











TPS22968, TPS22968N

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TPS22968 Dual Channel, Ultra-Low Resistance Load Switch

Features

- Integrated Dual Channel Load Switch
- Input Voltage Range: 0.8 V to 5.5 V
- VBIAS Voltage Range: 2.5 V to 5.5 V
 - Ideal for 1S Battery Configuration
- Ultra-Low RON Resistance
 - $R_{ON} = 27 \text{ m}\Omega \text{ at } V_{IN} = 5 \text{ V } (V_{BIAS} = 5 \text{ V})$
 - $-R_{ON} = 25 \text{ m}\Omega \text{ at } V_{IN} = 3.3 \text{ V } (V_{BIAS} = 5 \text{ V})$
 - R_{ON} = 25 m Ω at V_{IN} = 1.8 V (V_{BIAS} = 5 V)
- 4-A Maximum Continuous Switch Current per Channel
- Low Quiescent Current
 - 55 μ A at $V_{BIAS} = 5 V$ (Both Channels)
 - 55 μA at V_{BIAS} = 5 V (Single Channel)
- Low Control Input Threshold Enables Use of 1.2-,1.8-, 2.5-, 3.3-V Logic
- Configurable Rise Time⁽¹⁾
- Quick Output Discharge (QOD)⁽²⁾ (Optional)
- SON 14-Pin Package with Thermal Pad
- ESD Performance Tested per JEDEC Standard
 - 2-kV HBM and 1-kV CDM
- Latch-Up Performance Exceeds 100 mA per JESD 78, Class II
- GPIO Enable Active High
- TPS22968N: Product Preview Only
- (1) See the Application Information section for CT value vs. rise
- (2)This feature discharges the output of the switch to GND through a 270- Ω resistor, preventing the output from floating.

2 Applications

- Ultrabook™
- Notebooks and Netbooks
- **Tablets**
- Consumer Electronics
- Set-Top Boxes
- Telecom Systems

Description

The TPS22968x is a small, ultra-low RON, dualchannel load switch with controlled turn on. The device contains two N-channel MOSFETs that can operate over an input voltage range of 0.8 to 5.5 V and can support a maximum continuous current of 4 A per channel. Each switch is independently controlled by an on and off input (ON1 and ON2), which is capable of interfacing directly with lowvoltage control signals. In TPS22968, a 270- Ω onchip load resistor is added for output quick discharge when switch is turned off.

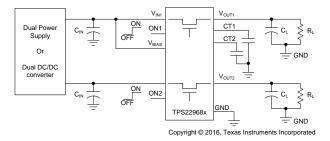
The TPS22968x is available in a small, space-saving package (DPU) with integrated thermal pad allowing dissipation. The for high power device characterized for operation over the free-air temperature range of -40 to +105°C.

Device Information (1)

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
TPS22968 TPS22968N	WSON (14)	3.00 mm × 2.00 mm

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

Typical Application Schematic



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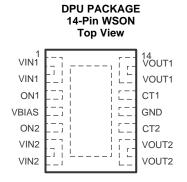
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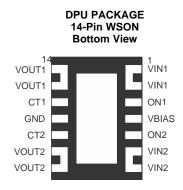


5 Device Comparison

DEVICE	Ron (typ) at VIN = 3.3 V, VBIAS = 5 V	QUICK OUTPUT DISCHARGE	MAXIMUM OUTPUT CURRENT	ENABLE
TPS22968	25 mΩ	Yes	4 A	Active High
TPS22968N	25 mΩ	No	4 A	Active High

6 Pin Configuration and Functions





Pin Functions

	PIN	1/0	DESCRIPTION			
NO.	NAME	1/0	DESCRIPTION			
1	VIN1		Switch 1 input Dunges this input with a sevenie conseiter to CND			
2	VIINT	'	Switch 1 input. Bypass this input with a ceramic capacitor to GND			
3	ON1	- 1	Active-high switch 1 control input. Do not leave floating			
4	VBIAS	I	Bias voltage. Power supply to the device. Recommended voltage range for this pin is 2.5 V to 5.5 V. See the <i>VIN and VBIAS Voltage Range</i> section			
5	ON2	- 1	Active-high switch 2 control input. Do not leave floating			
6	VINO		Contact Communication in the communication of CNID			
7	VIN2 I		Switch 2 input. Bypass this input with a ceramic capacitor to GND			
8	VOLUTO O O NILO A A		Cuitob 2 output			
9	VOUT2	0	Switch 2 output			
10	CT2	0	Switch 2 slew rate control. Can be left floating			
11	GND	_	Ground			
12	CT1	0	Switch 1 slew rate control. Can be left floating			
13	VOLIT4	0	Switch 2 output			
14	VOUT1	0	Switch 2 output			
15	Thermal Pad	_	Thermal pad (exposed center pad) to alleviate thermal stress. Tie to GND. See the <i>Application Information</i> section for layout guidelines			

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Specifications

7.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

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

		MIN	MAX	UNIT (2)
$V_{IN1,2}$	Input voltage	-0.3	6	V
V_{BIAS}	Bias voltage	-0.3	6	V
V _{OUT1,2}	Output voltage	-0.3	6	V
V _{ON1,2}	ON voltage	-0.3	6	V
I _{MAX}	Maximum continuous switch current per channel, T _A = 30 °C		4	Α
I _{PLS}	Maximum pulsed switch current, pulse < 300 µs, 2% duty cycle		6	Α
T _J	Maximum junction temperature		125	°C
T _{stg}	Storage temperature	-65	150	°C

Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, which do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under Recommended Operating Conditions. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

All voltage values are with respect to network ground terminal.

7.2 ESD Ratings

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

JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process. Manufacturing with less than 500-V HBM is possible with the necessary precautions.

7.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

			MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{IN1,2}	Input voltage		0.8	V_{BIAS}	V
V_{BIAS}	Bias voltage		2.5	5.5	V
V _{ON1,2}	ON voltage		0	5.5	V
V _{OUT1,2}	Output voltage			V_{IN}	V
V _{IH, ON1,2}	High-level input voltage, ON1,2	V _{BIAS} = 2.5 V to 5.5 V	1.2	5.5	V
V _{IL, ON1,2}	Low-level input voltage, ON1,2	V _{BIAS} = 2.5 V to 5.5 V	0	0.5	V
C _{IN1,2}	Input capacitor		1 ⁽¹⁾		μF
T _A	Operating free-air temperature (2)		-40	105	°C

⁽¹⁾ See the Application Information section.

7.4 Thermal Information

		TPS22968	
	THERMAL METRIC (1) (2)	DPU (WSON)	UNIT
		14 PINS	
$R_{\theta JA}$	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	62.5	°C/W
$R_{\theta JC(top)}$	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	70.2	°C/W
$R_{\theta JB}$	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	23.2	°C/W
ΨЈТ	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	2.5	°C/W

⁽¹⁾ For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics application report.

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JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process. Manufacturing with less than 250-V CDM is possible with the necessary precautions.

In applications where high power dissipation and/or poor package thermal resistance is present, the maximum ambient temperature may have to be derated. Maximum ambient temperature $[T_{A(max)}]$ is dependent on the maximum operating junction temperature $[T_{J(max)}]$, the maximum power dissipation of the device in the application [PD(max)], and the junction-to-ambient thermal resistance of the part/package in the application ($R_{\theta JA}$), as given by the following equation: $T_{A(max)} = T_{J(max)} - (R_{\theta JA} \times P_{D(max)})$.

For thermal estimates of this device based on PCB copper area, see the TI PCB Thermal Calculator.



Thermal Information (continued)

	THERMAL METRIC (1) (2)	TPS22968 DPU (WSON) 14 PINS	UNIT
ΨЈВ	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	23.2	°C/W
$R_{\theta JC(bot)}$	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	9	°C/W

7.5 Electrical Characteristics (V_{BIAS} = 5 V)

Unless otherwise noted, the specification in the following table applies over the operating ambient temperature $-40^{\circ}\text{C} \le T_{A} \le +105^{\circ}\text{C}$ (full) and $V_{BIAS} = 5 \text{ V}$. Typical values are for $T_{A} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ (unless otherwise noted).

	PARAMETER	TEST CONDIT		T _A	MIN TYP	MAX	UNIT
POWER S	UPPLIES AND CURRENTS						
	V _{BIAS} quiescent current (both channels)	$I_{OUT1} = I_{OUT2} = 0, V_{IN1,2} = V_{ON1,2}$	2 = V _{BIAS} = 5 V	-40°C to +105°C	55	70	μA
I _{Q, VBIAS}	V _{BIAS} quiescent current (single channel)	$I_{OUT1} = I_{OUT2} = 0, V_{ON2} = 0 V, V$ 5 V	$_{\rm IN1,2} = \rm V_{\rm ON1} = \rm V_{\rm BIAS} =$	-40°C to +105°C	55	68	μΑ
I _{SD, VBIAS}	V _{BIAS} shutdown current	V _{ON1,2} = 0 V, V _{OUT1,2} = 0 V		-40°C to +105°C	1	2	μΑ
			V 5.V	-40°C to +85°C	0.5	8	
			$V_{IN1,2} = 5 V$	-40°C to +105°C		10	
			V 22V	-40°C to +85°C	0.1	3	
			$V_{IN1,2} = 3.3 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		4	
	V _{IN1,2} shutdown current (per			-40°C to +85°C	0.07	2	•
I _{SD, VIN1,2}	channel)	$V_{ON1,2} = 0 \text{ V}, V_{OUT1,2} = 0 \text{ V}$	$V_{IN1,2} = 1.8 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		3	μA
				-40°C to +85°C	0.05	1	
			$V_{IN1,2} = 1.2 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		2	
			.,	-40°C to +85°C	0.04	1	
			$V_{IN1,2} = 0.8 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		2	
I _{ON1.2}	ON pin input leakage current	V _{ON} = 5.5 V		-40°C to +105°C		0.1	μA
RESISTAN	ICE CHARACTERISTICS						
				25°C	27	36	
			V _{IN} = 5 V	-40°C to +85°C		40	mΩ
				-40°C to +105°C		42	1
			V _{IN} = 3.3 V	25°C	25	34	-
				-40°C to +85°C		38	
				-40°C to +105°C		40	
			V _{IN} = 1.8 V	25°C	25	34	
				-40°C to +85°C		38	mΩ
		$I_{OUT} = -200 \text{ mA}, V_{BIAS} = 5 \text{ V}$		-40°C to +105°C		40	
R _{ON}	On-state resistance	$V_{ON1,2} = 5 \text{ V}$		25°C	25	34	
			V _{IN} = 1.5 V	-40°C to +85°C		38	mΩ
				-40°C to +105°C		40	
				25°C	25	34	
			V _{IN} = 1.2 V	-40°C to +85°C		38	mΩ
				-40°C to +105°C		40	
				25°C	25	34	
			V _{IN} = 0.8 V	-40°C to +85°C		38	mΩ
				-40°C to +105°C		40	+
R _{PD} (1)	Output pulldown resistance	V _{IN} = 5 V, V _{ON} = 0 V, I _{OUT} = 10	mA	-40°C to +105°C	270	320	Ω

⁽¹⁾ TPS22968 only.



7.6 Electrical Characteristics ($V_{BIAS} = 2.5 \text{ V}$)

Unless otherwise noted, the specification in the following table applies over the operating ambient temperature $-40~^{\circ}\text{C} \le T_{A} \le +105~^{\circ}\text{C}$ (full) and $V_{BIAS} = 2.5~\text{V}$. Typical values are for $T_{A} = 25~^{\circ}\text{C}$ (unless otherwise noted).

	PARAMETER	TEST CONDITION	ONS	T _A	MIN TYP	MA X	UNIT
POWER S	UPPLIES AND CURRENTS					'	
	V _{BIAS} quiescent current (both channels)	$I_{OUT1} = I_{OUT2} = 0, V_{IN1,2} = V_{ON1,2}$	= V _{BIAS} = 2.5 V	–40°C to +105°C	18	27	μΑ
I _{Q, VBIAS}	V _{BIAS} quiescent current (single channel)	$I_{OUT1} = I_{OUT2} = 0$, $V_{ON2} = 0$ V, V_{IN} 2.5 V	$V_{N1,2} = V_{ON1} = V_{BIAS} = 0$	-40°C to +105°C	18	27	μA
I _{SD, VBIAS}	V _{BIAS} shutdown current	$V_{ON1,2} = 0 \text{ V}, V_{OUT1,2} = 0 \text{ V}$		-40°C to +105°C	0.5	2	μΑ
			V - 2.5.V	-40°C to +85°C	0.1	2	
			$V_{IN1,2} = 2.5 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		4	
I _{SD, VIN1,2}			V 4.0.V	-40°C to +85°C	0.07	2	
	V _{IN1.2} shutdown current (per	V 0VV 0V	$V_{IN1,2} = 1.8 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		3	
	channel)	$V_{ON1,2} = 0 \text{ V}, V_{OUT1,2} = 0 \text{ V}$	V 4.0.V	-40°C to +85°C	0.05	1	μA
			$V_{IN1,2} = 1.2 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		2	
			.,	-40°C to +85°C	0.04	1	
			$V_{IN1,2} = 0.8 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +105°C		2	
I _{ON1,2}	ON pin input leakage current	V _{ON} = 5.5 V	·	-40°C to +85°C		0.1	μA
RESISTAN	ICE CHARACTERISTICS					,	
				25°C	30	39	
			$V_{IN} = 2.5 \text{ V}$	-40°C to +85°C		44	
				-40°C to +105°C		46	
			V _{IN} = 1.8 V	25°C	28	36	
				-40°C to +85°C		41	
				-40°C to +105°C		30 39 44 46 28 36	
				25°C	28	36	
R _{ON}	On-state resistance	$I_{OUT} = -200 \text{ mA}, V_{BIAS} = 2.5 \text{ V}$ $V_{ON1.2} = 5 \text{ V}$	$V_{IN} = 1.5 V$	-40°C to +85°C		41	mΩ
		V ON1,2 - 3 V		-40°C to +105°C		43	
				25°C	27	36	
			$V_{IN} = 1.2 V$	-40°C to +85°C		41	mΩ
				-40°C to +105°C		43	
				25°C	26	35	
			V _{IN} = 0.8 V	-40°C to +85°C		39	$m\Omega$
						41	
R _{PD} (1)	Output pulldown resistance	$V_{IN} = 2.5 \text{ V}, V_{ON} = 0 \text{ V}, I_{OUT} = 10$) mA	-40°C to +105°C	270	320	Ω

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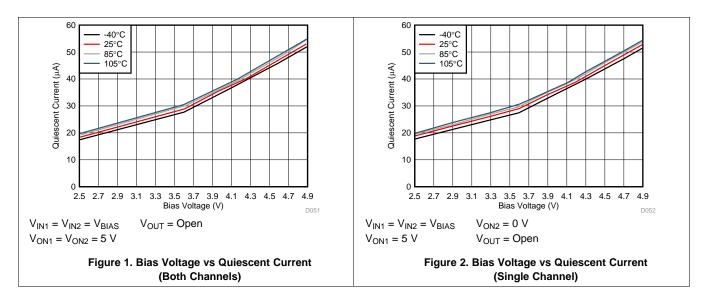
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7.7 Switching Characteristics

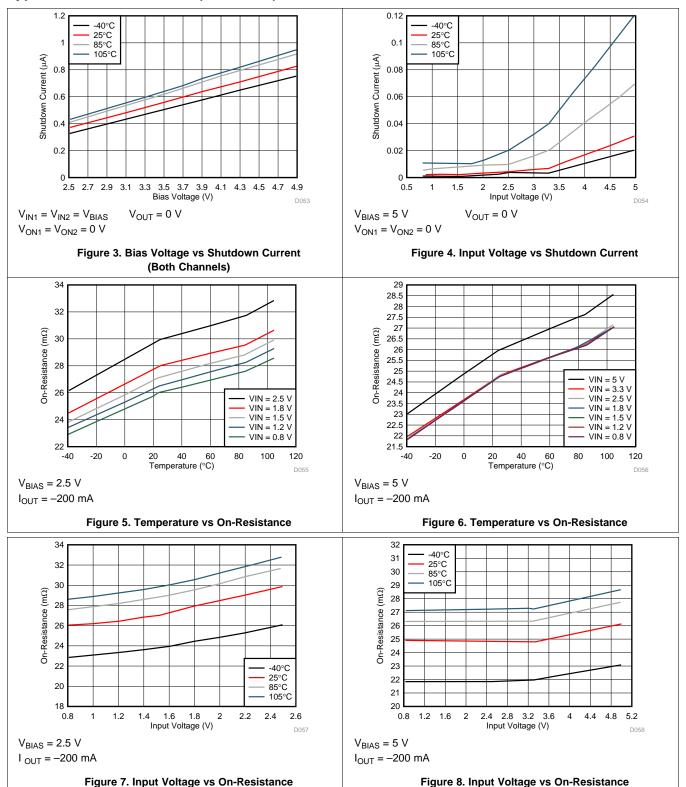
	PARAMETER	TEST CONDITION	MIN TYP	MAX	UNIT
V _{IN} =	V _{ON} = V _{BIAS} = 5 V, T _A = 25 °C (unless o	therwise noted)			
t _{ON}	Turnon time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	1128		
t _{OFF}	Turnoff time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	5		
t_R	V _{OUT} rise time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	1387		μs
t_{F}	V _{OUT} fall time	$R_L = 10 \ \Omega, \ C_L = 0.1 \ \mu F, \ CT = 1000 \ pF$	2		
t_D	ON delay time	$R_L = 10 \ \Omega, \ C_L = 0.1 \ \mu F, \ CT = 1000 \ pF$	455		
V _{IN} =	$0.8 \text{ V}, \text{ V}_{\text{ON}} = \text{V}_{\text{BIAS}} = 5 \text{ V}, \text{ T}_{\text{A}} = 25 ^{\circ}\text{C}$ (ur	nless otherwise noted)		·	
t _{ON}	Turnon time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	508		
t _{OFF}	Turnoff time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	33		
t_R	V _{OUT} rise time	$R_L = 10 \ \Omega, \ C_L = 0.1 \ \mu F, \ CT = 1000 \ pF$	273		μs
t _F	V _{OUT} fall time	$R_L = 10 \ \Omega, \ C_L = 0.1 \ \mu F, \ CT = 1000 \ pF$	2		
t_D	ON delay time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	377		
$V_{IN} = 1$	$2.5 \text{ V}, \text{ V}_{ON} = 5 \text{ V}, \text{ V}_{BIAS} = 2.5 \text{V}, \text{ T}_{A} = 25$	^o C (unless otherwise noted)			
t _{ON}	Turnon time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	1718		
t _{OFF}	Turnoff time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	7		
t_R	V _{OUT} rise time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	1701		μs
t _F	V _{OUT} fall time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	2		
t_D	ON delay time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	859		
V _{IN} =	$0.8 \text{ V}, \text{ V}_{ON} = 5 \text{ V}, \text{ V}_{BIAS} = 2.5 \text{ V}, \text{ T}_{A} = 25 \text{ V}$	°C (unless otherwise noted)			
t _{ON}	Turnon time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	1117		
t _{OFF}	Turnoff time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	30		
t_R	V _{OUT} rise time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	651		μs
t _F	V _{OUT} fall time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	2		
t _D	ON delay time	$R_L = 10 \Omega$, $C_L = 0.1 \mu F$, $CT = 1000 pF$	775		

7.8 Typical DC Characteristics



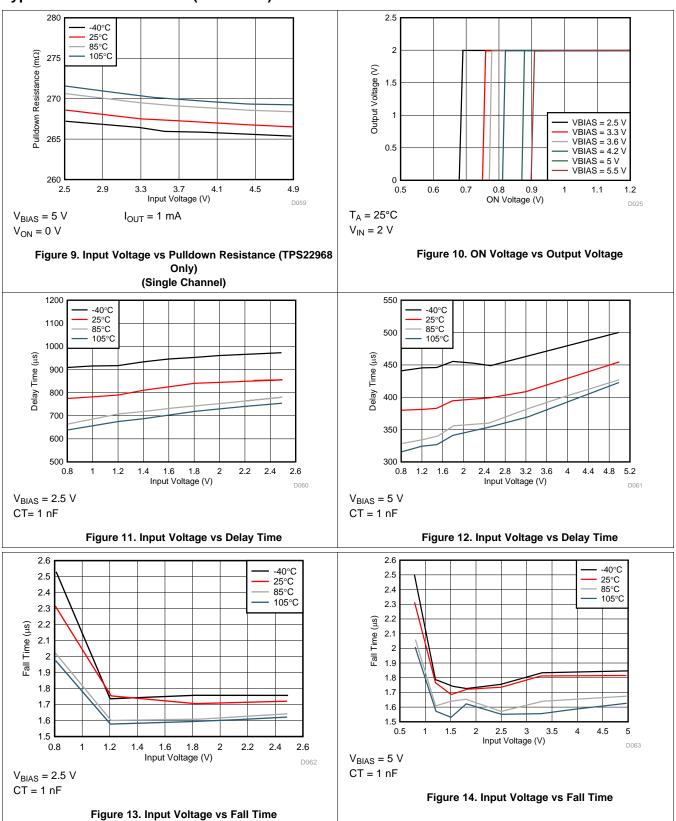
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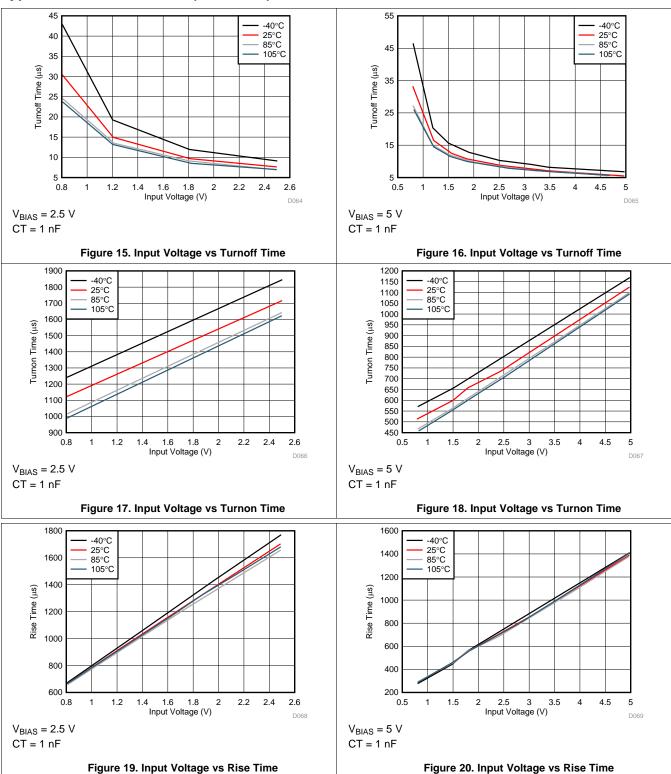


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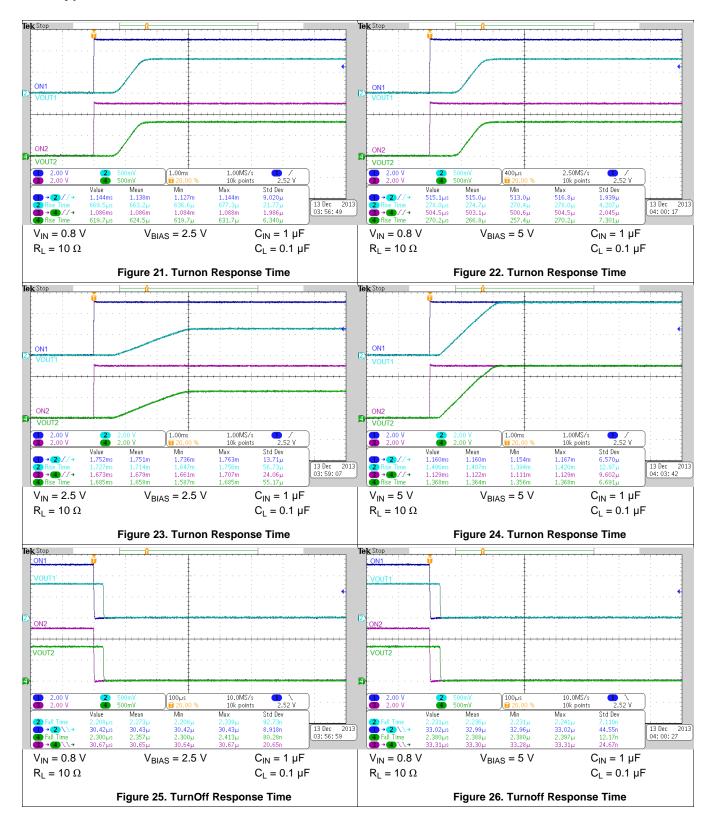


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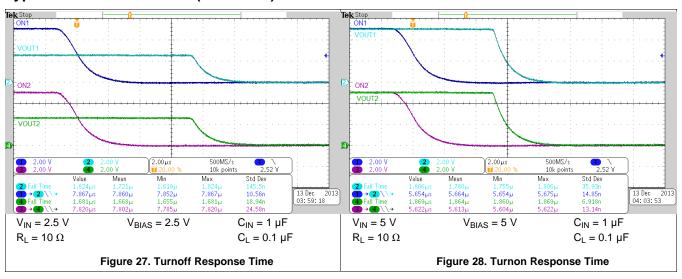


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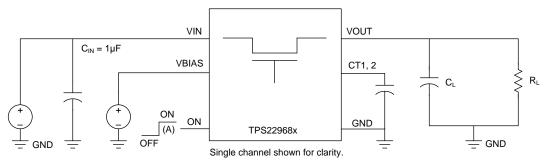


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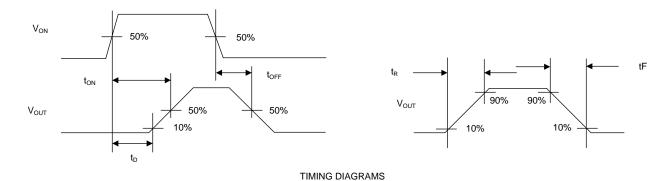


8 Parameter Measurement Information



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TEST CIRCUIT



A. Rise and fall times of the control signal is 100 ns.

Figure 29. Test Circuit and Timing Waveforms



9 Detailed Description

9.1 Overview

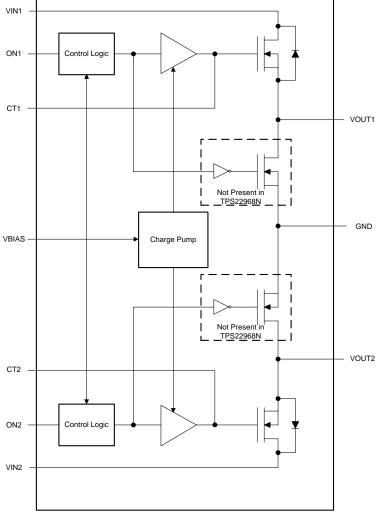
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The slew rate is proportional to the capacitor on the CT pin. See the *Adjustable Rise Time* section to determine the correct CT value for a desired rise time.

The internal circuitry is powered by the VBIAS pin, which supports voltages from 2.5 V to 5.5 V. This circuitry includes the charge pump, QOD (optional), and control logic. For these internal blocks to function correctly, a voltage between 2.5 V and 5.5 V must be supplied to VBIAS.

When a voltage is supplied to VBIAS, the ON1 pin goes low, and the ON2 pins go low, the QOD turns on. This connects VOUT1 and VOUT2 to GND through an on-chip resistor. The typical pulldown resistance (R_{PD}) is 270 Ω .

9.2 Functional Block Diagram



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9.3 Feature Description

9.3.1 ON and OFF Control

The ON pins control the state of the switch. Asserting ON high enables the switch. ON is active high and has a low threshold, making it capable of interfacing with low-voltage signals. The ON pin is compatible with standard GPIO logic threshold. It can be used with any microcontroller with 1.2 V or higher GPIO voltage. This pin cannot be left floating and must be tied either high or low for proper functionality.

9.3.2 Input Capacitor (Optional)

When the switch turns on into a discharged load capacitor or short-circuit, a capacitor must be placed between VIN and GND to limit the voltage drop on the input supply caused by transient inrush currents. A 1- μ F ceramic capacitor (C_{IN}), placed close to the pins, is sufficient. Higher values of C_{IN} can be used to further reduce the voltage drop during high-current application. When switching heavy loads, TI recommends having an input capacitor 10x higher than the output capacitor to avoid excessive voltage drop.

9.3.3 Output Capacitor (Optional)

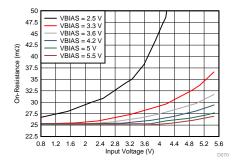
TI highly recommends a C_{IN} greater than C_{L} , because of the integrated body diode in the NMOS switch. A C_{L} greater than C_{IN} can cause the voltage on VOUT to exceed VIN when the system supply is removed. This could result in current flow through the body diode from VOUT to VIN. TI recommends a C_{IN} to C_{L} ratio of 10 to 1 for minimizing V_{IN} dip caused by inrush currents during startup.

9.3.4 QOD (Optional)

The TPS22968 includes a QOD feature. When the switch is disabled, a discharge resistor is connected between VOUT and GND. This resistor has a typical value of 270 Ω and prevents the output from floating while the switch is disabled.

9.3.5 VIN and VBIAS Voltage Range

For optimal R_{ON} performance, make sure $V_{IN} \le V_{BIAS}$. The device is still functional if $V_{IN} > V_{BIAS}$, but it exhibits R_{ON} greater than what is listed in the *Electrical Characteristics* ($V_{BIAS} = 5 \ V$) and *Electrical Characteristics* ($V_{BIAS} = 2.5 \ V$) table. See Figure 30 for an example of a typical device. Notice the increasing R_{ON} as V_{IN} exceeds V_{BIAS} voltage. Be sure to never exceed the maximum voltage rating for V_{IN} and V_{BIAS} .



Temperature = 25°C

 $I_{OUT} = 200 \text{ mA}$

Figure 30. On-Resistance vs Input Voltage



Feature Description (continued)

9.3.6 Adjustable Rise Time

A capacitor to GND on the CT pins sets the slew rate for each channel. The capacitor to GND on the CT pins must be rated for 25 V and above. An approximate formula for the relationship between CT and slew rate with $V_{BIAS} = 5$ V is shown in Equation 1.

 $SR = 0.32 \times CT + 13.7$

where

- SR is the slew rate (in μs/V)
- CT is the capacitance value on the CT pin (in pF)
- The units for the constant 13.7 is in µs/V.

(1)

Rise time can be calculated by multiplying the input voltage by the slew rate. Table 1 contains rise time values measured on a typical device.

Table 1. Rise Time Table

CTv (nF)	Typical values at 25°C with a 25-V X7R 10% ceramic capacitor on CT ⁽¹⁾										
CTx (pF)	VIN = 5 V	VIN = 3.3 V	VIN = 2.5 V	VIN = 1.8 V	VIN = 1.5 V	VIN = 1.2V	VIN = 0.8 V				
0	65	48	41	35	31	29	24				
220	378	253	197	152	131	111	83				
470	704	474	363	272	234	192	140				
1000	1387	931	717	544	449	372	273				
2200	3062	2021	1536	1173	991	825	595				
4700	7091	4643	3547	2643	2213	1828	1349				
10000	14781	9856	7330	5507	4600	3841	2805				

⁽¹⁾ RISE TIME (μ s) 10% - 90%, C_L = 0.1 μ F, C_{IN} = 1 μ F, R_L = 10 Ω , V_{BIAS} = 5 V

9.4 Device Functional Modes

Table 2 lists the device function table.

Table 2. Functional Table

ONx	VINx to VOUTx	VOUTx to GND
L	Off	On
Н	On	Off



10 Application and Implementation

NOTE

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10.1 Application Information

This section highlights some of the design considerations for implementing this device in various applications. A PSPICE model for this device is also available on the product page for additional information.

10.1.1 Parallel Configuration

To increase the current capabilities and lower the R_{ON} by approximately 50%, both channels can be placed in parallel as shown in Figure 31 (parallel configuration). With this configuration, the CT1 and CT2 pins can be tied together to use one capacitor, CT, as shown in Figure 31. With a single CT capacitor, the rise time is half of the typical rise-time value. Refer to the Table 1 for typical timing values.

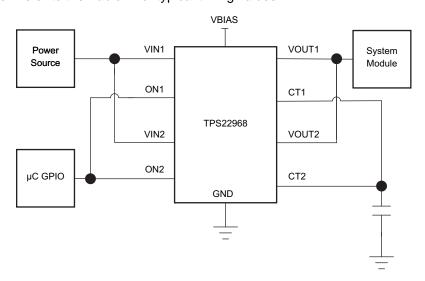


Figure 31. Parallel Configuration



Application Information (continued)

10.1.2 Standby Power Reduction

Any end equipment that is powered from the battery has a need to reduce current consumption to keep the battery charged for a longer time. TPS22968 helps to accomplish this by turning off the supply to the modules that are in standby state, and therefore, significantly reduces the leakage current overhead of the standby modules. See Figure 32.

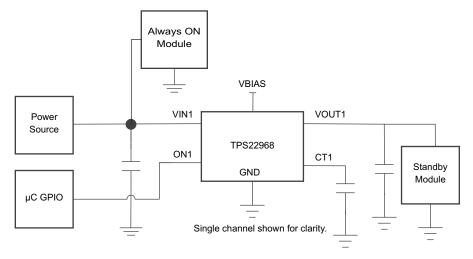
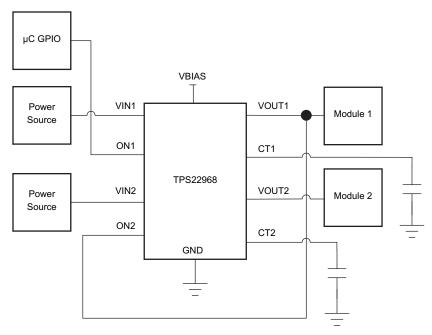


Figure 32. Standby Power Reduction

10.1.3 Power Supply Sequencing Without a GPIO Input

In many end equipments, there is a need to power up various modules in a predetermined manner. The TPS22968 can solve the problem of power sequencing without adding any complexity to the overall system. See Figure 33.



VIN1 must be greater VIH.

Figure 33. Power Sequencing Without a GPIO Input

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Application Information (continued)

10.1.4 Reverse Current Blocking

In certain applications, it may be desirable to have reverse current blocking. Reverse current blocking prevents current from flowing from the output to the input of the load switch when the device is disabled. With the following configuration, the TPS22968 can be converted into a single-channel switch with reverse current blocking. In this configuration, VIN1 or VIN2 can be used as the input and VIN2 or VIN1 is the output. See Figure 34.

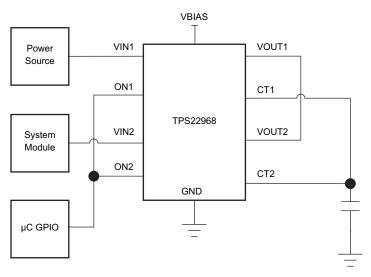


Figure 34. Reverse Current Blocking

10.2 Typical Application

This application demonstrates how the TPS22968 can be used to power downstream modules with large capacitances. The example in Figure 35 TPS22968 is powering a 100-µF capacitive output load.

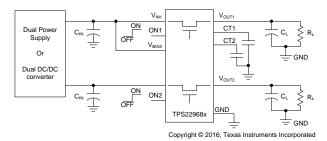


Figure 35. Typical Application Schematic for Powering a Downstream Module

10.2.1 Design Requirements

For this design example, use the following Table 3 as the input parameters.

DESIGN PARAMETER EXAMPLE VALUE V_{IN} 3.3 V 5 V V_{BIAS} Load current 4 A Output capacitance (C_I) 22 µF Allowable inrush current on VOUT 0.33 A

Table 3. Design Parameters

10.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

To begin the design process, the designer must know the following:

- V_{IN} voltage
- V_{BIAS} voltage
- Load current
- Allowable inrush current on VOUT due to C_L capacitor

10.2.2.1 VIN to VOUT Voltage Drop

The VIN to VOUT voltage drop in the device is determined by the R_{ON} of the device and the load current. The R_{ON} of the device depends upon the V_{IN} and V_{BIAS} conditions of the device. Refer to the R_{ON} specification of the device in the *Electrical Characteristics* ($V_{BIAS} = 5$ V) and *Electrical Characteristics* ($V_{BIAS} = 2.5$ V). After the R_{ON} of the device is determined based upon the V_{IN} and V_{BIAS} conditions, use Equation 2 to calculate the VIN to VOUT voltage drop:

$$\Delta V = I_{LOAD} \times R_{ON}$$

where

- ΔV is the voltage drop from VIN to VOUT
- ILOAD is the load current
- R_{ON} is the On-resistance of the device for a specific V_{IN} and V_{BIAS} combination

(2)

An appropriate I_{LOAD} must be chosen such that the I_{MAX} specification of the device is not violated.

10.2.2.2 Inrush Current

To determine how much inrush current is caused by the C₁ capacitor, use Equation 3.

$$I_{INRUSH} = C_L \times \frac{dV_{OUT}}{dt}$$

where

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(3)



- I_{INRUSH} is the amount of inrush caused by C_L
- C_I is the capacitance on VOUT
- dt is the time it takes for change in V_{OUT} during the ramp up of VOUT when the device is enabled
- dV_{OUT} is the change in V_{OUT} during the ramp up of VOUT when the device is enabled

The device offers adjustable rise time for VOUT. This feature allows the user to control the inrush current during turnon through the CTx pins. The appropriate rise time can be calculated using the design requirements and the inrush current equation (Equation 3). See Equation 4 and Equation 5.

330 mA = 22
$$\mu$$
F × 3.3 V / dt (4)

$$dt = 220 \, \mu s$$
 (5)

To ensure an inrush current of less than 330 mA, choose a CT based on Table 1 or Equation 1 value that yields a rise time of more than 220 µs. See the oscilloscope captures in the *Application Curves* for an example of how the CT capacitor can be used to reduce inrush current. See Table 1 for correlation between rise times and CT values.

An appropriate C_L value must be placed on VOUT such that the I_{MAX} and I_{PLS} specifications of the device are not violated.

10.2.2.3 Thermal Considerations

The maximum IC junction temperature must be restricted to 125° C under normal operating conditions. To calculate the maximum allowable dissipation, $P_{D(max)}$ for a given output current and ambient temperature, use Equation 6.

$$P_{D(MAX)} = \frac{T_{J(MAX)} - T_{A}}{R_{AJA}}$$

where

- P_{D(max)} is the maximum allowable power dissipation
- T_{J(max)} is the maximum allowable junction temperature (125°C for the TPS22968)
- T_A is the ambient temperature of the device
- R_{θ,JA} is the junction to air thermal impedance. See the *Thermal Information* table. This parameter is highly dependent upon board layout.

Equation 7 to Equation 10 and Equation 11 to Equation 13 show two examples to determine how to use this information correctly:

For $V_{BIAS} = 5 \text{ V}$, $V_{IN} = 5 \text{ V}$, the maximum ambient temperature with a 4-A load through each channel can be determined by using Equation 7 to Equation 10:

$$P_D = I^2 \times R \times 2$$
 (multiplied by 2 because there are two channels) (7)

$$2 \times I^2 \times R = \frac{T_{J(MAX)} - T_A}{R_{\theta JA}}$$
(8)

$$T_{A} = T_{J(MAX)} - R_{\theta,JA} \times 2 \times I^{2} \times R \tag{9}$$

$$T_A = 125^{\circ}C - 62.5^{\circ}C/W \times 2 \times (4 \text{ A})^2 \times 27 \text{ m}\Omega = 71^{\circ}C$$
(10)

For $V_{BIAS} = 5 \text{ V}$, $V_{IN} = 5 \text{ V}$, the maximum continuous current for an ambient temperature of 85°C with the same current flowing through each channel can be determined by using Equation 11 to Equation 13:

$$2 \times I^2 \times R = \frac{T_{J(MAX)} - T_A}{R_{\theta JA}} \tag{11}$$

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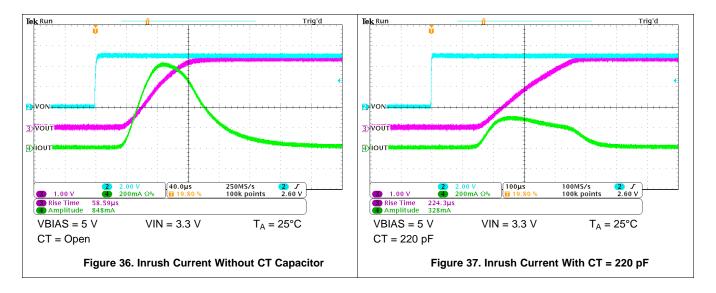


$$I = \sqrt{\frac{T_{J(MAX)} - T_A}{2 \times R \times R_{\theta JA}}}$$
 (12)

$$I = \sqrt{\frac{125^{\circ}C - 105^{\circ}C}{2 \times 27 \,\text{m}\Omega \times 62.5^{\circ}C/W}} = 3.44 \,\text{A per channel}$$
 (13)

10.2.3 Application Curves

The twp scope captures show the usage of a CT capacitor in conjunction with the device. A higher CT value results in a slower rise and a lower inrush current.





11 Power Supply Recommendations

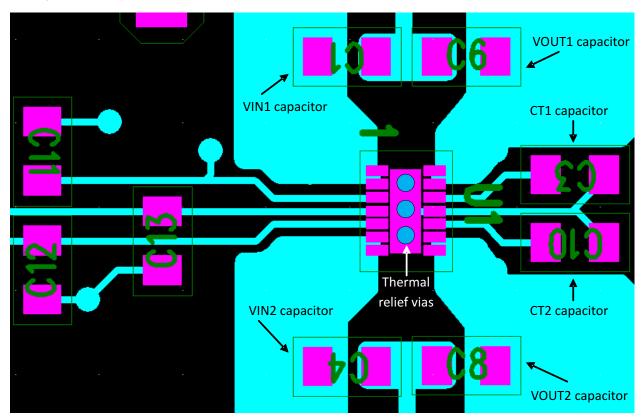
The device is designed to operate from a V_{BIAS} range of 2.5 V to 5.5 V and V_{IN} range of 0.8 V to 5.5 V. This supply must be well regulated and placed as close to the device pin as possible with the recommended 1- μ F bypass capacitor. If the supply is located more than a few inches from the device pins, additional bulk capacitance may be required in addition to the ceramic bypass capacitors. If additional bulk capacitance is required, an electrolytic, tantalum, or ceramic capacitor of 10 μ F may be sufficient.

12 Layout

12.1 Layout Guidelines

- VIN and VOUT traces must be as short and wide as possible to accommodate for high current.
- Use vias under the exposed thermal pad for thermal relief for high current operation.
- VINx pins must be bypassed to ground with low-ESR ceramic bypass capacitors. The typical recommended bypass capacitance is 1-µF ceramic with X5R or X7R dielectric. This capacitor must be placed as close to the device pins as possible.
- VOUTx pins must be bypassed to ground with low-ESR ceramic bypass capacitors. The typical recommended bypass capacitance is one-tenth of the VINx bypass capacitor of X5R or X7R dielectric rating. This capacitor must be placed as close to the device pins as possible.
- The VBIAS pin must be bypassed to ground with low-ESR ceramic bypass capacitors. The typical recommended bypass capacitance is 0.1-µF ceramic with X5R or X7R dielectric.
- The CTx capacitors must be placed as close to the device pins as possible. The typical recommended CTx capacitance is a capacitor of X5R or X7R dielectric rating with a rating of 25 V or higher.

12.2 Layout Example





13 Device and Documentation Support

13.1 Device Support

13.1.1 Development Support

For the TPS22968 and TPS22968-Q1 PSpice Transient Model, see SLVMA29.

For the TPS22968N and TPS22968N-Q1 PSpice Transient Model, see SLVMBA9.

13.2 Documentation Support

13.2.1 Related Documentation

For related documentation see the following:

- Managing Inrush Current, SLVA670A
- Quiescent Current vs Shutdown Current for Load Switch Power Consumption, SLVA757
- TPS22968EVM-007 Dual 4A Load Switch, SLVUA30
- Load Switch Thermal Considerations, SLVUA74
- TPS22968/68N-Q1 Dual-Channel 5.5-V 4-A 27-mΩ Load Switch EVM User's Guide, SLVUAE2A
- TPS22968NEVM Dual 4 A Load Switch, SLVUAL0

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13.8 Glossary

SLYZ022 — TI Glossary.

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

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TPS22968DPUR	ACTIVE	WSON	DPU	14	3000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 105	RB968	Samples
TPS22968DPUT	ACTIVE	WSON	DPU	14	250	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 105	RB968	Samples
TPS22968NDPUR	ACTIVE	WSON	DPU	14	3000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 105	RB968N	Samples
TPS22968NDPUT	ACTIVE	WSON	DPU	14	250	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 105	RB968N	Samples

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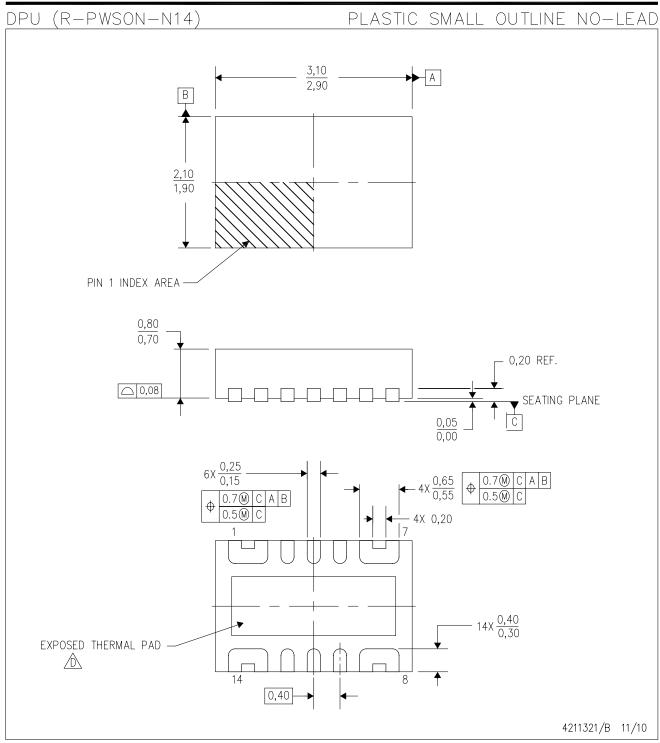
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TPS22968DPUT	WSON	DPU	14	250	180.0	8.4	2.25	3.25	1.05	4.0	8.0	Q1
TPS22968NDPUR	WSON	DPU	14	3000	180.0	8.4	2.25	3.25	1.05	4.0	8.0	Q1
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TPS22968NDPUR	WSON	DPU	14	3000	210.0	185.0	35.0
TPS22968NDPUT	WSON	DPU	14	250	210.0	185.0	35.0



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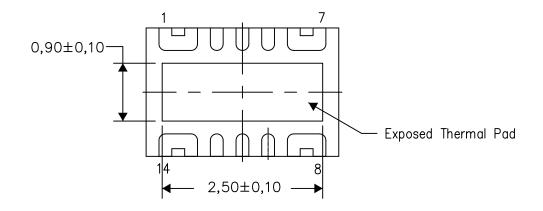
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THERMAL INFORMATION

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For information on the Quad Flatpack No-Lead (QFN) package and its advantages, refer to Application Report, QFN/SON PCB Attachment, Texas Instruments Literature No. SLUA271. This document is available at www.ti.com.

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Bottom View

Exposed Thermal Pad Dimensions

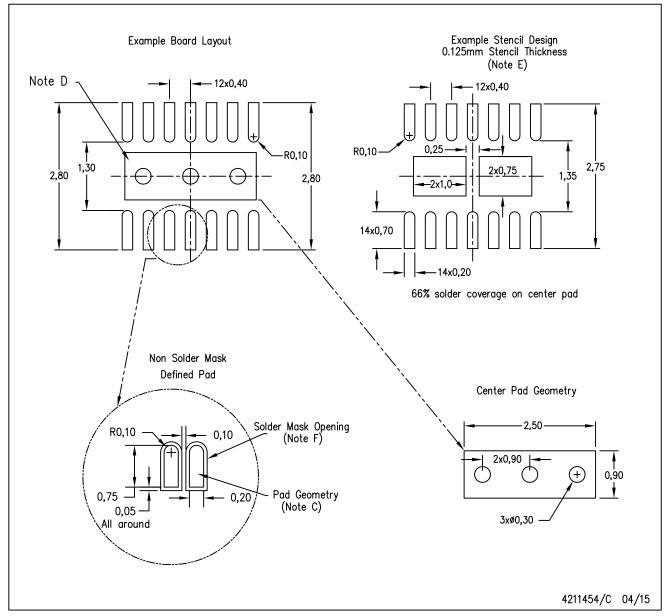
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