

TPS6229x 1-A Step Down Converter in 2 x 2 DRV Package

1 Features

- High Efficiency - up to 96%
- Output Current up to 1000 mA
- V_{IN} Range From 2.3 V to 6.0V for Li-ion Batteries with Extended Voltage Range
- 2.25-MHz Fixed Frequency Operation
- Power Save Mode at Light Load Currents
- Output Voltage Accuracy in PWM Mode $\pm 1.5\%$
- Fixed Output Voltage Options
- Typical 15- μ A Quiescent Current
- 100% Duty Cycle for Lowest Dropout
- Voltage Positioning at Light Loads
- Available in a 2-mm $\times$ 2-mm $\times$ 0.8-mm WSON (6) Package (DRV)

2 Applications

- Mobile Phones, Smart-Phones
- Wireless LAN
- Pocket PCs
- Low Power DSP Supply
- Portable Media Players
- Point-of-Load (POL) Applications

3 Description

The TPS6229x devices are highly efficient synchronous step down DC/DC converters optimized for battery powered portable applications. They provide up to 1000-mA output current from a single Li-ion cell.

With an input voltage range of 2.3 V to 6.0 V, the devices support batteries with extended voltage range and are ideal to power portable applications like mobile phones and other portable equipment.

The TPS6229x devices operate at 2.25-MHz fixed switching frequency and enter power save mode operation at light load currents to maintain high efficiency over the entire load current range.

The power save mode is optimized for low output voltage ripple. For low noise applications, the devices can be forced into fixed frequency pulse width modulation (PWM) mode by pulling the MODE pin high. In the shutdown mode, the current consumption is reduced to less than 1 μ A. The TPS6229x devices allow the use of small inductors and capacitors to achieve a small solution size.

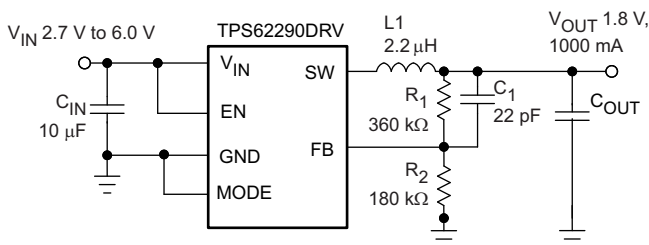
The TPS6229x devices operate over a free air temperature range of -40°C to 85°C . The devices are available in a 2-mm $\times$ 2-mm 6-pin WSON package (DRV).

Device Information⁽¹⁾

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
TPS6229x	SON (6)	2.00 mm $\times$ 2.00 mm

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the datasheet.

Typical Application Schematic



Efficiency vs Output Current

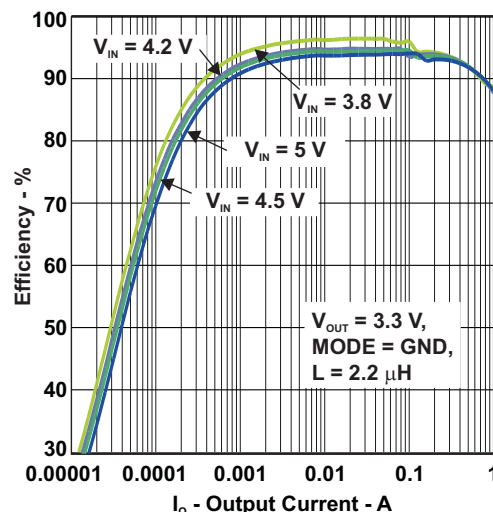


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4 Revision History

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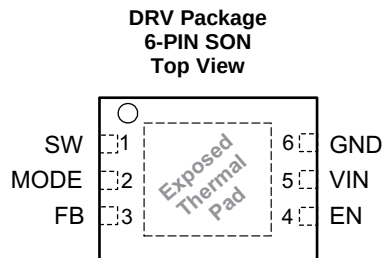
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5 Device Comparison Table

PART NUMBER	OUTPUT VOLTAGE ⁽¹⁾	DEVICE MARKING ⁽²⁾
TPS62290	Adjustable	BYN
TPS62291	3.3 V fixed	CFY
TPS62293	1.8 V fixed	CFD

- (1) Contact TI for other fixed output voltage options
 (2) For the most current package and ordering information, see [Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information](#), or see the TI website at www.ti.com

6 Pin Configuration and Functions



Pin Functions

PIN		TYPE	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.		
EN	4	IN	This is the enable pin of the device. Pulling this pin to low forces the device into shutdown mode. Pulling this pin to high enables the device. This pin must be terminated.
FB	3	IN	Feedback pin for the internal regulation loop. Connect the external resistor divider to this pin. In case of fixed output voltage option, connect this pin directly to the output capacitor
GND	6	PWR	GND supply pin
MODE	2	IN	MODE pin = High forces the device to operate in fixed-frequency PWM mode. Mode pin = Low enables the power save mode with automatic transition from PFM mode to fixed-frequency PWM mode.
SW	1	OUT	This is the switch pin and is connected to the internal MOSFET switches. Connect the external inductor between this terminal and the output capacitor.
VIN	5	PWR	V _{IN} power supply pin.
Exposed Thermal Pad			Connect the exposed thermal pad to GND.

7 Specifications

7.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

Over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)⁽¹⁾

	MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{IN} Input voltage range ⁽²⁾	–0.3	7	V
Voltage range at EN, MODE	–0.3	V _{IN} +0.3, ≤ 7	
Voltage at SW	–0.3	7	
Peak output current	Internally limited		A
T _J Maximum operating junction temperature	–40	125	°C
T _{stg} Storage temperature	–65	150	

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under *Absolute Maximum Ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under *Recommended Operating Conditions* is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- (2) All voltage values are with respect to network ground terminal.

7.2 ESD Ratings

	VALUE	UNIT
V _(ESD) Electrostatic discharge	Human body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 ⁽¹⁾	±2000
	Charged-device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 ⁽²⁾	±1000

- (1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.
- (2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

7.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

	MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
V _{IN} Supply voltage	2.3		6	V
Output voltage range for adjustable voltage	0.6		V _{IN}	V
T _A Operating ambient temperature	–40		85	°C
T _J Operating junction temperature	–40		125	°C

7.4 Thermal Information

THERMAL METRIC ⁽¹⁾		TPS6229x	UNIT
		DRV (SON)	
		6 PINS	
R _{θJA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	67.8	°C/W
R _{θJC(top)}	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	88.6	°C/W
R _{θJB}	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	37.2	°C/W
Ψ _{JT}	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	2	°C/W
Ψ _{JB}	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	37.6	°C/W
R _{θJC(bot)}	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	7.9	°C/W

- (1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the *Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics* application report, [SPRA953](#).

7.5 Electrical Characteristics

Over full operating ambient temperature range, typical values are at $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Unless otherwise noted, specifications apply for condition $V_{IN} = EN = 3.6\text{ V}$. External components $C_{IN} = 4.7\text{ }\mu\text{F}$ 0603, $C_{OUT} = 10\text{ }\mu\text{F}$ 0603, $L = 2.2\text{ }\mu\text{H}$, refer to parameter measurement information.

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
SUPPLY						
V _{IN}	Input voltage		2.3		6	V
I _{OUT}	Output current	V _{IN} 2.7 V to 6 V			1000	mA
		V _{IN} 2.5 V to 2.7 V			600	
		V _{IN} 2.3 V to 2.5 V			300	
I _Q	Operating quiescent current	I _{OUT} = 0 mA, PFM mode enabled (MODE = GND) device not switching, See ⁽¹⁾		15		μA
		I _{OUT} = 0 mA, switching with no load (MODE = V _{IN}) PWM operation, V _{OUT} = 1.8 V, V _{IN} = 3 V		3.8		mA
I _{SD}	Shutdown current	EN = GND		0.1	1	μA
UVLO	Undervoltage lockout threshold	Falling		1.85		V
		Rising		1.95		
ENABLE, MODE						
V _{IH}	High level input voltage, EN, MODE	2.3 V ≤ V _{IN} ≤ 6 V	1		V _{IN}	V
V _{IL}	Low level input voltage, EN, MODE	2.3 V ≤ V _{IN} ≤ 6 V	0		0.4	V
I _{IN}	Input bias current, EN, MODE	EN, MODE = GND or V _{IN}		0.01	1	μA
POWER SWITCH						
R _{DS(on)}	High side MOSFET on-resistance	V _{IN} = V _{GS} = 3.6 V, T _A = 25°C		240	480	mΩ
	Low side MOSFET on-resistance			185	380	
I _{LIMF}	Forward current limit MOSFET high-side and low side	V _{IN} = V _{GS} = 3.6 V	1.19	1.4	1.68	A
T _{SD}	Thermal shutdown	Increasing junction temperature		140		°C
	Thermal shutdown hysteresis	Decreasing junction temperature		20		
OSCILLATOR						
f _{SW}	Oscillator frequency	2.3 V ≤ V _{IN} ≤ 6 V	2.0	2.25	2.5	MHz
OUTPUT						
V _{OUT}	Adjustable output voltage range		0.6		V _I	V
V _{ref}	Reference voltage			600		mV
V _{FB(PWM)}	Feedback voltage PWM mode	MODE = V _{IN} , PWM operation, 2.3 V ≤ V _{IN} ≤ 6 V, See ⁽²⁾	−1.5%	0%	1.5%	
V _{FB(PFM)}	Feedback voltage PFM mode	MODE = GND, device in PFM mode, +1% voltage positioning active, See ⁽¹⁾		1%		
	Load regulation			−0.5		%/A
t _{start Up}	Start-up time	Time from active EN to reach 95% of V _{OUT}		500		μs
t _{Ramp}	V _{OUT} ramp-up time	Time to ramp from 5% to 95% of V _{OUT}		250		μs
I _{lkg}	Leakage current into SW pin	V _{IN} = 3.6 V, V _{IN} = V _{OUT} = V _{SW} , EN = GND, See ⁽³⁾		0.1	1	μA

(1) In PFM mode, the internal reference voltage is set to typical $1.01 \times V_{ref}$. See the parameter measurement information.

(2) For $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.0\text{ V}$

(3) In fixed output voltage versions, the internal resistor divider network is disconnected from FB pin.

7.6 Typical Characteristics

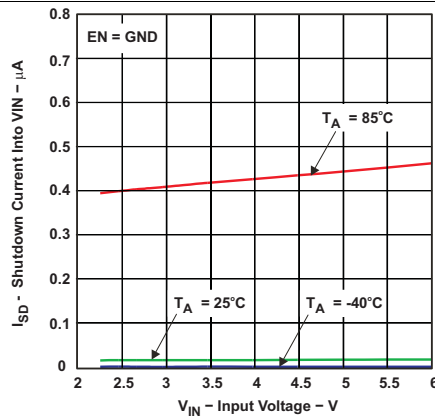


Figure 1. Shutdown Current Into VIN vs Input Voltage

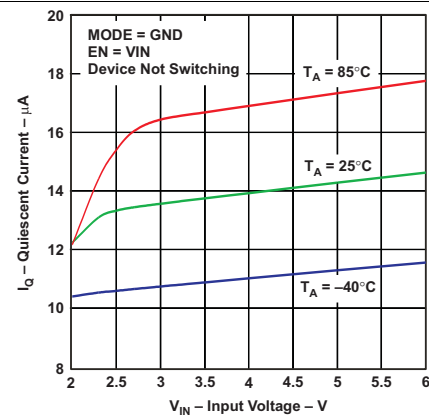


Figure 2. Quiescent Current vs Input Voltage

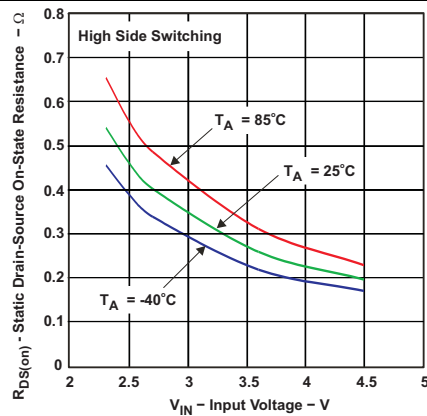


Figure 3. Static Drain-Source On-State Resistance vs Input Voltage

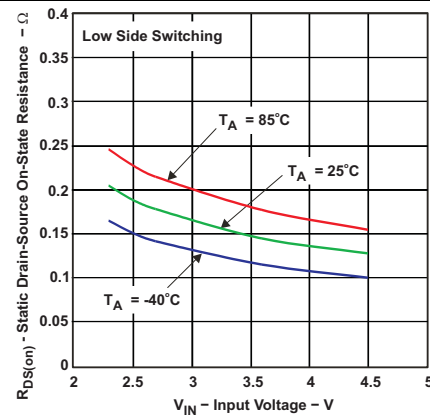


Figure 4. Static Drain-Source On-State Resistance vs Input Voltage

8 Detailed Description

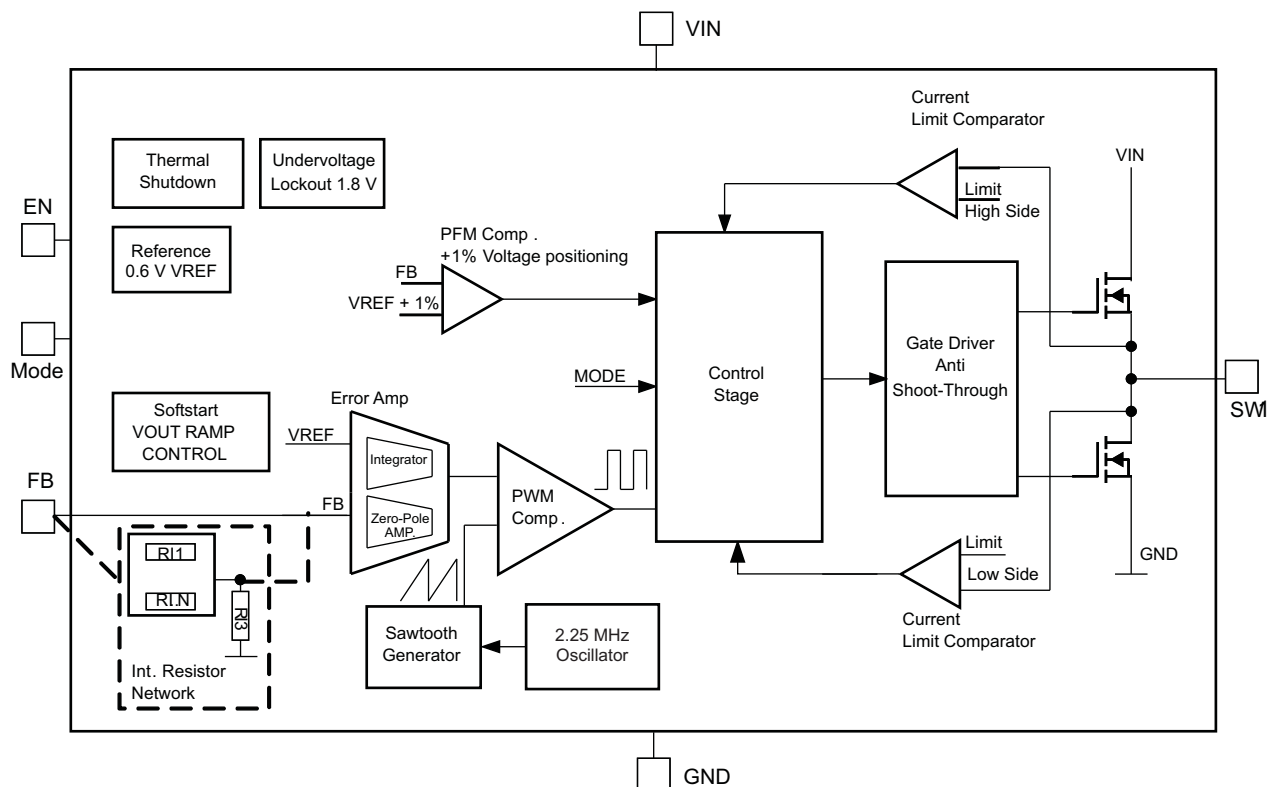
8.1 Overview

The TPS6229x step down converters operate with typically 2.25-MHz fixed frequency pulse width modulation (PWM) mode at moderate to heavy load currents. At light load currents, the converters can automatically enter power save mode and operate then in pulse frequency modulation (PFM) mode.

During PWM operation, the converters use a unique fast response voltage mode controller scheme with input voltage feed-forward to achieve good line and load regulation allowing the use of small ceramic input and output capacitors. At the beginning of each clock cycle initiated by the clock signal, the high side MOSFET switch is turned on. The current flows now from the input capacitor via the high side MOSFET switch through the inductor to the output capacitor and load. During this phase, the current ramps up until the PWM comparator trips and the control logic will turn off the switch. The current limit comparator also turns off the switch in case the current limit of the high side MOSFET switch is exceeded. After a dead time preventing shoot through current, the low side MOSFET rectifier is turned on and the inductor current ramps down. The current flows now from the inductor to the output capacitor and to the load. It returns to the inductor through the low side MOSFET rectifier.

The next cycle is initiated by the clock signal again turning off the low side MOSFET rectifier and turning on the high side MOSFET switch.

8.2 Functional Block Diagram



8.3 Feature Description

8.3.1 Dynamic Voltage Positioning

This feature reduces the voltage undershoots/overshoots at load steps from light to heavy load and vice versa. It is active in power save mode and regulates the output voltage 1% higher than the nominal value. This provides more headroom for both the voltage drop at a load step, and the voltage increase at a load throw-off.

Feature Description (continued)

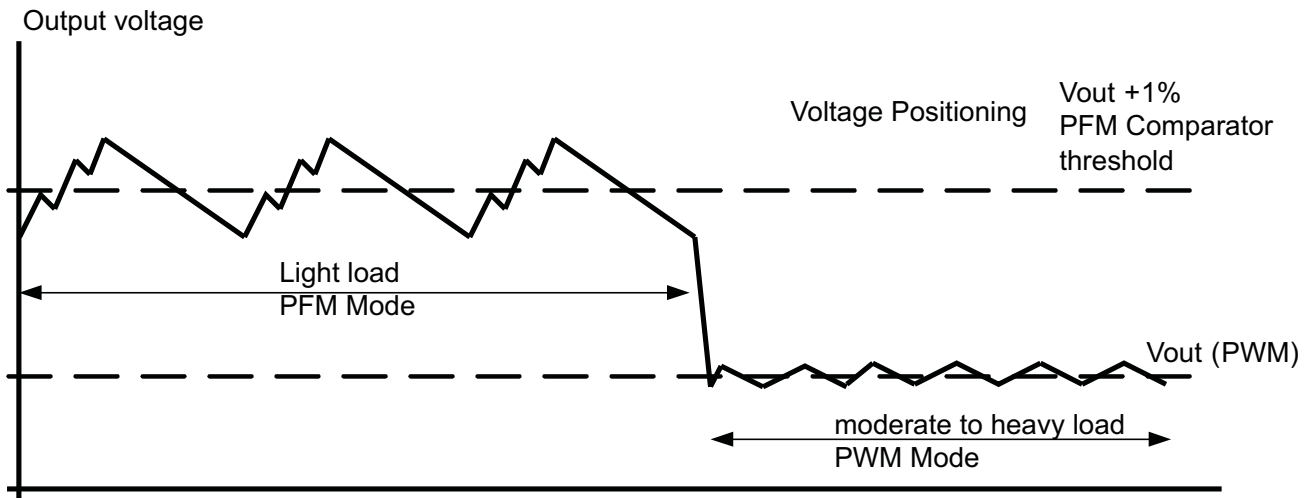


Figure 5. Power Save Mode Operation

8.3.2 Enable

The device is enabled by setting EN pin to high. During the start up time $t_{\text{Start Up}}$ the internal circuits are settled and the soft start circuit is activated. The EN input can be used to control power sequencing in a system with various DC/DC converters. The EN pin can be connected to the output of another converter, to drive the EN pin high and getting a sequencing of supply rails. With EN = GND, the device enters shutdown mode, in which all internal circuits are disabled. In fixed output voltage versions, the internal resistor divider network is disconnected from FB pin.

8.3.3 Mode Selection

The MODE pin allows mode selection between forced PWM mode and power save mode.

Connecting this pin to GND enables the power save mode with automatic transition between PWM and PFM mode. Pulling the MODE pin high forces the converter to operate in fixed frequency PWM mode even at light load currents. This allows simple filtering of the switching frequency for noise sensitive applications. In this mode, the efficiency is lower compared to the power save mode during light loads.

The condition of the MODE pin can be changed during operation and allows efficient power management by adjusting the operation mode of the converter to the specific system requirements.

8.3.4 Undervoltage Lockout

The undervoltage lockout circuit prevents the device from malfunctioning at low input voltages and from excessive discharge of the battery and disables the output stage of the converter. The undervoltage lockout threshold is typically 1.85 V with falling V_{IN} .

8.3.5 Thermal Shutdown

As soon as the junction temperature, T_J , exceeds 140°C (typical) the device goes into thermal shutdown. In this mode, the high side and low side MOSFETs are turned-off. The device continues its operation when the junction temperature falls below the thermal shutdown hysteresis.

8.4 Device Functional Modes

8.4.1 Soft-Start

The TPS6229x has an internal soft start circuit that controls the ramp up of the output voltage. The output voltage ramps up from 5% to 95% of its nominal value within typical 250 μ s. This limits the inrush current in the converter during ramp up and prevents possible input voltage drops when a battery or high impedance power source is used. The soft start circuit is enabled within the start up time $t_{Start Up}$.

8.4.2 Power Save Mode

The power save mode is enabled with MODE pin set to low level. If the load current decreases, the converter will enter power save mode operation automatically. During power save mode the converter skips switching and operates with reduced frequency in PFM mode with a minimum quiescent current to maintain high efficiency. The converter will position the output voltage typically +1% above the nominal output voltage. This voltage positioning feature minimizes voltage drops caused by a sudden load step.

The transition from PWM mode to PFM mode occurs once the inductor current in the low side MOSFET switch becomes zero, which indicates discontinuous conduction mode.

During the power save mode the output voltage is monitored with a PFM comparator. As the output voltage falls below the PFM comparator threshold of V_{OUT} nominal +1%, the device starts a PFM current pulse. The high side MOSFET switch will turn on and the inductor current ramps up. After the on-time expires, the switch is turned off and the low side MOSFET switch is turned on until the inductor current becomes zero.

The converter effectively delivers a current to the output capacitor and the load. If the load is below the delivered current, the output voltage will rise. If the output voltage is equal or higher than the PFM comparator threshold, the device stops switching and enters a sleep mode with typical 15 μ A current consumption.

If the output voltage is still below the PFM comparator threshold, a sequence of further PFM current pulses are generated until the PFM comparator threshold is reached. The converter starts switching again once the output voltage drops below the PFM comparator threshold.

With a fast single threshold comparator, the output voltage ripple during PFM mode operation can be kept small. The PFM pulse is time controlled, which allows to modify the charge transferred to the output capacitor by the value of the inductor. The resulting PFM output voltage ripple and PFM frequency depend in first order on the size of the output capacitor and the inductor value. Increasing output capacitor values and inductor values will minimize the output ripple. The PFM frequency decreases with smaller inductor values and increases with larger values.

The PFM mode is left and PWM mode entered in case the output current can not longer be supported in PFM mode. The power save mode can be disabled through the MODE pin set to high. The converter will then operate in fixed frequency PWM mode.

8.4.3 100% Duty Cycle Low Dropout Operation

The device starts to enter 100% duty cycle mode once the input voltage comes close to the nominal output voltage. In order to maintain the output voltage, the high side MOSFET switch is turned on 100% for one or more cycles.

With further decreasing V_{IN} the high side MOSFET switch is turned on completely. In this case, the converter offers a low input-to-output voltage difference. This is particularly useful in battery-powered applications to achieve longest operation time by taking full advantage of the whole battery voltage range.

The minimum input voltage to maintain regulation depends on the load current and output voltage, and can be calculated as:

$$V_{INmin} = V_{OUTmax} + (I_{OUTmax} \times (R_{DS(on)max} + R_L))$$

where

- I_{OUTmax} = Maximum output current plus inductor ripple current
- $R_{DS(on)max}$ = Maximum P-channel switch $R_{DS(on)}$
- R_L = DC resistance of the inductor
- V_{OUTmax} = Nominal output voltage plus maximum output voltage tolerance

(1)

Device Functional Modes (continued)

8.4.4 Short-Circuit Protection

The high side and low side MOSFET switches are short-circuit protected with maximum switch current equal to I_{LIMF} . The current in the switches is monitored by current limit comparators. Once the current in the high side MOSFET switch exceeds the threshold of its current limit comparator, it turns off and the low side MOSFET switch is activated to ramp down the current in the inductor and high side MOSFET switch. The high side MOSFET switch can only turn on again, once the current in the low side MOSFET switch has decreased below the threshold of its current limit comparator.

9 Application and Implementation

NOTE

Information in the following applications sections is not part of the TI component specification, and TI does not warrant its accuracy or completeness. TI's customers are responsible for determining suitability of components for their purposes. Customers should validate and test their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

9.1 Application Information

The TPS6229x devices are high-efficiency synchronous step-down DC/DC converters featuring power save mode or 2.25-MHz fixed frequency operation.

9.2 Typical Application

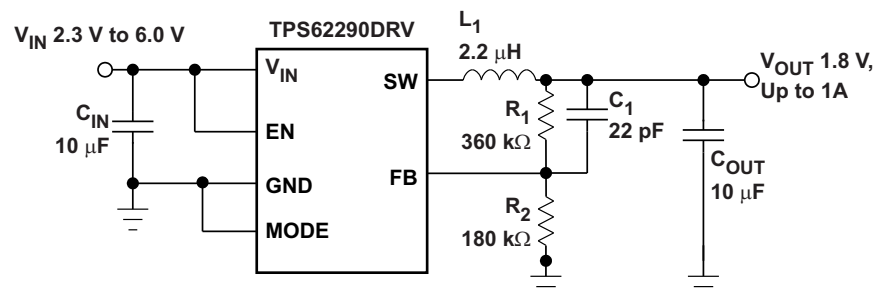


Figure 6. TPS62290DRV Adjustable 1.8 V

9.2.1 Design Requirements

The design guideline provides a component selection to operate the device within the recommended operating condition.

Table 1 shows the list of components for the Application Characteristic Curves.

Table 1. List of Components

COMPONENT REFERENCE	PART NUMBER	MANUFACTURER ⁽¹⁾	VALUE
C _{IN}	GRM188R60J106M	Murata	10 µF, 6.3 V. X5R Ceramic
C _{OUT}	GRM188R60J106M	Murata	10 µF, 6.3 V. X5R Ceramic
C ₁		Murata	22 pF, COG Ceramic
L ₁	LPS3015	Coilcraft	2.2 µH, 110 mΩ
R ₁ , R ₂	Values depending on the programmed output voltage		

(1) See [Third-party Products disclaimer](#)

9.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

9.2.2.1 Output Voltage Setting

The output voltage can be calculated to:

$$V_{OUT} = V_{REF} \times \left(1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2}\right) \text{ with an internal reference voltage } V_{REF} \text{ typical } 0.6 \text{ V.}$$

To minimize the current through the feedback divider network, R₂ should be 180 kΩ or 360 kΩ. The sum of R₁ and R₂ should not exceed ~1MΩ, to keep the network robust against noise.

An external feed forward capacitor C₁ is required for optimum load transient response. The value of C₁ should be in the range between 22 pF and 33 pF.

Route the FB line away from noise sources, such as the inductor or the SW line.

9.2.2.2 Output Filter Design (Inductor and Output Capacitor)

The TPS6229x is designed to operate with inductors in the range of 1.5 μH to 4.7 μH and with output capacitors in the range of 4.7 μF to 22 μF . The part is optimized for operation with a 2.2- μH inductor and 10- μF output capacitor.

Larger or smaller inductor values can be used to optimize the performance of the device for specific operation conditions. For stable operation, the L and C values of the output filter may not fall below 1- μH effective inductance and 3.5- μF effective capacitance.

9.2.2.2.1 Inductor Selection

The inductor value has a direct effect on the ripple current. The selected inductor has to be rated for its DC resistance and saturation current. The inductor ripple current (ΔI_L) decreases with higher inductance and increases with higher V_{IN} or V_{OUT} .

The inductor selection has also impact on the output voltage ripple in PFM mode. Higher inductor values will lead to lower output voltage ripple and higher PFM frequency, lower inductor values will lead to a higher output voltage ripple but lower PFM frequency.

[Equation 2](#) calculates the maximum inductor current under static load conditions. The saturation current of the inductor should be rated higher than the maximum inductor current as calculated with [Equation 3](#). This is recommended because during heavy load transient the inductor current will rise above the calculated value.

$$\Delta I_L = V_{\text{OUT}} \times \frac{1 - \frac{V_{\text{OUT}}}{V_{\text{IN}}}}{L \times f} \quad (2)$$

$$I_{L\text{max}} = I_{\text{OUTmax}} + \frac{\Delta I_L}{2}$$

where

- f = Switching frequency (2.25 MHz typical)
- L = Inductor value
- ΔI_L = Peak-to-peak inductor ripple current
- $I_{L\text{max}}$ = Maximum inductor current

A more conservative approach is to select the inductor current rating just for the maximum switch current of the corresponding converter.

Accepting larger values of ripple current allows the use of low inductance values, but results in higher output voltage ripple, greater core losses, and lower output current capability.

The total losses of the coil have a strong impact on the efficiency of the DC/DC conversion and consist of both the losses in the DC resistance R_{DC} and the following frequency-dependent components:

- The losses in the core material (magnetic hysteresis loss, especially at high switching frequencies)
- Additional losses in the conductor from the skin effect (current displacement at high frequencies)
- Magnetic field losses of the neighboring windings (proximity effect)
- Radiation losses

Table 2. List of Inductors

DIMENSIONS [mm ³]	INDUCTOR TYPE	SUPPLIER ⁽¹⁾
3 × 3 × 1.5	LPS3015	Coilcraft
3 × 3 × 1.5	LQH3NPN2R2NM0	MURATA
3.2 × 2.6 × 1.2	MIPSA3226D2R2	FDK

(1) See [Third-party Products disclaimer](#)

9.2.2.2.2 Output Capacitor Selection

The advanced fast-response voltage mode control scheme of the TPS6229x allows the use of tiny ceramic capacitors. Ceramic capacitors with low ESR values have the lowest output voltage ripple and are recommended. The output capacitor requires either an X7R or X5R dielectric. Y5V and Z5U dielectric capacitors, aside from their wide variation in capacitance over temperature, become resistive at high frequencies.

At nominal load current, the device operates in PWM mode and the RMS ripple current is calculated as:

$$I_{\text{RMS}C_{\text{OUT}}} = V_{\text{OUT}} \times \frac{1 - \frac{V_{\text{OUT}}}{V_{\text{IN}}}}{L \times f} \times \left(\frac{1}{2 \times \sqrt{3}} \right) \quad (4)$$

At nominal load current, the device operates in PWM mode and the overall output voltage ripple is the sum of the voltage spike caused by the output capacitor ESR plus the voltage ripple caused by charging and discharging the output capacitor:

$$\Delta V_{\text{OUT}} = V_{\text{OUT}} \times \frac{1 - \frac{V_{\text{OUT}}}{V_{\text{IN}}}}{L \times f} \times \left(\frac{1}{8 \times C_{\text{OUT}} \times f} + \text{ESR} \right) \quad (5)$$

At light load currents the converter operates in power save mode and the output voltage ripple is dependent on the output capacitor and inductor value. Larger output capacitor and inductor values minimize the voltage ripple in PFM mode and tighten DC output accuracy in PFM mode.

9.2.2.2.3 Input Capacitor Selection

The buck converter has a natural pulsating input current; therefore, a low ESR input capacitor is required for best input voltage filtering and minimizing the interference with other circuits caused by high input voltage spikes. For most applications, a 10-μF ceramic capacitor is recommended. The input capacitor can be increased without any limit for better input voltage filtering.

Take care when using only small ceramic input capacitors. When a ceramic capacitor is used at the input and the power is being supplied through long wires, such as from a wall adapter, a load step at the output or V_{IN} step on the input can induce ringing at the V_{IN} pin. The ringing can couple to the output and be mistaken as loop instability or could even damage the part by exceeding the maximum ratings.

Table 3. List of Capacitor

CAPACITANCE	TYPE	SIZE	SUPPLIER ⁽¹⁾
10 μF	GRM188R60J106M69D	0603 1.6 × 0.8 × 0.8 mm ³	Murata

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9.2.3 Application Curves

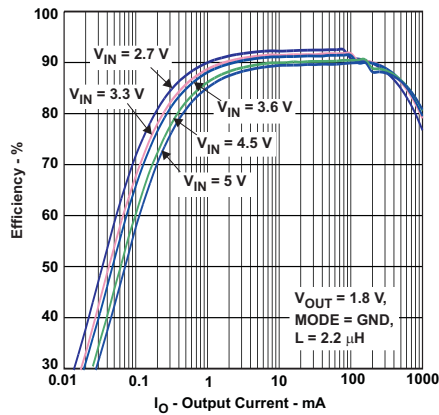


Figure 7. Efficiency (Power Save Mode) vs Output Current, $V_{OUT} = 1.8\text{ V}$

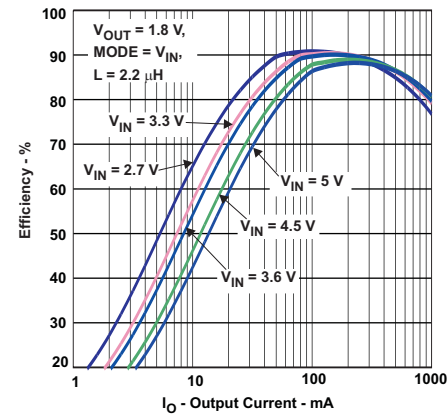


Figure 8. Efficiency (Forced PWM Mode) vs Output Current, $V_{OUT} = 1.8\text{ V}$

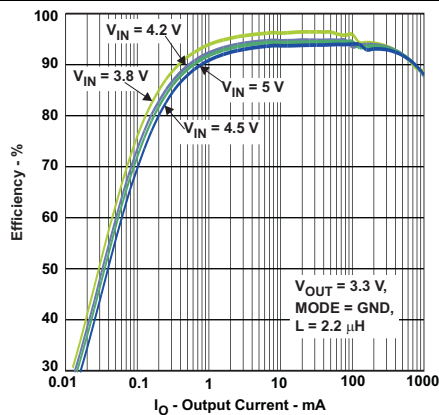


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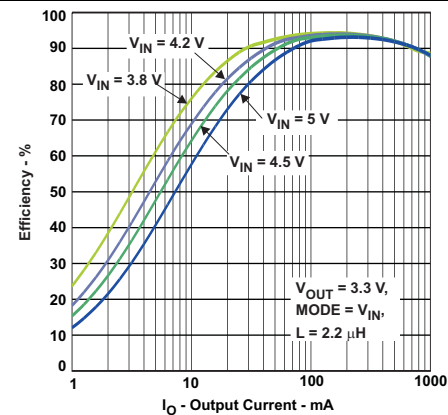


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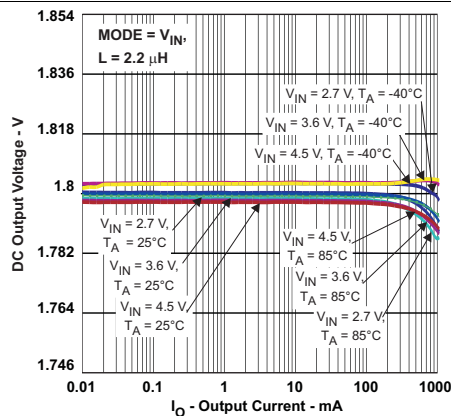


Figure 11. Output Voltage Accuracy (1.8-V Forced PWM Mode) vs Output Current

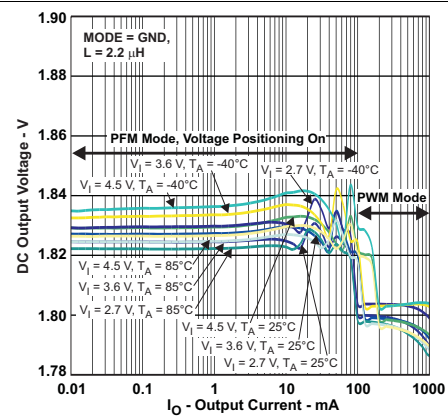


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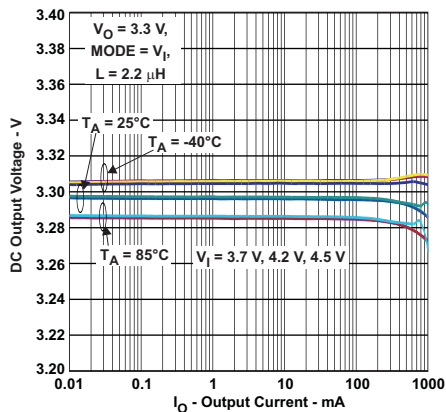


Figure 13. Output Voltage Accuracy 3.3-V Forced PWM Mode vs Output Current

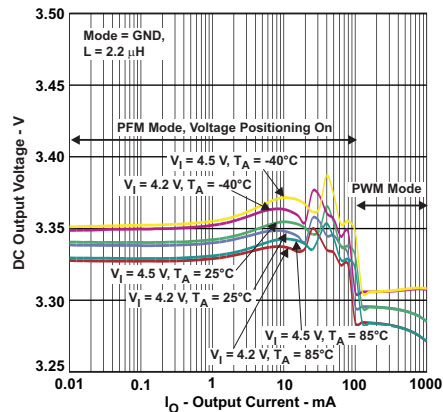


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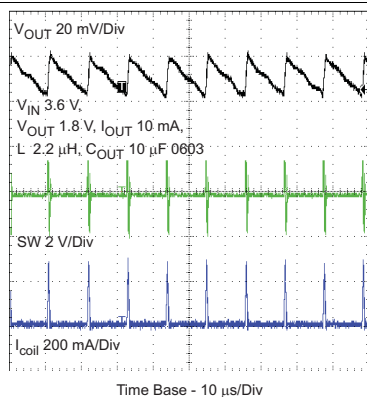


Figure 15. Typical Operation vs PFM Mode

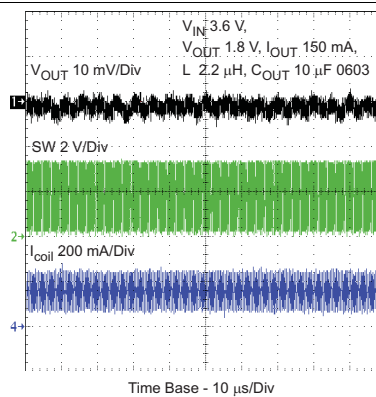


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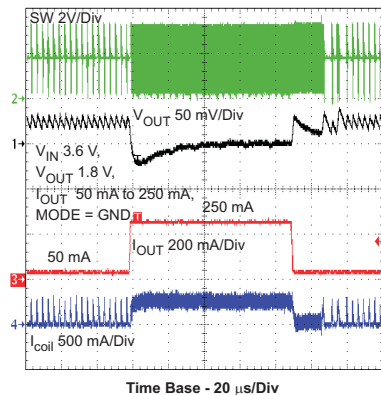


Figure 17. PFM Load Transient

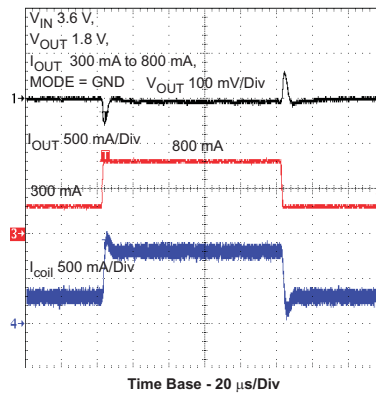
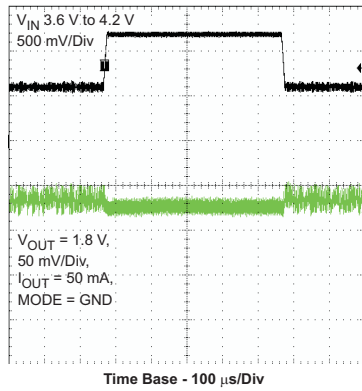
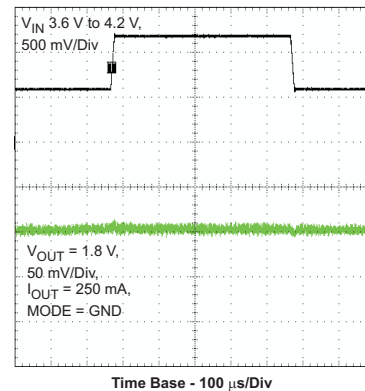


Figure 18. PFM Line Transient


Figure 19. PWM Load Transient

Figure 20. PWM Line Transient

9.3 System Examples

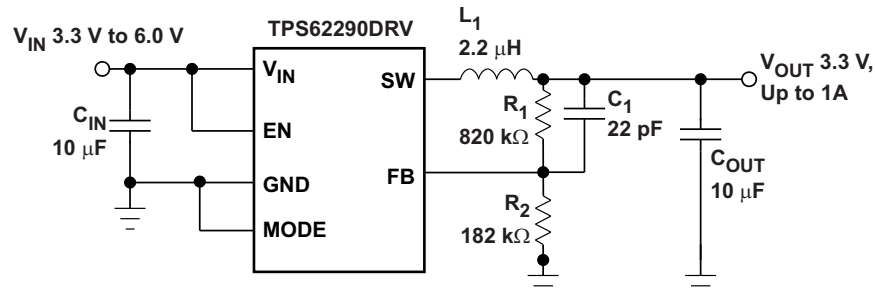


Figure 21. TPS62290DRV Adjustable 3.3 V

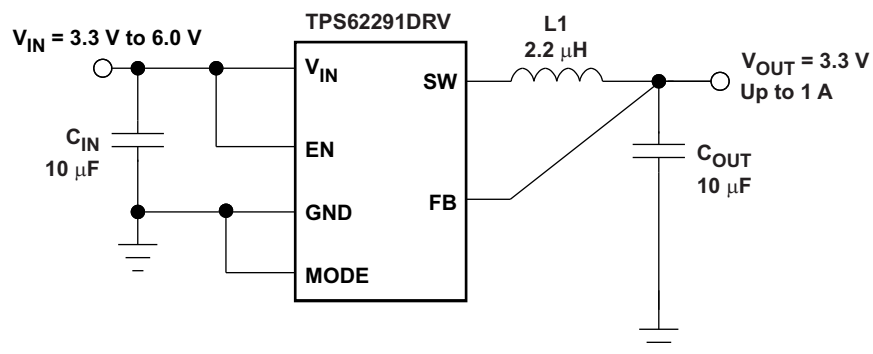


Figure 22. TPS62291DRV Fixed 3.3 V

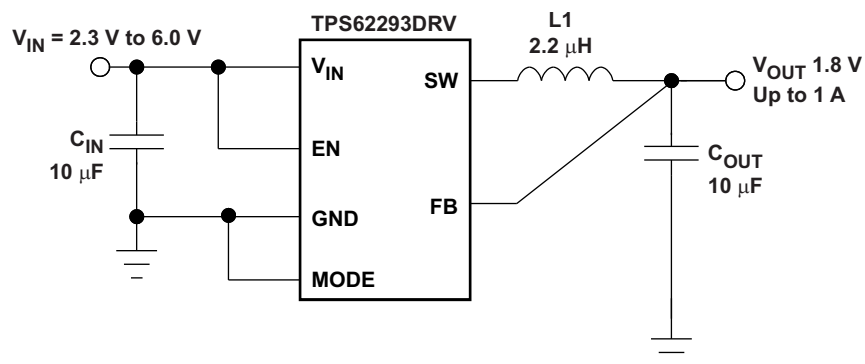


Figure 23. TPS62291DRV Fixed 1.8 V

10 Power Supply Recommendations

The TPS6229x devices have no special requirements for its input power supply. The input power supply's output current needs to be rated according to the supply voltage, output voltage and output current of the TPS6229x.

11 Layout

11.1 Layout Guidelines

As for all switching power supplies, the layout is an important step in the design. Proper function of the device demands careful attention to PCB layout. Care must be taken in board layout to get the specified performance. If the layout is not carefully done, the regulator could show poor line and/or load regulation, stability issues as well as EMI problems. It is critical to provide a low inductance, impedance ground path. Therefore, use wide and short traces for the main current paths. The input capacitor should be placed as close as possible to the IC pins as well as the inductor and output capacitor.

Connect the GND pin of the device to the exposed thermal pad of the PCB and use this pad as a star point. Use a common power GND node and a different node for the signal GND to minimize the effects of ground noise. Connect these ground nodes together to the exposed thermal pad (star point) underneath the IC. Keep the common path to the GND pin, which returns the small signal components and the high current of the output capacitors as short as possible to avoid ground noise. The FB line should be connected right to the output capacitor and routed away from noisy components and traces (for example, SW line).

11.2 Layout Example

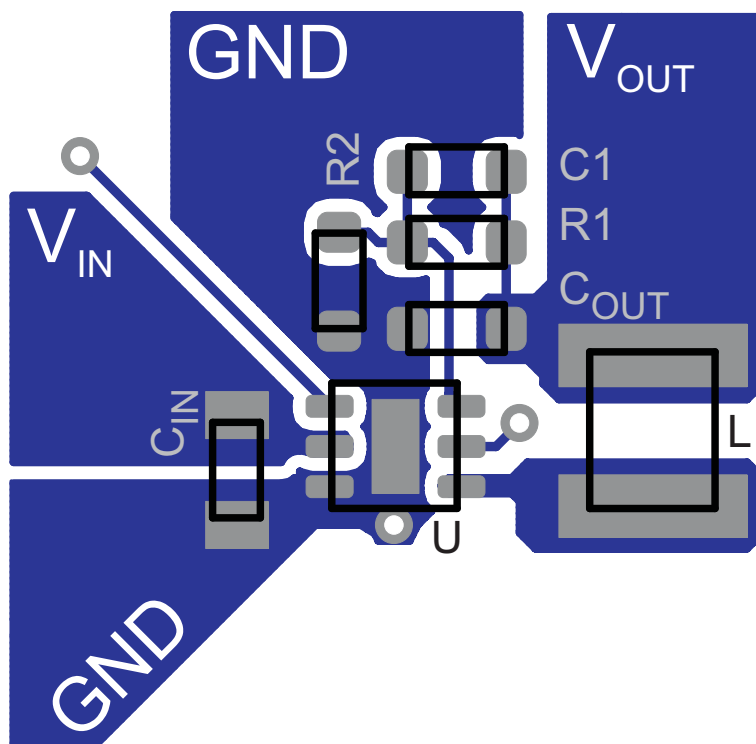


Figure 24. Layout Diagram

12 Device and Documentation Support

12.1 Device Support

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The table below lists quick access links. Categories include technical documents, support and community resources, tools and software, and quick access to sample or buy.

Table 4. Related Links

PARTS	PRODUCT FOLDER	SAMPLE & BUY	TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS	TOOLS & SOFTWARE	SUPPORT & COMMUNITY
TPS62290	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here
TPS62291	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here
TPS62293	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here

12.3 Community Resources

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12.5 Electrostatic Discharge Caution



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.

12.6 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

13 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

The following pages include mechanical, packaging, and orderable information. This information is the most current data available for the designated devices. This data is subject to change without notice and revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, refer to the left-hand navigation.

PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable part number	Status (1)	Material type (2)	Package Pins	Package qty Carrier	RoHS (3)	Lead finish/ Ball material (4)	MSL rating/ Peak reflow (5)	Op temp (°C)	Part marking (6)
TPS62290DRV	Active	Production	WSON (DRV) 6	3000 LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU NIPDAUAG	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	BYN
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TPS62290DRV.B	Active	Production	WSON (DRV) 6	3000 LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	BYN
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TPS62290DRV.TG4	Active	Production	WSON (DRV) 6	250 SMALL T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 85	BYN
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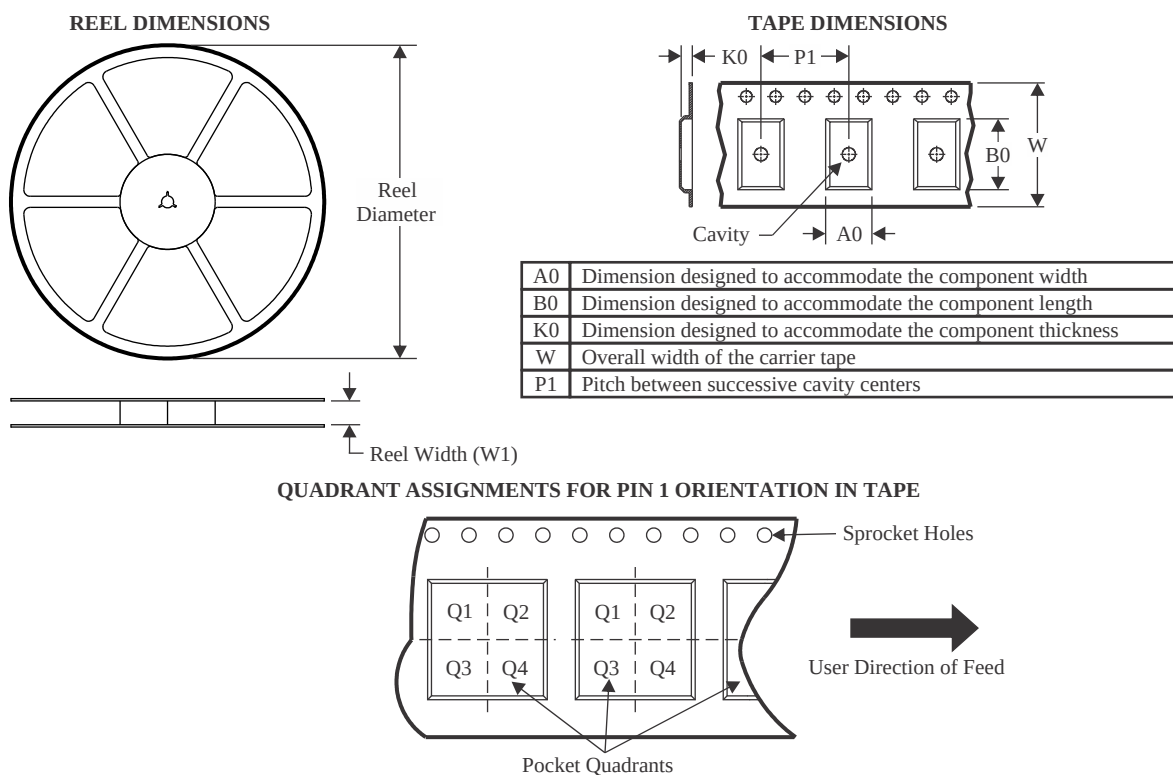
OTHER QUALIFIED VERSIONS OF TPS62290, TPS62293 :

- Automotive : [TPS62290-Q1](#), [TPS62293-Q1](#)

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- Automotive - Q100 devices qualified for high-reliability automotive applications targeting zero defects

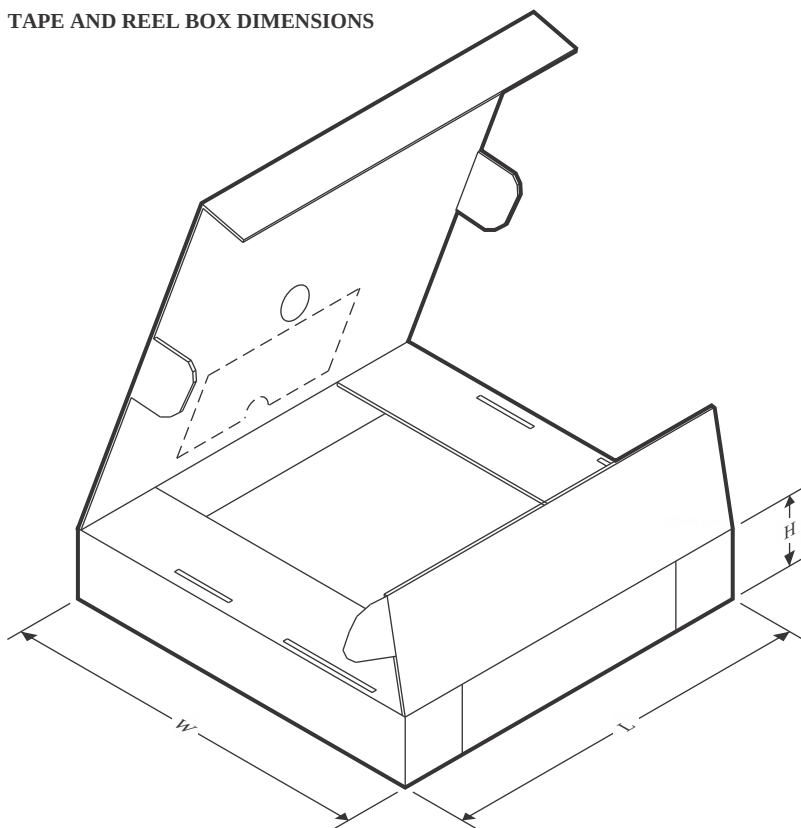
TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION



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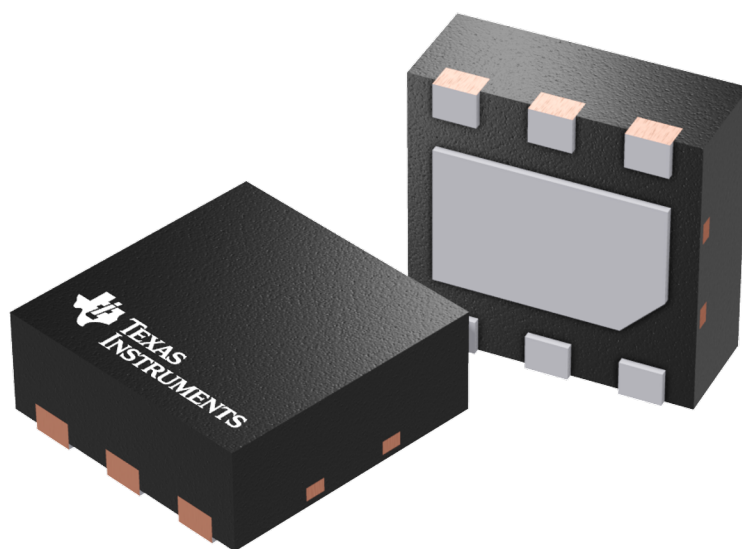
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TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS

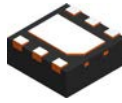
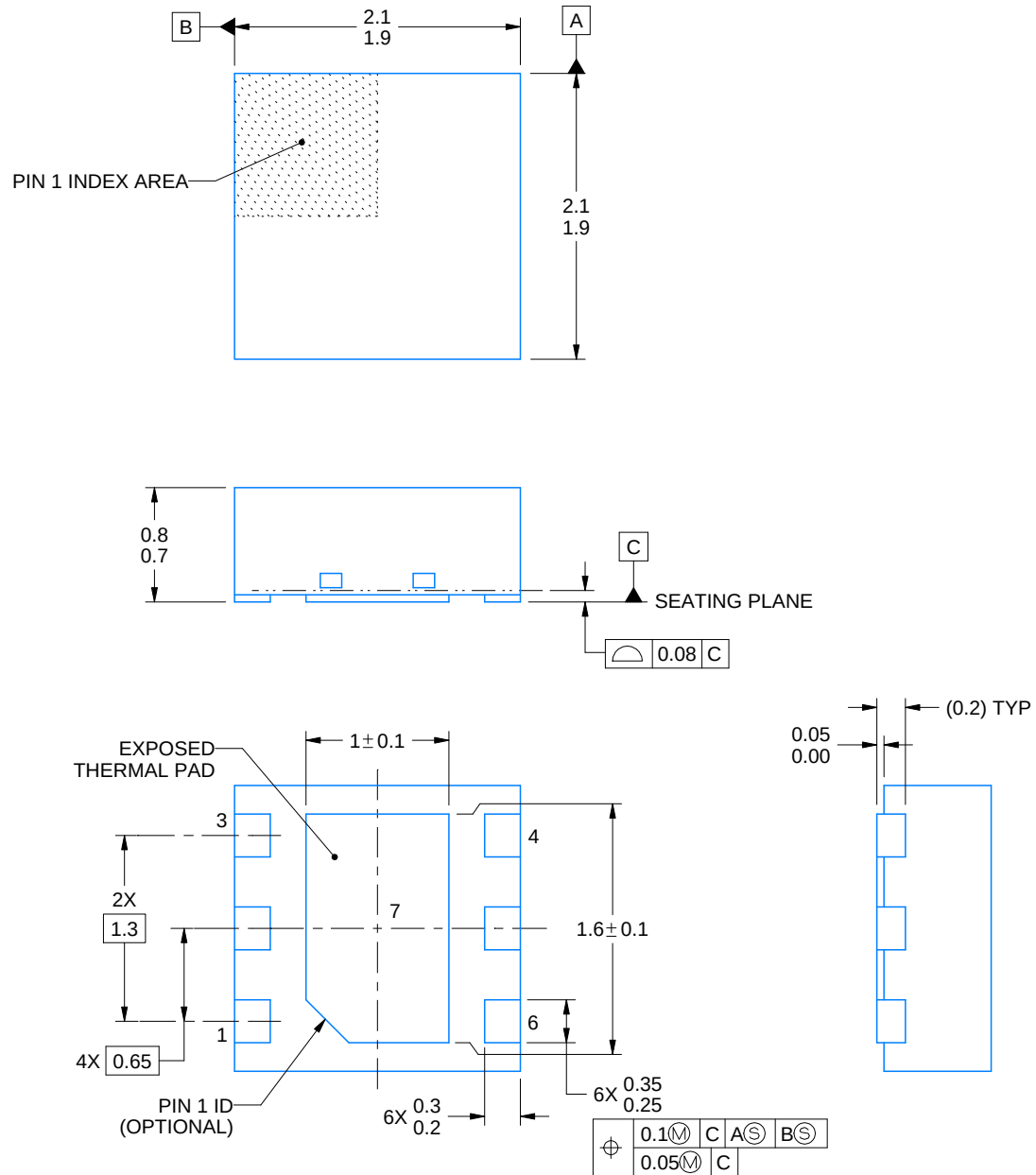


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TPS62293DRVR	WSN	DRV	6	3000	210.0	185.0	35.0
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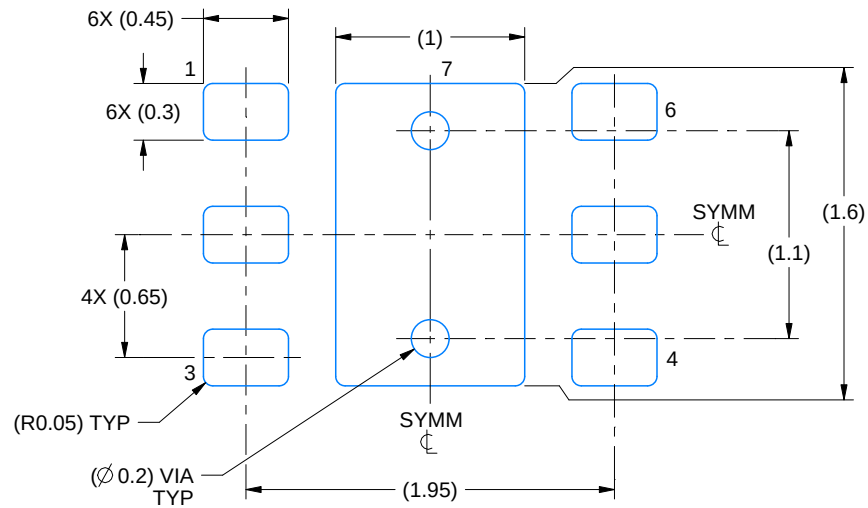
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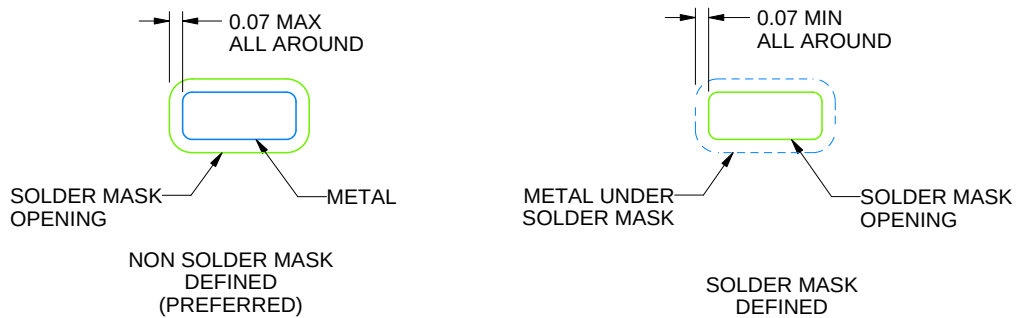
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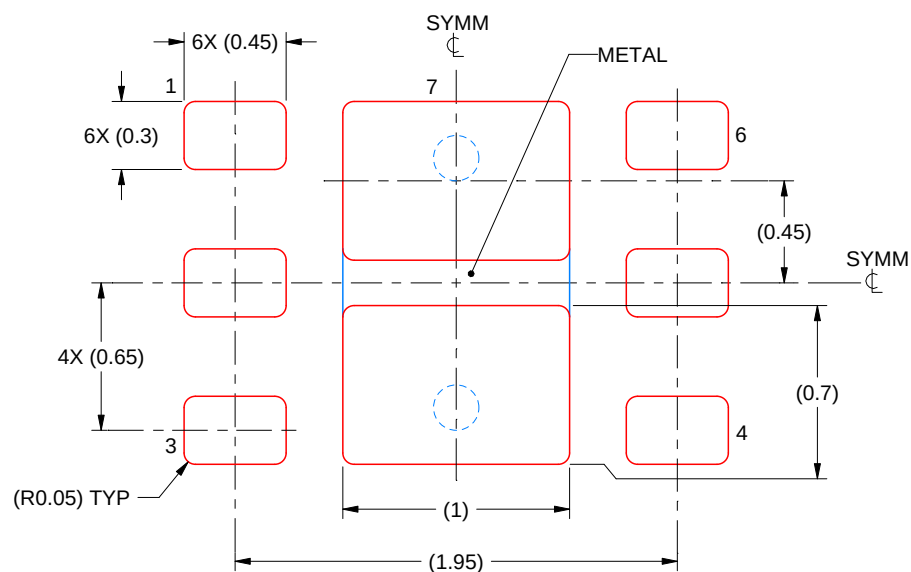
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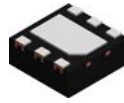
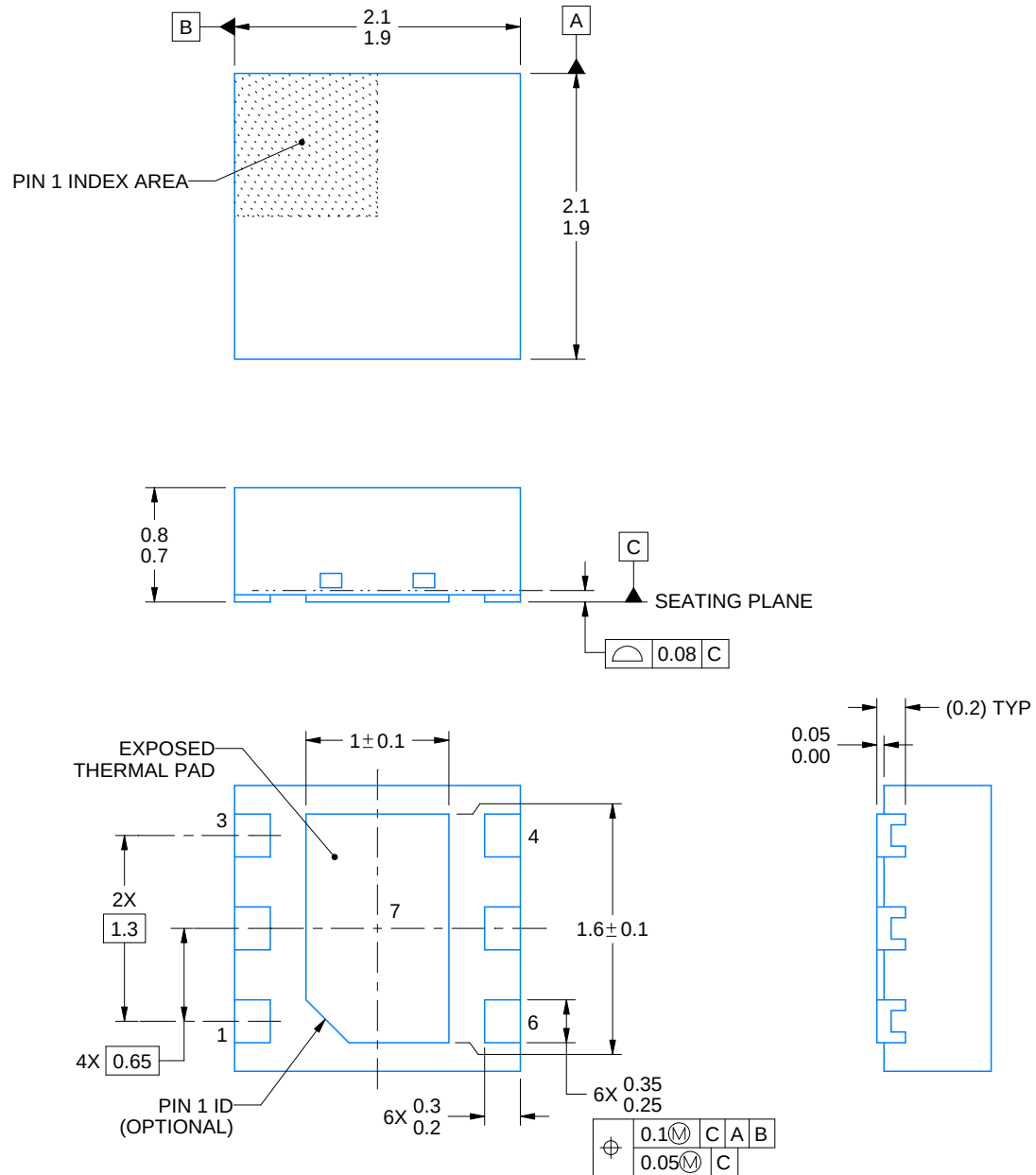
SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE
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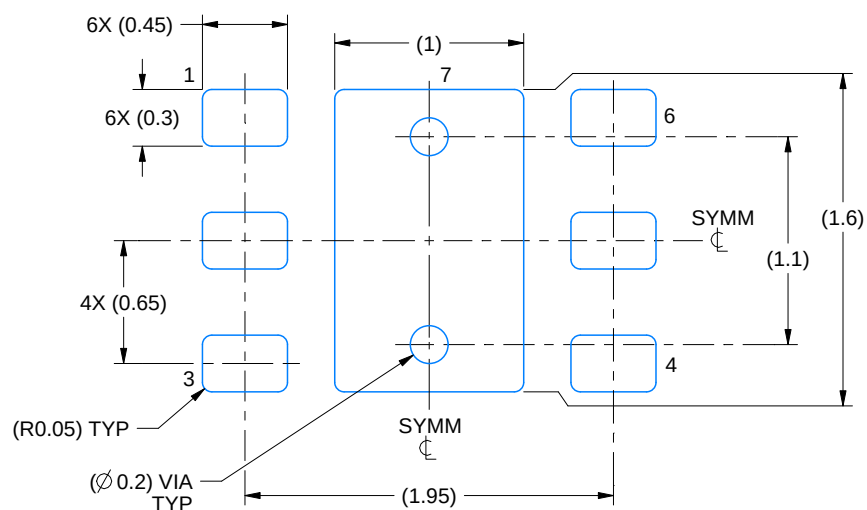
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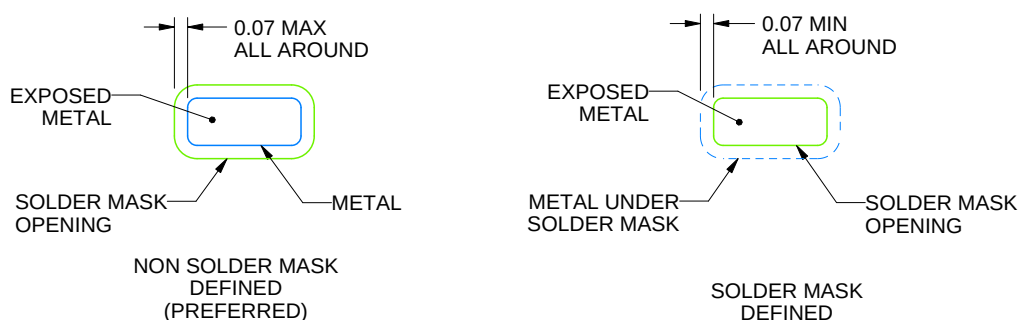
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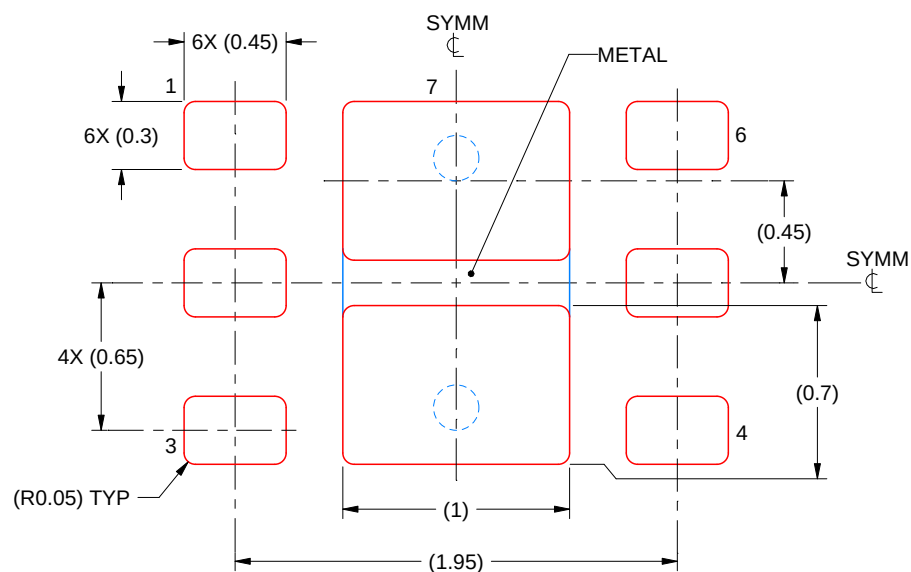
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DRV0006D

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