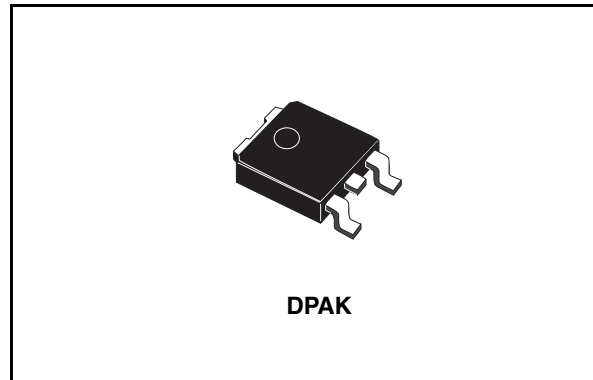


## 3 A low-drop, adjustable positive voltage regulator

### Features

- Typical dropout 1.3 V (at 3 A)
- Three terminal adjustable output voltage
- Guaranteed output current up to 3 A
- Output tolerance  $\pm 2\%$  at 25 °C and  $\pm 3\%$  in full temperature range
- Internal power and thermal limit
- Wide operating temperature range -40 °C to 125 °C
- Package available: DPAK
- Pinout compatibility with standard adjustable VREG



### Description

The LD1085C is a low drop voltage regulator able to provide up to 3 A of output current. Dropout is guaranteed at a maximum of 1.5 V at the maximum output current, decreasing at lower loads. The LD1085C is pin to pin compatible with the older 3-terminal adjustable regulators, but has better performances in term of drop and output tolerance.

A 2.85 V output version is suitable for SCSI-2 active termination. Unlike PNP regulators, where a part of the output current is wasted as quiescent current, the LD1085C quiescent current flows into the load, so increase efficiency. Only a 10  $\mu$ F minimum capacitor is need for stability.

The device is supplied in DPAK. On chip trimming allows the regulator to reach a very tight output voltage tolerance, within  $\pm 2\%$  at 25 °C.

**Table 1. Device summary**

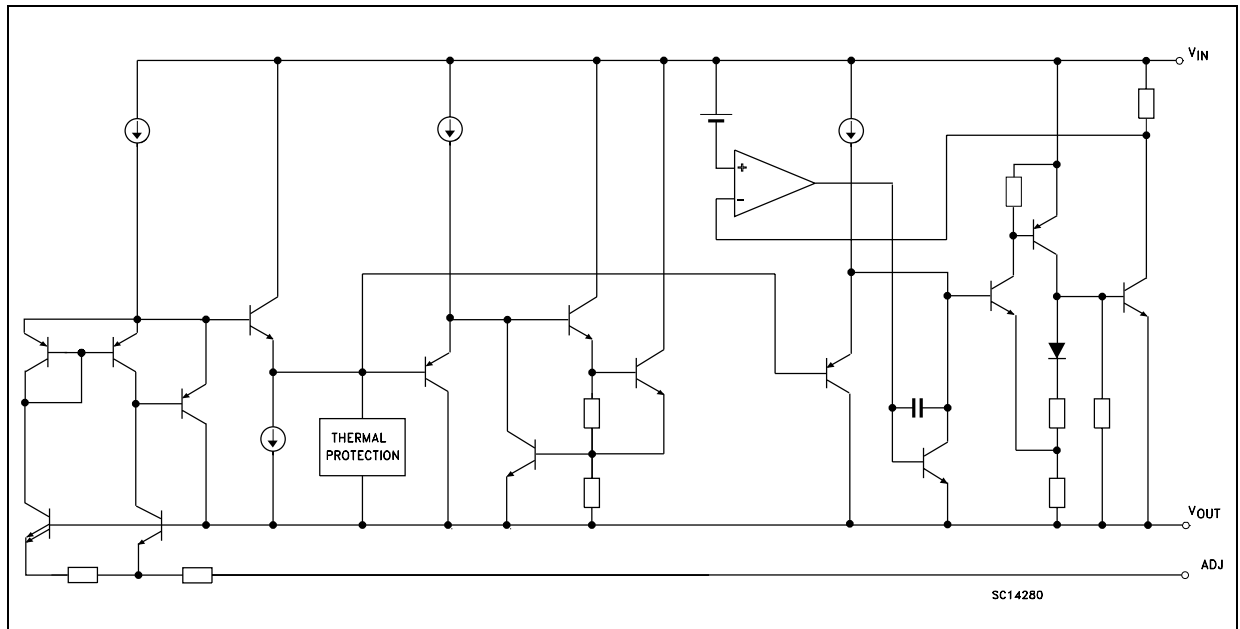
Order codes	Packages
LD1085CDT-R	DPAK (tape and reel)

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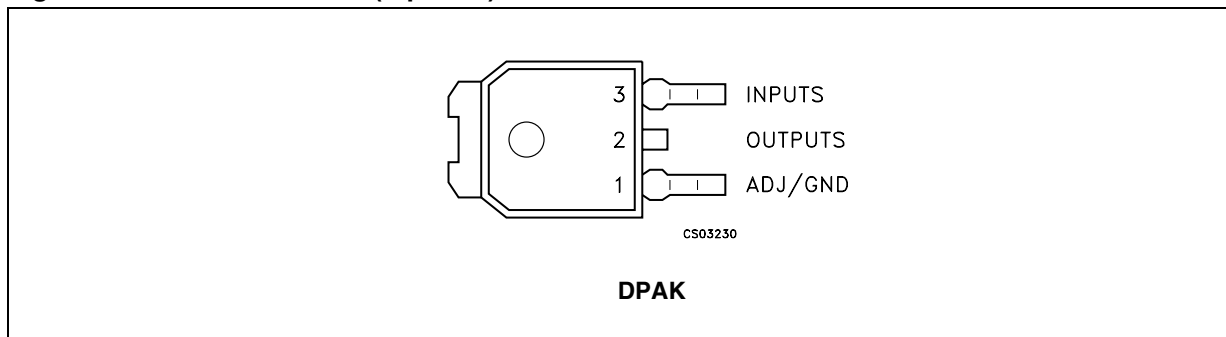
# 1 Diagram

Figure 1. Schematic diagram



## 2 Pin configuration

Figure 2. Pin connections (top view)



### 3 Maximum ratings

**Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$V_I$	DC input voltage	30	V
$I_O$	Output current	Internally limited	
$P_D$	Power dissipation	Internally limited	
$T_{STG}$	Storage temperature range	-55 to +150	°C
$T_{OP}$	Operating junction temperature range	-40 to +125	°C

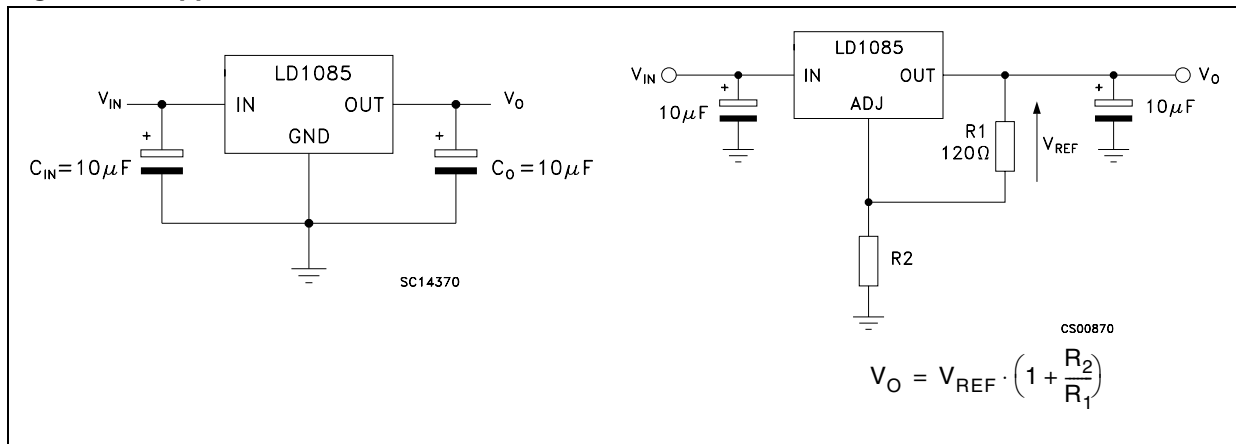
*Note: Absolute maximum ratings are those values beyond which damage to the device may occur. Functional operation under these condition is not implied.*

**Table 3. Thermal data**

Symbol	Parameter	DPAK	Unit
$R_{thJC}$	Thermal resistance junction-case	3	°C/W
$R_{thJA}$	Thermal resistance junction-ambient	62.5	°C/W

## 4 Schematic application

Figure 3. Application circuit



## 5 Electrical characteristics

**Table 4. Electrical characteristics of LD1085CDT**  
( $V_I = 4.25\text{ V}$ ,  $C_I = C_O = 10\ \mu\text{F}$ ,  $T_A = -40\text{ to }125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise specified).

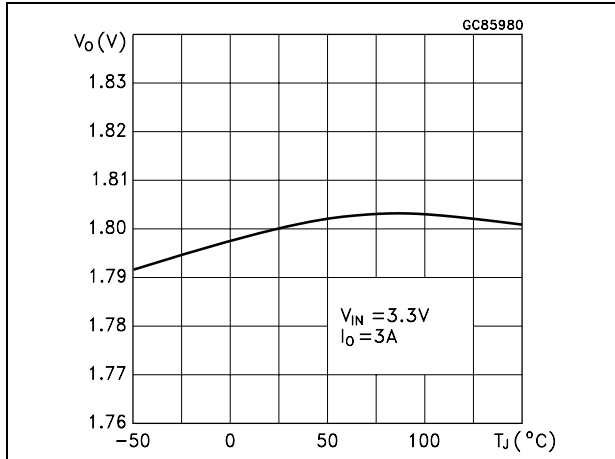
Symbol	Parameter	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$V_O$	Output voltage <sup>(1)</sup>	$I_O = 10\text{mA}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	1.225	1.25	1.275	V
		$I_O = 10\text{mA to }3\text{A}$ , $V_I = 2.85\text{ to }30\text{V}$ <sup>(1)</sup>	1.213	1.25	1.288	V
$\Delta V_O$	Line regulation	$I_O = 10\text{mA}$ , $V_I = 2.85\text{ to }16.5\text{V}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		0.015	0.2	%
		$I_O = 10\text{mA}$ , $V_I = 2.85\text{ to }16.5\text{V}$		0.035	0.2	%
$\Delta V_O$	Load regulation	$I_O = 10\text{mA to }5\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		0.1	0.3	%
		$I_O = 0\text{ to }5\text{A}$		0.2	0.4	%
$V_d$	Dropout voltage	$I_O = 5\text{A}$		1.3	1.5	V
$I_{O(\text{min})}$	Minimum load current	$V_I = 30\text{V}$		3	10	mA
$I_{\text{sc}}$	Short circuit current	$V_I - V_O = 5\text{V}$	3.2	4.5		A
		$V_I - V_O = 25\text{V}$	0.2	0.5		A
	Thermal regulation	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , 30ms pulse		0.003	0.015	%/W
SVR	Supply voltage rejection	$f = 120\text{ Hz}$ , $C_O = 25\ \mu\text{F}$ , $C_{\text{ADJ}} = 25\ \mu\text{F}$ , $I_O = 3\text{A}$ , $V_I = 6.25 \pm 3\text{V}$	60	75		dB
$I_{\text{ADJ}}$	Adjust pin current	$V_I = 4.25\text{V}$ , $I_O = 10\text{ mA}$		55	120	$\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_{\text{ADJ}}$	Adjust pin current change	$I_O = 10\text{mA to }3\text{A}$ , $V_I = 2.75\text{ to }16.5\text{V}$ <sup>(1)</sup>		0.2	5	$\mu\text{A}$
eN	RMS output noise voltage (% of $V_O$ )	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $f = 10\text{Hz to }10\text{kHz}$		0.003		%
S	Temperature stability			0.5		%
S	Long term stability	$T_A = 125^\circ\text{C}$ , 1000Hrs		0.5		%

1. See short-circuit current curve for available output current at fixed dropout.

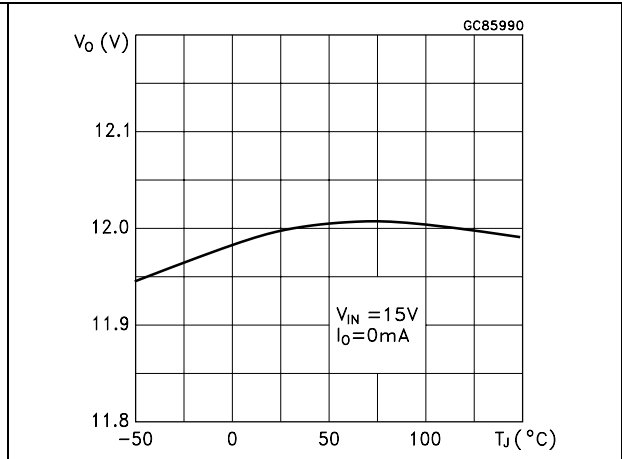
## 6 Typical application

(Unless otherwise specified  $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $C_I = C_O = 10\text{ }\mu\text{F}$ )

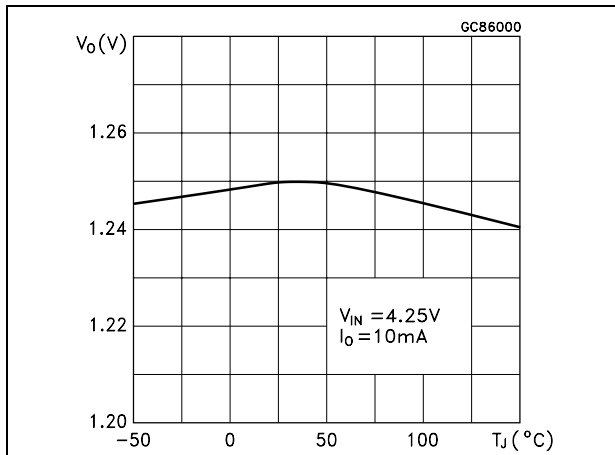
**Figure 4. Output voltage vs temperature**



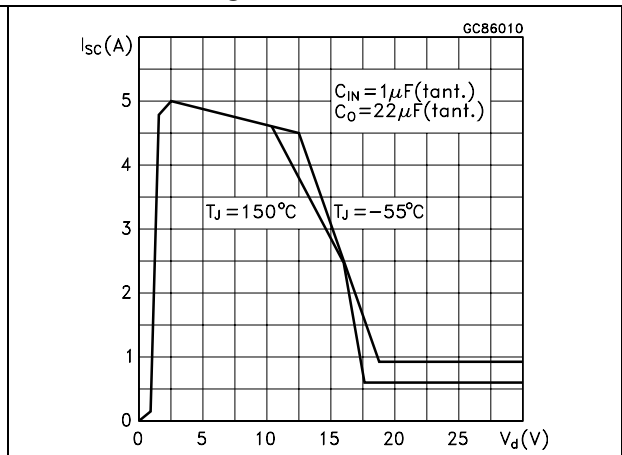
**Figure 5. Output voltage vs temperature**



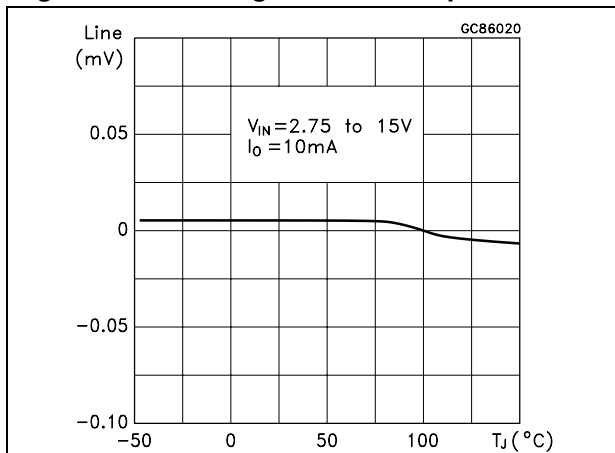
**Figure 6. Output voltage vs temperature**



**Figure 7. Short circuit current vs dropout voltage**



**Figure 8. Line regulation vs temperature**



**Figure 9. Load regulation vs temperature**

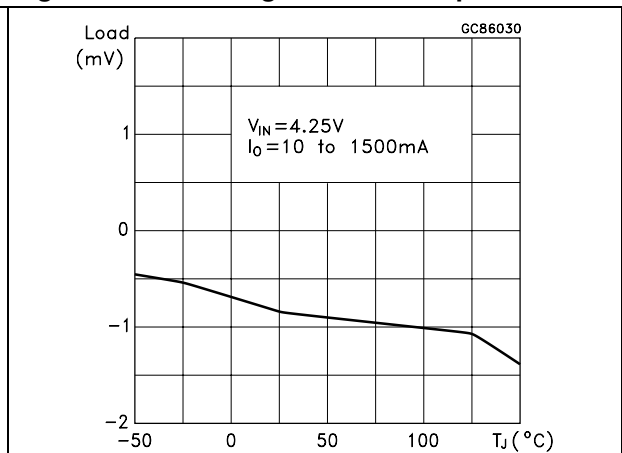




Figure 10. Dropout voltage vs temperature

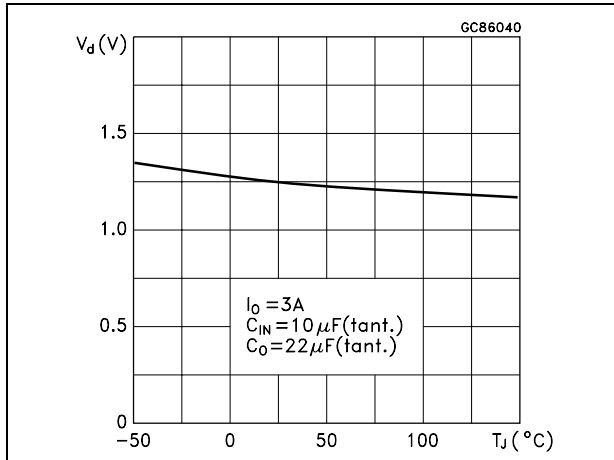


Figure 11. Dropout voltage vs output current

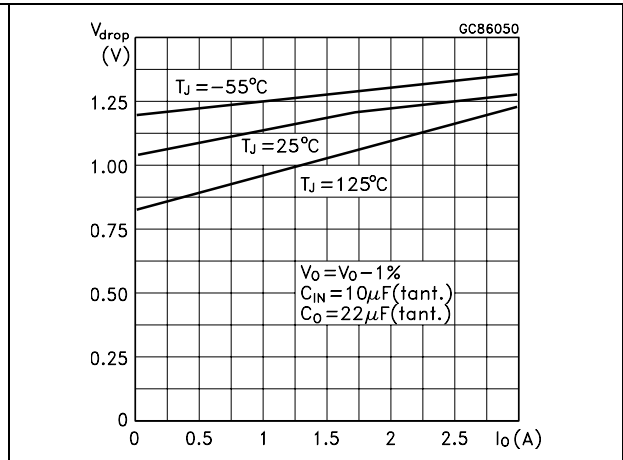


Figure 12. Adjust pin current vs temperature

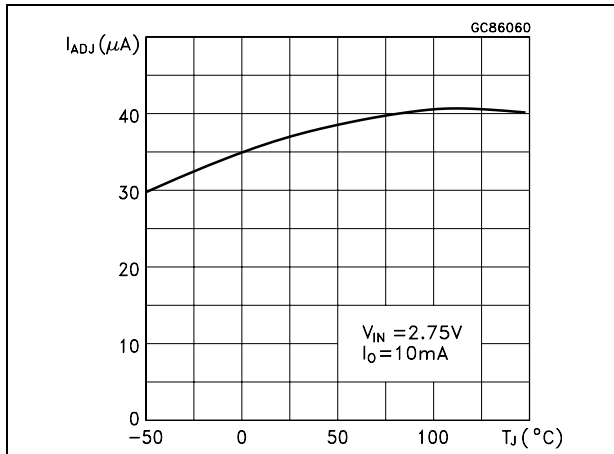


Figure 13. Quiescent current vs temperature

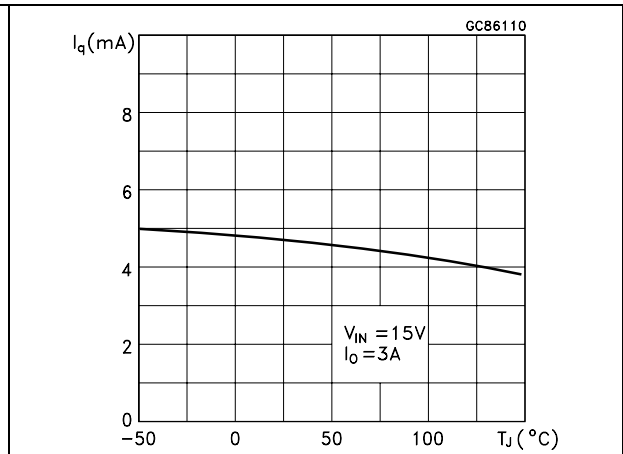


Figure 14. Line regulation vs temperature

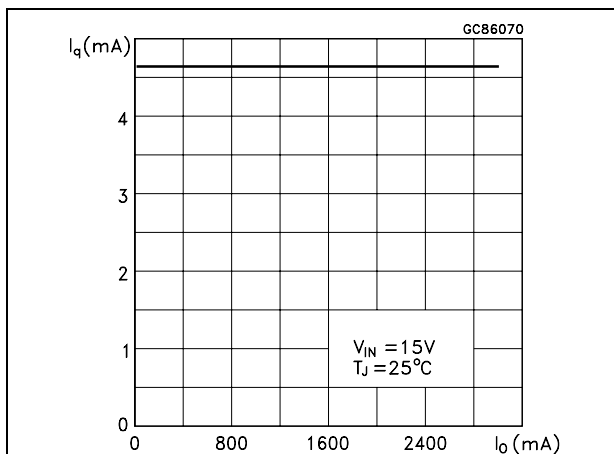


Figure 15. Supply voltage rejection vs output current

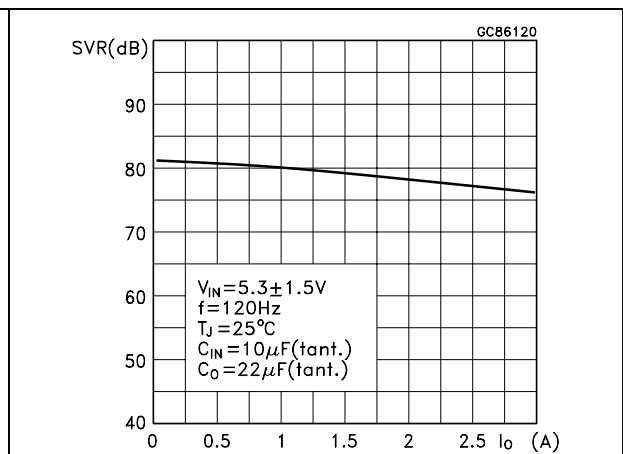


Figure 16. Supply voltage rejection vs frequency

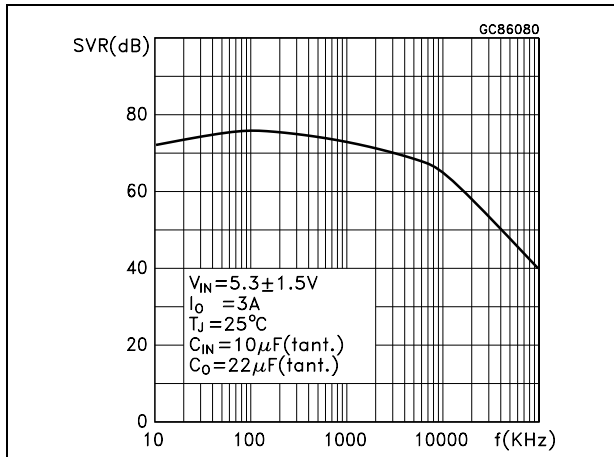


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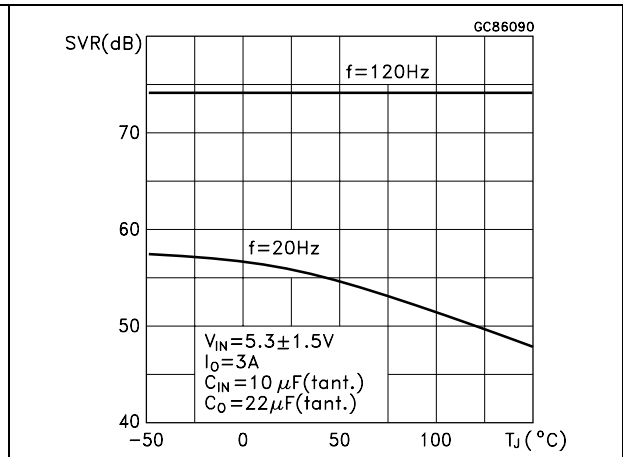


Figure 18. Minimum load current vs temperature

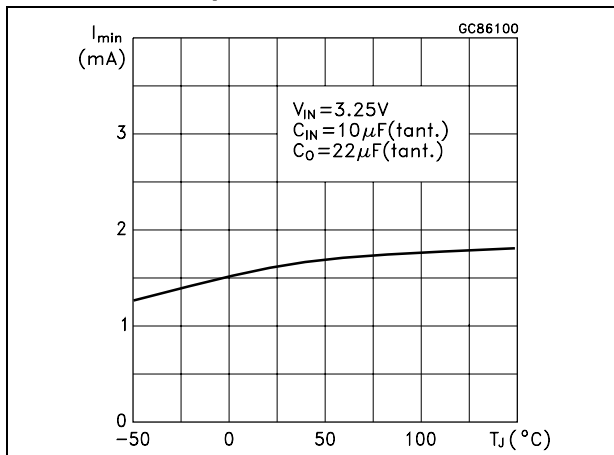


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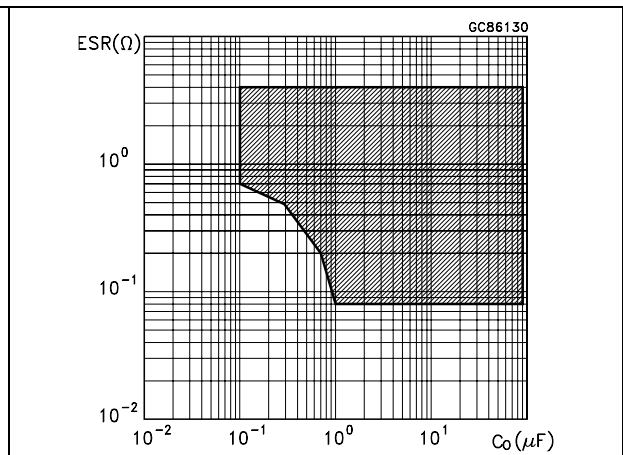


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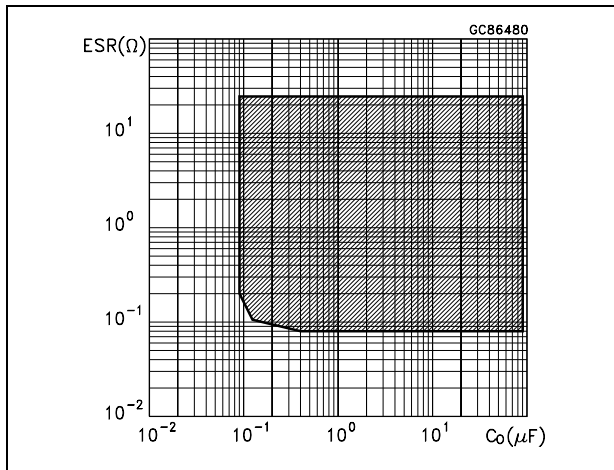


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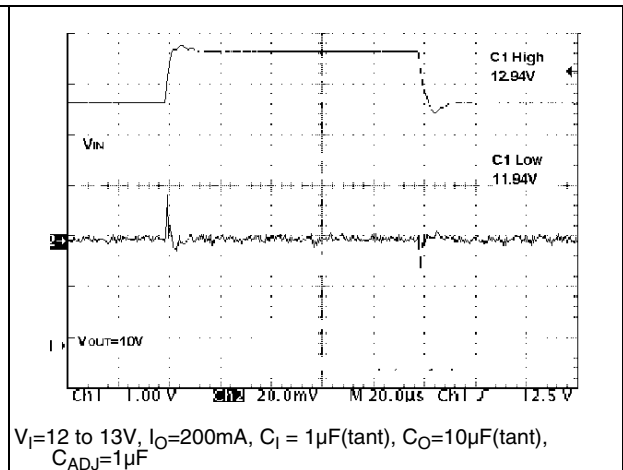


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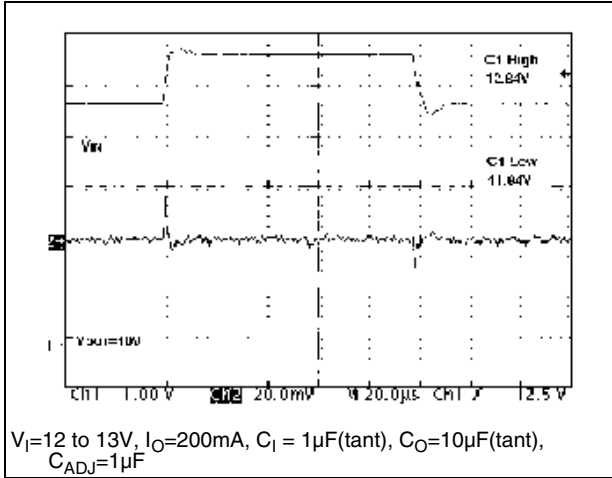


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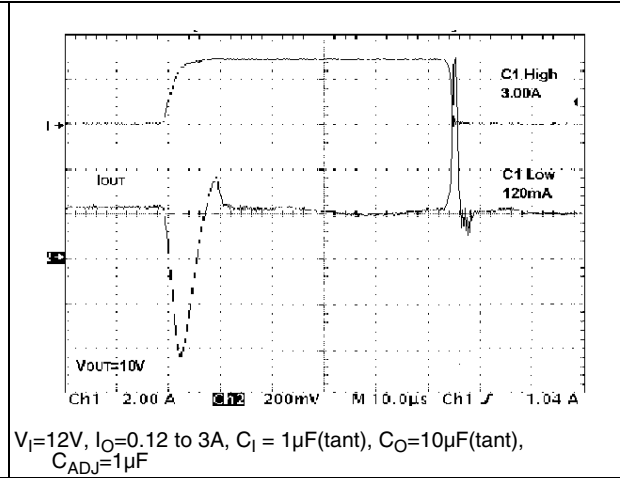
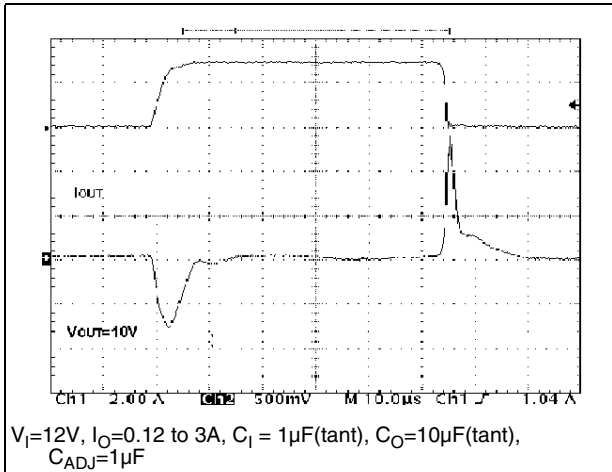


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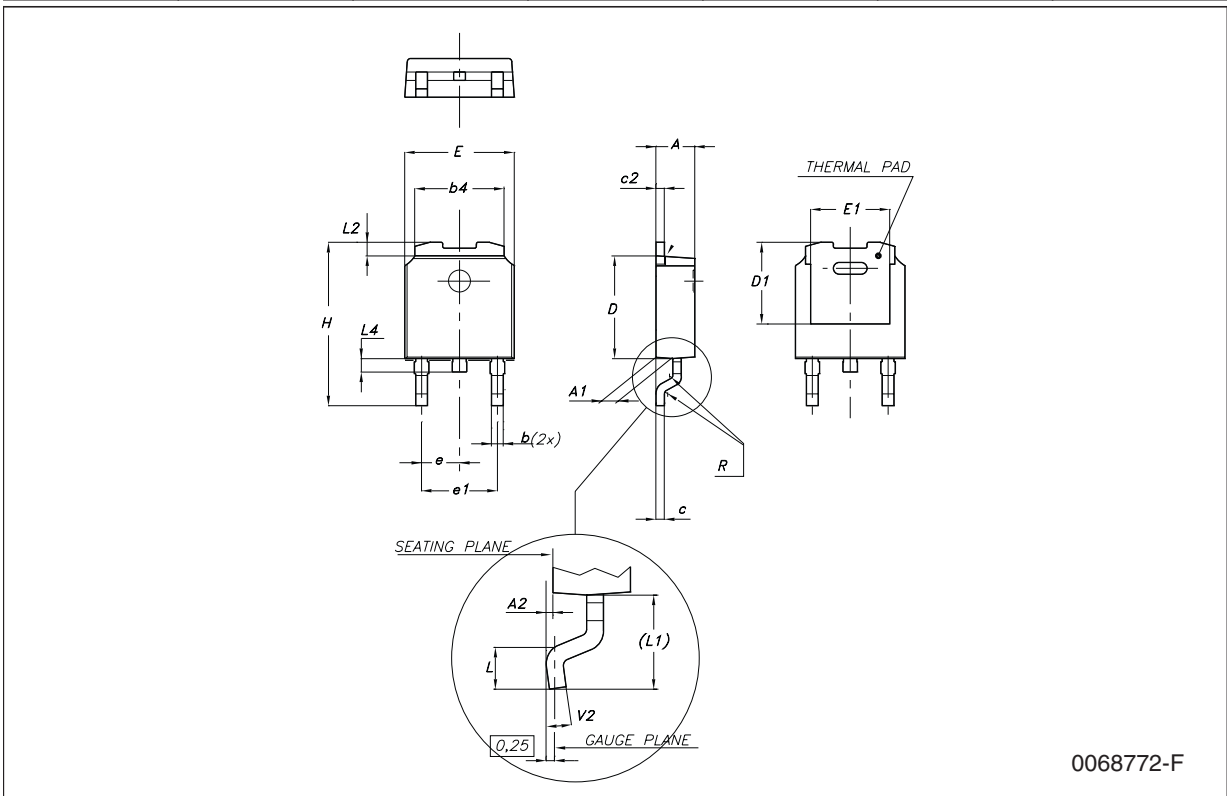


## 7 Package mechanical data

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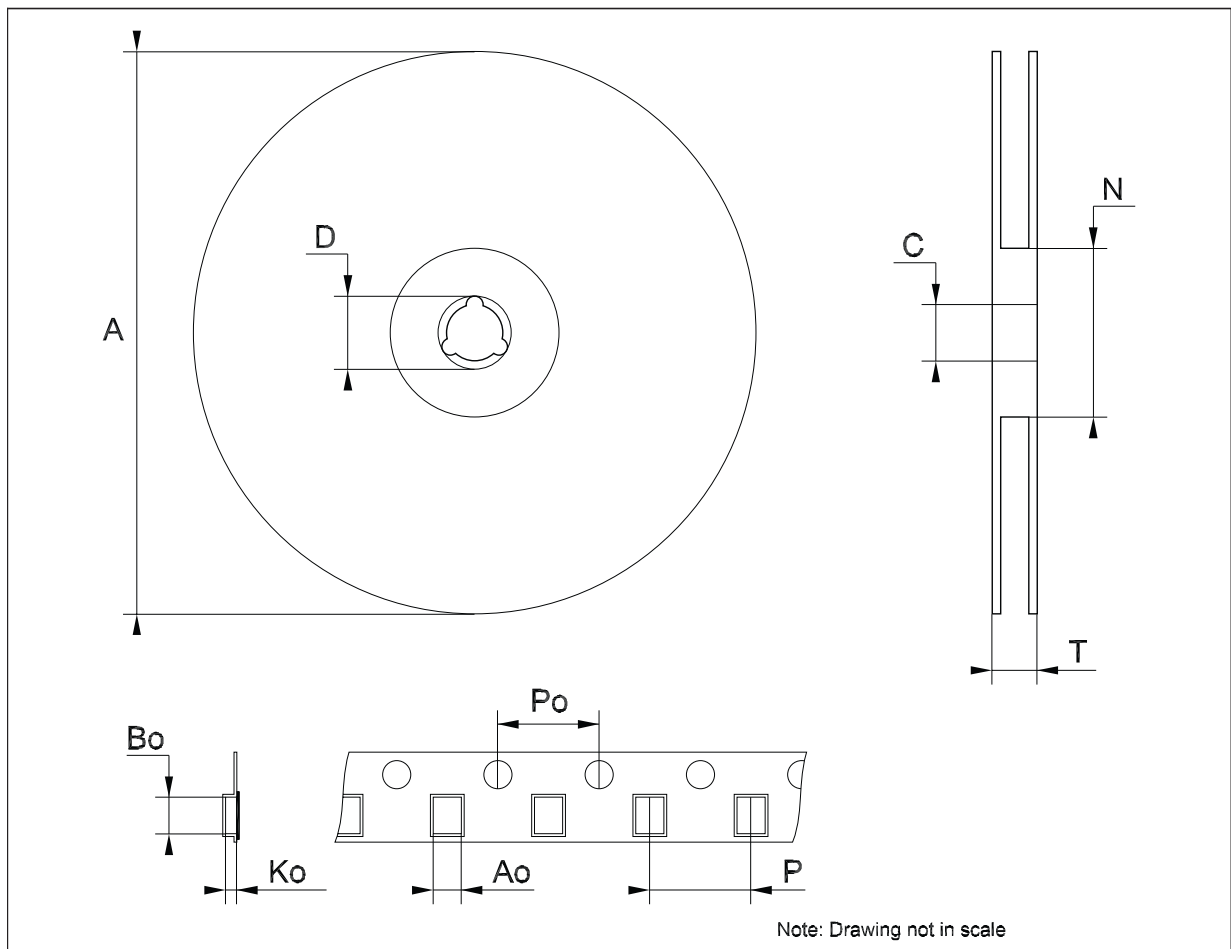
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	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Max.
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A2	0.03		0.23	0.001		0.009
B	0.64		0.9	0.025		0.035
b4	5.2		5.4	0.204		0.212
C	0.45		0.6	0.017		0.023
C2	0.48		0.6	0.019		0.023
D	6		6.2	0.236		0.244
D1		5.1			0.200	
E	6.4		6.6	0.252		0.260
E1		4.7			0.185	
e		2.28			0.090	
e1	4.4		4.6	0.173		0.181
H	9.35		10.1	0.368		0.397
L	1			0.039		
(L1)		2.8			0.110	
L2		0.8			0.031	
L4	0.6		1	0.023		0.039
R		0.2			0.008	
V2	0°		8°	0°		8°



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**Tape & reel DPAK-PPAK mechanical data**

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	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A			330			12.992
C	12.8	13.0	13.2	0.504	0.512	0.519
D	20.2			0.795		
N	60			2.362		
T			22.4			0.882
Ao	6.80	6.90	7.00	0.268	0.272	0.276
Bo	10.40	10.50	10.60	0.409	0.413	0.417
Ko	2.55	2.65	2.75	0.100	0.104	0.105
Po	3.9	4.0	4.1	0.153	0.157	0.161
P	7.9	8.0	8.1	0.311	0.315	0.319



## 8 Revision history

**Table 5. Document revision history**

Date	Revision	Changes
07-Oct-2004	6	Mistake in Table 1.
03-Jul-2007	7	Order codes updated.
09-Apr-2008	8	Modified: <a href="#">Table 1 on page 1</a> .

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