

## OVERVIEW

The SM8144B is a transformer-less electroluminescent (EL) driver IC, capable of driving displays up to 80 cm<sup>2</sup> in size. It is a high-efficiency driver that features revised coil switching transistor ON resistance and output circuit configuration to reduce loss, all in a compact package.

A microcontroller interface pin (ENA) is provided, which can be used to control the EL driver ON/OFF function. The device is available in 8-pin VSOP packages.

## FEATURES

- Dedicated EL driver
- 1.6 to 5.5 V supply voltage
- 100mA maximum operating current ( $V_{DD} = 3.0V$ ,  $T_a \leq 70^\circ C$ )
- $3.5\Omega$  typical output resistance
- 200 Vp-p maximum EL driver voltage\*
- 31 to 1500 Hz EL drive frequency range\*
- High voltage CMOS Process
- 8-pin VSOP plastic package

\*: Adjustable with external resistance.

## APPLICATIONS

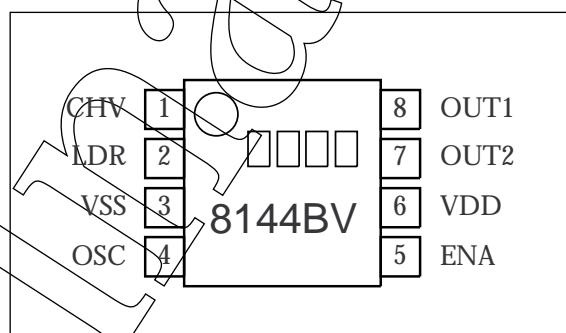
- Hand held PC, Palm size PC
- Mobile IT equipment
- White EL

## ORDERING INFORMATION

Device	Package
SM8144BV	8-pin VSOP

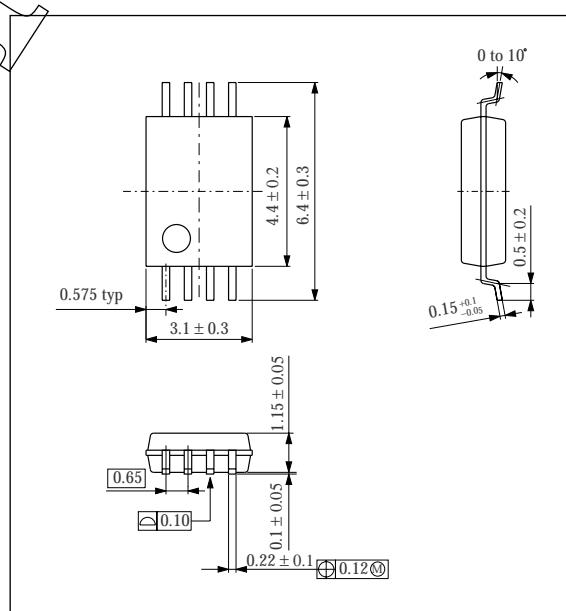
## PINOUT

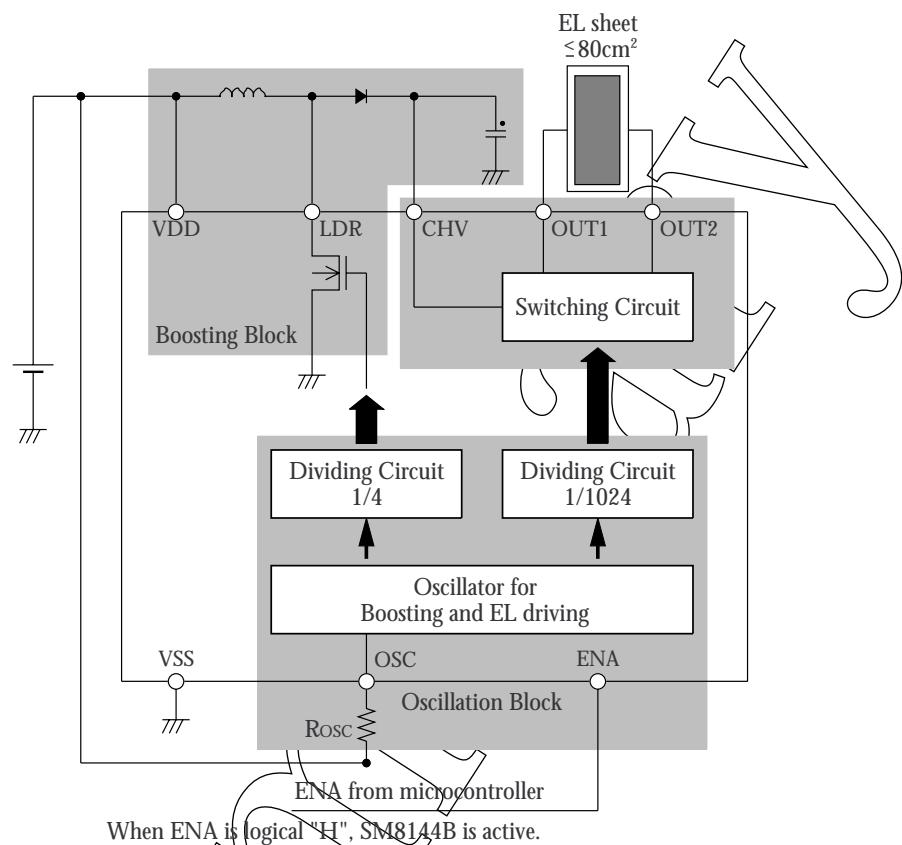
(Top view)



## PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

(Unit: mm)



**BLOCK DIAGRAM****PIN DESCRIPTION**

Pin number	Name	I/O	Function
1	CHV	I	High-voltage DC input
2	LDR	O	Booster coil/driver output
3	VSS		Ground
4	OSC	I	Coil and EL driver oscillator (oscillator frequency determined by external resistor)
5	ENA	I	Enable input (built-in pull-down resistor)
6	VDD	-	Supply
7	OUT2	O	Output 2
8	OUT1	O	Output 1

## SPECIFICATIONS

### Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Rating	Unit
Supply voltage range	$V_{DD}$		-0.3 to 10	V
Input voltage range	$V_{IN}$	All Input pins	$V_{SS} - 0.3$ to $V_{DD} + 0.3$	V
Output voltage	$V_{CHV}$	CHV pin	0.5 to 120	V
	$V_{LDR}$	LDR pin	0.5 to 120	V
	$V_{OUT1/2}$	OUT1, OUT2 pin	0.5 to 120	V
Power dissipation	$P_D$	$T_a \leq 70^\circ\text{C}$	140	mW
		$T_a \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$	100	mW
Storage temperature range	$T_{STG}$		-55 to 125	°C

### Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Rating			Unit
			min	typ	max	
Supply voltage range	$V_{DD2}$		1.6	3.0	5.5	V
Operating temperature	$T_{OPR}$		-40	-	85	°C
Operating current <sup>1</sup>	$I_{DD2}$	Including coil current, $V_{DD} = 3.0\text{V}, T_a \leq 70^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	100	mA
		Including coil current, $V_{DD} = 5.0\text{V}, T_a \leq 70^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	60	mA
		Including coil current, $V_{DD} = 3.0\text{V}, T_a \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	70	mA
		Including coil current, $V_{DD} = 5.0\text{V}, T_a \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	42	mA
Coil inductance	$L_{LDR}$	$f_{LDR} = 64\text{ kHz}$	-	0.47	-	mH

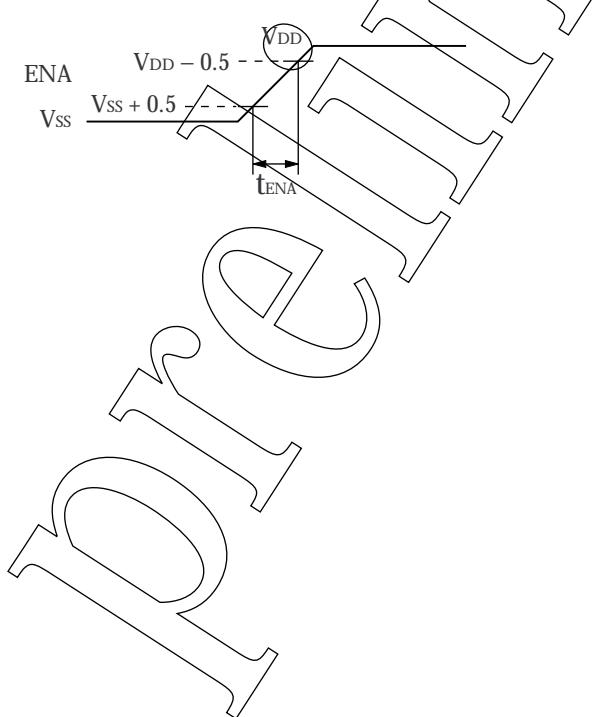
1. Max value is as same as Absolute Maximum Ratings.

**DC Characteristics**

$V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$ ,  $T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted.

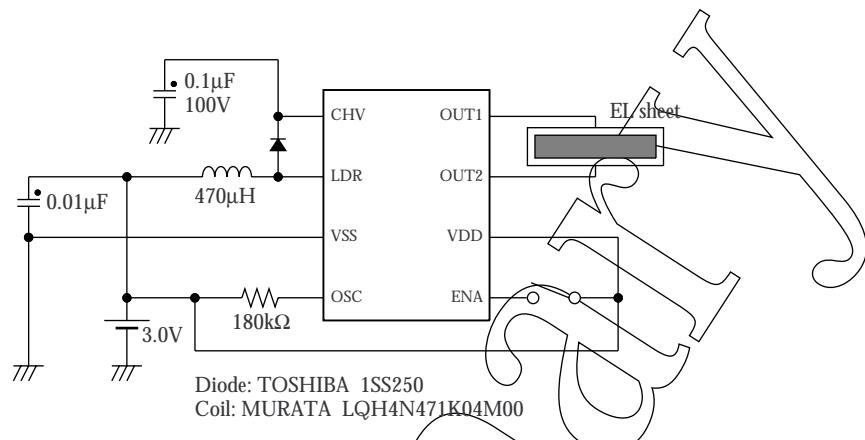
Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Rating			Unit
			min	typ	max	
Supply voltage	$V_{DD}$		1.6	3.0	5.5	V
CHV output voltage	$V_{CHV}$		0.5	-	100	V
OUT1, OUT2 HIGH-level output voltage	$V_{OUTH}$		-	-	100	V
OUT1, OUT2 LOW-level output voltage	$V_{OUTL}$		-	-	0.5	V
LDR output resistance	$R_{LDR}$	$I_{LDR} = 50 \text{ mA}$	-	3.5	5.25	$\Omega$
OSC oscillator frequency	$f_{OSC1}$	$R_{OSC} = 180 \text{ k}\Omega$	205	256	307	kHz
OSC oscillator frequency range	$f_{OSC2}$		32	-	1536	
OUT1, OUT2 output frequency	$f_{OUT1}$	$R_{OSC} = 180 \text{ k}\Omega$	200	250	300	Hz
OUT1, OUT2 output frequency range	$f_{OUT2}$		31	-	1500	
LDR inductance driver frequency	$f_{LDR1}$	$R_{OSC} = 180 \text{ k}\Omega$	51	64	77	kHz
LDR inductance driver frequency range	$f_{LDR2}$		8	-	384	
ENA HIGH-level input voltage	$V_{ENAH}$	$ENA = \text{HIGH}$ , $V_{DD} = 1.6 \text{ to } 5.5 \text{ V}$	$V_{DD} - 0.5$	-	$V_{DD} + 0.3$	V
ENA LOW-level input voltage	$V_{ENAL}$	$ENA = \text{LOW}$ , $V_{DD} = 1.6 \text{ to } 5.5 \text{ V}$	$V_{SS} + 0.3$	-	$V_{SS} + 0.5$	
ENA input current	$I_{ENAH}$	$V_{ENAH} = V_{DD} = 3.0 \text{ V}$	2.0	4.0	6.0	$\mu\text{A}$
ENA rise time <sup>1</sup>	$t_{ENA}$		-	-	100	$\mu\text{s}$
Operating current	$I_{DD1}$	Excluding coil current	-	-	1.0	$\text{mA}$
Stand-by current	$I_{STB}$	$ENA = \text{LOW}$	-	-	1.0	$\mu\text{A}$

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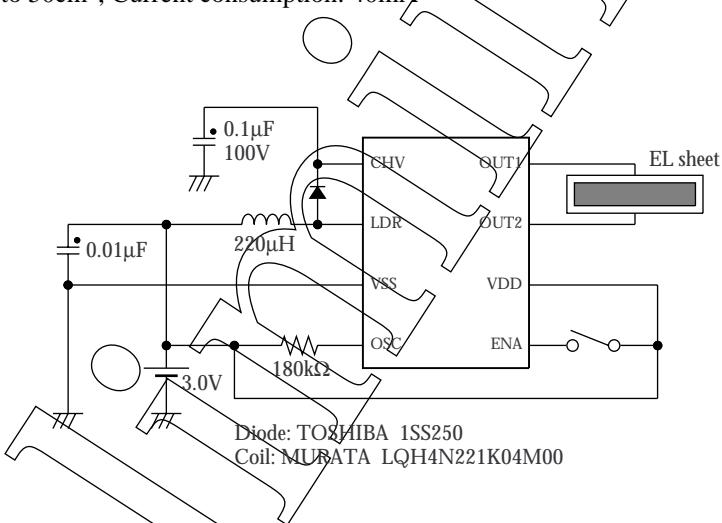


## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

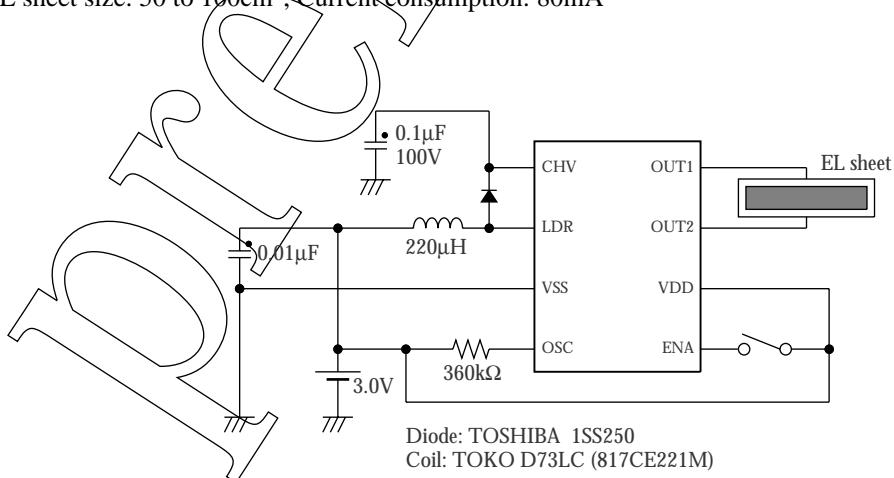
- EL sheet size: 20 to 30cm<sup>2</sup>, Current consumption: 20mA



- EL sheet size: 30 to 50cm<sup>2</sup>, Current consumption: 40mA



- EL sheet size: 50 to 100cm<sup>2</sup>, Current consumption: 80mA



Note: Do not operate the SM8144B with the EL sheet NOT connected (no load to OUT1/OUT2) since the IC will be damaged.



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