



# TPS22946 Ultralow Power, Low Input Voltage, Current-Limited Load Switch With Shutoff, Auto-Restart, and Overcurrent Condition Time-Out

## 1 Features

- Ultralow Quiescent Current 1  $\mu\text{A}$  (Typical) at  $V_{\text{IN}} = 1.8\text{ V}$
- Input Voltage Range: 1.62 V to 5.5 V
- Low ON-Resistance
  - $r_{\text{ON}} = 300\text{ m}\Omega$  at  $V_{\text{IN}} = 5.5\text{ V}$
  - $r_{\text{ON}} = 400\text{ m}\Omega$  at  $V_{\text{IN}} = 3.3\text{ V}$
  - $r_{\text{ON}} = 500\text{ m}\Omega$  at  $V_{\text{IN}} = 2.5\text{ V}$
  - $r_{\text{ON}} = 600\text{ m}\Omega$  at  $V_{\text{IN}} = 1.8\text{ V}$
- Selectable Minimum Current Limit: 155 mA, 70 mA, or 30 mA
- Integrated Inrush Current Time-out (8 ms)
- Shutdown Current:  $< 1\text{ }\mu\text{A}$
- Thermal Shutdown
- Fault Blanking
- Auto Restart
- Overcurrent Condition Time-out (Automatic Disable for Permanent Overcurrent)
- 1.8-V Compatible Control Input
- ESD Performance Tested Per JESD 22
  - 6000-V Human-Body Model (A114-B, Class II)
- Tiny DSGBA Package 1.4 mm  $\times$  0.9 mm (YZP)

## 2 Applications

- Fingerprint Module Protection
- Portable Consumer Electronics
- Mobile Phones
- Smartphones
- Notebooks
- GPS Devices

## 3 Description

The TPS22946 is an ultralow power load switch that provides protection to systems and loads in high-current conditions. The device contains a 300-m $\Omega$  current-limited P-channel MOSFET that can operate over an input voltage range of 1.62 V to 5.5 V. The switch is controlled by an on/off input (ON), which can interface directly with low-voltage control signals. The TPS22946 includes thermal shutdown protection that prevents damage to the device when a continuous over-current condition causes excessive heating by turning off the switch.

When the switch current reaches the maximum limit, the TPS22946 operates in a constant-current mode to prohibit excessive currents from causing damage. The current limit can be selected using the CL input: a high CL input sets the current limit to 155 mA, a low CL input sets the current limit to 70 mA, and a floating CL input sets the current limit to 30 mA.

If the constant current condition persists after 10 ms, the switch is turned off and the fault signal pin (OC) is pulled low. The TPS22946 has an auto-restart feature which turns the switch on again after 70 ms if the ON pin is still active. If the TPS22946 remains in an over-current condition for 5 seconds, the device shuts off until it is turned on again by setting the ON control signal off and then on.

If the device is used to protect an LDO, the inrush current required by the LDO at startup can, in some cases, exceed the current limit and initiate a blanking (current limiting) condition. The TPS22946 provides allowance for this scenario during startup of the LDO by temporarily increasing the current limit to 435 mA for 8 ms after the load switch is enabled.

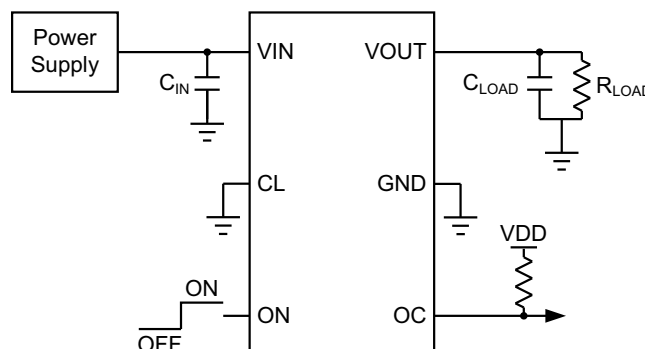
The TPS22946 is available in space-saving 6-pin DSBGA (YZP) package. The device is characterized for operation over the free-air temperature range of  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $85^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

### Device Information<sup>(1)</sup>

| PART NUMBER | PACKAGE   | BODY SIZE (NOM)          |
|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| TPS22946    | DSBGA (6) | 0.90 mm $\times$ 1.40 mm |

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

### Typical Application Schematic



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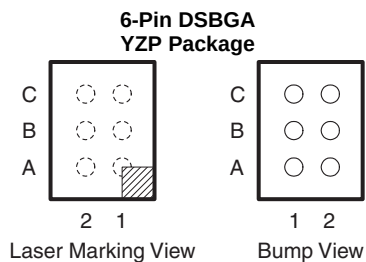
## 4 Revision History

### Changes from Revision A (February 2010) to Revision B

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- Added *Pin Configuration and Functions* section, *ESD Ratings* table, *Feature Description* section, *Device Functional Modes*, *Application and Implementation* section, *Power Supply Recommendations* section, *Layout* section, *Device and Documentation Support* section, and *Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information* section ..... **1**

## 5 Pin Configuration and Functions



### Pin Assignments

|          |                 |                  |
|----------|-----------------|------------------|
| <b>C</b> | ON              | OC               |
| <b>B</b> | CL              | GND              |
| <b>A</b> | V <sub>IN</sub> | V <sub>OUT</sub> |
|          | <b>2</b>        | <b>1</b>         |

### Pin Functions

| PIN |                  | I/O | DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                         |
|-----|------------------|-----|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| NO. | NAME             |     |                                                                                                                                     |
| A1  | V <sub>OUT</sub> | O   | Output of the power switch                                                                                                          |
| A2  | V <sub>IN</sub>  | I   | Supply. Input to the power switch and the supply voltage for the device                                                             |
| B1  | GND              | –   | Ground                                                                                                                              |
| B2  | CL               | I   | Current limit selection. CL high is 155-mA current limit, CL low is 70-mA current limit, and CL floating is 30-mA current limit.    |
| C1  | OC               | O   | Overcurrent output flag. Active-low open-drain output that indicates an overcurrent, supply undervoltage, or overtemperature state. |
| C2  | ON               | I   | On/off control input                                                                                                                |

## 6 Specifications

### 6.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

|                  |                                | MIN                                         | MAX | UNIT  |
|------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----|-------|
| V <sub>I</sub>   | Input voltage                  | V <sub>IN</sub> , V <sub>OUT</sub> , ON, CL |     | –0.36 |
| T <sub>J</sub>   | Operating junction temperature | –40                                         | 125 | °C    |
| T <sub>stg</sub> | Storage temperature            | –65                                         | 150 | °C    |

### 6.2 ESD Ratings

|                    |                         | VALUE                                                                                    | UNIT  |   |
|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---|
| V <sub>(ESD)</sub> | Electrostatic discharge | Human body model (HBM), per JEDEC specification JESD22 (A114-B, Class II) <sup>(1)</sup> | ±6000 | V |
|                    |                         | Charged-device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 <sup>(2)</sup>           | ±2000 |   |

(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.

### 6.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

|                    |                              |                                                            | MIN                 | MAX                 | UNIT |
|--------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------|
| V <sub>IN</sub>    | Input voltage                |                                                            | 1.62                | 5.5                 | V    |
| V <sub>ON</sub>    | ON pin voltage               |                                                            | 0                   | 5.5                 | V    |
| V <sub>CL</sub>    | CL pin voltage               |                                                            | 0                   | V <sub>IN</sub>     | V    |
| V <sub>OUT</sub>   | OUT pin voltage              |                                                            | 0                   | V <sub>IN</sub>     | V    |
| T <sub>A</sub>     | Ambient free-air temperature |                                                            | −40                 | 85                  | °C   |
| t <sub>CLSET</sub> | CL pin setting time          |                                                            | 8                   |                     | ms   |
| C <sub>IN</sub>    | Input capacitor              |                                                            | 1 <sup>(1)</sup>    |                     | μF   |
| V <sub>IH</sub>    | ON high-level input voltage  | V <sub>IN</sub> = 1.8 V                                    | 1.1                 | 5.5                 | V    |
|                    |                              | V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.5 V                                    | 1.2                 | 5.5                 |      |
|                    |                              | V <sub>IN</sub> = 3.3 V                                    | 1.3                 | 5.5                 |      |
|                    |                              | V <sub>IN</sub> = 5.5 V                                    | 1.4                 | 5.5                 |      |
| V <sub>IL</sub>    | ON low-level input voltage   | V <sub>IN</sub> = 1.8 V                                    |                     | 0.4                 | V    |
|                    |                              | V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.5 V                                    |                     | 0.4                 |      |
|                    |                              | V <sub>IN</sub> = 3.3 V                                    |                     | 0.5                 |      |
|                    |                              | V <sub>IN</sub> = 5.5 V                                    |                     | 0.6                 |      |
| V <sub>IH</sub>    | CL low-level input voltage   | V <sub>IN</sub> = 1.62 V to 5.5 V, I <sub>IH</sub> = 55 μA | 0.7 V <sub>IN</sub> | V <sub>IN</sub>     | V    |
| V <sub>IL</sub>    | CL high-level input voltage  | V <sub>IN</sub> = 1.62 V to 5.5 V, I <sub>IL</sub> = 55 μA | GND                 | 0.3 V <sub>IN</sub> | V    |

(1) See [Application Information](#).

### 6.4 Thermal Information

| THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup> |                                              | TPS22946    | UNIT |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------|------|
|                               |                                              | YZP (DSBGA) |      |
|                               |                                              | 6 PINS      |      |
| $R_{\theta JA}$               | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance       | 131         | °C/W |
| $R_{\theta JC(top)}$          | Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance    | 1.3         |      |
| $R_{\theta JB}$               | Junction-to-board thermal resistance         | 22.6        |      |
| $\psi_{JT}$                   | Junction-to-top characterization parameter   | 5.2         |      |
| $\psi_{JB}$                   | Junction-to-board characterization parameter | 22.6        |      |

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

## 6.5 Electrical Characteristics

 $V_{IN} = 1.62\text{ V}$  to  $5.5\text{ V}$ , TYP values at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                   | TEST CONDITIONS                                                          | $T_A$ <sup>(1)</sup>     | MIN        | TYP | MAX  | UNIT             |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|-----|------|------------------|
| $I_{IN}$ Average quiescent current          | $I_{OUT} = 0\text{ mA}$ , $V_{IN} = 4.5\text{ V}$ to $5.5\text{ V}$      | Full range               |            | 1.5 | 5    | $\mu\text{A}$    |
|                                             | $I_{OUT} = 0\text{ mA}$ , $V_{IN} = 3.0\text{ V}$ to $3.6\text{ V}$      |                          |            | 1.3 | 4    |                  |
|                                             | $I_{OUT} = 0\text{ mA}$ , $V_{IN} = 1.62\text{ V}$ to $1.98\text{ V}$    |                          |            | 1   | 3    |                  |
| $I_{IN(OFF)}$ OFF state supply current      | $V_{ON} = 0\text{ V}$ , $V_{IN} = 3.6\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT}$ open         | Full range               |            | 0.1 | 1    | $\mu\text{A}$    |
| $I_{OUT(LEAKAGE)}$ OFF state switch current | $V_{ON} = 0\text{ V}$ , $V_{IN} = 3.6\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT}$ short to GND | Full range               |            | 0.1 | 1.1  | $\mu\text{A}$    |
| $r_{ON}$ ON-state resistance                | $I_{OUT} = -100\text{ mA}$                                               | $V_{IN} = 5.5\text{ V}$  | 25°C       | 0.3 | 0.4  | $\Omega$         |
|                                             |                                                                          |                          | Full range |     | 0.45 |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          | $V_{IN} = 3.3\text{ V}$  | 25°C       | 0.4 | 0.5  |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          |                          | Full range |     | 0.55 |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          | $V_{IN} = 2.5\text{ V}$  | 25°C       | 0.5 | 0.6  |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          |                          | Full range |     | 0.65 |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          | $V_{IN} = 1.8\text{ V}$  | 25°C       | 0.6 | 0.8  |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          |                          | Full range |     | 0.85 |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          | $V_{IN} = 1.62\text{ V}$ | 25°C       | 0.7 | 0.9  |                  |
|                                             |                                                                          |                          | Full range |     | 1    |                  |
| $I_{ON}$ ON input leakage current           | $V_{ON} = V_{IN}$ or GND                                                 | Full range               |            |     | 1    | $\mu\text{A}$    |
| $I_{LIM}$ Current limit                     | $V_{IN} = 1.8\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 1.5\text{ V}$ , CL = GND            | Full range               | 70         | 85  | 120  | mA               |
|                                             | $V_{IN} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 3.0\text{ V}$ , CL = GND            | Full range               | 60         | 80  | 115  |                  |
|                                             | $V_{IN} = 1.8\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 1.5\text{ V}$ , CL = VIN            | Full range               | 155        | 175 | 235  |                  |
|                                             | $V_{IN} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 3.0\text{ V}$ , CL = VIN            | Full range               | 135        | 165 | 230  |                  |
|                                             | $V_{IN} = 1.8\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 1.5\text{ V}$ , CL floating         | Full range               | 30         | 45  | 60   |                  |
|                                             | $V_{IN} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 3.0\text{ V}$ , CL floating         | Full range               | 28         | 40  | 60   |                  |
| $I_{limit\_inrush}$ Inrush current limit    | $R_I = 1\ \Omega$ , $V_{IN} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , $V_{OUT} = 2.3\text{ V}$   | Full range               | 375        | 435 | 685  | mA               |
| Thermal shutdown <sup>(2)</sup>             | Shutdown threshold                                                       | Full range               |            | 135 |      | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
|                                             | Return from shutdown                                                     |                          |            | 125 |      |                  |
|                                             | Hysteresis                                                               |                          |            | 10  |      |                  |
| $V_{OL}$ OC output logic low voltage        | $V_{IN} = 5\text{ V}$ , $I_{SINK} = 10\text{ mA}$                        | Full range               |            | 0.1 | 0.2  | V                |
|                                             | $V_{IN} = 1.8\text{ V}$ , $I_{SINK} = 10\text{ mA}$                      |                          |            | 0.1 | 0.3  |                  |
| $I_{OH}$ OC output high leakage current     | $V_{IN} = 5\text{ V}$ , Switch ON                                        | Full range               |            |     | 1    | $\mu\text{A}$    |

(1) Full range  $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$  to  $85^\circ\text{C}$ 

(2) See [Overtemperature Protection](#).

## 6.6 Switching Characteristics

 $V_{IN} = 1.8\text{ V}$ ,  $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ ,  $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$ ,  $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$  to  $85^\circ\text{C}$ , TYP values at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER        |                                                      | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                   | MIN | TYP  | MAX | UNIT          |
|------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|------|-----|---------------|
| $t_{PWRON}$      | Power-on time                                        | $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ , $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$                                       |     | 192  |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_{PWROFF}$     | Power-off time                                       | $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ , $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$                                       |     | 0.55 |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_{ON}$         | Turnon time                                          | $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ , $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$                                       |     | 125  |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_{OFF}$        | Turnoff time                                         | $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ , $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$                                       |     | 115  |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_R$            | $V_{OUT}$ rise time                                  | $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ , $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$                                       |     | 35   |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_F$            | $V_{OUT}$ fall time                                  | $R_L = 50\ \Omega$ , $C_L = 1\ \mu\text{F}$                                       |     | 120  |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_{BLANK}$      | Overcurrent blanking time                            |                                                                                   | 7   | 10   | 15  | ms            |
| $t_{RSTART}$     | Auto-restart time                                    |                                                                                   | 50  | 70   | 95  | ms            |
| $t_{TIMEOUT}$    | Overcurrent detection time-out <sup>(1)</sup>        | $V_{IN} = V_{ON} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , hard short <sup>(2)</sup>                      |     | 6000 |     | ms            |
| $t_{OVRTMP}$     | Overtemperature detection maximum response time      |                                                                                   |     | 7.7  |     | ms            |
| $t_{MODOC}$      | Moderate overcurrent detection maximum response time | $V_{IN} = V_{ON} = 1.8\text{ V}$ , Moderate over-current condition <sup>(3)</sup> |     | 63.5 |     | ms            |
|                  |                                                      | $V_{IN} = V_{ON} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , Moderate overcurrent condition <sup>(3)</sup>  |     | 65.5 |     |               |
| $t_{HARDSHOR T}$ | Hard-short detection maximum response time           | $V_{IN} = V_{ON} = 1.8\text{ V}$ , hard short <sup>(2)</sup>                      |     | 270  |     | $\mu\text{s}$ |
|                  |                                                      | $V_{IN} = V_{ON} = 3.3\text{ V}$ , hard short <sup>(2)</sup>                      |     | 295  |     |               |

(1) See [Automatic Disable in Case of Permanent Overcurrent](#).

(2) Hard short check is performed at the output voltage of the switch. Hard short condition is active when  $V_{OUT} < 2/3 V_{IN}$ .

(3) If the current going through the switch is above  $I_{LIM}$ , then the moderate over-current condition is activated

## 6.7 Typical Characteristics

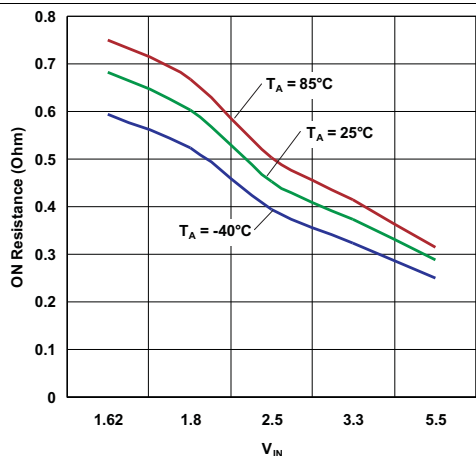


Figure 1. ON-Resistance vs Input Voltage

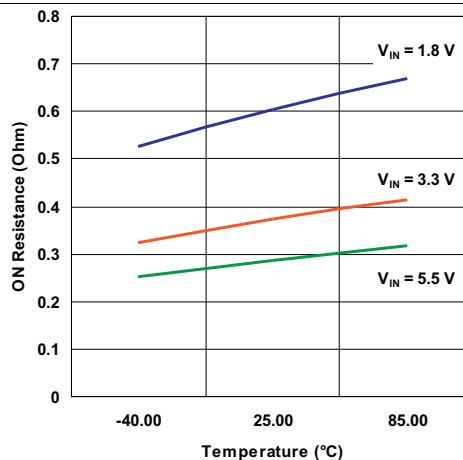


Figure 2. ON-Resistance vs Temperature

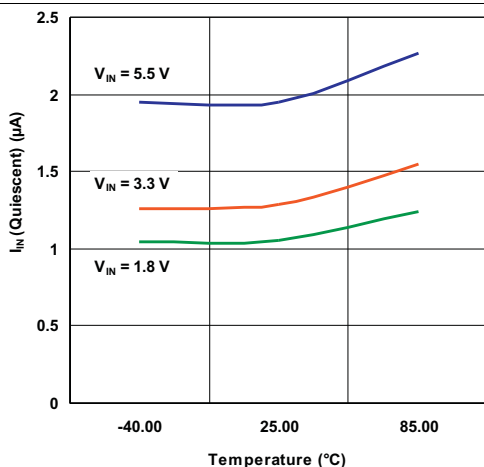


Figure 3. Input Current (Quiescent) vs Temperature

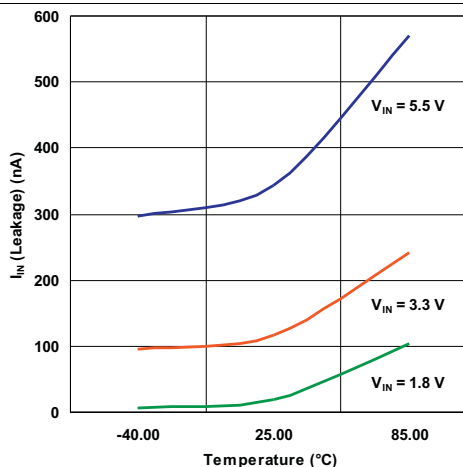


Figure 4. Input Current (Leakage) vs Temperature

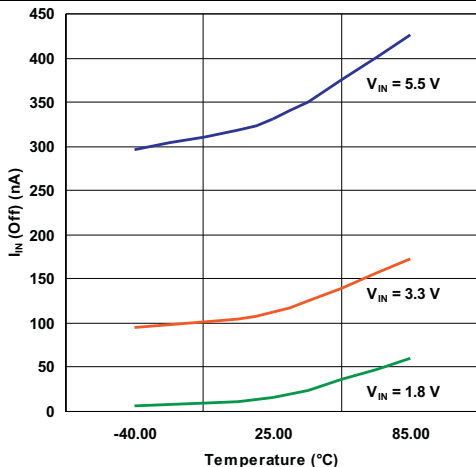


Figure 5. Input Current (Off) vs Temperature

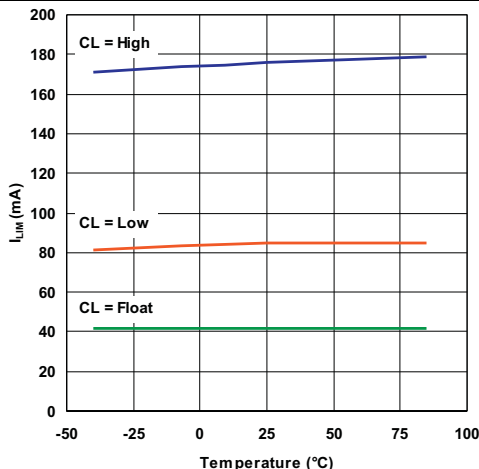


Figure 6. Current Limit vs Temperature

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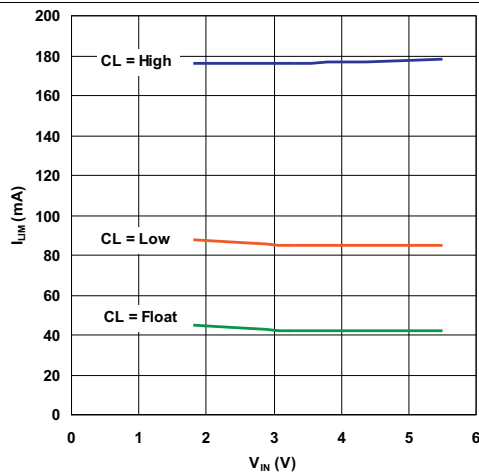


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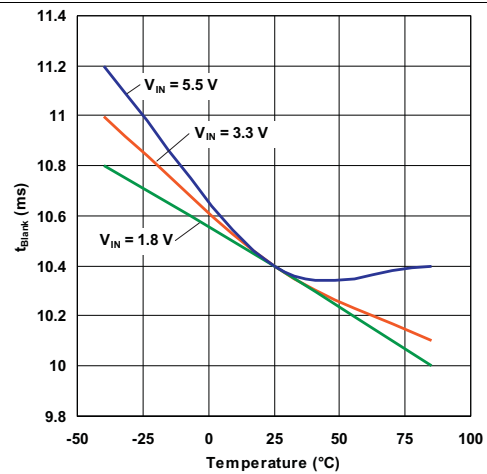


Figure 8.  $t_{Blank}$  vs Temperature

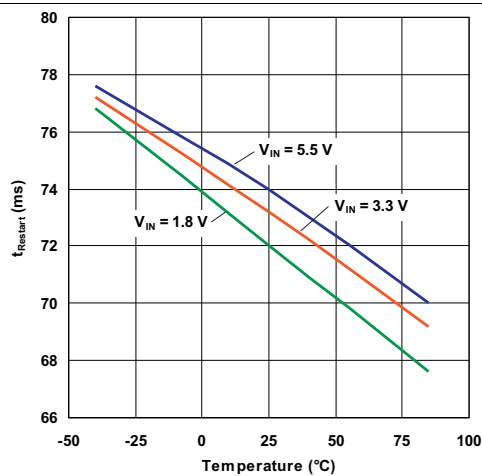


Figure 9.  $t_{Reset}$  vs Temperature

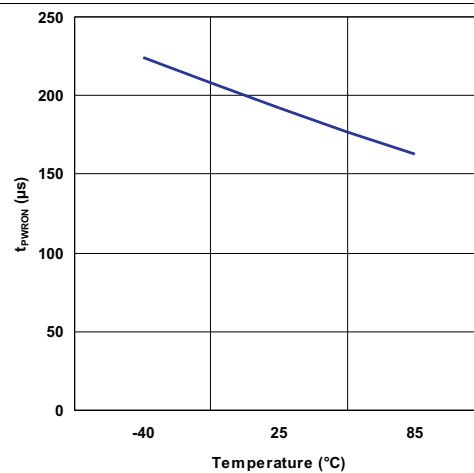


Figure 10.  $t_{PWROFF}$  vs Temperature

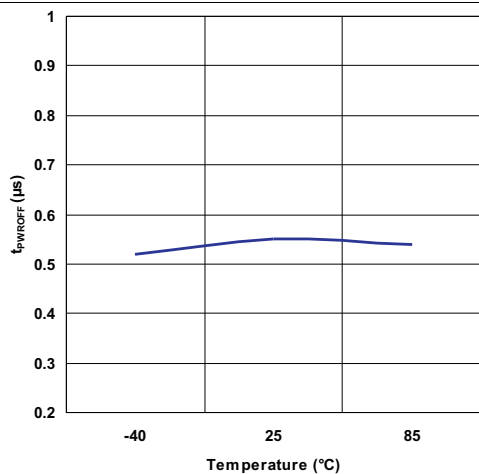


Figure 11.  $t_{PWROFF}$  vs Temperature

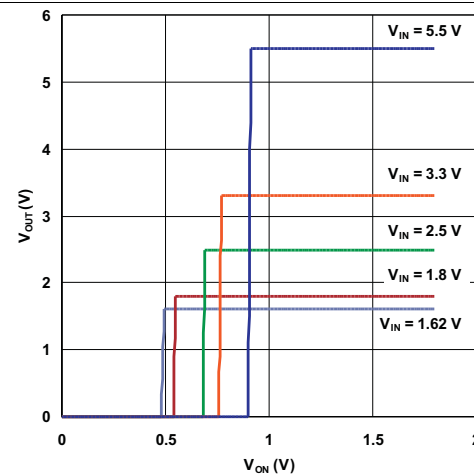
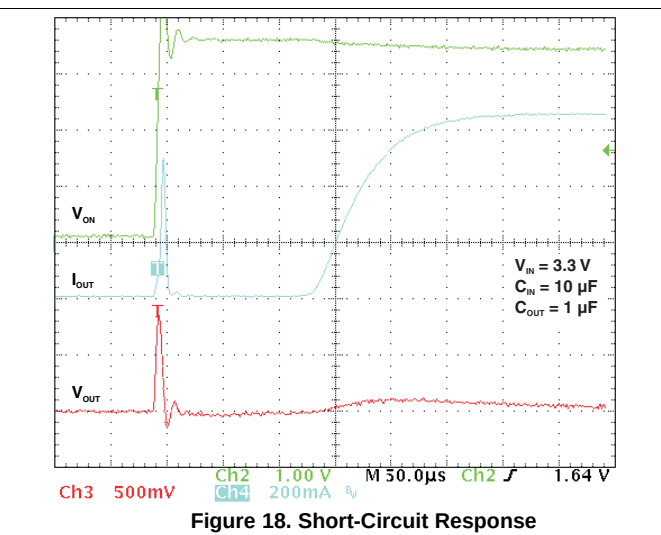
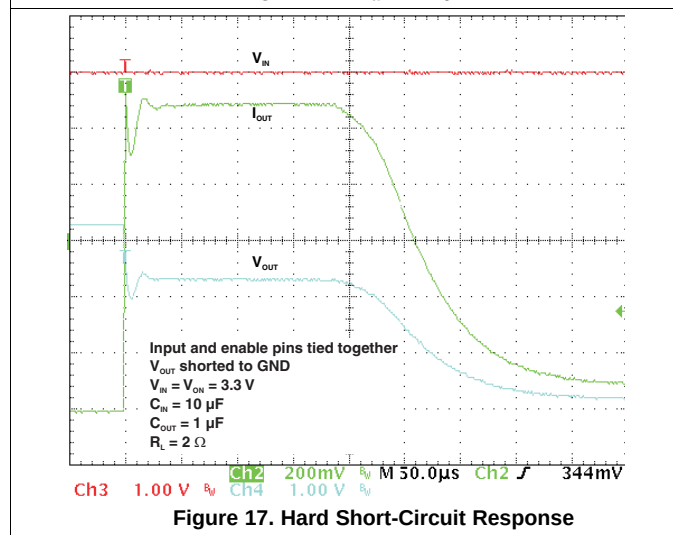
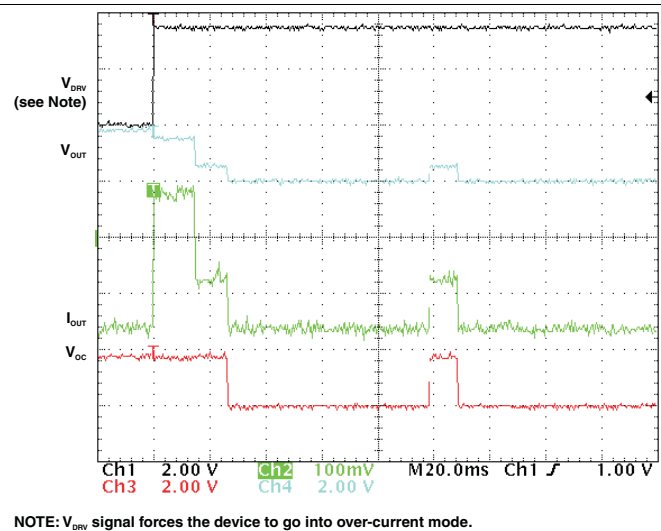
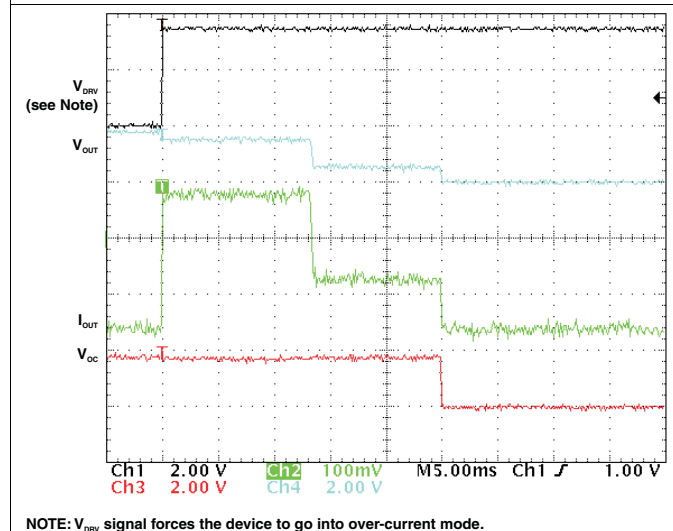
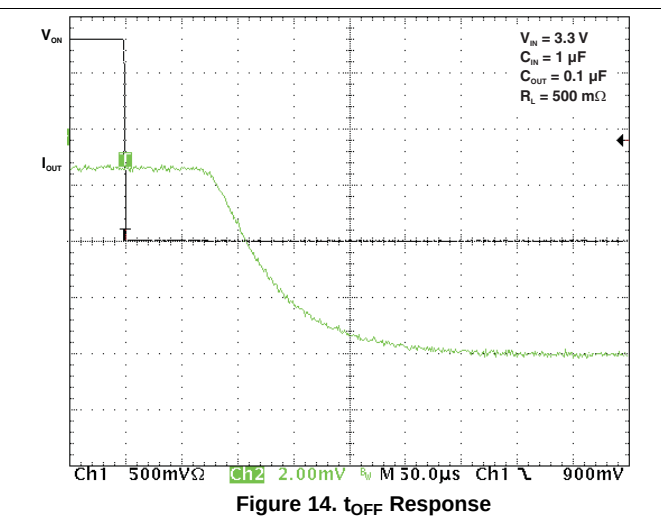
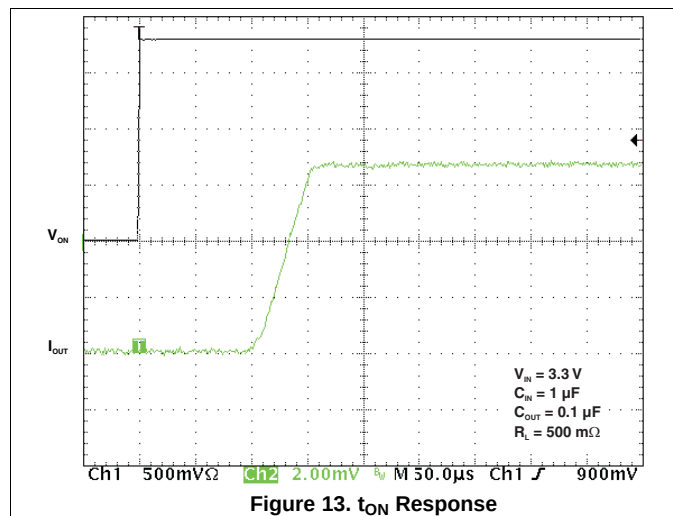


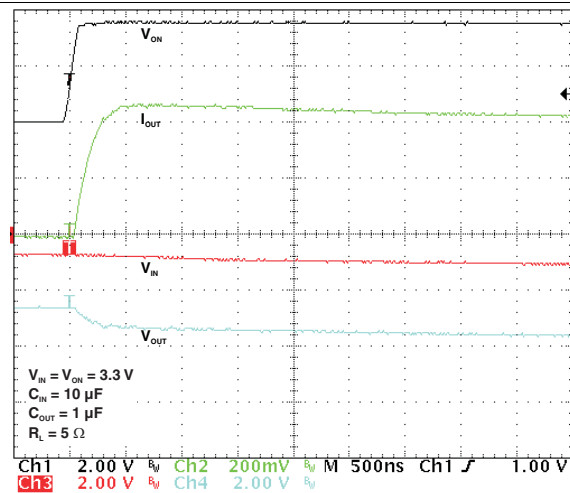
Figure 12. ON Threshold



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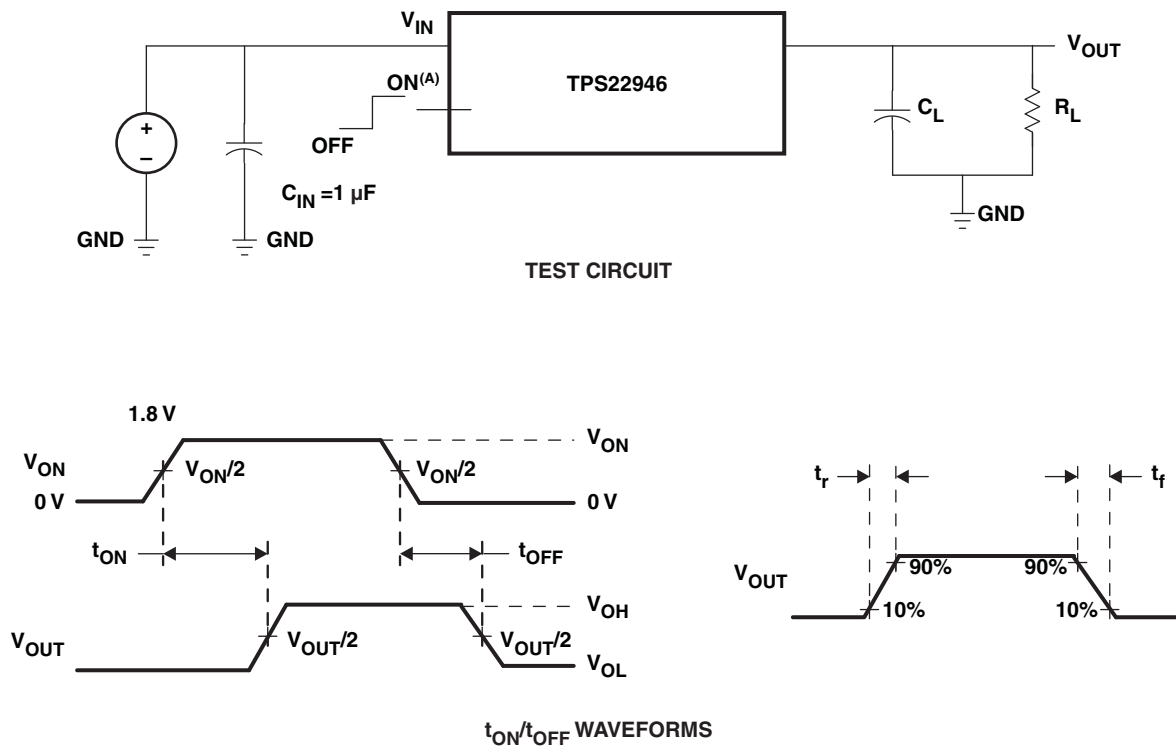


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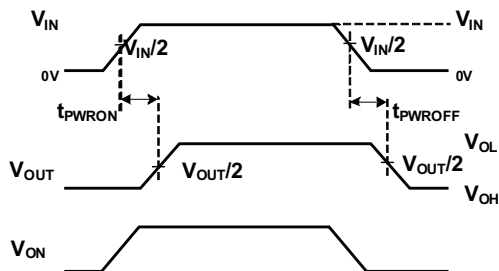


**Figure 19. Moderate Overcurrent Response**

## 7 Parameter Measurement Information



**Figure 20. Test Circuit and  $t_{ON}/t_{OFF}$  Waveforms**



**Figure 21.  $t_{PWROFF}/t_{PWROFF}$  Waveforms**

## 8 Detailed Description

### 8.1 Overview

The TPS22946 is an ultralow power load switch that provides protection to systems and loads in high-current conditions. The device contains a 300-mΩ current-limited P-channel MOSFET that can operate over an input voltage range of 1.62 V to 5.5 V. The switch is controlled by an on/off input (ON), which is capable of interfacing directly with low-voltage control signals. The TPS22946 includes thermal shutdown protection that prevents damage to the device when a continuous over-current condition causes excessive heating by turning off the switch.

When the switch current reaches the maximum limit, the TPS22946 operates in a constant-current mode to prohibit excessive currents from causing damage. The current limit can be selected using the CL input: a high CL input sets the current limit to 155 mA, a low CL input sets the current limit to 70 mA, and a floating CL input sets the current limit to 30 mA.

If the constant current condition still persists after 10 ms, the switch is turned off and the fault signal pin (OC) is pulled low. The TPS22946 has an auto-restart feature which turns the switch on again after 70 ms if the ON pin is still active. If the TPS22946 remains in an over-current condition for 5 seconds, the device shuts off until it is turned on again by setting the ON control signal off and then on.

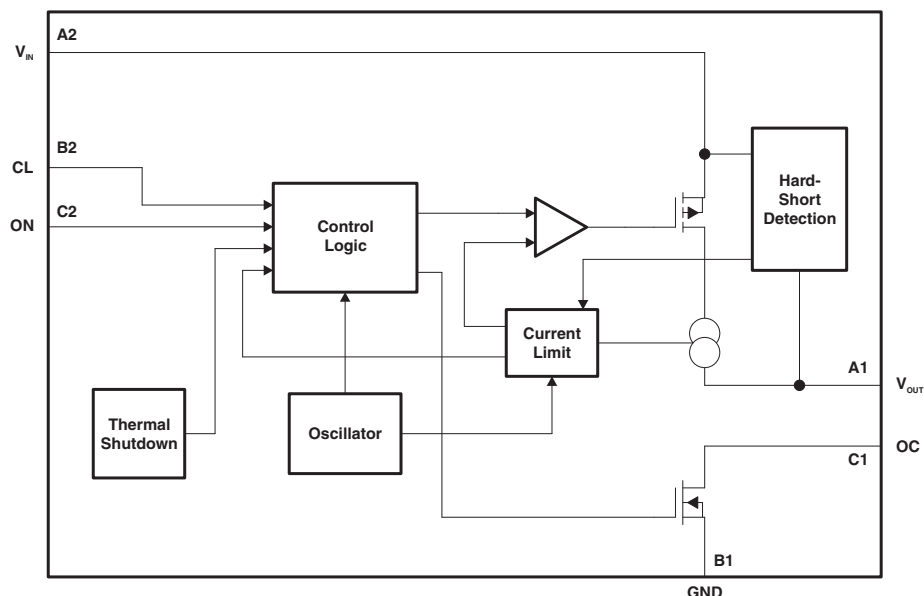
If the device is used to protect an LDO, the inrush current required by the LDO at startup can, in some cases, exceed the current limit and initiate a blanking (current limiting) condition. The TPS22946 device provides allowance for this scenario during startup of the LDO by temporarily increasing the current limit to 435 mA for 8 ms after the load switch is enabled.

The TPS22946 is available in a space-saving 6-pin DSBGA (YZP) package. The device is characterized for operation over the free-air temperature range of –40°C to 85°C.

**Table 1. Feature List**

|          | $r_{ON}$ (TYP) AT 5.5 V | CURRENT LIMIT           | INTEGRATED INRUSH CURRENT TIME-OUT | CURRENT LIMIT BLANKING TIME | AUTO-RESTART TIME | OVERCURRENT TIME-OUT | ENABLE      |
|----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| TPS22946 | 300 mΩ                  | 30 mA, 70 mA, or 155 mA | Yes                                | 10 ms                       | 70 ms             | 6 s                  | Active high |

### 8.2 Functional Block Diagram



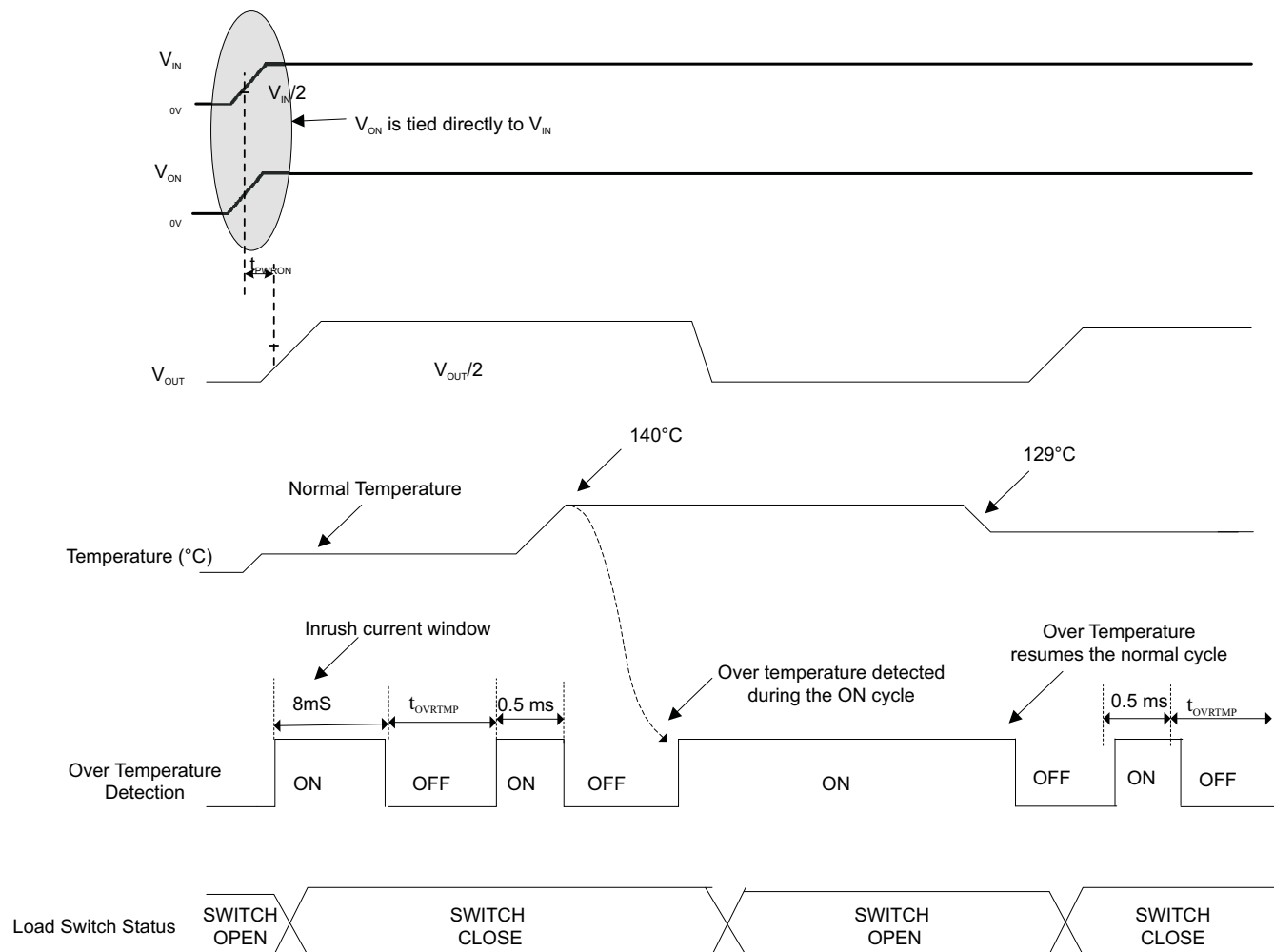
## 8.3 Feature Description

### 8.3.1 Detection Schemes

#### 8.3.1.1 Overtemperature Detection

The thermal shutdown detection circuit is active every 8 ms for a period of 0.5 ms. The thermal shutdown protects the part from internally or externally generated excessive temperatures. During an over-temperature condition the switch is turned-off (Open). The switch automatically turns-on (closes) again if temperature of the die drops below the threshold temperature while the part is still enabled.

In addition, if an overcurrent fault condition is detected due to a moderate overcurrent or a hard-short, the thermal shutdown is activated immediately and stays on continuously for the duration of blanking (see Figure 32).



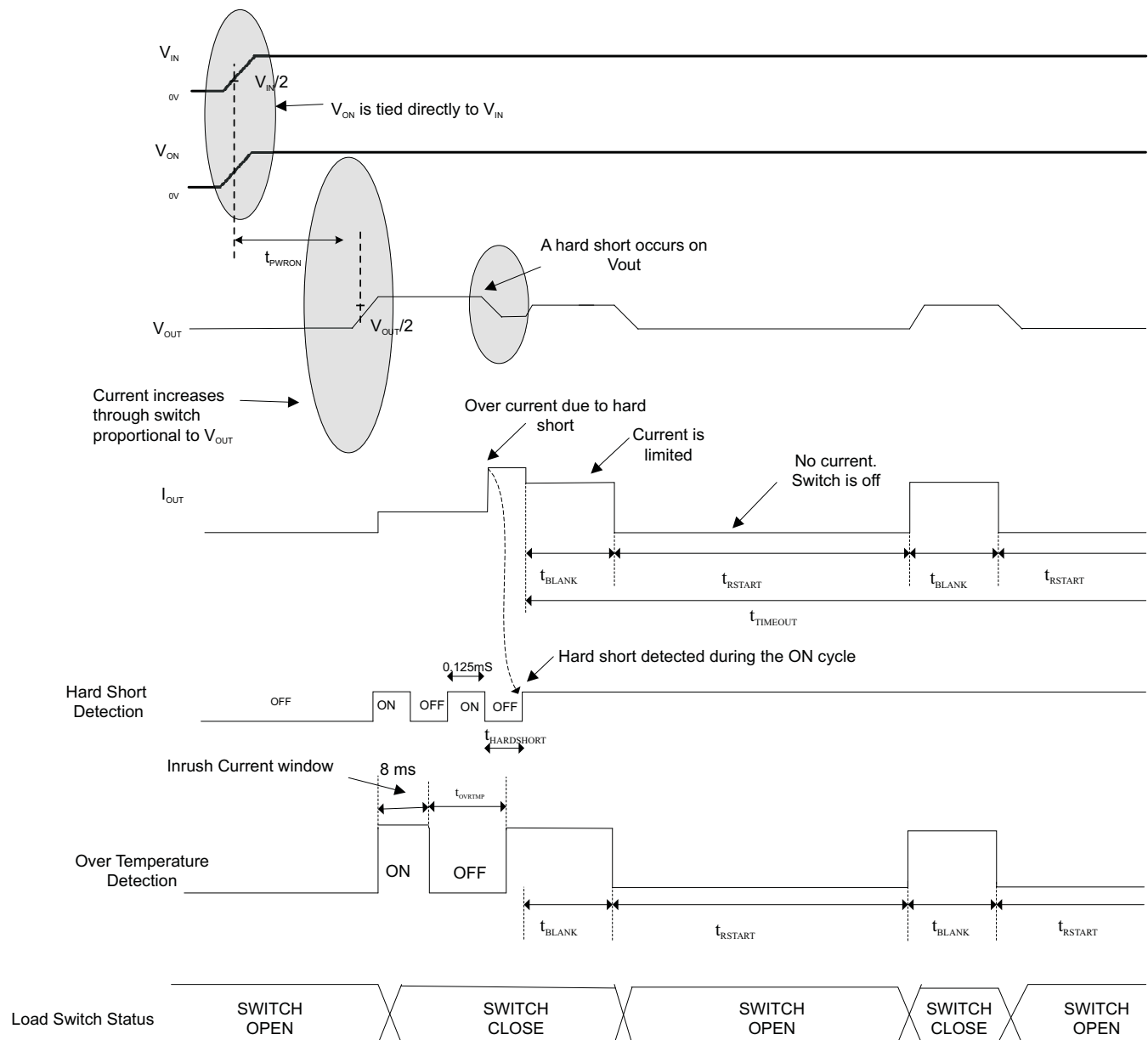
NOTE: Case where the temperature causes the overtemperature detection circuit to trip before the other detection schemes.

**Figure 22. Overtemperature Detection**

## Feature Description (continued)

### 8.3.1.2 Hard-Short Detection

The hard-short detection circuit is active every 250  $\mu\text{s}$  for a period of 125  $\mu\text{s}$ . A comparator monitors the output voltage,  $V_{\text{OUT}}$ . A hard short is detected when  $V_{\text{OUT}}$  is lower than  $2/3 V_{\text{IN}}$ . The switch then goes into current-limiting mode.

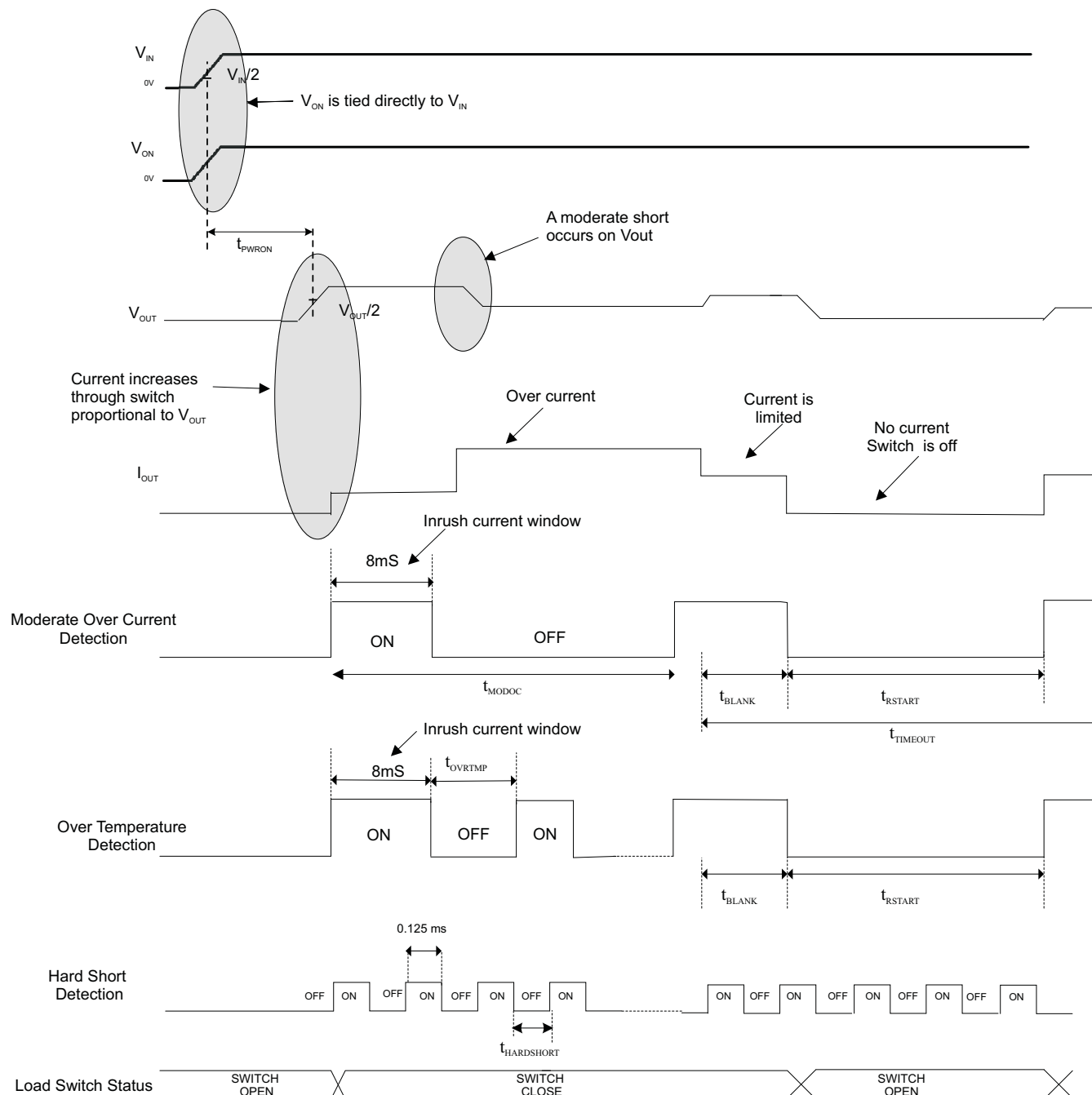


**Figure 23. Hard-Short Detection**

## Feature Description (continued)

### 8.3.1.3 Moderate Overcurrent Detection

The moderate overcurrent detection circuit is active every 64 ms for a period of 0.5 ms. A moderate over-current condition is triggered when the output current of the switch exceeds the current limit value and is not yet into hard short condition. The switch then goes into current-limiting mode.



NOTE: The overcurrent does not cause the temperature to go above 140°C here.

**Figure 24. Moderate Overcurrent Detection**

## **Feature Description (continued)**

### **8.3.1.4 Current Limiting Mode**

When an overcurrent condition (moderate or a hard short) is detected, the TPS22946 operates in a constant-current mode to prohibit excessive currents from causing damage. TPS22946 has a current limit of 30 mA, 70 mA, or 155 mA.

If the constant current condition still persists after 10ms, the device shuts off the switch and pulls the fault signal pin (OC) low. The TPS22946 has an auto-restart feature which turns the switch on again after 70 ms if the ON pin is still active.

### **8.3.1.5 Fault Reporting**

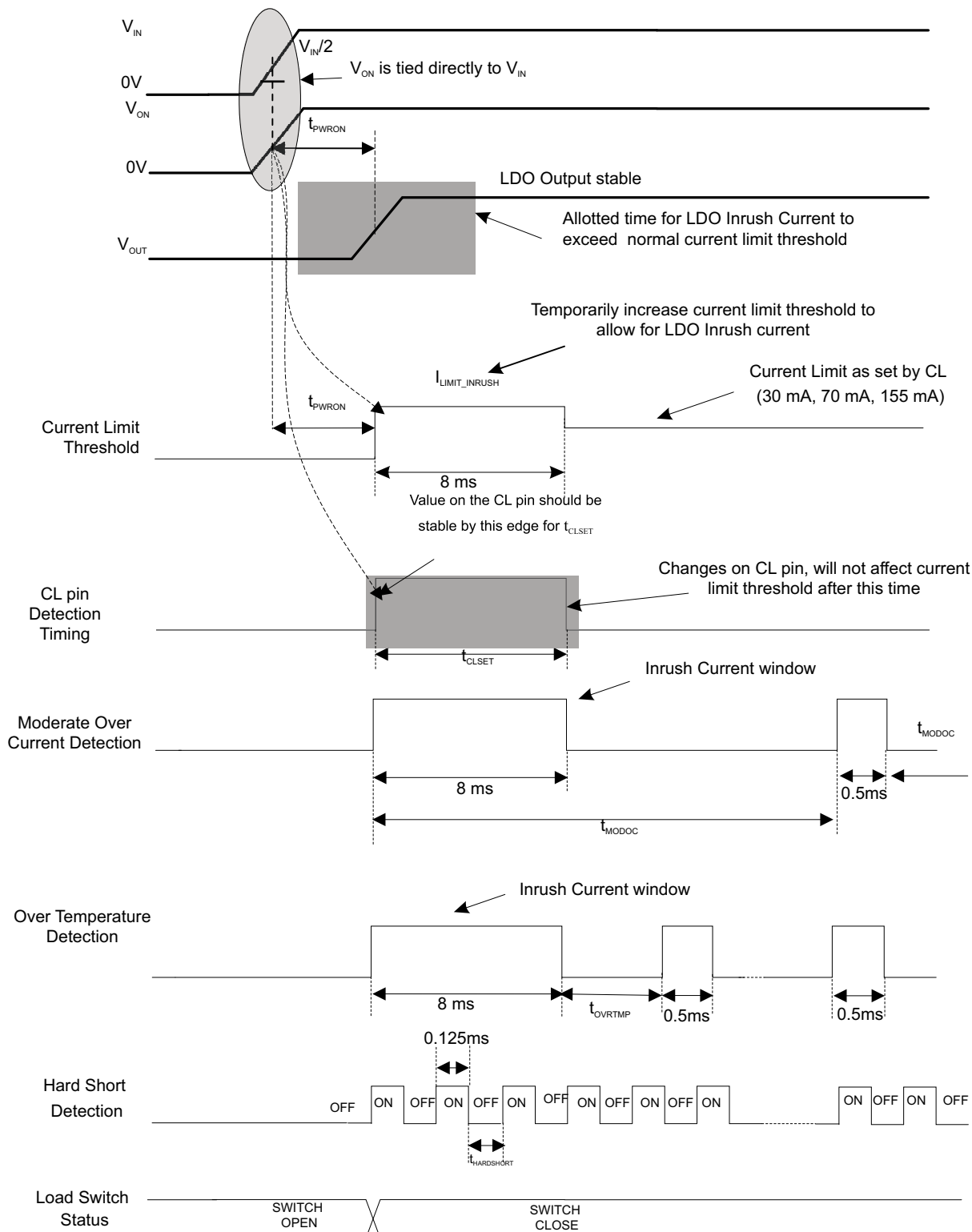
When a moderate overcurrent, hard short or overtemperature condition is detected, OC is set active low to signal a fault condition. OC is an open-drain MOSFET and requires a pullup resistor between  $V_{IN}$  and OC. During shutdown, the pulldown on OC is disabled, reducing current draw from the supply.

### **8.3.1.6 Power-On and Power-Off Sequence**

The device is enabled internally only once the hard-short detection circuit is enabled.



## Feature Description (continued)



**Figure 25. Power-On/Power-Off Sequence Timing**

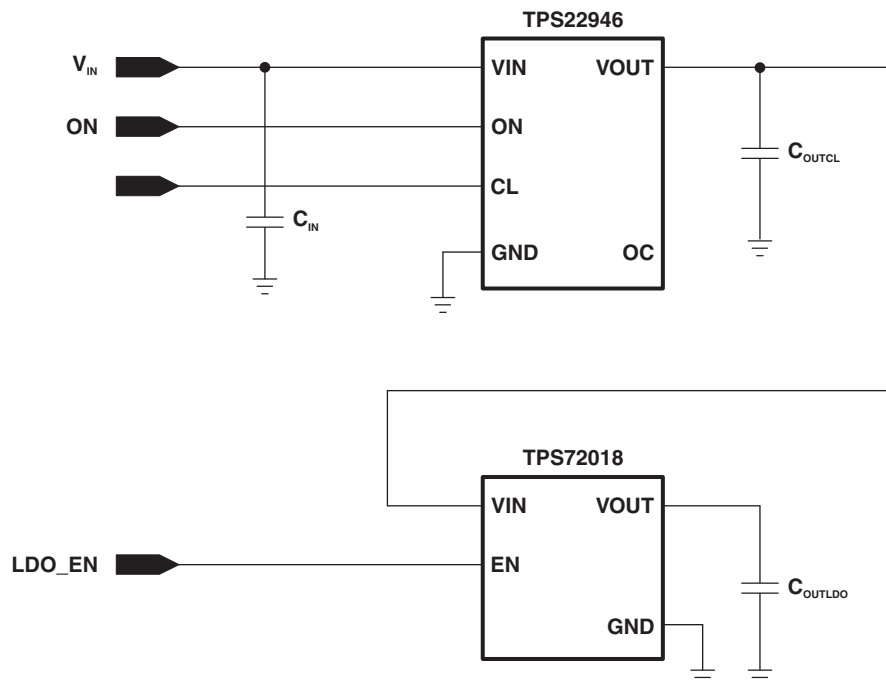
## Feature Description (continued)

### 8.3.1.7 Automatic Disable in Case of Permanent Overcurrent

When the switch enters the current-limiting mode due to a hard short condition or a moderate over-current condition, TPS22946 goes through the 10-ms blanking state and the 70-ms auto restart state. If the hard-short condition or the moderate over-current condition persists after 5 s, the part shuts off regardless of the ON signal. The switch is turned on again after a power reset if the ON pin is HIGH.

### 8.3.2 Inrush Current Time-out Feature

The inrush current required by the LDO at startup can in some cases exceed the current limit and initiate a blanking (current limiting) condition. TPS22946 provides allowance for this scenario by temporarily increasing the current limit to 435 mA for 8 ms after the load switch is enabled. This time-out is initiated by the positive edge transition on the ON signal.



**Figure 26. Inrush Current Time-out Circuit**

## Feature Description (continued)

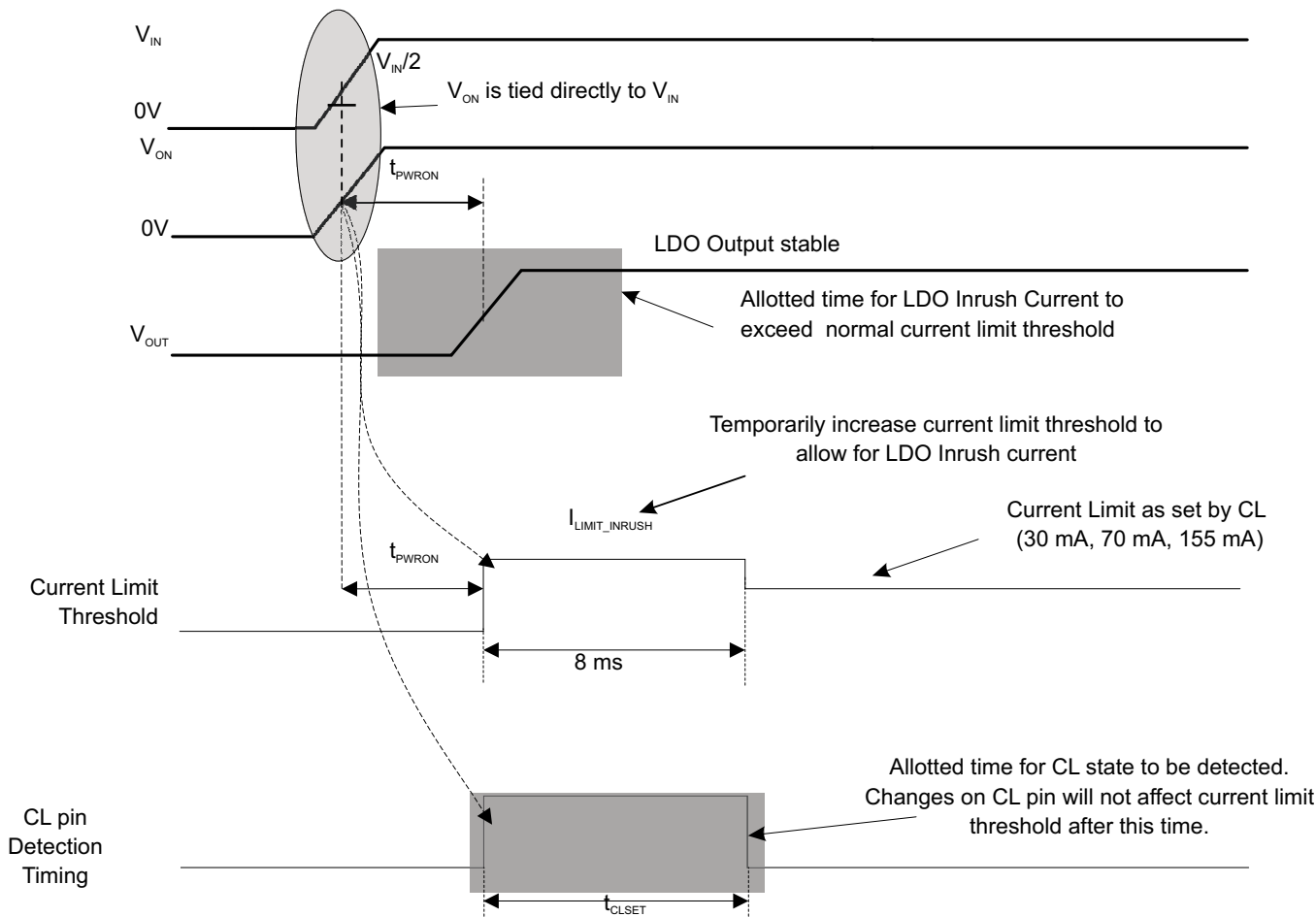


Figure 27. Inrush Current Time-out Timing

### 8.3.3 CL Control Pin

The TPS22946 supports three current limits: 30 mA, 70 mA, and 155 mA. The current limit selection is determined by the status of the digital input CL pin, as shown in Table 2. A high impedance, or floating, condition allows the CL pin to support a third state. The TPS22946 monitors the state of the CL pin during start-up from a disabled state, and upon start-up sets the current limit accordingly. When floating the CL pin, keep the total capacitance on the pin less than 100 pF and the resistive loading greater than 10 MΩ to ensure proper operation. Any changes to the state of the CL pin after the start-up operation has completed are ignored until the next start-up cycle.

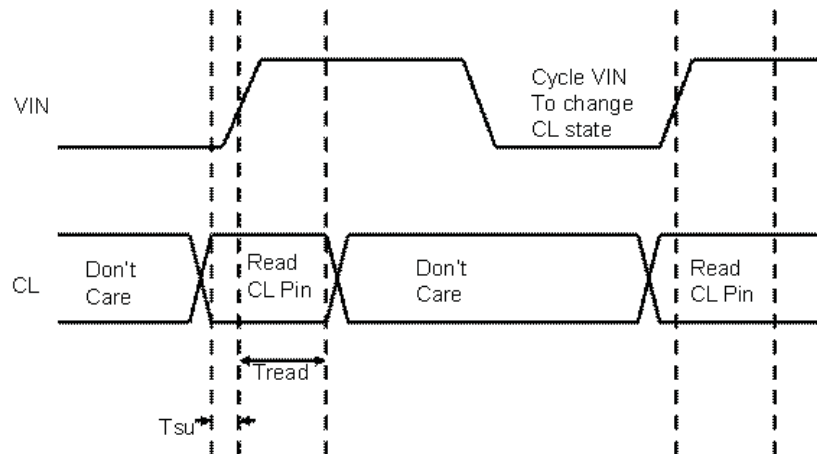
The CL pin must be driven with logic levels referenced to  $V_{IN}$ . The CL pin can be tied high or low on the printed wiring board (PWB) or driven by a general purpose I/O (GPIO), as long as the  $V_{IL}$  and  $V_{IH}$  recommended operating conditions are met.

Table 2. CL Control Pin

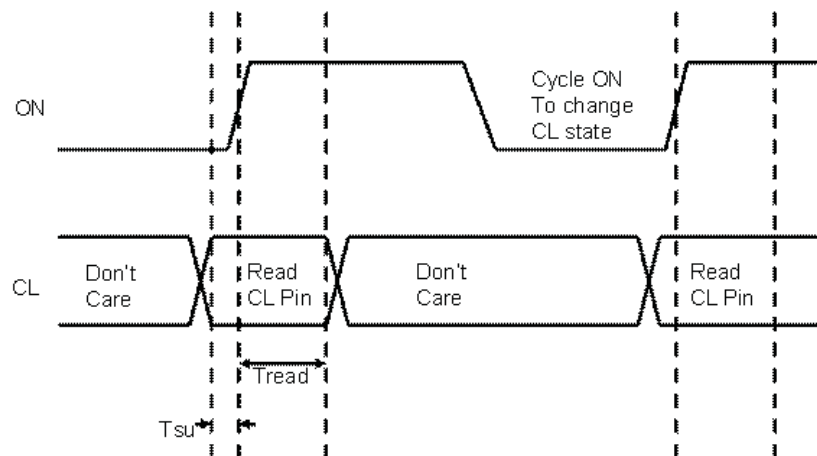
| CL PIN STATUS             | CURRENT LIMIT |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Logic low <sup>(1)</sup>  | 70 mA         |
| Float <sup>(2)</sup>      | 30 mA         |
| Logic high <sup>(1)</sup> | 155 mA        |

(1) Resistance to VCC or GND < 100 Ω

(2) Load on CL: C < 100 pF, R > 10 MΩ



**Figure 28. CL Pin Read Timing When cycling VIN (ON Pin Tied to VIN)**



**Figure 29. CL Pin Read Timing Cycling ON Pin (VIN High)**

### 8.3.4 Overtemperature Protection

An overtemperature condition occurs when the temperature of the part is greater than 140°C. The OC flag will go low to indicate a fault. If the overtemperature condition persists for more than 6 seconds, the part times out and shuts OFF. The part must be enabled by either toggling the ON pin or the VIN pin. If the temperature falls below 130°C within 5 seconds, the part will start normal operation.

If the temperature is not constantly high above 140°C and is toggling between greater than 140°C and less than 130°C, the internal time-out timer keeps resetting. If this event occurs more than 32 times, it will cause the part to shut OFF. It can be enabled by toggling either the ON pin or the VIN pin.

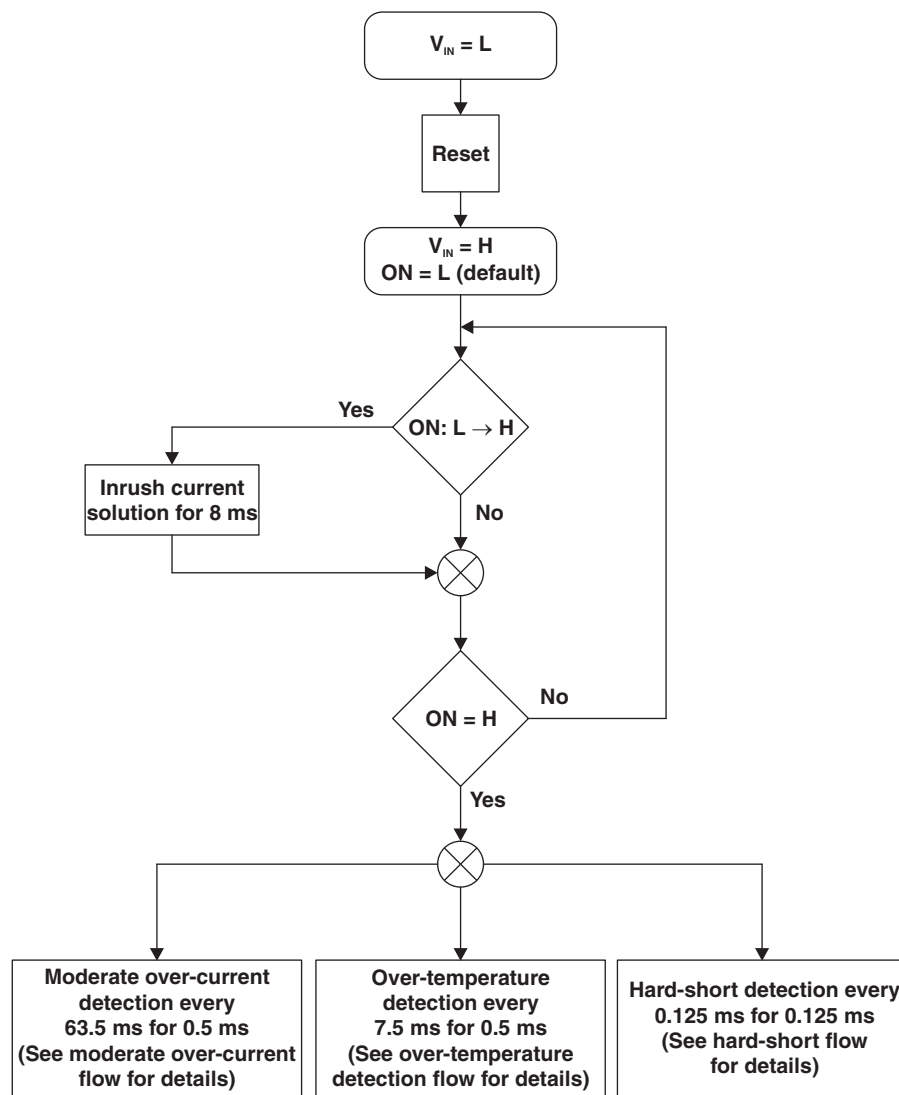
## 8.4 Device Functional Modes

**Table 3. Function Table**

| ON | CL                   | TPS22946                                    |
|----|----------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| L  | x                    | $V_{IN}$ to $V_{OUT}$ switch is off (open)  |
| H  | x                    | $V_{IN}$ to $V_{OUT}$ switch is on (closed) |
| x  | H <sup>(1)</sup>     | Current limit set to 155 mA                 |
| x  | L <sup>(1)</sup>     | Current limit set to 70 mA                  |
| x  | Float <sup>(2)</sup> | Current limit set to 30 mA                  |

(1) Resistance to VCC or GND < 100  $\Omega$

(2) Load on CL: C < 100 pF, R > 10 M $\Omega$



**Figure 30. Functional Flow Diagram**

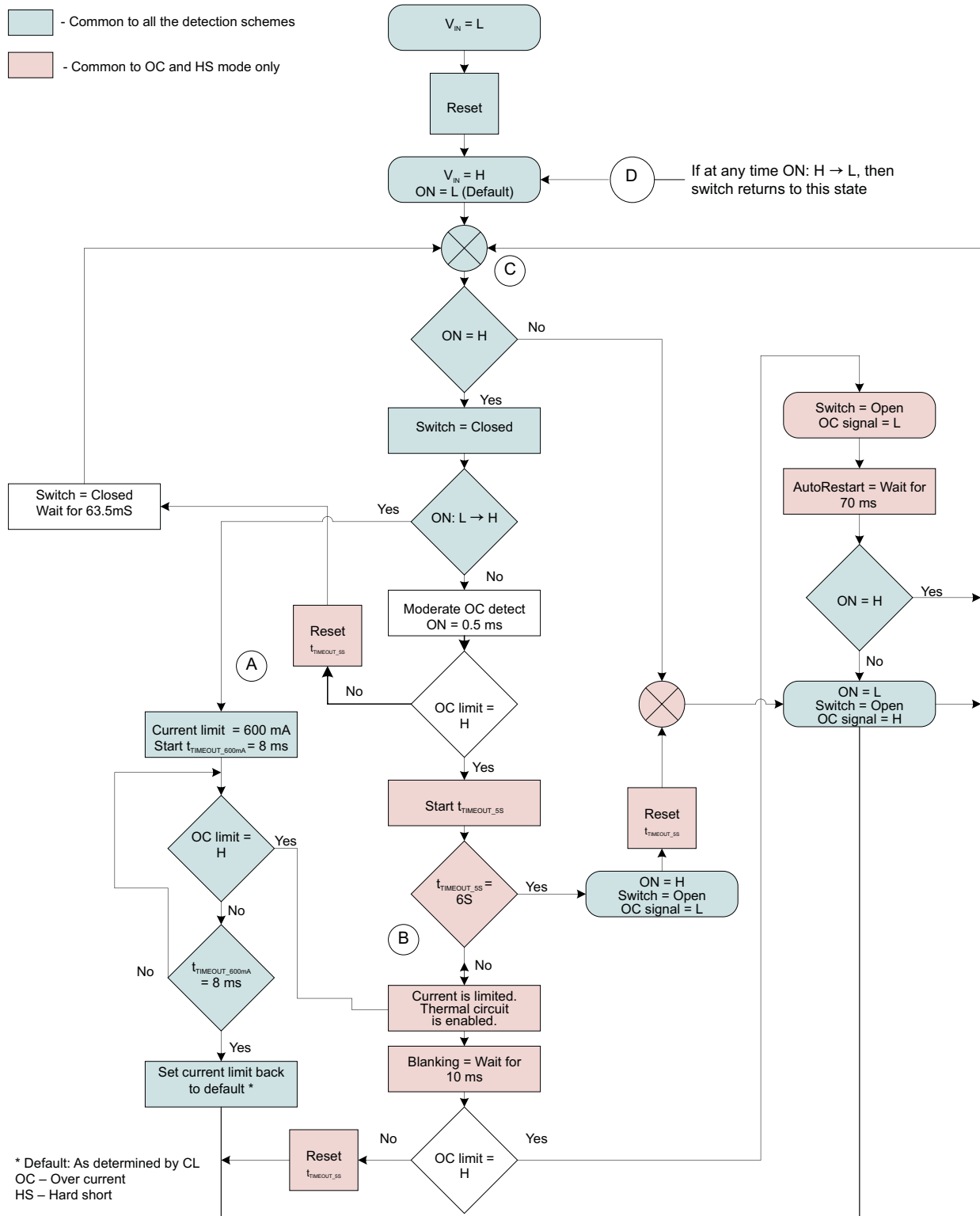
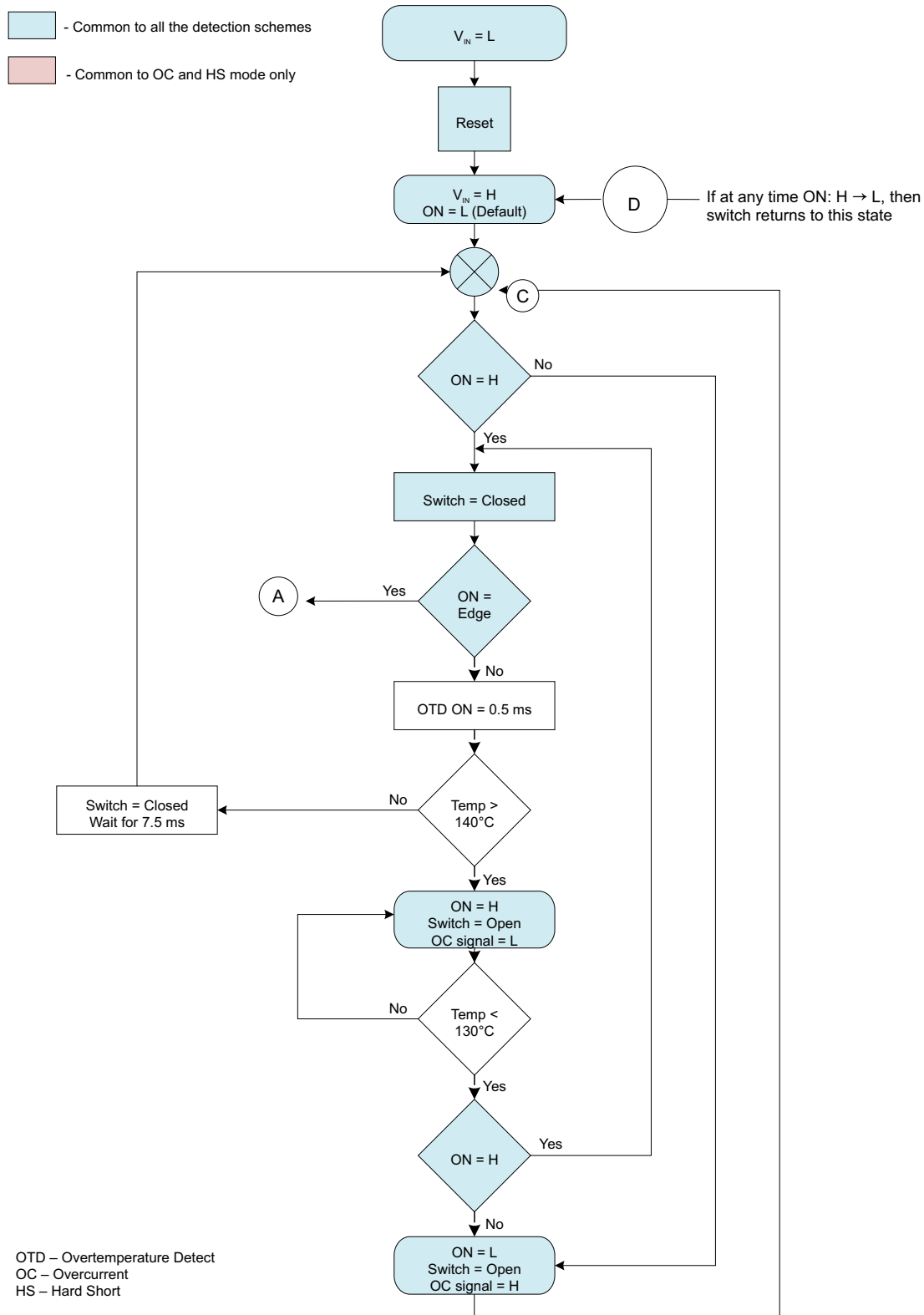
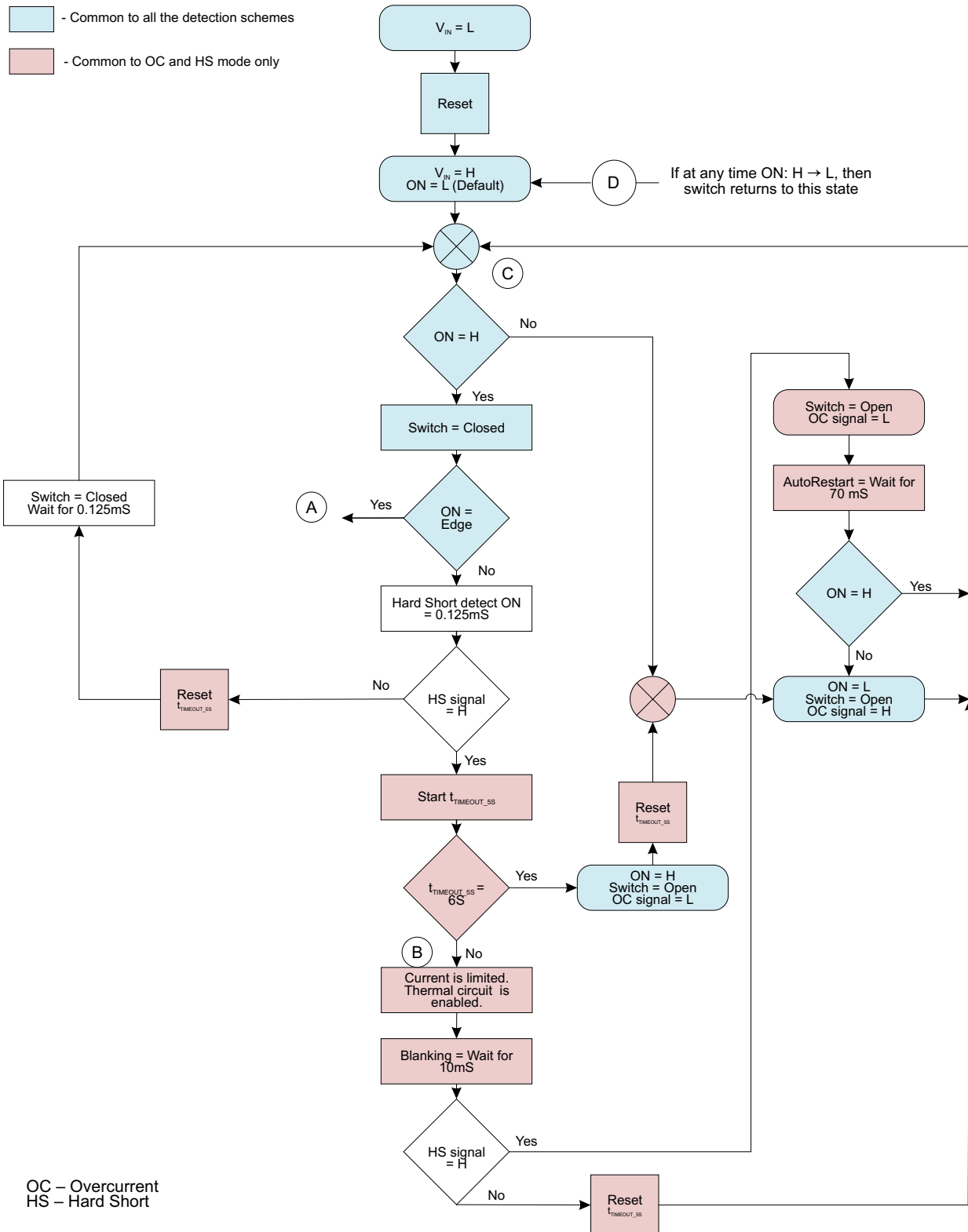


Figure 31. Moderate Overcurrent Detection Flow Diagram



**Figure 32. Overtemperature Detection Flow Diagram**



**Figure 33. Hard Short-Circuit Detection Flow Diagram**



## 9 Application and Implementation

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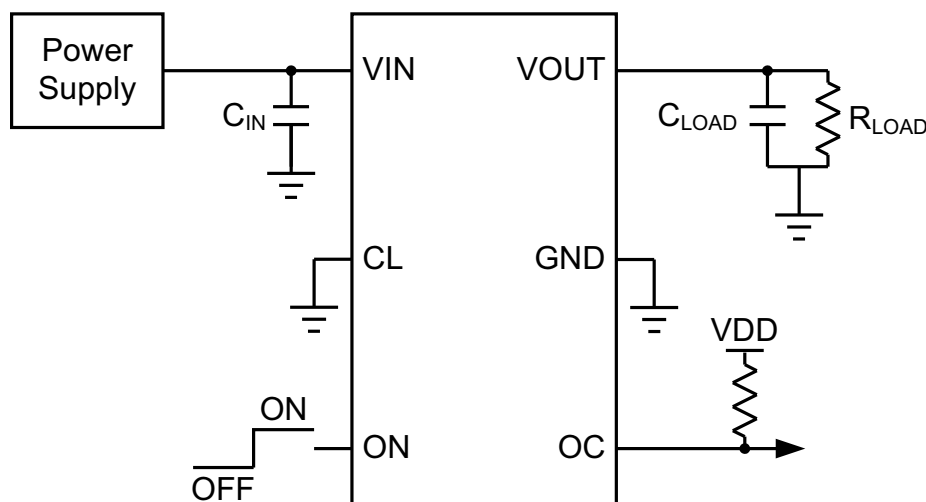
### 9.1 Application Information

#### 9.1.1 On/Off Control

The ON pin controls the state of the switch. Activating ON continuously holds the switch in the on state so long as there is no fault. A junction temperature in excess of 150°C overrides the ON control to turn off the switch. ON is active HIGH and has a low threshold making it capable of interfacing with low voltage signals. When the MOSFET is off, the body diode is disabled so no current can flow through it from the input to the output; however, the body diode does not prevent reverse current flowing.

### 9.2 Typical Application

This application demonstrates how the TPS22946 can be used to power a downstream load that includes a capacitive element ( $C_{LOAD}$ ).



**Figure 34. Typical Application Schematic**

#### 9.2.1 Design Requirements

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

**Table 4. Design Parameters**

| DESIGN PARAMETER                  | EXAMPLE VALUE |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| $V_{IN}$                          | 3.3 V         |
| Output capacitance ( $C_{LOAD}$ ) | 1 $\mu$ F     |
| $V_{OUT}$ rise time ( $t_R$ )     | 50 $\mu$ s    |

## 9.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

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

- $V_{IN}$  voltage
- Output capacitance ( $C_{LOAD}$ )
- $V_{OUT}$  rise time ( $t_R$ )

The TPS22946 has a 435-mA current limit during initial turnon of the switch,  $I_{limit\_inrush}$ . This current limit is higher than the steady-state current limit,  $I_{LIM}$ . The purpose of this feature is to allow the inrush current that is caused by charging up the capacitor,  $C_{LOAD}$ . To calculate the inrush current that is caused by the capacitor during initial turnon, use the following equation:

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

where

- $I_{INRUSH}$  = amount of inrush current caused by  $C_{LOAD}$
- $C_L$  = capacitance on  $V_{OUT}$
- $dt$  =  $V_{OUT}$  rise time
- $dV_{OUT}$  = increase in  $V_{OUT}$  during the rise time

(1)

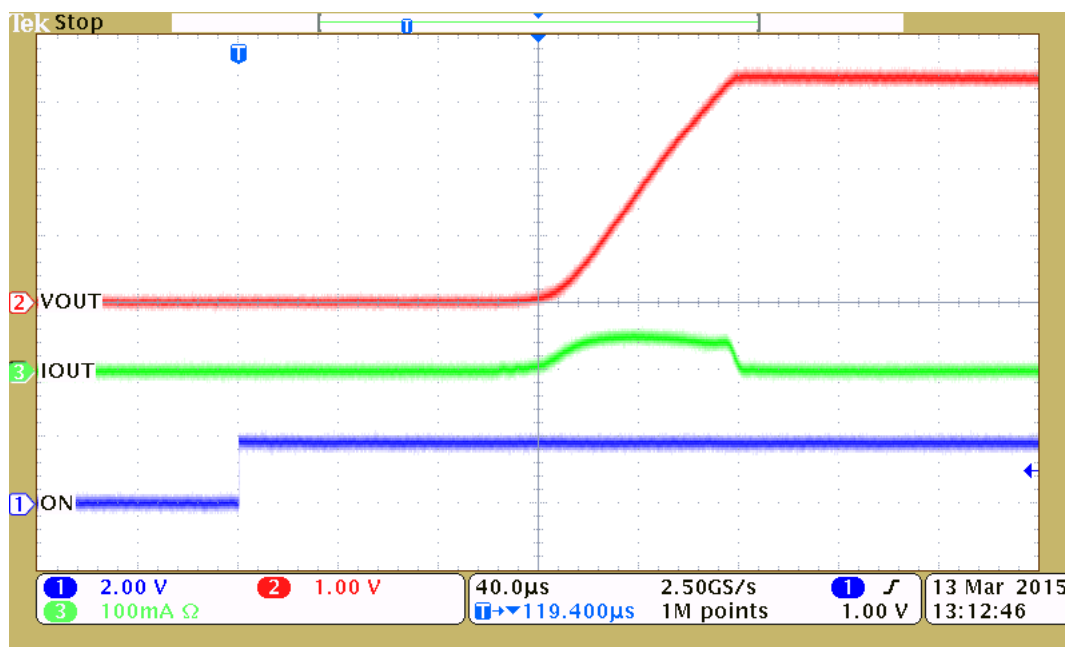
Using the given example values, the inrush current in this typical application will be 66-mA:

$$66 \text{ mA} = 1 \mu\text{F} \times 3.3 \text{ V} / 50 \mu\text{s}$$

(2)

The oscilloscope capture in [Figure 35](#) shows the inrush current for the given design example.

## 9.2.3 Application Curve



**Figure 35. Inrush Current With 1-μF Output Capacitor**

## 10 Power Supply Recommendations

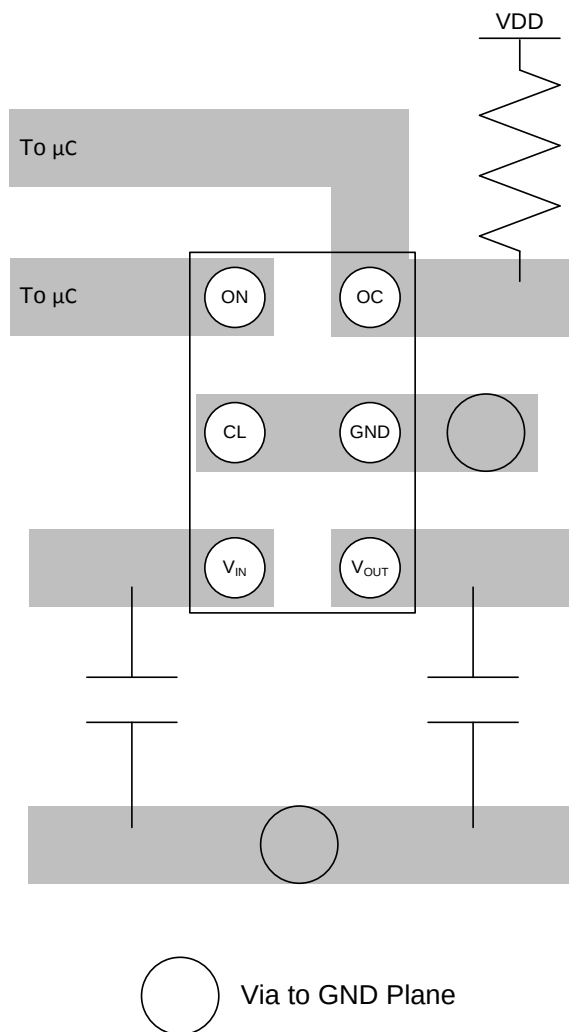
The device is designed to operate from a  $V_{IN}$  range of 1.62 to 5.5 V. The  $V_{IN}$  power supply should be well regulated and placed as close to the  $V_{IN}$  terminal as possible. The power supply must be able to withstand all transient load current steps. In most situations, using the minimum recommended input capacitance of 1  $\mu\text{F}$  is sufficient to prevent the supply voltage from dipping when the switch is turned on. In cases where the power supply is slow to respond to a large transient current or large load current step, additional bulk capacitance may be required on the input.

## 11 Layout

### 11.1 Layout Guidelines

- The  $C_{IN}$  capacitor should be placed as close as possible to the  $V_{IN}$  pin.
- The  $V_{IN}$  and  $V_{OUT}$  traces should be the appropriate width to carry the load current.
- The CL pin may be connected directly to GND or  $V_{IN}$  (depending on the desired current limit). The CL pin may also be left floating.

### 11.2 Layout Example



**Figure 36. Layout Example**

## 12 Device and Documentation Support

### 12.1 Trademarks

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### 12.2 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.

### 12.3 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

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

## 13 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

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| Orderable Device | Status<br>(1) | Package Type | Package<br>Drawing | Pins | Package<br>Qty | Eco Plan<br>(2) | Lead finish/<br>Ball material<br>(6) | MSL Peak Temp<br>(3) | Op Temp (°C) | Device Marking<br>(4/5) | Samples                 |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| TPS22946YZPR     | ACTIVE        | DSBGA        | YZP                | 6    | 3000           | RoHS & Green    | SNAGCU                               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM   | -40 to 85    | (5H, 5H2)               | <a href="#">Samples</a> |

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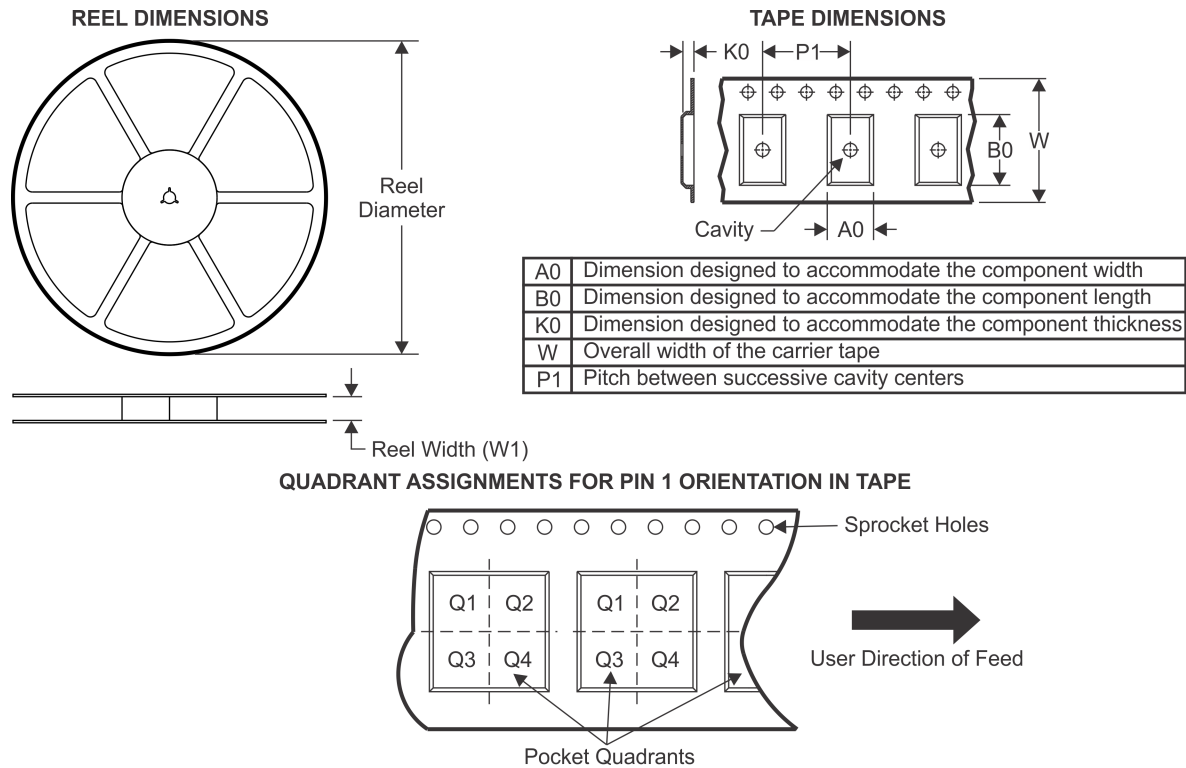
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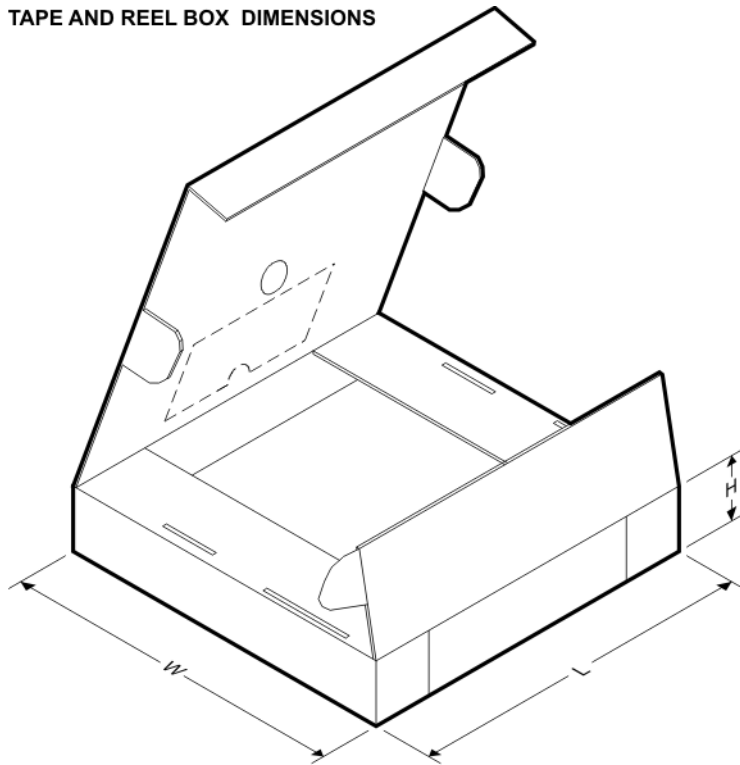
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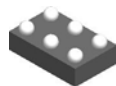
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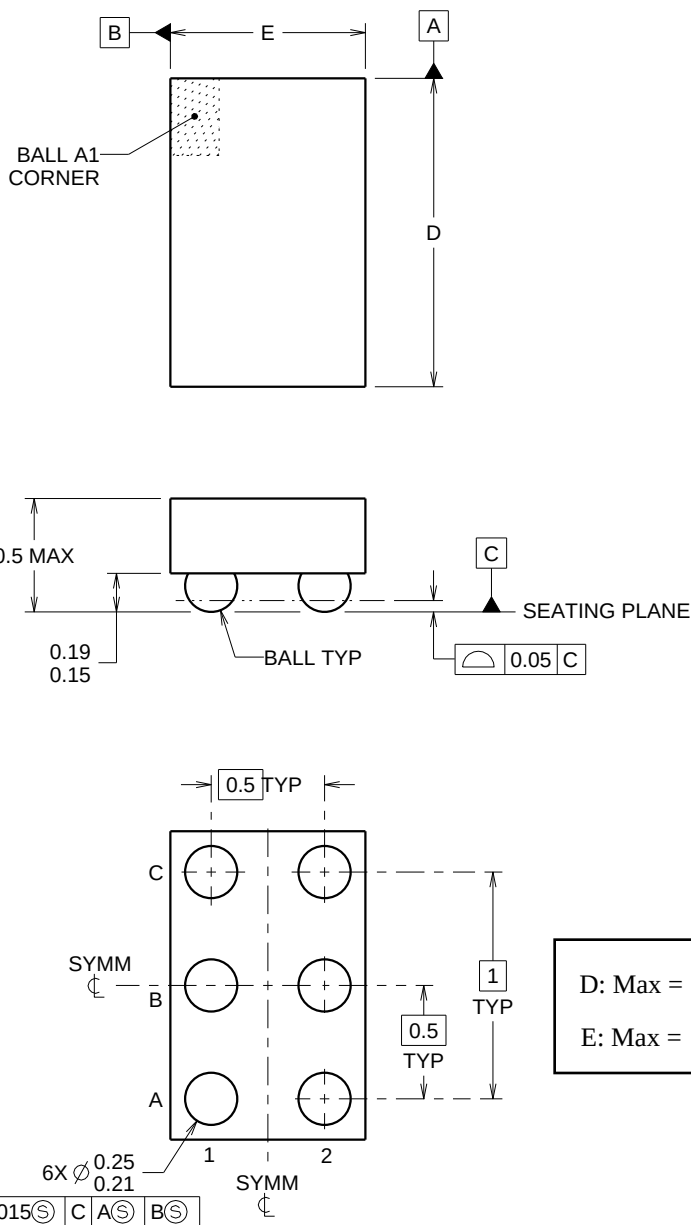
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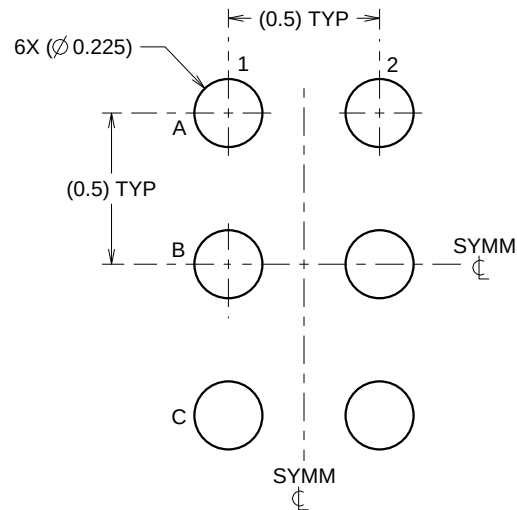
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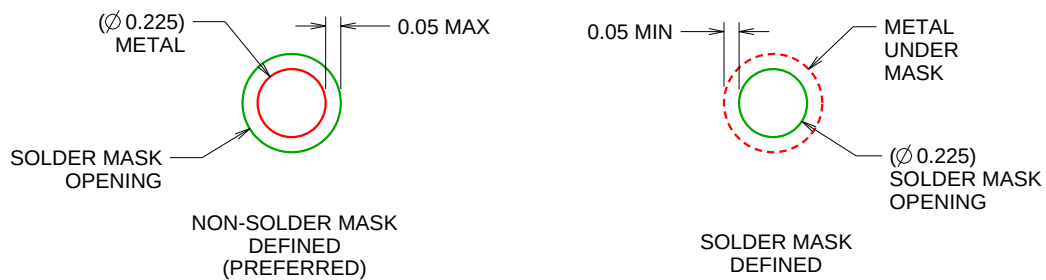
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## DIE SIZE BALL GRID ARRAY



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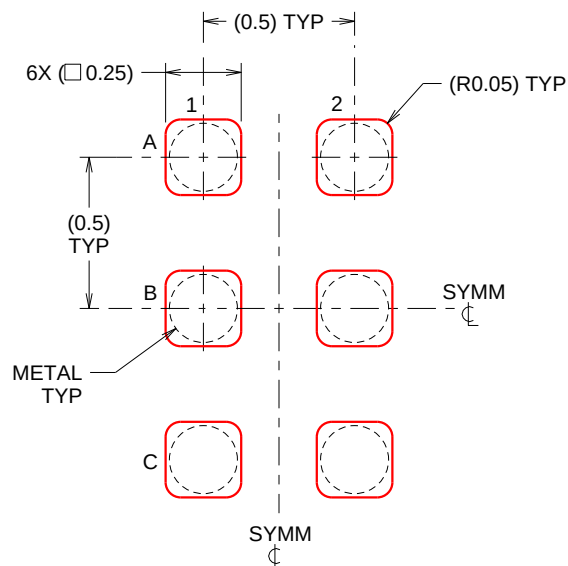


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