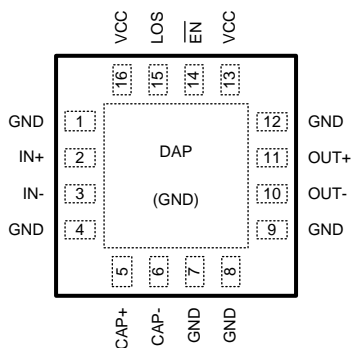
(1) Typical values are stated for V<sub>CC</sub> = +3.3V and T<sub>A</sub> = +25°C.

(2) The total residual jitter at BER-12 was calculated as DJ+14.1xRJ, where DJ is deterministic jitter and RJ is random jitter. The jitter is expressed as a portion of a unit interval (UI). One UI is a reciprocal of a bit rate (or data rate). For example, a 1.5 Gbps (gigabit per second) signal has 1 / (1.5 Gb/s) = 666.67 ps (picosecond) unit interval. A 0.25 UI jitter is equivalent to 0.25 x 666.67 ps = 166.67 ps.

(3) Specification is ensured by characterization.

(4) Specification is ensured by design.

## CONNECTION DIAGRAM



**16-Pad WQFN**  
**Package Number RGH0016A**

## PIN DESCRIPTIONS

Pin #	Name	Description
1	GND	Ground pin.
2	IN+	Non-inverting input pin.
3	IN-	Inverting input pin.
4	GND	Ground pin.
5	CAP+	Loop filter positive pin.
6	CAP-	Loop filter negative pin.
7	GND	Ground pin.
8	GND	Ground pin.
9	GND	Ground pin.
10	OUT-	Inverting output pin.
11	OUT+	Non-inverting output pin.
12	GND	Ground pin.
13	VCC	Power supply pin.
14	$\overline{\text{EN}}$	Output enable pin.
15	LOS	Los of signal circuitry output pin.
16	VCC	Power supply pin.

## DEVICE OPERATION

### Input Interfacing

The DS15EA101 accepts either differential or single-ended input. The input must be AC coupled. Transformer coupling is not supported. If the signal is differential, its amplitude must be 800 mVp-p  $\pm 10\%$  (400 mV single-ended). If the signal is single-ended, its amplitude must be 800 mV  $\pm 10\%$ .

### Output Interfacing

The DS15EA101 uses current mode outputs. They are internally terminated with 50 $\Omega$ . The following two figures illustrate typical DC-coupled interface to common differential receivers and assume that the receivers have high impedance inputs. While most receivers have an input common mode voltage range that can accommodate CML signals, it is recommended to check respective receiver's datasheet prior to implementing the suggested interface implementations.

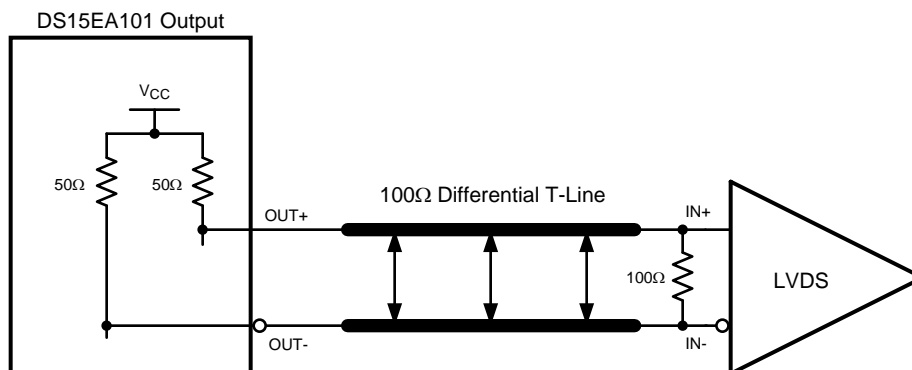


Figure 1. Typical DS15EA101 Output DC-Coupled Interface to an LVDS Receiver

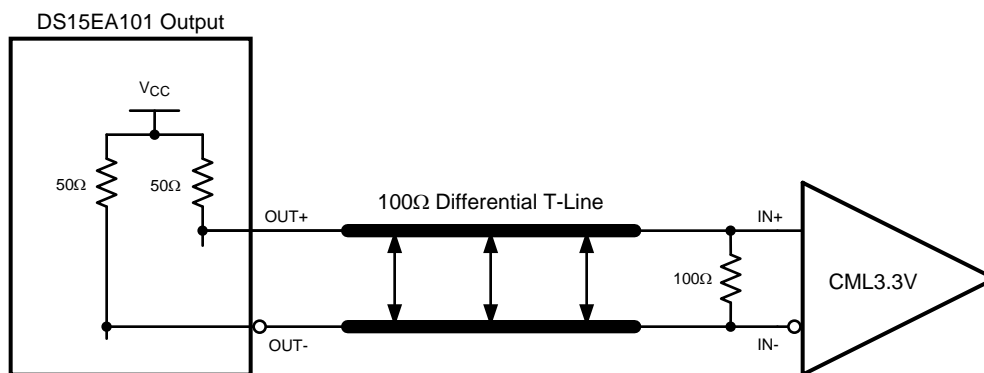


Figure 2. Typical DS15EA101 Output DC-Coupled Interface to a CML Receiver

### Cable Extender Application

The DS15EA101 together with the DS15BA101 form a cable extender chipset optimized for extending serial data streams from serializer/deserializer (SerDes) pairs and field programmable gate arrays (FPGAs) over 100 $\Omega$  differential (i.e. CAT5e/6/7 and twinax) and 50 $\Omega$  coaxial cables. Setting correct DS15BA101 output amplitude and proper cable termination are keys for optimal operation. The following two figures show recommended chipset configuration for 100 $\Omega$  differential and 50 $\Omega$  coaxial cables.

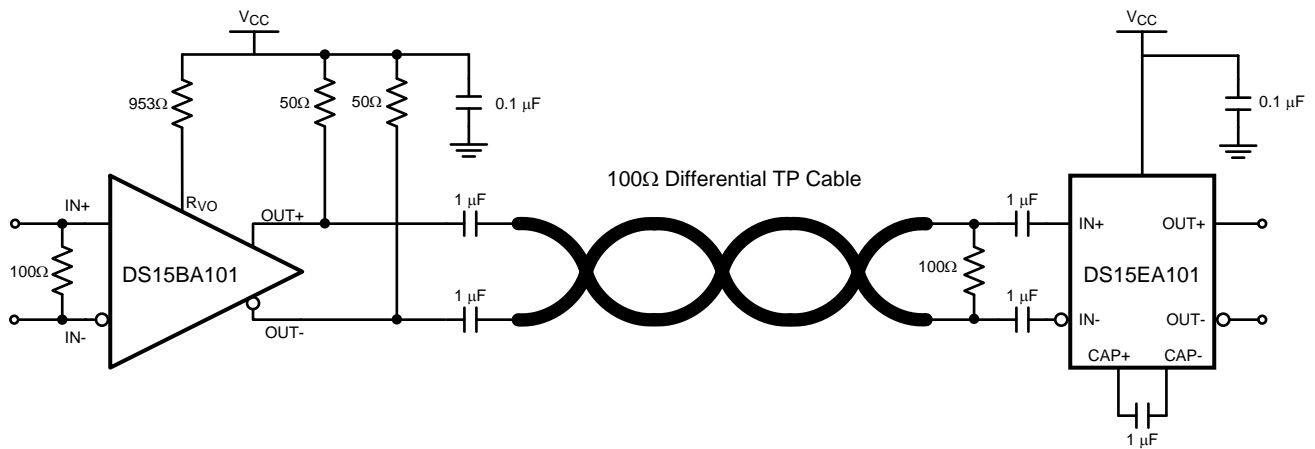


Figure 3. Cable Extender Chipset Connection Diagram for 100Ω Differential Cables

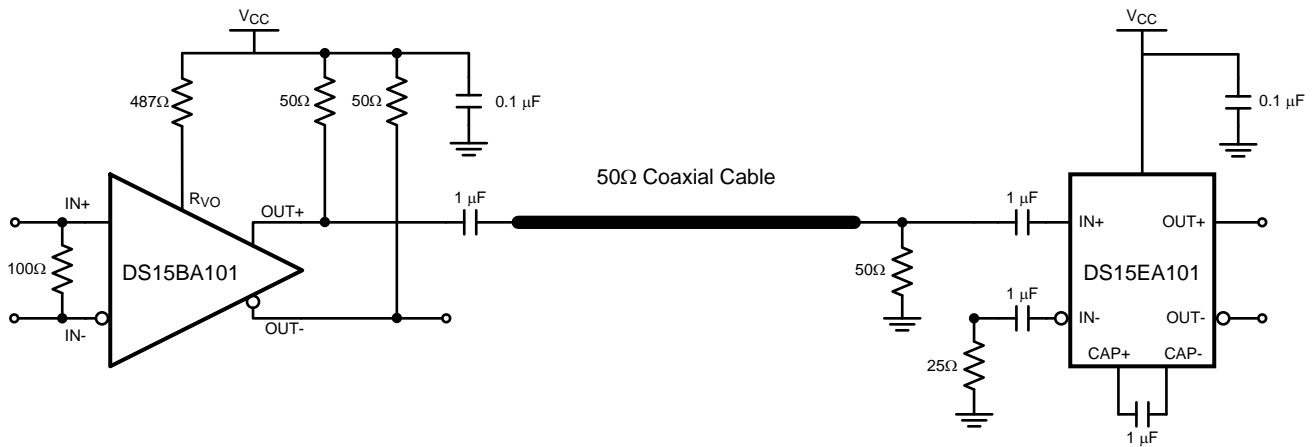


Figure 4. Cable Extender Chipset Connection Diagram for 50Ω Coaxial Cables

**Reference Design**

There is a complete reference design (P/N: DriveCable02EVK) available for evaluation of the cable extender chipset (DS15BA101 and DS15EA101).

For more information visit <http://www.ti.com/tool/drivecable02evk>

### Typical Performance

Maximum Data Rate as a Function of CAT7 (Siemon CAT7 Tera) Length

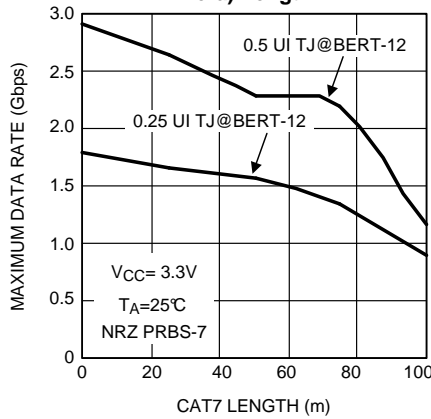


Figure 5.

Maximum Data Rate as a Function of CAT5e (Belden 1700A) Length

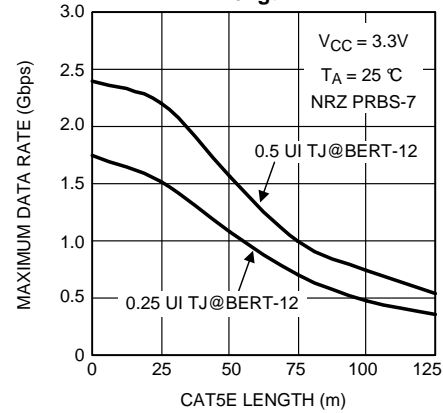


Figure 6.

Maximum Data Rate as a Function of 50Ω Coaxial (Belden 9914) Length

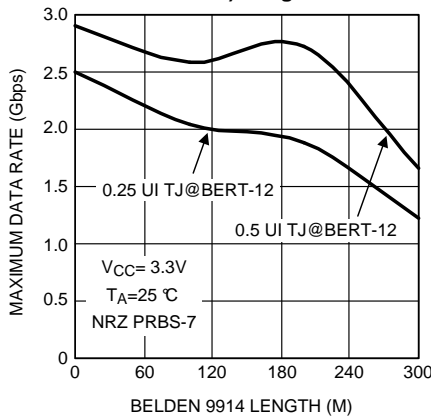


Figure 7.

Residual Jitter as a Function of Data Rate and Temperature for the Chipset with 50m CAT5e

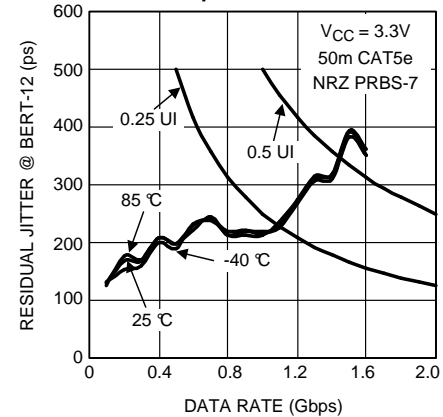


Figure 8.

Residual Jitter as a Function of Data Rate and Temperature for the Chipset with 75m CAT5e

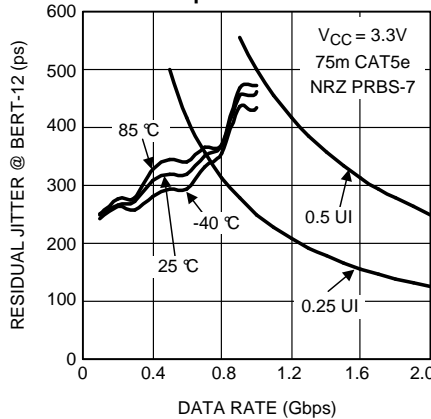


Figure 9.

Residual Jitter as a Function of Data Rate and Temperature for the Chipset with 100m CAT5e

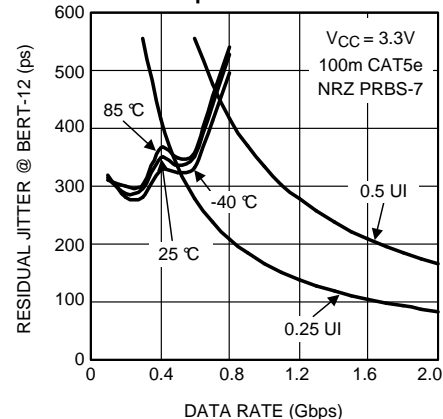


Figure 10.

**Typical Performance (continued)**

**A 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 25m CAT5e**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:100 ps / DIV

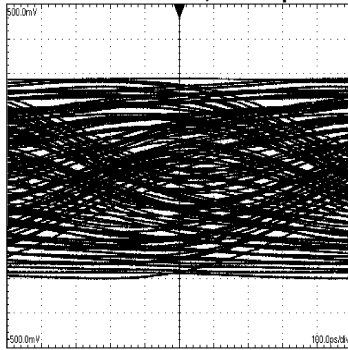


Figure 11.

**An Equalized 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 25m CAT5e**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:100 ps / DIV

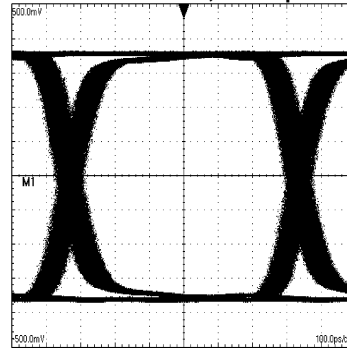


Figure 12.

**A 1.0 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 50m CAT5e**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:150 ps / DIV

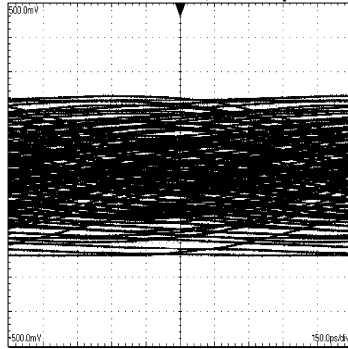


Figure 13.

**An Equalized 1.0 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 50m CAT5e**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:150 ps / DIV

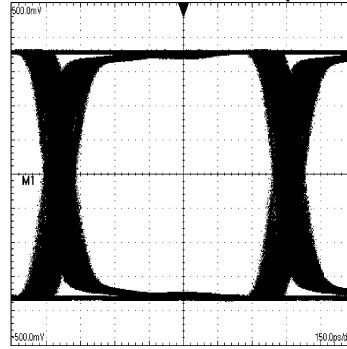


Figure 14.

**A 0.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 100m CAT5e**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:400 ps / DIV

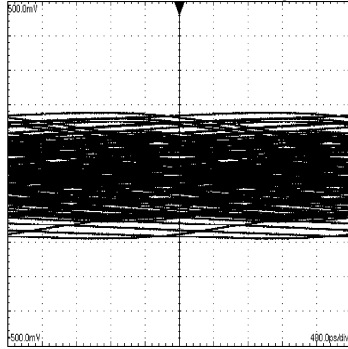


Figure 15.

**An Equalized 0.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 100m CAT5e**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:400 ps / DIV

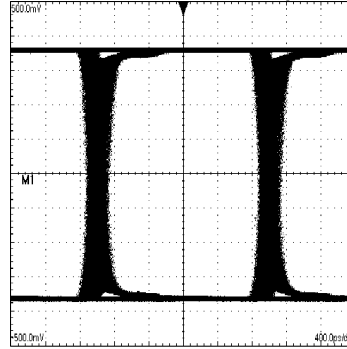


Figure 16.



**Typical Performance (continued)**

**A 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 50m CAT7**  
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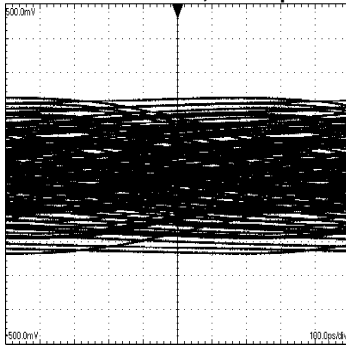


Figure 17.

**An Equalized 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 50m CAT7**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:100 ps / DIV

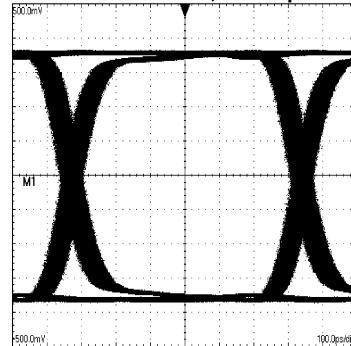


Figure 18.

**An Equalized 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 75m CAT7**  
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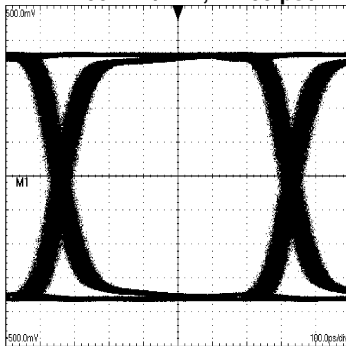


Figure 19.

**A 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 75m CAT7**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:100 ps / DIV

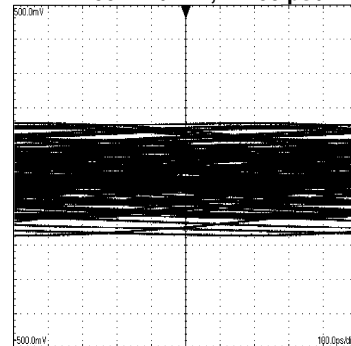


Figure 20.

**A 1.0 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 100m CAT7**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:150 ps / DIV

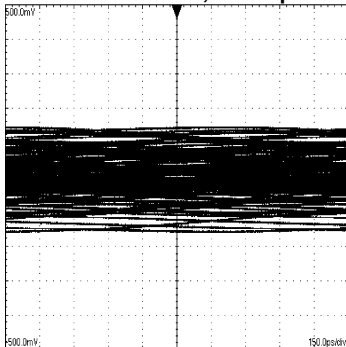


Figure 21.

**An Equalized 1.0 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 100m CAT7**  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:150 ps / DIV

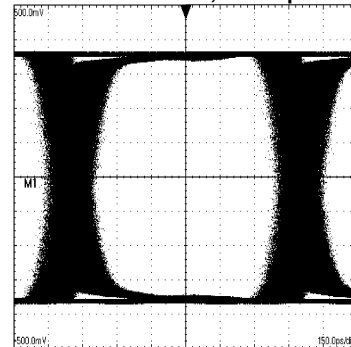


Figure 22.

### Typical Performance (continued)

A 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 200m Belden 9914  
V:100 mV / DIV, H:100 ps / DIV

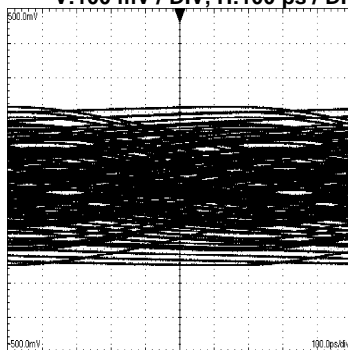


Figure 23.

An Equalized 1.5 Gbps NRZ PRBS-7 After 200m Belden 9914, V:100 mV / DIV, H:100 ps / DIV

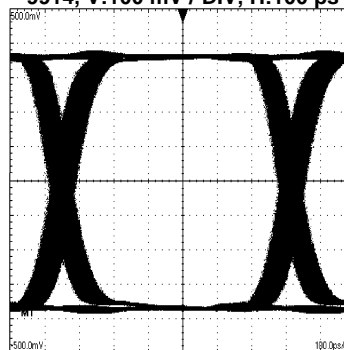


Figure 24.

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**REVISION HISTORY**

<b>Changes from Revision G (April 2013) to Revision H</b>	<b>Page</b>
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**PACKAGING INFORMATION**

Orderable Device	Status (1)	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan (2)	Lead finish/ Ball material (6)	MSL Peak Temp (3)	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
DS15EA101SQ/NOPB	ACTIVE	WQFN	RGH	16	1000	RoHS & Green	SN	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	15EA101	<a href="#">Samples</a>
DS15EA101SQE/NOPB	ACTIVE	WQFN	RGH	16	250	RoHS & Green	SN	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	15EA101	<a href="#">Samples</a>

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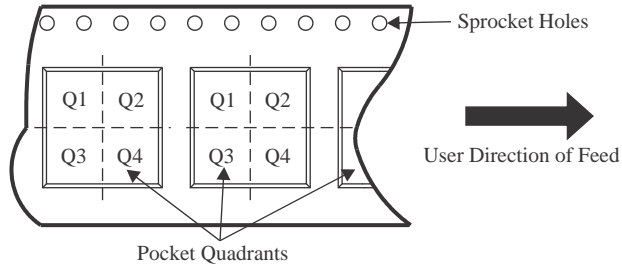
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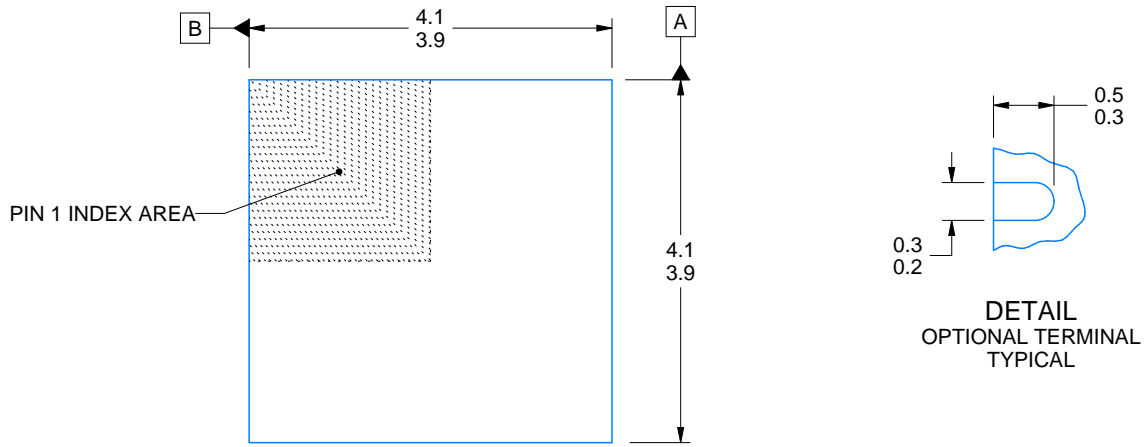
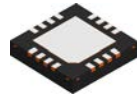
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Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
DS15EA101SQ/NOPB	WQFN	RGH	16	1000	178.0	12.4	4.3	4.3	1.3	8.0	12.0	Q1
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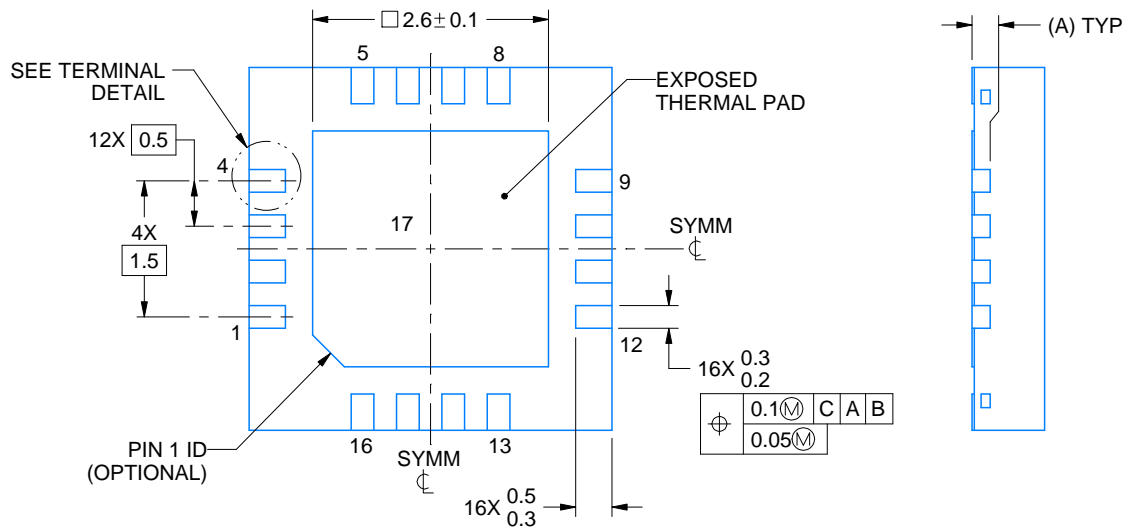
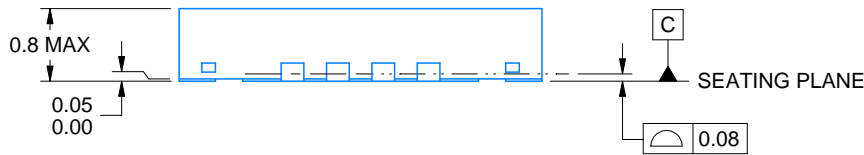
**TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS**


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Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
DS15EA101SQ/NOPB	WQFN	RGH	16	1000	208.0	191.0	35.0
DS15EA101SQE/NOPB	WQFN	RGH	16	250	208.0	191.0	35.0



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NOTES:

1. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Any dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. The package thermal pad must be soldered to the printed circuit board for optimal thermal and mechanical performance.

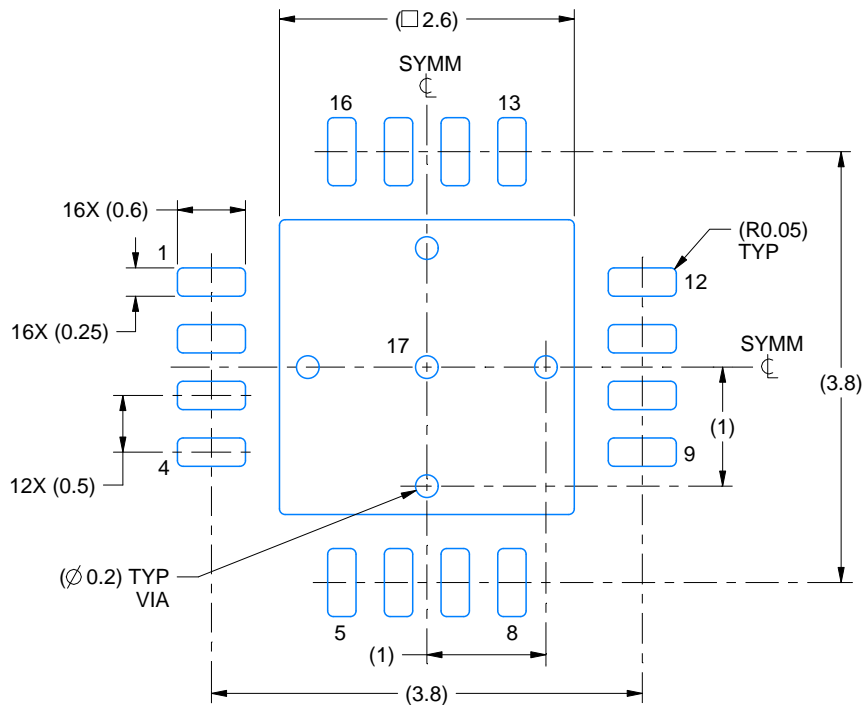


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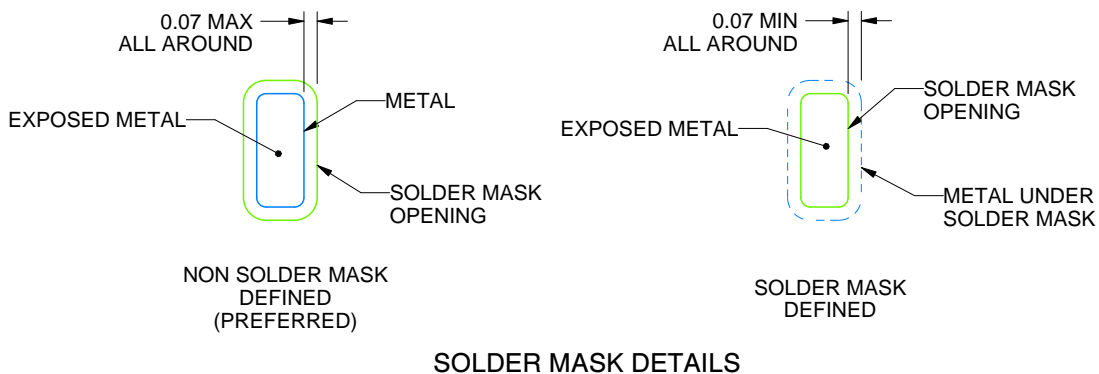
**RGH0016A**

**WQFN - 0.8 mm max height**

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK - NO LEAD



**LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE**  
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
SCALE:15X



**SOLDER MASK DETAILS**

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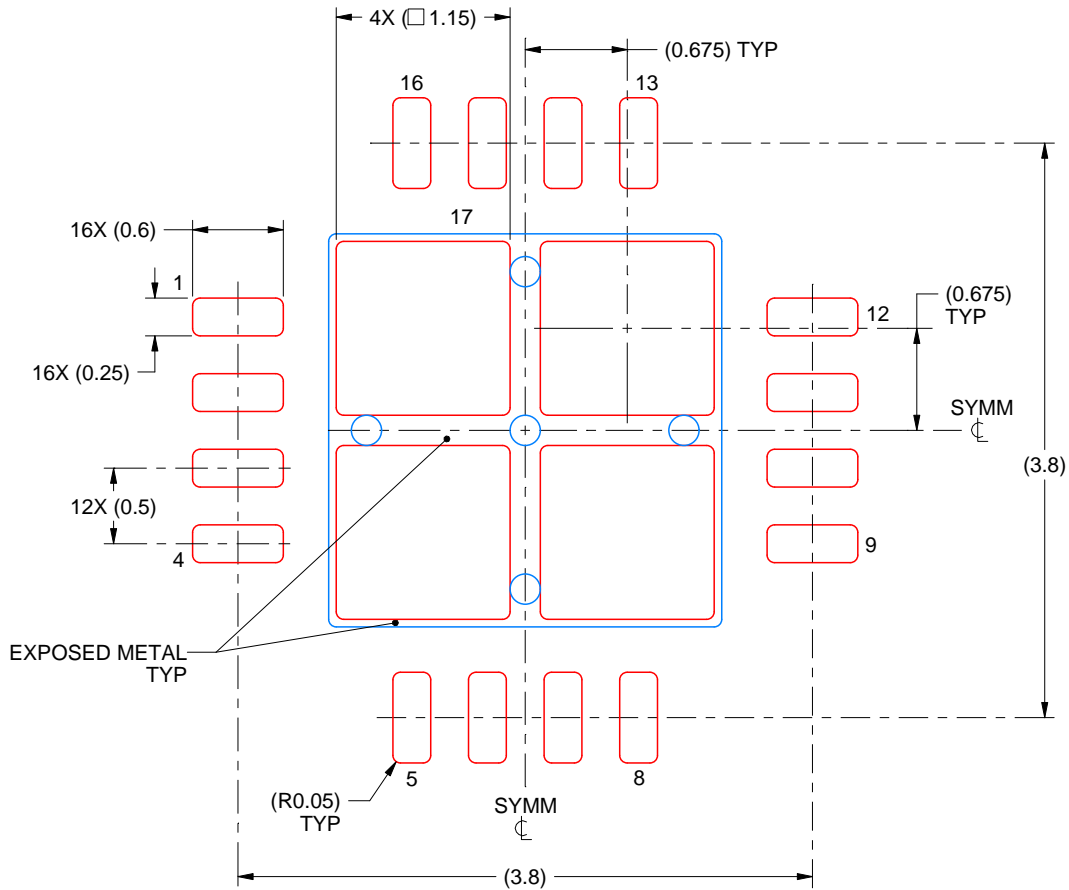
4. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. For more information, see Texas Instruments literature number SLUA271 ([www.ti.com/lit/slua271](http://www.ti.com/lit/slua271)).
5. Vias are optional depending on application, refer to device data sheet. If any vias are implemented, refer to their locations shown on this view. It is recommended that vias under paste be filled, plugged or tented.

# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

RGH0016A

WQFN - 0.8 mm max height

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK - NO LEAD



**SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE**  
BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL

EXPOSED PAD 17  
78% PRINTED SOLDER COVERAGE BY AREA UNDER PACKAGE  
SCALE:20X

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NOTES: (continued)

6. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.

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