

DMOS DUAL FULL BRIDGE DRIVER

- OPERATING SUPPLY VOLTAGE FROM 8 TO 52V
- 5.6A OUTPUT PEAK CURRENT (2.8A DC)
- $R_{DS(ON)}$ 0.3 Ω TYP. VALUE @ T_i = 25 °C
- OPERATING FREQUENCY UP TO 100KHz
- PROGRAMMABLE HIGH SIDE OVERCURRENT DETECTION AND PROTECTION
- DIAGNOSTIC OUTPUT
- PARALLELED OPERATION
- CROSS CONDUCTION PROTECTION
- THERMAL SHUTDOWN
- UNDER VOLTAGE LOCKOUT
- INTEGRATED FAST FREE WHEELING DIODES

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

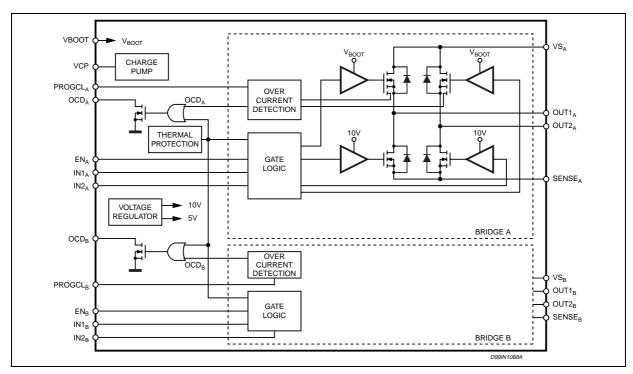
- BIPOLAR STEPPER MOTOR
- DUAL OR QUAD DC MOTOR

DESCRIPTION

The L6206 is a DMOS Dual Full Bridge designed for motor control applications, realized in MultiPower-

BCD technology, which combines isolated DMOS Power Transistors with CMOS and bipolar circuits on the same chip. Available in PowerDIP24 (20+2+2), PowerSO36 and SO24 (20+2+2) packages, the L6206 features thermal shutdown and a non-dissipative overcurrent detection on the high side Power MOSFETs plus a diagnostic output that can be easily used to implement the overcurrent protection.

BLOCK DIAGRAM



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

| Symbol | Parameter | Test conditions | Value | Unit |
|--|--|--|---------------------|------|
| Vs | Supply Voltage | $V_{SA} = V_{SB} = V_{S}$ | 60 | V |
| V _{OD} | Differential Voltage between VS _A , OUT1 _A , OUT2 _A , SENSE _A and VS _B , OUT1 _B , OUT2 _B , SENSE _B | V _{SA} = V _{SB} = V _S = 60V; V _{SENSEA} = V _{SENSEB} = GND | 60 | V |
| OCD _A ,OCD _B | OCD pins Voltage Range | | -0.3 to +10 | V |
| PROGCL _A , PROGCL _B | PROGCL pins Voltage Range | | -0.3 to +7 | V |
| V _{BOOT} | Bootstrap Peak Voltage | $V_{SA} = V_{SB} = V_{S}$ | V _S + 10 | V |
| V _{IN} ,V _{EN} | Input and Enable Voltage Range | | -0.3 to +7 | V |
| V _{SENSEA} , V _{SENSEB} | Voltage Range at pins SENSE _A and SENSE _B | | -1 to +4 | V |
| I _{S(peak)} | Pulsed Supply Current (for each V _S pin), internally limited by the overcurrent protection | $V_{SA} = V_{SB} = V_S;$ $t_{PULSE} < 1ms$ | 7.1 | A |
| IS | RMS Supply Current (for each V _S pin) | $V_{SA} = V_{SB} = V_{S}$ | 2.8 | А |
| T_{stg}, T_{OP} | Storage and Operating Temperature Range | | -40 to 150 | °C |

RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

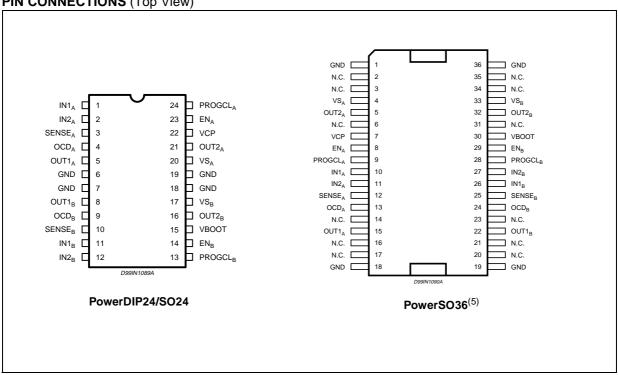
| Symbol | Parameter | Test Conditions | MIN | MAX | Unit |
|--|--|---|----------|--------|--------|
| Vs | Supply Voltage | $V_{SA} = V_{SB} = V_{S}$ | 8 | 52 | V |
| V _{OD} | Differential Voltage Between VS _A , OUT1 _A , OUT2 _A , SENSE _A and VS _B , OUT1 _B , OUT2 _B , SENSE _B | V _{SA} = V _{SB} = V _S ; V _{SENSEA} = V _{SENSEB} | | 52 | V |
| V _{SENSEA} , V _{SENSEB} | Voltage Range at pins SENSE _A and SENSE _B | (pulsed t _W < t _{rr}) (DC) | -6 -1 | 6 1 | V V |
| I _{OUT} | RMS Output Current | | | 2.8 | Α |
| Tj | Operating Junction Temperature | | -25 | +125 | °C |
| f _{sw} | Switching Frequency | | | 100 | KHz |

THERMAL DATA

| Symbol | Description | PowerDIP24 | SO24 | PowerSO36 | Unit |
|------------------------|--|------------|------|-----------|------|
| R _{th-j-pins} | MaximumThermal Resistance Junction-Pins | 18 | 14 | - | °C/W |
| R _{th-j-case} | Maximum Thermal Resistance Junction-Case | - | - | 1 | °C/W |
| R _{th-j-amb1} | MaximumThermal Resistance Junction-Ambient ¹ | 43 | 51 | - | °C/W |
| R _{th-j-amb1} | Maximum Thermal Resistance Junction-Ambient ² | - | - | 35 | °C/W |
| R _{th-j-amb1} | MaximumThermal Resistance Junction-Ambient ³ | - | - | 15 | °C/W |
| R _{th-j-amb2} | Maximum Thermal Resistance Junction-Ambient ⁴ | 58 | 77 | 62 | °C/W |

- Mounted on a multi-layer FR4 PCB with a dissipating copper surface on the bottom side of 6 cm² (with a thickness of 35 μm). (1)
- (2)
- Mounted on a multi-layer FR4 PCB with a dissipating copper surface on the top side of 6 cm² (with a thickness of 35 μm). Mounted on a multi-layer FR4 PCB with a dissipating copper surface on the top side of 6 cm² (with a thickness of 35 μm), 16 via holes and a ground layer.
- (4) Mounted on a multi-layer FR4 PCB without any heat sinking surface on the board.

PIN CONNECTIONS (Top View)



(5) The slug is internally connected to pins 1,18,19 and 36 (GND pins).

PIN DESCRIPTION

| PAC | KAGE | | | |
|---------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---|
| SO24/ PowerDIP24 | PowerSO36 | Name | Туре | Function |
| PIN# | PIN# | | | |
| 1 | 10 | IN1 _A | Logic input | Bridge A Logic Input 1. |
| 2 | 11 | IN2 _A | Logic input | Bridge A Logic Input 2. |
| 3 | 12 | SENSEA | Power Supply | Bridge A Source Pin. This pin must be connected to Power Ground directly or through a sensing power resistor. |
| 4 | 13 | OCDA | Open Drain Output | Bridge A Overcurrent Detection and thermal protection pin. An internal open drain transistor pulls to GND when overcurrent on bridge A is detected or in case of thermal protection. |
| 5 | 15 | OUT1 _A | Power Output | Bridge A Output 1. |
| 6, 7, 18, 19 | 1, 18, 19, 36 | GND | GND | Signal Ground terminals. In Power DIP and SO packages, these pins are also used for heat dissipation toward the PCB. |
| 8 | 22 | OUT1 _B | Power Output | Bridge B Output 1. |
| 9 | 24 | OCDB | Open Drain Output | Bridge B Overcurrent Detection and thermal protection pin. An internal open drain transistor pulls to GND when overcurrent on bridge B is detected or in case of thermal protection. |
| 10 | 25 | SENSEB | Power Supply | Bridge B Source Pin. This pin must be connected to Power Ground directly or through a sensing power resistor. |
| 11 | 26 | IN1 _B | Logic Input | Bridge B Input 1 |
| 12 | 27 | IN2 _B | Logic Input | Bridge B Input 2 |
| 13 | 28 | PROGCLB | R Pin | Bridge B Overcurrent Level Programming. A resistor connected between this pin and Ground sets the programmable current limiting value for the bridge B. By connecting this pin to Ground the maximum current is set. This pin cannot be left non-connected. |
| 14 | 29 | EN _B | Logic Input | Bridge B Enable. LOW logic level switches OFF all Power MOSFETs of Bridge B. If not used, it has to be connected to +5V. |
| 15 | 30 | VBOOT | Supply Voltage | Bootstrap Voltage needed for driving the upper Power MOSFETs of both Bridge A and Bridge B. |
| 16 | 32 | OUT2 _B | Power Output | Bridge B Output 2. |
| 17 | 33 | VS _B | Power Supply | Bridge B Power Supply Voltage. It must be connected to the supply voltage together with pin VS _A . |
| 20 | 4 | VSA | Power Supply | Bridge A Power Supply Voltage. It must be connected to the supply voltage together with pin VS _B . |
| 21 | 5 | OUT2 _A | Power Output | Bridge A Output 2. |

PIN DESCRIPTION (continued)

| PACE | KAGE | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|-------------|---|--|--|--|
| SO24/ PowerDIP24 | PowerSO36 | Name | Туре | Function | | | |
| PIN # | PIN# | | | | | | |
| 22 | 7 | VCP | Output | Charge Pump Oscillator Output. | | | |
| 23 | 8 | EN _A | Logic Input | Bridge A Enable. LOW logic level switches OFF all Power MOSFETs of Bridge A. If not used, it has to be connected to +5V. | | | |
| 24 | 9 | PROGCLA | R Pin | Bridge A Overcurrent Level Programming. A resistor connected between this pin and Ground sets the programmable current limiting value for the bridge A. By connecting this pin to Ground the maximum current is set. This pin cannot be left non-connected. | | | |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_{amb} = 25 °C, V_s = 48V, unless other)

| $(T_{amb} = 2)$ | 5 °C, V_s = 48V, unless otherwise | se specified) | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|------|
| Symbol | Parameter | Test Conditions | Min | Тур | Max | Unit |
| V _{Sth(ON)} | Turn-on Threshold | | 6.6 | 7 | 7.4 | V |
| V _{Sth(OFF)} | Turn-off Threshold | | 5.6 | 6 | 6.4 | V |
| Is | Quiescent Supply Current | All Bridges OFF; $T_j = -25$ °C to 125°C ⁽⁶⁾ | | 5 | 10 | mA |
| $T_{j(OFF)}$ | Thermal Shutdown Temperature | | | 165 | | °C |
| Output Di | MOS Transistors | | | • | • | |
| R _{DS(ON)} | High-Side Switch ON Resistance | T _j = 25 °C | | 0.34 | 0.4 | Ω |
| | | T _j =125 °C ⁽⁶⁾ | | 0.53 | 0.59 | Ω |

| R _{DS(ON)} | High-Side Switch ON Resistance | T _j = 25 °C | | 0.34 | 0.4 | Ω |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|------|------|----|
| | | T _j =125 °C ⁽⁶⁾ | | 0.53 | 0.59 | Ω |
| | Low-Side Switch ON Resistance | T _j = 25 °C | | 0.28 | 0.34 | Ω |
| | | T _j =125 °C ⁽⁶⁾ | | 0.47 | 0.53 | Ω |
| I _{DSS} | Leakage Current | EN = Low; OUT = V _S | | | 2 | mA |
| | | EN = Low; OUT = GND | -0.15 | | | mA |

Source Drain Diodes

| V _{SD} | Forward ON Voltage | I _{SD} = 2.8A, EN = LOW | 1.15 | 1.3 | V |
|-----------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|------|-----|----|
| t _{rr} | Reverse Recovery Time | $I_f = 2.8A$ | 300 | | ns |
| t _{fr} | Forward Recovery Time | | 200 | | ns |

Logic Input

| V _{IL} | Low level logic input voltage | | -0.3 | 0.8 | V |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|------|-----|----|
| V _{IH} | High level logic input voltage | | 2 | 7 | V |
| l₁∟ | Low Level Logic Input Current | GND Logic Input Voltage | -10 | | μΑ |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

(T_{amb} = 25 °C, V_s = 48V, unless otherwise specified)

| Symbol | Parameter | Test Conditions | Min | Тур | Max | Unit |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|------|-----|-----|------|
| l _{IH} | High Level Logic Input Current | 7V Logic Input Voltage | | | 10 | μΑ |
| V _{th(ON)} | Turn-on Input Threshold | | | 1.8 | 2.0 | V |
| V _{th(OFF)} | Turn-off Input Threshold | | 0.8 | 1.3 | | V |
| V _{th(HYS)} | Input Threshold Hysteresis | | 0.25 | 0.5 | | V |

Switching Characteristics

| t _{D(on)} EN | Enable to out turn ON delay time (7) | I _{LOAD} =2.8A, Resistive Load | 100 | 250 | 400 | ns |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| t _{D(on)IN} | Input to out turn ON delay time | I _{LOAD} =2.8A, Resistive Load (dead time included) | | 1.6 | | μs |
| t _{RISE} | Output rise time ⁽⁷⁾ | I _{LOAD} =2.8A, Resistive Load | 40 | | 250 | ns |
| t _{D(off)} EN | Enable to out turn OFF delay time (7) | I _{LOAD} =2.8A, Resistive Load | 300 | 550 | 800 | ns |
| t _{D(off)IN} | Input to out turn OFF delay time | I _{LOAD} =2.8A, Resistive Load | | 600 | | ns |
| t _{FALL} | Output Fall Time (7) | I _{LOAD} =2.8A, Resistive Load | 40 | | 250 | ns |
| t _{dt} | Dead Time Protection | | 0.5 | 1 | | μs |
| f _{CP} | Charge pump frequency | -25°C <t<sub>j <125°C</t<sub> | | 0.6 | 1 | MHz |

Over Current Detection

| I _{s over} | Input Supply Over Current DetectionThreshold | -25°C <t<sub>j <125 °C; RCL= 39 kΩ -25°C<t<sub>j <125 °C; RCL= 5 kΩ -25°C<t<sub>j <125 °C; RCL= GND</t<sub></t<sub></t<sub> | -10% -10% -30% | 0.57 4.42 5.6 | +10% +10% +30% | A A A |
|----------------------|---|--|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| Ropdr | Open Drain ON Resistance | I = 4mA | | 40 | 60 | Ω |
| t _{OCD(ON)} | OCD Turn-on Delay Time (8) | I = 4mA; C _{EN} < 100pF | | 200 | | ns |
| tocd(off) | OCD Turn-off Delay Time (8) | I = 4mA; C _{EN} < 100pF | | 100 | | ns |

Tested at 25°C in a restricted range and guaranteed by characterization.

See Fig. 1. See Fig. 2. (7) (8)

Figure 1. Switching Characteristic Definition

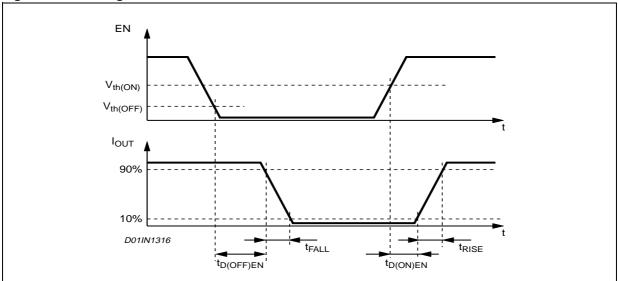
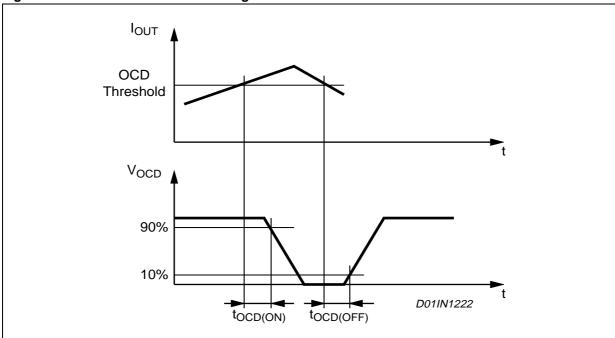


Figure 2. Overcurrent Detection Timing Definition



CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

POWER STAGES and CHARGE PUMP

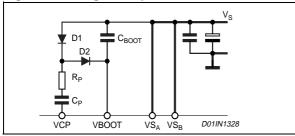
The L6206 integrates two independent Power MOS Full Bridges. Each Power MOS has an Rdson=0.3ohm (typical value @ 25°C), with intrinsic fast freewheeling diode. Cross conduction protection is achieved using a dead time (td = 1μ s typical) between the switch off and switch on of two Power MOS in one leg of a bridge.

Using N Channel Power MOS for the upper transistors in the bridge requires a gate drive voltage above the power supply voltage. The Bootstrapped (Vboot) supply is obtained through an internal Oscillator and few external components to realize a charge pump circuit as shown in Figure 3. The oscillator output (VCP) is a square wave at 600kHz (typical) with 10V amplitude. Recommended values/part numbers for the charge pump circuit are shown in Table1.

Table 1. Charge Pump External Components
Values

| Своот | 220nF |
|----------------|--------|
| СР | 10nF |
| R _P | 100Ω |
| D1 | 1N4148 |
| D2 | 1N4148 |

Figure 3. Charge Pump Circuit



LOGIC INPUTS

Pins IN1_A, IN2_A, IN1_B, IN2_B, EN_A and EN_B are TTL/CMOS and uC compatible logic inputs. The internal structure is shown in Fig. 4. Typical value for turn-on and turn-off thresholds are respectively Vthon=1.8V and Vthoff = 1.3V.

Pins EN_A and EN_B are commonly used to implement Overcurrent and Thermal protection by connecting them respectively to the outputs OCD_A and OCD_B , which are open-drain outputs. If that type of connection is chosen, some care needs to be taken in driving

these pins. Two configurations are shown in Fig. 5 and Fig. 6. If driven by an open drain (collector) structure, a pull-up resistor R_{EN} and a capacitor C_{EN} are connected as shown in Fig. 5. If the driver is a standard Push-Pull structure the resistor R_{EN} and the capacitor C_{EN} are connected as shown in Fig. 6. The resistor R_{EN} should be chosen in the range from 2.2k Ω to 180K Ω . Recommended values for R_{EN} and C_{EN} are respectively 100K Ω and 5.6nF. More information on selecting the values is found in the Overcurrent Protection section.

Figure 4. Logic Inputs Internal Structure

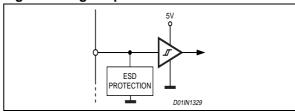


Figure 5. EN_A and EN_B Pins Open Collector Driving

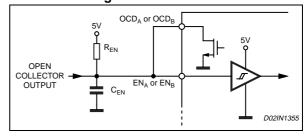
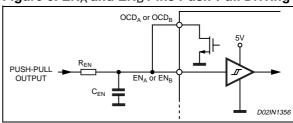


Figure 6. ENA and ENB Pins Push-Pull Driving



TRUTH TABLE

| | INPUTS | OUTPUTS | | |
|----|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| EN | IN1 | IN2 | OUT1 | OUT2 |
| L | Х | Х | High Z | High Z |
| Н | L | L | GND | GND |
| Н | Н | L | Vs | GND |
| Н | L | Н | GND | Vs |
| Η | Н | Н | Vs | Vs |

X = Don't care

High Z = High Impedance Output

NON-DISSIPATIVE OVERCURRENT DETECTION AND PROTECTION

In addition to the PWM current control, an overcurrent detection circuit (OCD) is integrated. This circuit can be used to provides protection against a short circuit to ground or between two phases of the bridge as well as a roughly regulation of the load current. With this internal over current detection, the external current sense resistor normally used and its associated power dissipation are eliminated. Fig. 7 shows a simplified schematic of the overcurrent detection circuit for the Bridge A. Bridge B is provided of an analogous circuit.

To implement the over current detection, a sensing element that delivers a small but precise fraction of the output current is implemented with each high side power MOS. Since this current is a small fraction of the output current there is very little additional power dissipation. This current is compared with an internal reference current I_{REF}. When the output current reaches the detection threshold Isover the OCD comparator signals a fault condition. When a fault condition is detected, an internal open drain MOS with a pull down capability of 4mA connected to OCD pin is turned on. Fig. 8 shows the OCD operation.

This signal can be used to regulate the output current simply by connecting the OCD pin to EN pin and adding an external R-C as shown in Fig.7. The off time before recovering normal operation can be easily programmed by means of the accurate thresholds of the logic inputs.

I_{REF} and, therefore, the output current detection threshold are selectable by R_{CL} value, following the equations:

- Isover = 5.6A
$$\pm 30\%$$
 at -25°C < T_i < 125°C if R_{CL} = 0Ω (PROGCL connected to GND)

- Isover =
$$\frac{22100}{R_{CL}}$$
 ±10% at -25°C < T_j < 125°C if 5K Ω < R_{CL} < 40k Ω

Fig. 9 shows the output current protection threshold versus R_{CL} value in the range $5k\Omega$ to $40k\Omega$.

The Disable Time $t_{DISABLE}$ before recovering normal operation can be easily programmed by means of the accurate thresholds of the logic inputs. It is affected whether by C_{EN} and R_{EN} values and its magnitude is reported in Figure 10. The Delay Time t_{DELAY} before turning off the bridge when an overcurrent has been detected depends only by C_{EN} value. Its magnitude is reported in Figure 11.

 C_{EN} is also used for providing immunity to pin EN against fast transient noises. Therefore the value of C_{EN} should be chosen as big as possible according to the maximum tolerable Delay Time and the R_{EN} value should be chosen according to the desired Disable Time.

The resistor R_{EN} should be chosen in the range from $2.2K\Omega$ to $180K\Omega$. Recommended values for R_{EN} and C_{EN} are respectively $100K\Omega$ and 5.6nF that allow obtaining $200\mu s$ Disable Time.

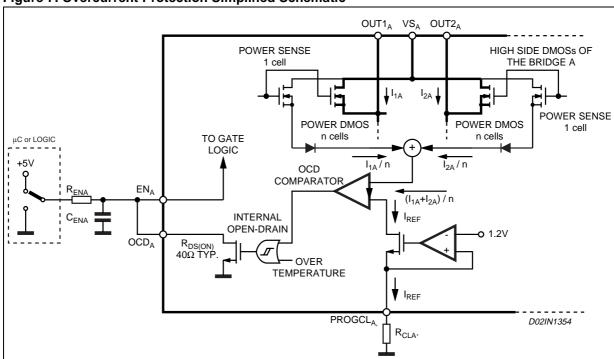


Figure 7. Overcurrent Protection Simplified Schematic



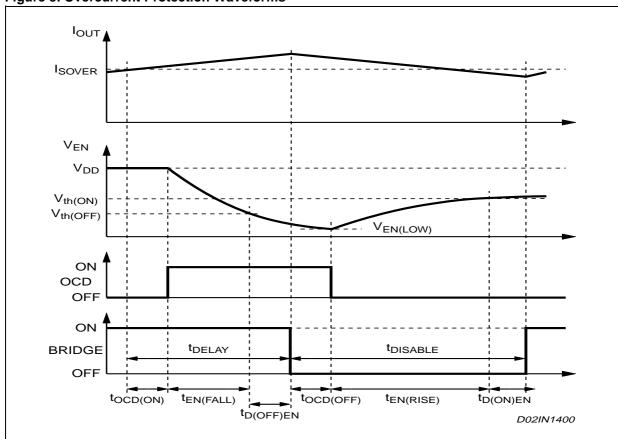


Figure 9. Output Current Protection Threshold versus $R_{\text{\scriptsize CL}}$ Value

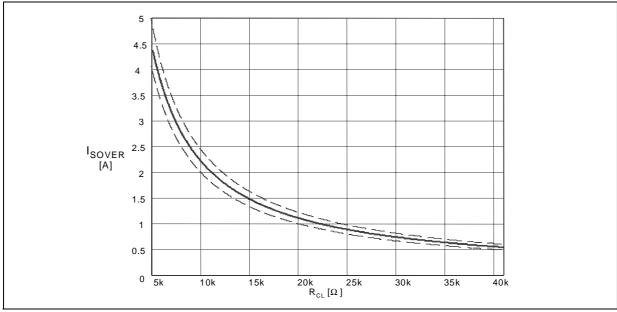
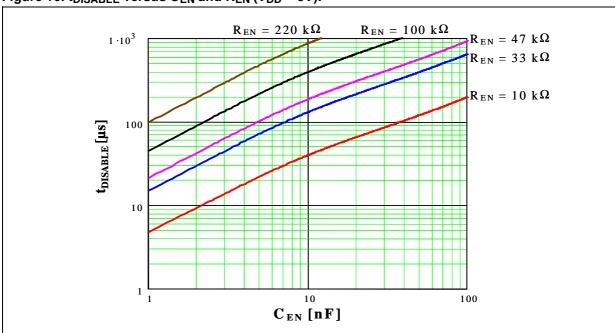


Figure 10. $t_{DISABLE}$ versus C_{EN} and R_{EN} (V_{DD} = 5V).



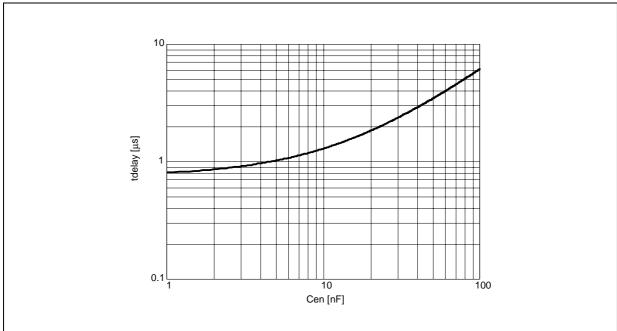


Figure 11. t_{DELAY} versus C_{EN} ($V_{DD} = 5V$).

THERMAL PROTECTION

In addition to the Ovecurrent Detection, the L6206 integrates a Thermal Protection for preventing the device destruction in case of junction over temperature. It works sensing the die temperature by means of a sensible element integrated in the die. The device switch-off when the junction temperature reaches 165°C (typ. value) with 15°C hysteresis (typ. value).

APPLICATION INFORMATION

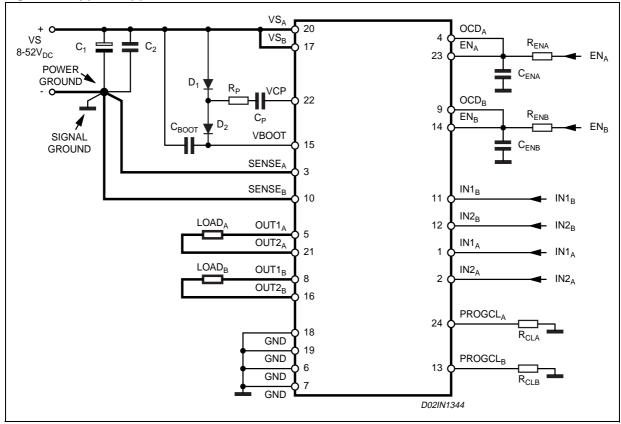
A typical application using L6206 is shown in Fig. 12. Typical component values for the application are shown in Table 2. A high quality ceramic capacitor in the range of 100 to 200 nF should be placed between the power pins (VS_A and VS_B) and ground near the L6206 to improve the high frequency filtering on the power supply and reduce high frequency transients generated by the switching. The capacitors connected from the EN_A/OCD_A and EN_B/OCD_B nodes to ground set the shut down time for the Brgidge A and Bridge B respectively when an over current is detected (see Overcurrent Protection). The two current sources (SENSE_A and SENSE_B) should be connected to Power Ground with a trace length as short as possible in the layout. To increase noise immunity, unused logic pins are best connected to 5V (High Logic Level) or GND (Low Logic Level) (see pin description). It is recommended to keep Power Ground and Signal Ground separated on PCB.

Table 2. Component Values for Typical Application

| C ₁ | 100uF |
|------------------|-------|
| C ₂ | 100nF |
| Своот | 220nF |
| СР | 10nF |
| C _{ENA} | 5.6nF |
| C _{ENB} | 5.6nF |
| C _{REF} | 68nF |

| D ₁ | 1N4148 |
|------------------|--------|
| D ₂ | 1N4148 |
| R _{CLA} | 5ΚΩ |
| R _{CLB} | 5ΚΩ |
| R _{ENA} | 100kΩ |
| R _{ENB} | 100kΩ |
| R _P | 100Ω |

Figure 12. Typical Application



PARALLELED OPERATION

The outputs of the L6206 can be paralleled to increase the output current capability or reduce the power dissipation in the device at a given current level. It must be noted, however, that the internal wire bond connections from the die to the power or sense pins of the package must carry current in both of the associated half bridges. When the two halves of one full bridge (for example $OUT1_A$ and $OUT2_A$) are connected in parallel, the peak current rating is not increased since the total current must still flow through one bond wire on the power supply or sense pin. In addition the over current detection senses the sum of the current in the upper devices of each bridge (A or B) so connecting the two halves of one bridge in parallel does not increase the over current detection threshold.

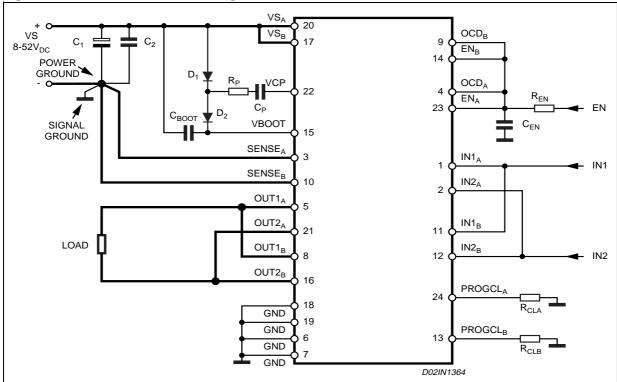
For most applications the recommended configuration is Half Bridge 1 of Bridge A paralleled with the Half Bridge 1 of the Bridge B, and the same for the Half Bridges 2 as shown in Figure 13. The current in the two devices connected in parallel will share very well since the R_{DS(ON)} of the devices on the same die is well matched.

When connected in this configuration the over current detection circuit, which senses the current in each bridge (A and B), will sense the current in upper devices connected in parallel independently and the sense circuit with the lowest threshold will trip first. With the enables connected in parallel, the first detection of an over current in either upper DMOS device will turn of both bridges. Assuming that the two DMOS devices share the current equally, the resulting over current detection threshold will be twice the minimum threshold set by the resistors R_{CLA} or R_{CLB} in figure 13. It is recommended to use $R_{CLA} = R_{CLB}$.

In this configuration the resulting Bridge has the following characteristics.

- Equivalent Device: FULL BRIDGE
- $R_{DS(ON)}$ 0.15 Ω Typ. Value @ $T_J = 25$ °C
- 5.6A max RMS Load Current
- 11.2A max OCD Threshold

Figure 13. Parallel connection for higher current



To operate the device in parallel and maintain a lower over current threshold, Half Bridge 1 and the Half Bridge 2 of the Bridge A can be connected in parallel and the same done for the Bridge B as shown in Figure 14. In this configuration, the peak current for each half bridge is still limited by the bond wires for the supply and sense pins so the dissipation in the device will be reduced, but the peak current rating is not increased.

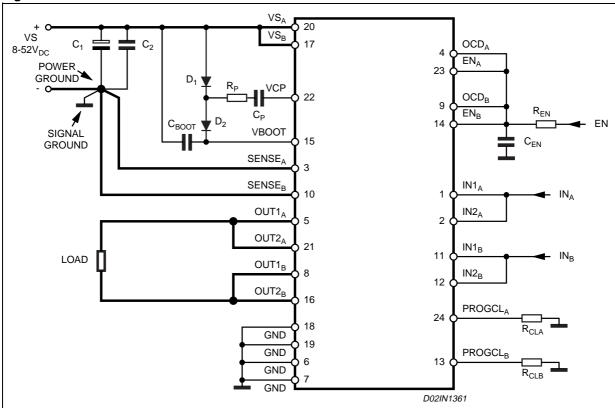
When connected in this configuration the over current detection circuit, senses the sum of the current in upper devices connected in parallel. With the enables connected in parallel, an over current will turn of both bridges. Since the circuit senses the total current in the upper devices, the over current threshold is equal to the threshold set the resistor R_{CLA} or R_{CLB} in figure 14. R_{CLA} sets the threshold when outputs $OUT1_A$ and $OUT2_A$ are high and resistor R_{CLB} sets the threshold when outputs $OUT1_B$ and $OUT2_B$ are high.

It is recommended to use $R_{CLA} = R_{CLB}$.

In this configuration, the resulting bridge has the following characteristics.

- Equivalent Device: FULL BRIDGE
- $R_{DS(ON)}$ 0.15 Ω Typ. Value @ $T_J = 25$ °C
- 2.8A max RMS Load Current
- 5.6A max OCD Threshold

Figure 14. Parallel connection with lower Overcurrent Threshold

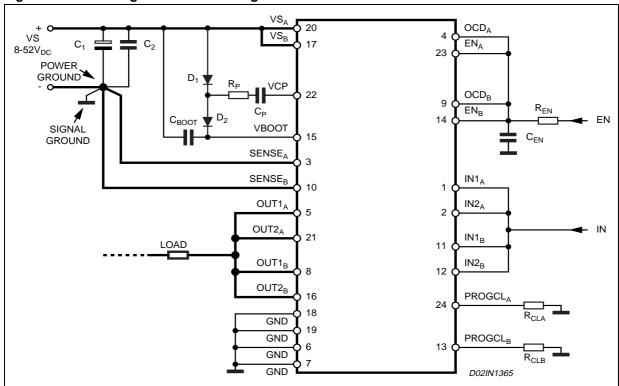


It is also possible to parallel the four Half Bridges to obtain a simple Half Bridge as shown in Fig. 15. In this configuration the, the over current threshold is equal to twice the minimum threshold set by the resistors R_{CLA} or R_{CLB} in Figure 15. It is recommended to use $R_{CLA} = R_{CLB}$.

The resulting half bridge has the following characteristics.

- Equivalent Device: HALF BRIDGE
- $R_{DS(ON)}$ 0.075 Ω Typ. Value @ $T_J = 25$ °C
- 5.6A max RMS Load Current
- 11.2A max OCD Threshold

Figure 15. Paralleling the four Half Bridges



OUTPUT CURRENT CAPABILITY AND IC POWER DISSIPATION

In Fig. 16 and Fig. 17 are shown the approximate relation between the output current and the IC power dissipation using PWM current control driving two loads, for two different driving types:

- One Full Bridge ON at a time (Fig.16) in which only one load at a time is energized.
- Two Full Bridges ON at the same time (Fig.17) in which two loads at the same time are energized. For a given output current and driving type the power dissipated by the IC can be easily evaluated, in order to establish which package should be used and how large must be the on-board copper dissipating area to guarantee a safe operating junction temperature (125°C maximum).

Figure 16. IC Power Dissipation versus Output Current with One Full Bridge ON at a time.

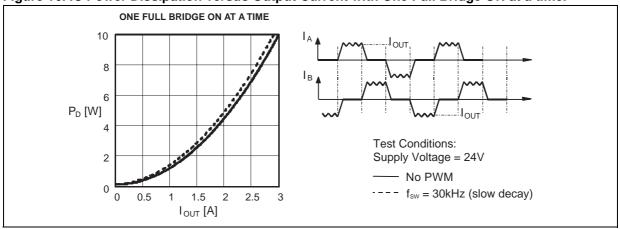
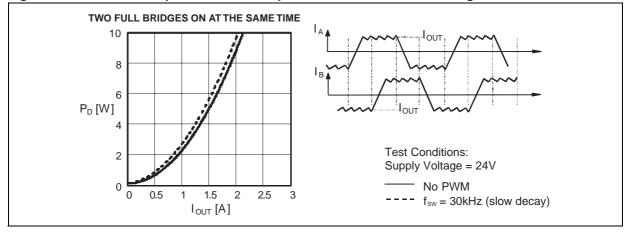


Figure 17. IC Power Dissipation versus Output Current with Two Full Bridges ON at the same time.



THERMAL MANAGEMENT

In most applications the power dissipation in the IC is the main factor that sets the maximum current that can be deliver by the device in a safe operating condition. Therefore, it has to be taken into account very carefully. Besides the available space on the PCB, the right package should be chosen considering the power dissipation. Heat sinking can be achieved using copper on the PCB with proper area and thickness. Figures 19, 20 and 21 show the Junction-to-Ambient Thermal Resistance values for the PowerSO36, PowerDIP24 and SO24 packages.

For instance, using a PowerSO package with copper slug soldered on a 1.5 mm copper thickness FR4 board with 6cm^2 dissipating footprint (copper thickness of $35\mu\text{m}$), the $R_{th j-amb}$ is about 35°C/W . Fig. 18 shows mounting methods for this package. Using a multi-layer board with vias to a ground plane, thermal impedance can be reduced down to 15°C/W .

Figure 18. Mounting the PowerSO package.

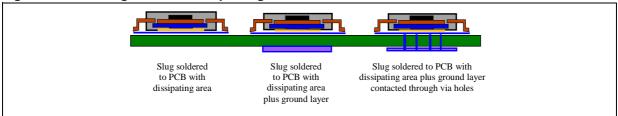


Figure 19. PowerSO36 Junction-Ambient thermal resistance versus on-board copper area.

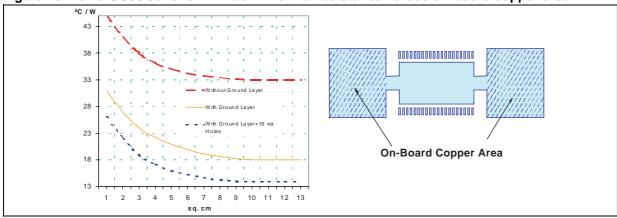


Figure 20. PowerDIP24 Junction-Ambient thermal resistance versus on-board copper area.

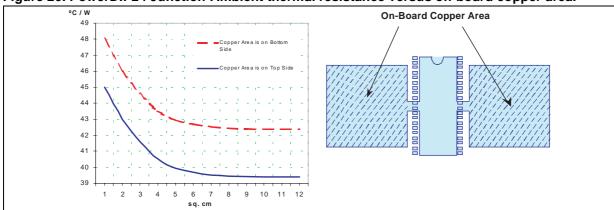


Figure 21. SO24 Junction-Ambient thermal resistance versus on-board copper area.

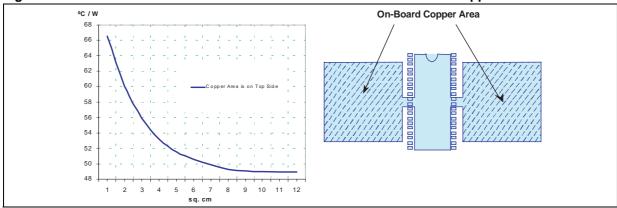


Figure 22. Typical Quiescent Current vs. Supply Voltage

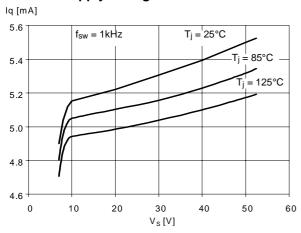


Figure 23. Normalized Typical Quiescent Current vs. Switching Frequency

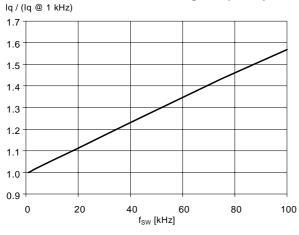


Figure 24. Typical Low-Side R_{DS(ON)} vs. Supply Voltage

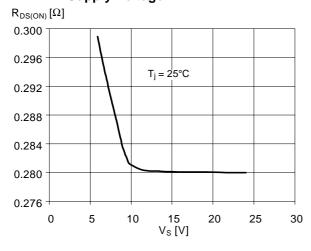


Figure 25. Typical High-Side RDS(ON) vs. Supply Voltage

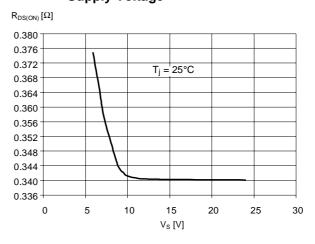


Figure 26. Normalized R_{DS(ON)} vs.Junction Temperature (typical value)

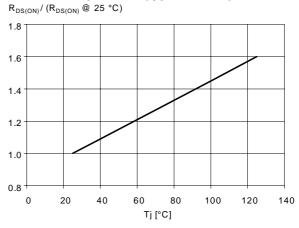
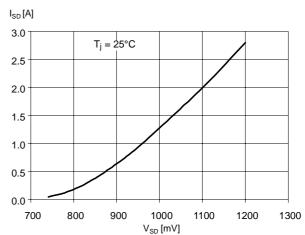


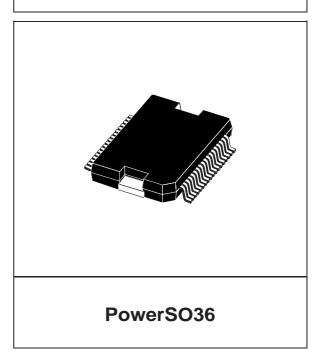
Figure 27. Typical Drain-Source Diode Forward ON Characteristic

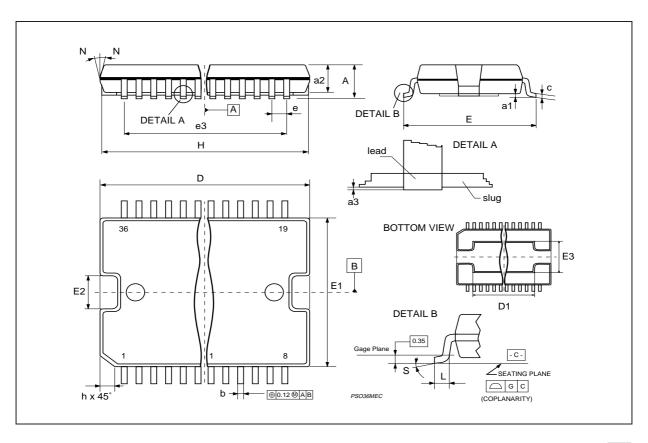


| DIM. | mm | | | inch | | |
|--------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| DIIVI. | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. |
| Α | | | 3.60 | | | 0.141 |
| a1 | 0.10 | | 0.30 | 0.004 | | 0.012 |
| a2 | | | 3.30 | | | 0.130 |
| a3 | 0 | | 0.10 | 0 | | 0.004 |
| b | 0.22 | | 0.38 | 0.008 | | 0.015 |
| С | 0.23 | | 0.32 | 0.009 | | 0.012 |
| D (1) | 15.80 | | 16.00 | 0.622 | | 0.630 |
| D1 | 9.40 | | 9.80 | 0.370 | | 0.385 |
| Е | 13.90 | | 14.50 | 0.547 | | 0.570 |
| е | | 0.65 | | | 0.0256 | |
| e3 | | 11.05 | | | 0.435 | |
| E1 (1) | 10.90 | | 11.10 | 0.429 | | 0.437 |
| E2 | | | 2.90 | | | 0.114 |
| E3 | 5.80 | | 6.20 | 0.228 | | 0.244 |
| E4 | 2.90 | | 3.20 | 0.114 | | 0.126 |
| G | 0 | | 0.10 | 0 | | 0.004 |
| Н | 15.50 | | 15.90 | 0.610 | | 0.626 |
| h | | | 1.10 | | | 0.043 |
| L | 0.80 | | 1.10 | 0.031 | | 0.043 |
| N | 10°(max.) | | | | | |
| S | 8 °(max.) | | | | | |

(1): "D" and "E1" do not include mold flash or protrusions - Mold flash or protrusions shall not exceed 0.15mm (0.006 inch) - Critical dimensions are "a3", "E" and "G".

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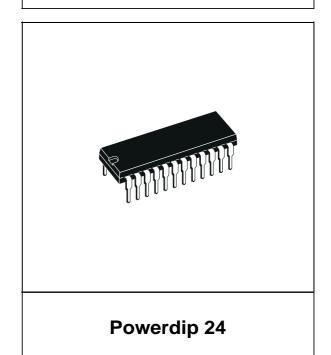


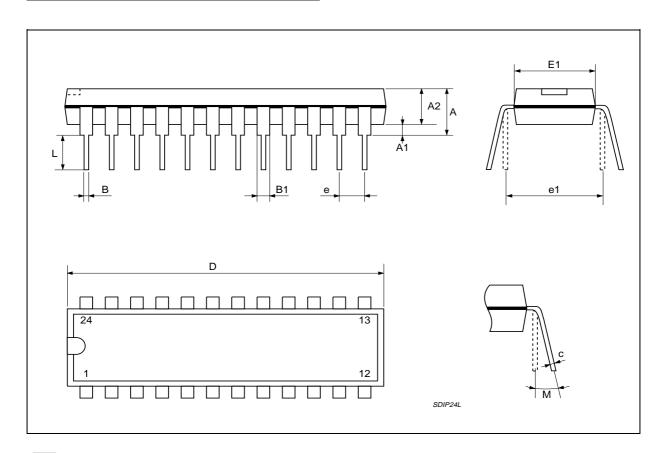


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| DIM. | mm | | | inch | | |
|------|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. |
| Α | | | 4.320 | | | 0.170 |
| A1 | 0.380 | | | 0.015 | | |
| A2 | | 3.300 | | | 0.130 | |
| В | 0.410 | 0.460 | 0.510 | 0.016 | 0.018 | 0.020 |
| B1 | 1.400 | 1.520 | 1.650 | 0.055 | 0.060 | 0.065 |
| С | 0.200 | 0.250 | 0.300 | 0.008 | 0.010 | 0.012 |
| D | 31.62 | 31.75 | 31.88 | 1.245 | 1.250 | 1.255 |
| Е | 7.620 | | 8.260 | 0.300 | | 0.325 |
| е | | 2.54 | | | 0.100 | |
| E1 | 6.350 | 6.600 | 6.860 | 0.250 | 0.260 | 0.270 |
| e1 | | 7.620 | | | 0.300 | |
| L | 3.180 | | 3.430 | 0.125 | | 0.135 |
| М | 0° min, 15° max. | | | | | |

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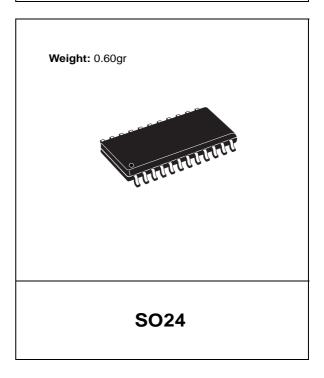


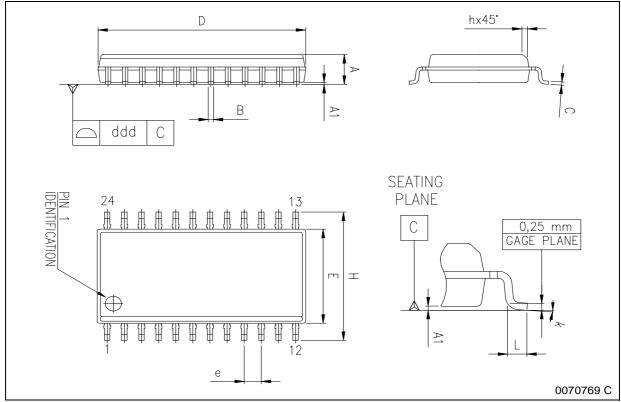


| DIM. | mm | | | inch | | |
|-------|----------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Diwi. | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. |
| Α | 2.35 | | 2.65 | 0.093 | | 0.104 |
| A1 | 0.10 | | 0.30 | 0.004 | | 0.012 |
| В | 0.33 | | 0.51 | 0.013 | | 0.200 |
| С | 0.23 | | 0.32 | 0.009 | | 0.013 |
| D (1) | 15.20 | | 15.60 | 0.598 | | 0.614 |
| E | 7.40 | | 7.60 | 0.291 | | 0.299 |
| е | | 1.27 | | | 0.050 | |
| Н | 10.0 | | 10.65 | 0.394 | | 0.419 |
| h | 0.25 | | 0;75 | 0.010 | | 0.030 |
| L | 0.40 | | 1.27 | 0.016 | | 0.050 |
| k | 0° (min.), 8° (max.) | | | | | |
| ddd | | | 0.10 | | | 0.004 |

^{(1) &}quot;D" dimension does not include mold flash, protusions or gate burrs. Mold flash, protusions or gate burrs shall not exceed 0.15mm per side.

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