

N-channel 550 V, 0.150  $\Omega$  typ., 16 A, MDmesh™ V Power MOSFETs  
in D<sup>2</sup>PAK, DPAK, TO-220FP and TO-220 packages

Datasheet - production data

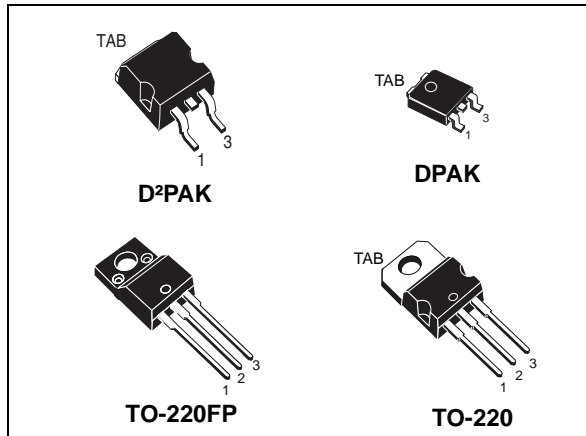
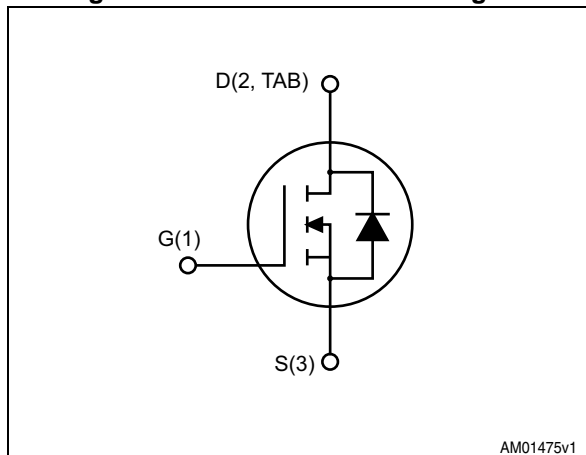


Figure 1. Internal schematic diagram



## Features

Order codes	V <sub>DS</sub> @ T <sub>Jmax</sub>	R <sub>DS(on)</sub> max	I <sub>D</sub>
STB18N55M5	600 V	0.192 $\Omega$	16 A
STD18N55M5			
STF18N55M5			
STP18N55M5			

- Higher V<sub>DS</sub> rating
- High dv/dt capability
- Excellent switching performance
- Easy to drive
- 100% avalanche tested

## Applications

- Switching applications

## Description

These devices are N-channel MDmesh™ V Power MOSFETs based on an innovative proprietary vertical process technology, which is combined with STMicroelectronics' well-known PowerMESH™ horizontal layout structure. The resulting product has extremely low on-resistance, which is unmatched among silicon-based Power MOSFETs, making it especially suitable for applications which require superior power density and outstanding efficiency.

Table 1. Device summary

Order codes	Marking	Package	Packaging
STB18N55M5	18N55M5	D <sup>2</sup> PAK	Tape and reel
STD18N55M5		DPAK	
STF18N55M5		TO-220FP	Tube
STP18N55M5		TO-220	

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# 1 Electrical ratings

**Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings**

Symbol	Parameter	Value		Unit
		TO-220, DPAK, D <sup>2</sup> PAK	TO-220FP	
V <sub>GS</sub>	Gate-source voltage	± 25		V
I <sub>D</sub>	Drain current (continuous) at T <sub>C</sub> = 25 °C	16	16 <sup>(1)</sup>	A
I <sub>D</sub>	Drain current (continuous) at T <sub>C</sub> = 100 °C	10	10 <sup>(1)</sup>	A
I <sub>DM</sub> <sup>(2)</sup>	Drain current (pulsed)	64	64 <sup>(1)</sup>	A
P <sub>TOT</sub>	Total dissipation at T <sub>C</sub> = 25 °C	110	25	W
I <sub>AR</sub>	Avalanche current, repetitive or not-repetitive (pulse width limited by T <sub>j</sub> max)	4		A
E <sub>AS</sub>	Single pulse avalanche energy (starting T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C, I <sub>D</sub> = I <sub>AR</sub> , V <sub>DD</sub> = 50 V)	210		mJ
dv/dt <sup>(3)</sup>	Peak diode recovery voltage slope	15		V/ns
V <sub>ISO</sub>	Insulation withstand voltage (RMS) from all three leads to external heat sink (t = 1 s; T <sub>C</sub> = 25 °C)		2500	V
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage temperature	- 55 to 150		°C
T <sub>j</sub>	Max. operating junction temperature	150		°C

- Limited by maximum junction temperature.
- Pulse width limited by safe operating area.
- I<sub>SD</sub> ≤ 16 A, di/dt ≤ 400 A/μs, V<sub>Peak</sub> < V<sub>(BR)DSS</sub>, V<sub>DD</sub> = 340 V.

**Table 3. Thermal data**

Symbol	Parameter	Value				Unit
		D <sup>2</sup> PAK	DPAK	TO-220	TO-220FP	
R <sub>thj-case</sub>	Thermal resistance junction-case max	1.14			5	°C/W
R <sub>thj-amb</sub>	Thermal resistance junction-ambient max			62.5		°C/W
R <sub>thj-pcb</sub>	Thermal resistance junction-pcb max	30	50			°C/W

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( $T_C = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise specified)

**Table 4. On /off states**

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$V_{(BR)DSS}$	Drain-source breakdown voltage	$I_D = 1\text{ mA}$ , $V_{GS} = 0$	550			V
$I_{DSS}$	Zero gate voltage drain current ( $V_{GS} = 0$ )	$V_{DS} = 550\text{ V}$			1	$\mu\text{A}$
		$V_{DS} = 550\text{ V}$ , $T_C = 125\text{ °C}$			100	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{GSS}$	Gate-body leakage current ( $V_{DS} = 0$ )	$V_{GS} = \pm 25\text{ V}$			$\pm 100$	nA
$V_{GS(th)}$	Gate threshold voltage	$V_{DS} = V_{GS}$ , $I_D = 250\text{ }\mu\text{A}$	3	4	5	V
$R_{DS(on)}$	Static drain-source on-resistance	$V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$ , $I_D = 8\text{ A}$		0.150	0.192	$\Omega$

**Table 5. Dynamic**

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$C_{iss}$	Input capacitance	$V_{DS} = 100\text{ V}$ , $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ , $V_{GS} = 0$	-	1260	-	pF
$C_{oss}$	Output capacitance		-	42	-	pF
$C_{rss}$	Reverse transfer capacitance		-	3.6	-	pF
$C_{o(tr)}^{(1)}$	Equivalent capacitance time related	$V_{DS} = 0\text{ to }440\text{ V}$	-	103	-	pF
$C_{o(er)}^{(2)}$	Equivalent capacitance energy related		-	35	-	pF
$R_G$	Intrinsic gate resistance	$f = 1\text{ MHz}$ open drain	-	2.8	-	$\Omega$
$Q_g$	Total gate charge	$V_{DD} = 440\text{ V}$ , $I_D = 8\text{ A}$ , $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$ (see <a href="#">Figure 20</a> )	-	31	-	nC
$Q_{gs}$	Gate-source charge		-	8.3	-	nC
$Q_{gd}$	Gate-drain charge		-	14.2	-	nC

- $C_{oss\text{ eq}}$  time related is defined as a constant equivalent capacitance giving the same charging time as  $C_{oss}$  when  $V_{DS}$  increases from 0 to 80%  $V_{DSS}$
- $C_{oss\text{ eq}}$  energy related is defined as a constant equivalent capacitance giving the same stored energy as  $C_{oss}$  when  $V_{DS}$  increases from 0 to 80%  $V_{DSS}$

Table 6. Switching times

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max	Unit
$t_{d(v)}$	Voltage delay time	$V_{DD} = 400\text{ V}$ , $I_D = 10.5\text{ A}$ , $R_G = 4.7\ \Omega$ , $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$ (see <a href="#">Figure 19</a> , <a href="#">Figure 24</a> )	-	37	-	ns
$t_{r(v)}$	Voltage rise time		-	7	-	ns
$t_{f(i)}$	Current fall time		-	8.3	-	ns
$t_{c(off)}$	Crossing time		-	10.3	-	ns

Table 7. Source drain diode

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$I_{SD}$	Source-drain current		-		16	A
$I_{SDM}^{(1)}$	Source-drain current (pulsed)		-		64	A
$V_{SD}^{(2)}$	Forward on voltage	$I_{SD} = 16\text{ A}$ , $V_{GS} = 0$	-		1.5	V
$t_{rr}$	Reverse recovery time	$I_{SD} = 16\text{ A}$ , $di/dt = 100\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ $V_{DD} = 100\text{ V}$ (see <a href="#">Figure 21</a> )	-	244		ns
$Q_{rr}$	Reverse recovery charge		-	2.8		$\mu\text{C}$
$I_{RRM}$	Reverse recovery current		-	23		A
$t_{rr}$	Reverse recovery time	$I_{SD} = 16\text{ A}$ , $di/dt = 100\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ $V_{DD} = 100\text{ V}$ , $T_j = 150\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ (see <a href="#">Figure 21</a> )	-	295		ns
$Q_{rr}$	Reverse recovery charge		-	3.7		$\mu\text{C}$
$I_{RRM}$	Reverse recovery current		-	25		A

1. Pulse width limited by safe operating area

2. Pulsed: pulse duration = 300  $\mu\text{s}$ , duty cycle 1.5%

## 2.1 Electrical characteristics (curves)

Figure 2. Safe operating area for D<sup>2</sup>PAK and TO-220

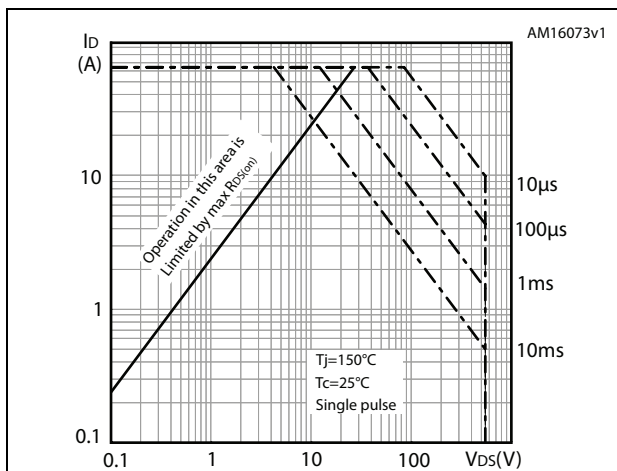


Figure 3. Thermal impedance for D<sup>2</sup>PAK and TO-220

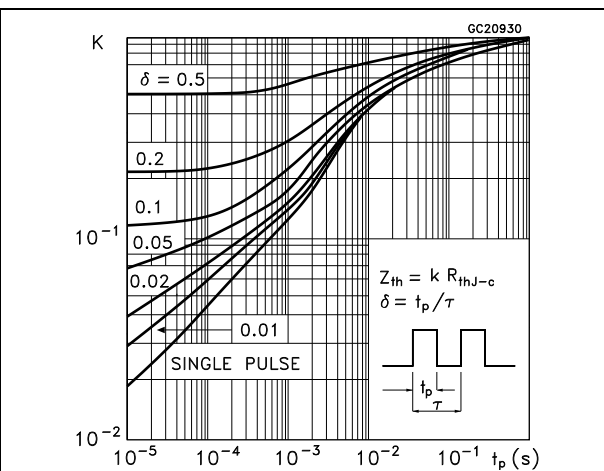


Figure 4. Safe operating area for DPAK

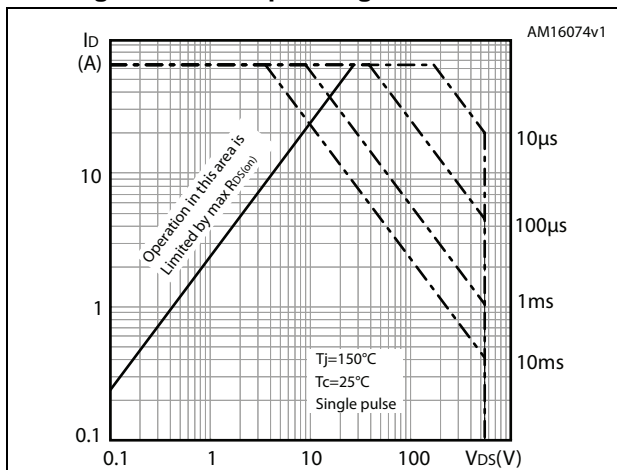


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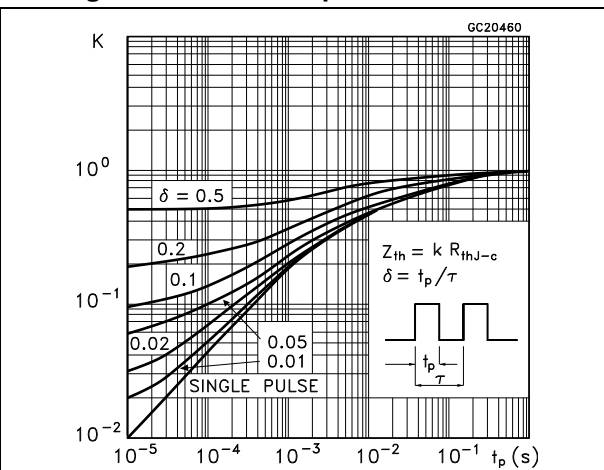


Figure 6. Safe operating area TO220FP

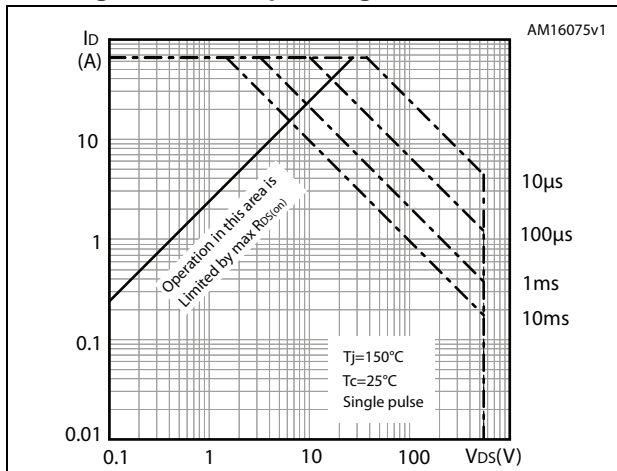


Figure 7. Thermal impedance for TO-220FP

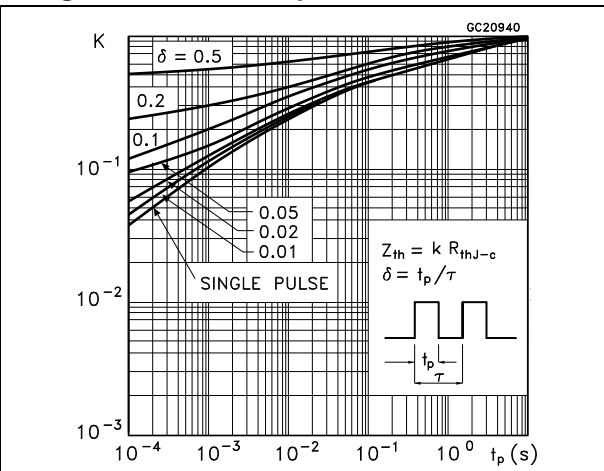


Figure 8. Output characteristics

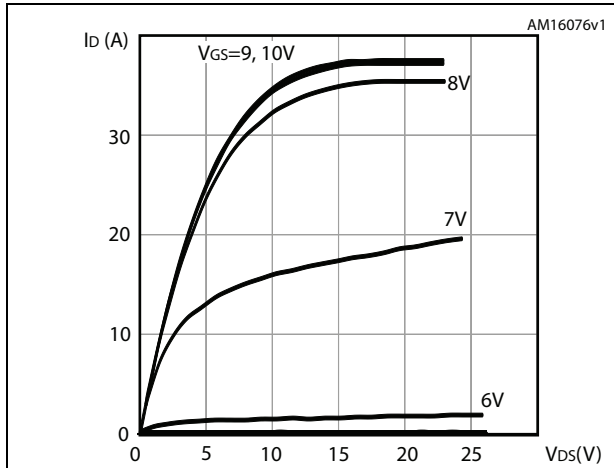


Figure 9. Transfer characteristics

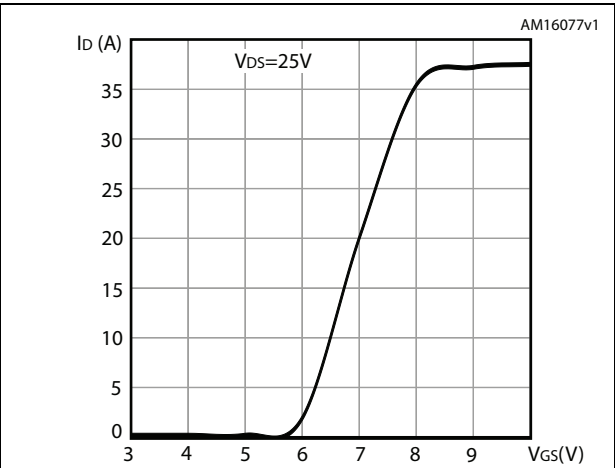


Figure 10. Gate charge vs gate-source voltage

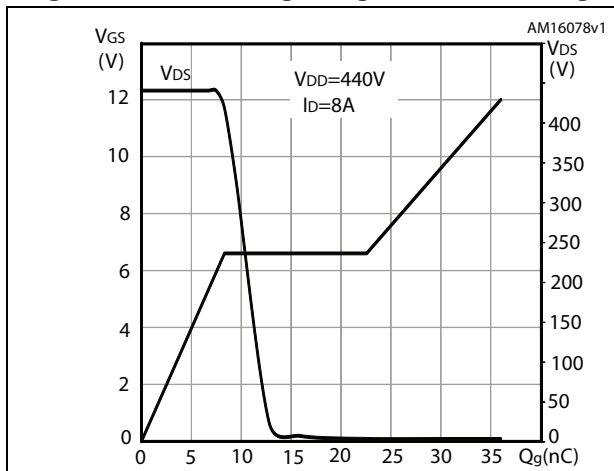


Figure 11. Static drain-source on-resistance

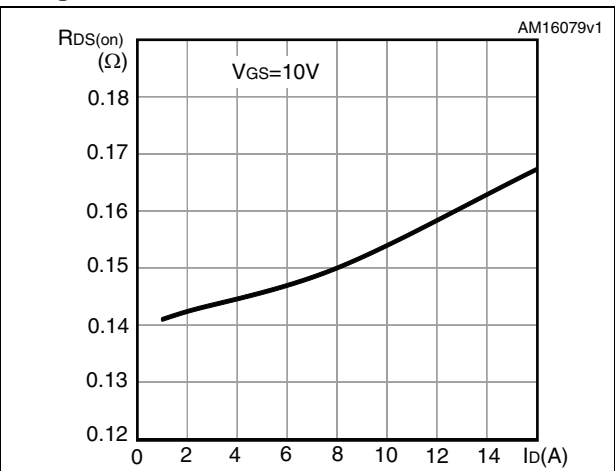


Figure 12. Capacitance variations

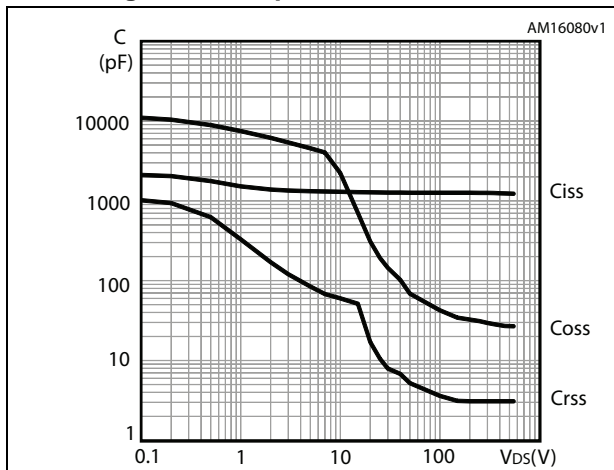


Figure 13. Output capacitance stored energy

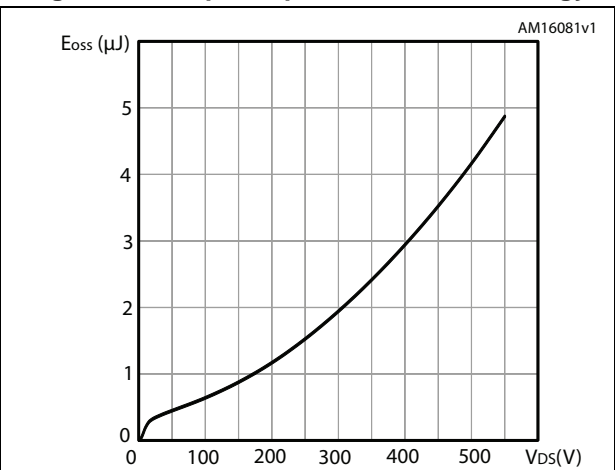


Figure 14. Normalized gate threshold voltage vs. temperature

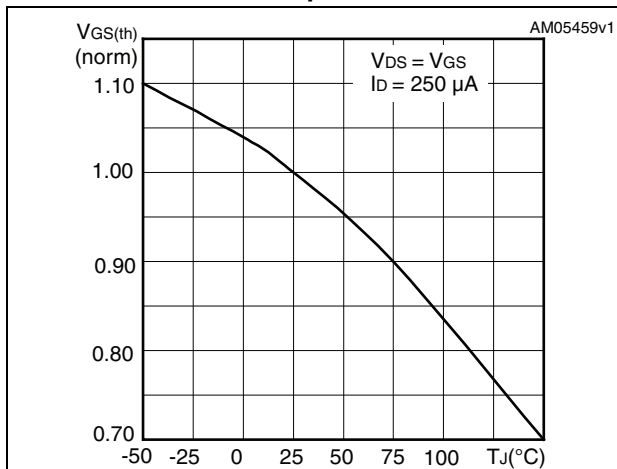


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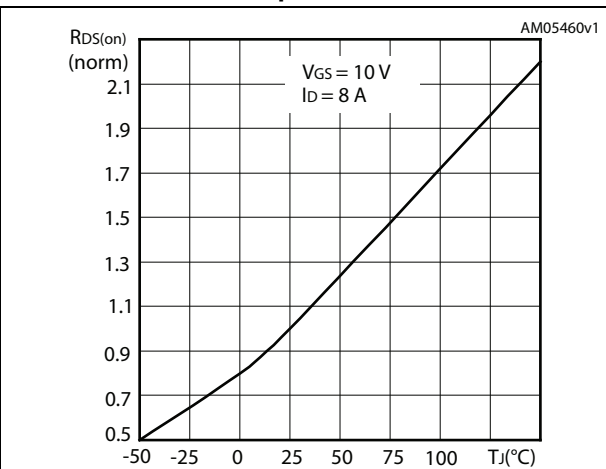


Figure 16. Drain-source diode forward characteristics

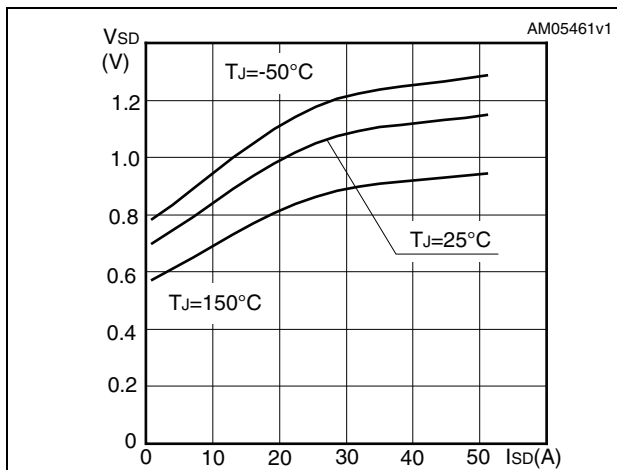


Figure 17. Normalized V<sub>DS</sub> vs. temperature

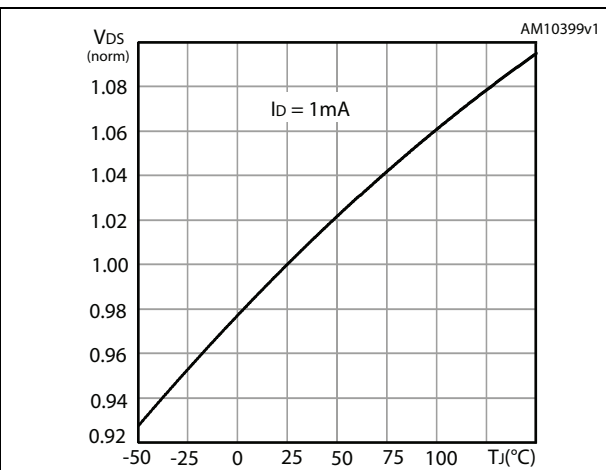
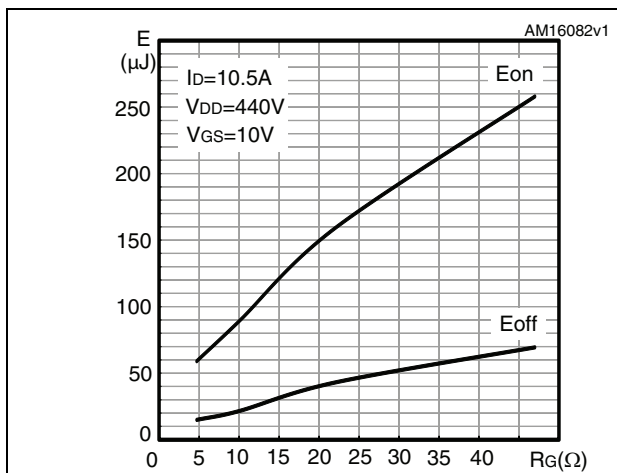


Figure 18. Switching losses vs. gate resistance (1)



1. Eon including reverse recovery of a SiC diode





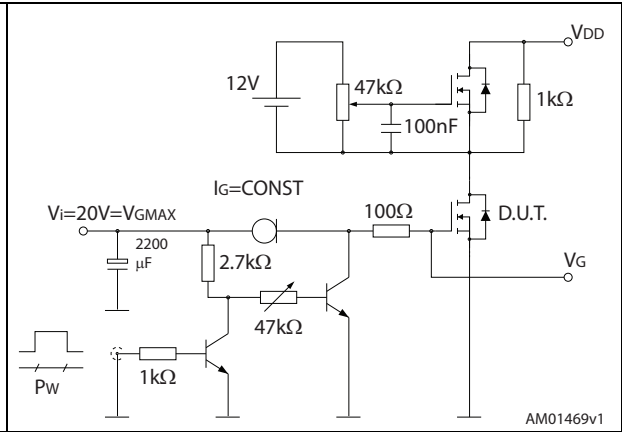
### 3 Test circuits

Figure 19. Switching times test circuit for resistive load



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Figure 20. Gate charge test circuit



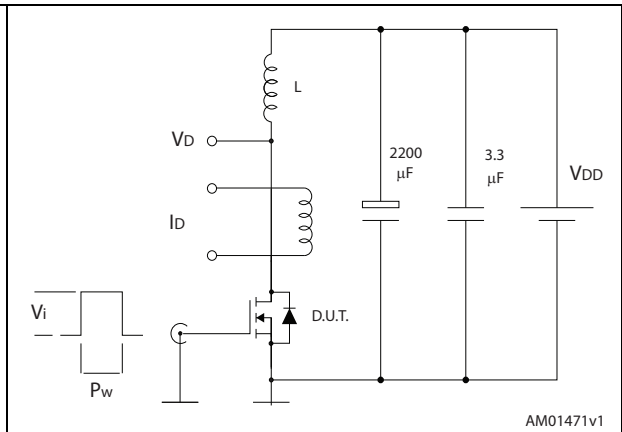
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Figure 21. Test circuit for inductive load switching and diode recovery times



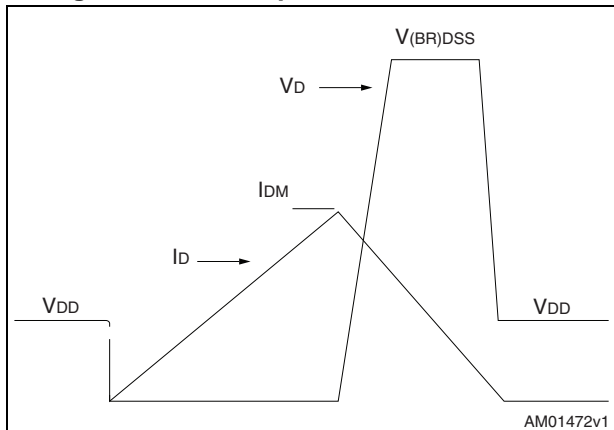
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Figure 22. Unclamped inductive load test circuit



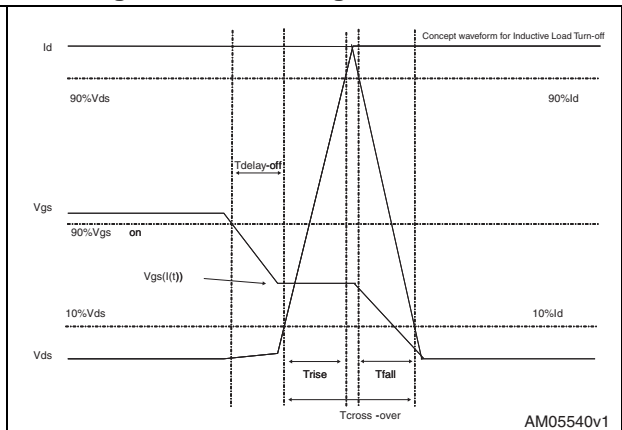
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Figure 23. Unclamped inductive waveform



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Figure 24. Switching time waveform



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## 4 Package mechanical data

In order to meet environmental requirements, ST offers these devices in different grades of ECOPACK<sup>®</sup> packages, depending on their level of environmental compliance. ECOPACK<sup>®</sup> specifications, grade definitions and product status are available at: [www.st.com](http://www.st.com). ECOPACK<sup>®</sup> is an ST trademark.

Table 8. D<sup>2</sup>PAK (TO-263) mechanical data

Dim.	mm		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	4.40		4.60
A1	0.03		0.23
b	0.70		0.93
b2	1.14		1.70
c	0.45		0.60
c2	1.23		1.36
D	8.95		9.35
D1	7.50		
E	10		10.40
E1	8.50		
e		2.54	
e1	4.88		5.28
H	15		15.85
J1	2.49		2.69
L	2.29		2.79
L1	1.27		1.40
L2	1.30		1.75
R		0.4	
V2	0°		8°

Figure 25. D<sup>2</sup>PAK (TO-263) drawing

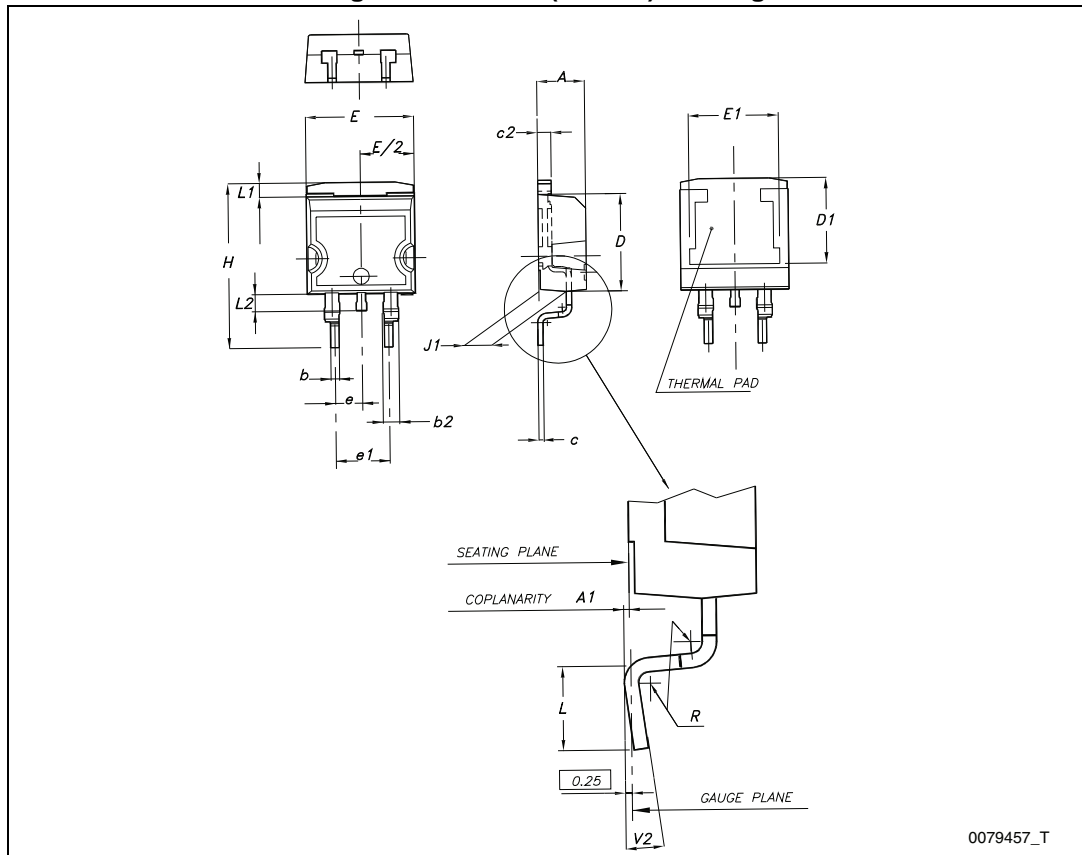
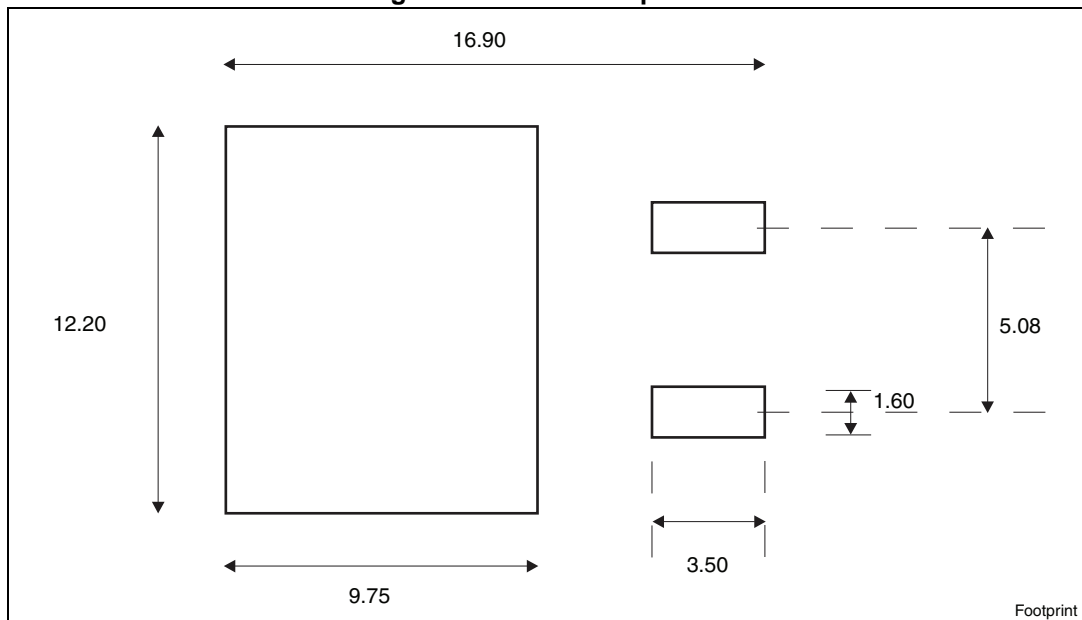


Figure 26. D<sup>2</sup>PAK footprint<sup>(a)</sup>

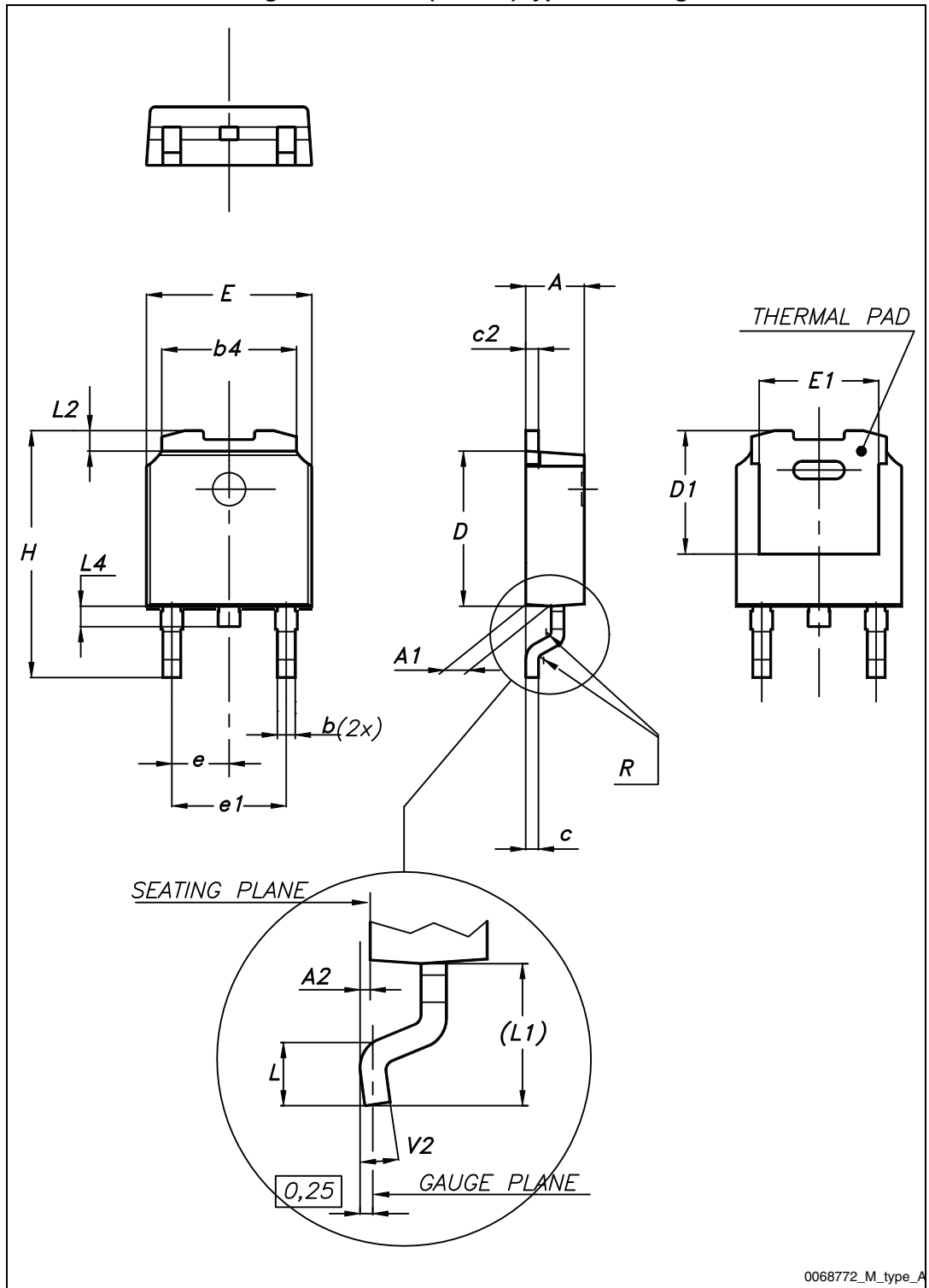


a. All dimension are in millimeters

Table 9. DPAK (TO-252) type A mechanical data

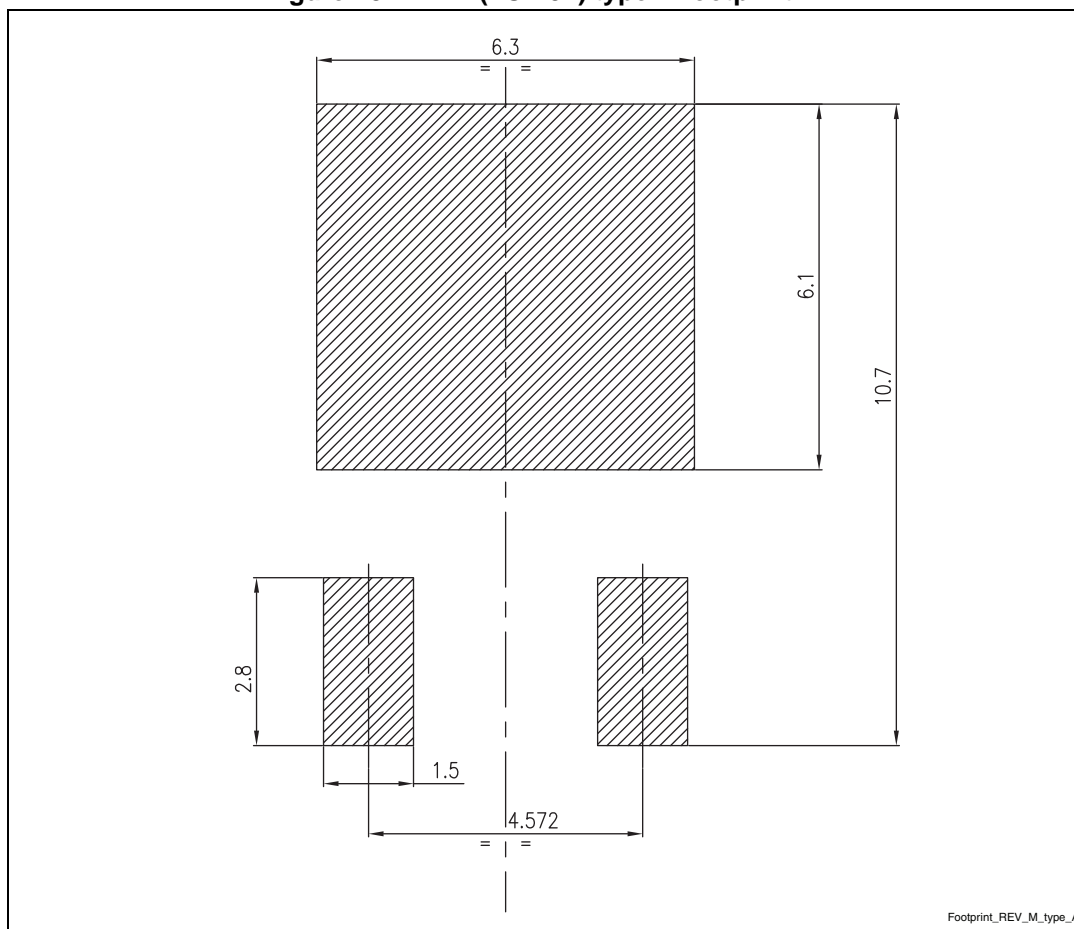
Dim.	mm		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	2.20		2.40
A1	0.90		1.10
A2	0.03		0.23
b	0.64		0.90
b4	5.20		5.40
c	0.45		0.60
c2	0.48		0.60
D	6.00		6.20
D1		5.10	
E	6.40		6.60
E1		4.70	
e		2.28	
e1	4.40		4.60
H	9.35		10.10
L	1.00		1.50
(L1)		2.80	
L2		0.80	
L4	0.60		1.00
R		0.20	
V2	0°		8°

Figure 27. DPAK (TO-252) type A drawing



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Figure 28. DPAK (TO-252) type A footprint (b)



b. All dimensions are in millimeters

Table 10. TO-220FP mechanical data

Dim.	mm		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	4.4		4.6
B	2.5		2.7
D	2.5		2.75
E	0.45		0.7
F	0.75		1
F1	1.15		1.70
F2	1.15		1.70
G	4.95		5.2
G1	2.4		2.7
H	10		10.4
L2		16	
L3	28.6		30.6
L4	9.8		10.6
L5	2.9		3.6
L6	15.9		16.4
L7	9		9.3
Dia	3		3.2



Figure 29. TO-220FP drawing

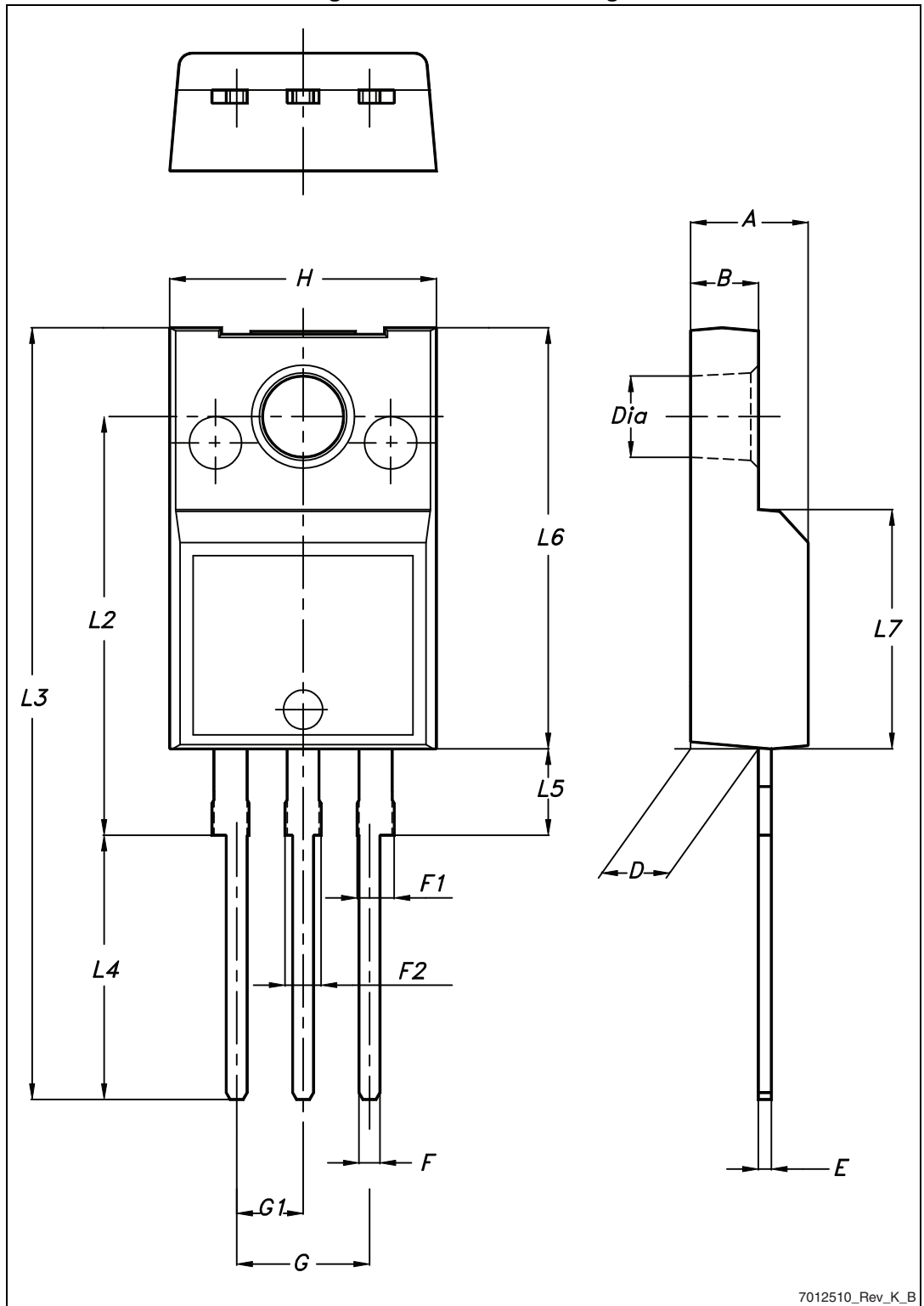
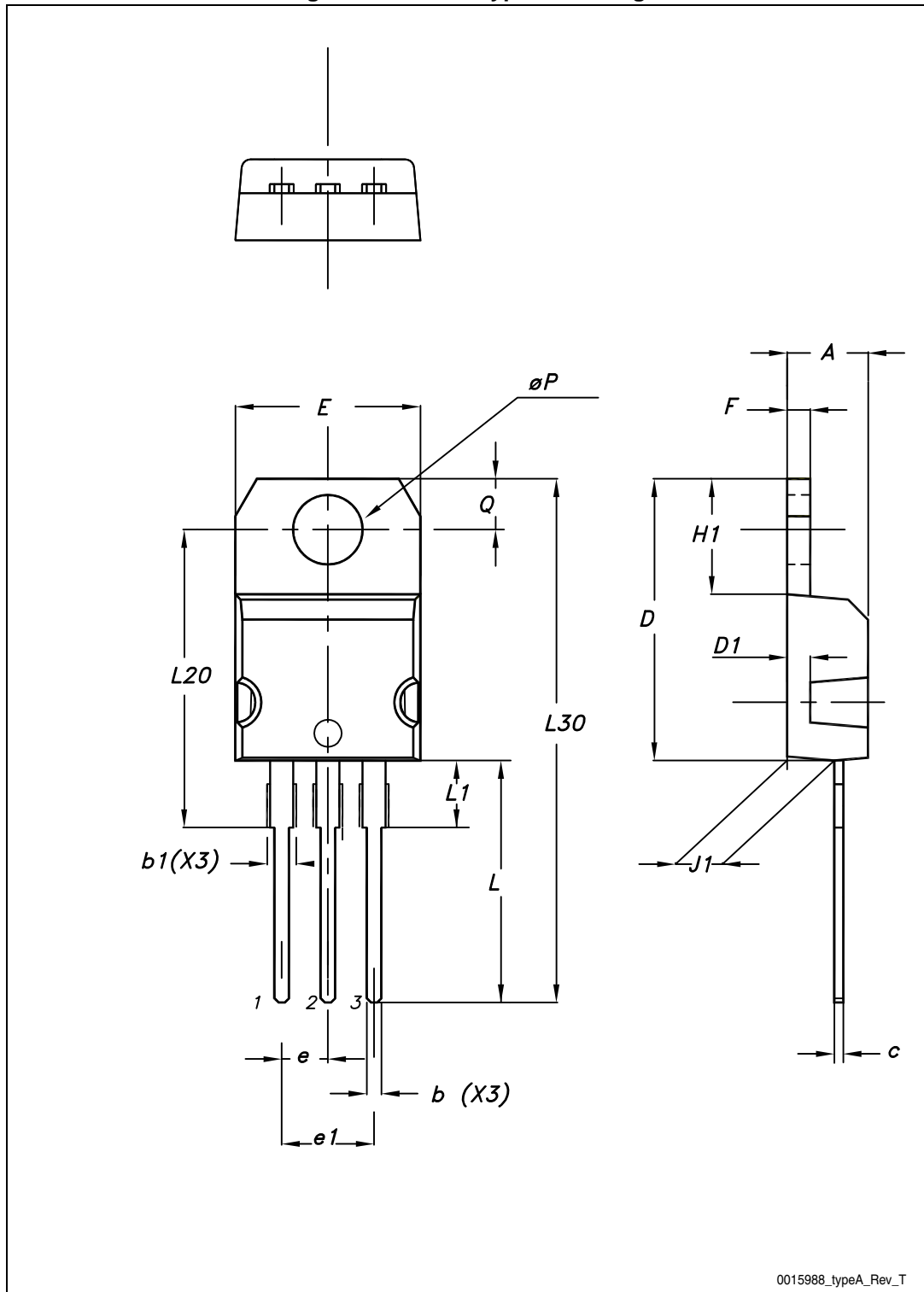


Table 11. TO-220 type A mechanical data

Dim.	mm		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	4.40		4.60
b	0.61		0.88
b1	1.14		1.70
c	0.48		0.70
D	15.25		15.75
D1		1.27	
E	10		10.40
e	2.40		2.70
e1	4.95		5.15
F	1.23		1.32
H1	6.20		6.60
J1	2.40		2.72
L	13		14
L1	3.50		3.93
L20		16.40	
L30		28.90	
ØP	3.75		3.85
Q	2.65		2.95

Figure 30. TO-220 type A drawing



## 5 Packaging mechanical data

Table 12. D<sup>2</sup>PAK (TO-263) tape and reel mechanical data

Tape			Reel		
Dim.	mm		Dim.	mm	
	Min.	Max.		Min.	Max.
A0	10.5	10.7	A		330
B0	15.7	15.9	B	1.5	
D	1.5	1.6	C	12.8	13.2
D1	1.59	1.61	D	20.2	
E	1.65	1.85	G	24.4	26.4
F	11.4	11.6	N	100	
K0	4.8	5.0	T		30.4
P0	3.9	4.1			
P1	11.9	12.1		Base qty.	1000
P2	1.9	2.1		Bulk qty.	1000
R	50				
T	0.25	0.35			
W	23.7	24.3			

Table 13. DPAK (TO-252) tape and reel mechanical data

Tape			Reel		
Dim.	mm		Dim.	mm	
	Min.	Max.		Min.	Max.
A0	6.8	7	A		330
B0	10.4	10.6	B	1.5	
B1		12.1	C	12.8	13.2
D	1.5	1.6	D	20.2	
D1	1.5		G	16.4	18.4
E	1.65	1.85	N	50	
F	7.4	7.6	T		22.4
K0	2.55	2.75			
P0	3.9	4.1	Base qty.		2500
P1	7.9	8.1	Bulk qty.		2500
P2	1.9	2.1			
R	40				
T	0.25	0.35			
W	15.7	16.3			

Figure 31. Tape for D<sup>2</sup>PAK and DPAK

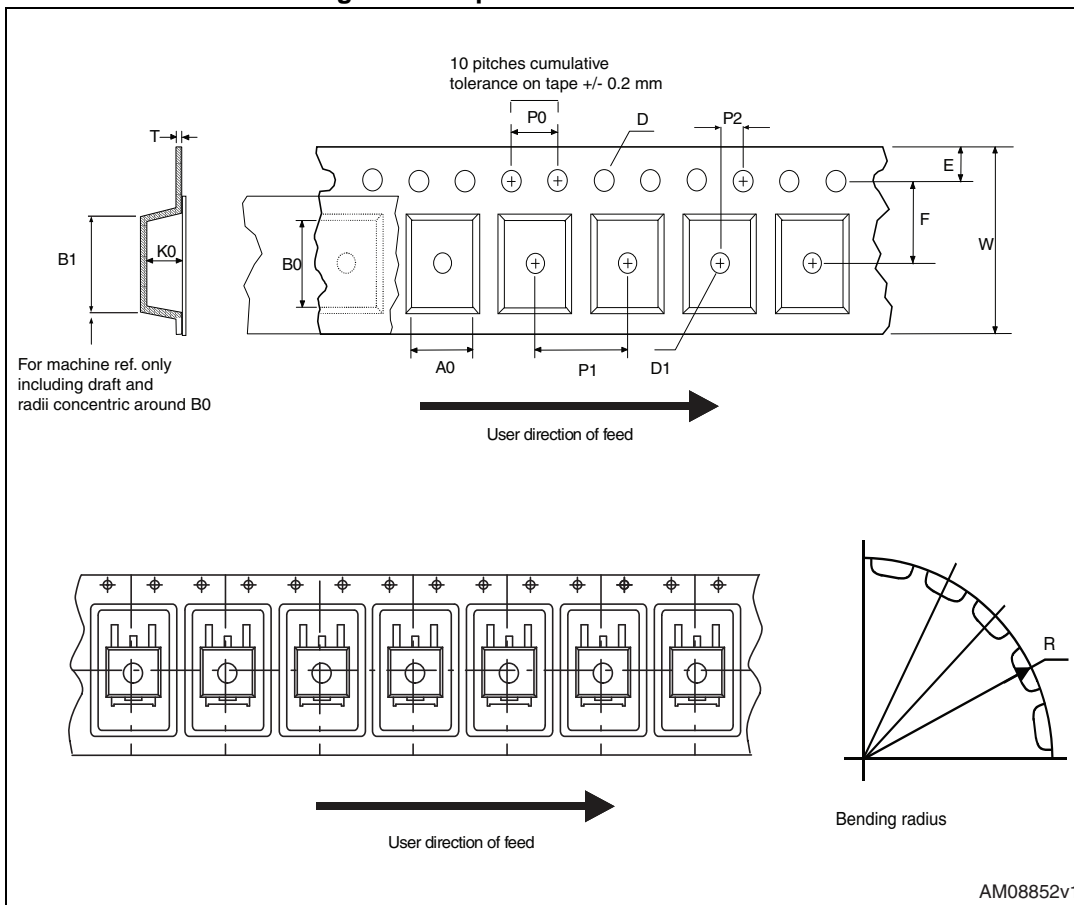
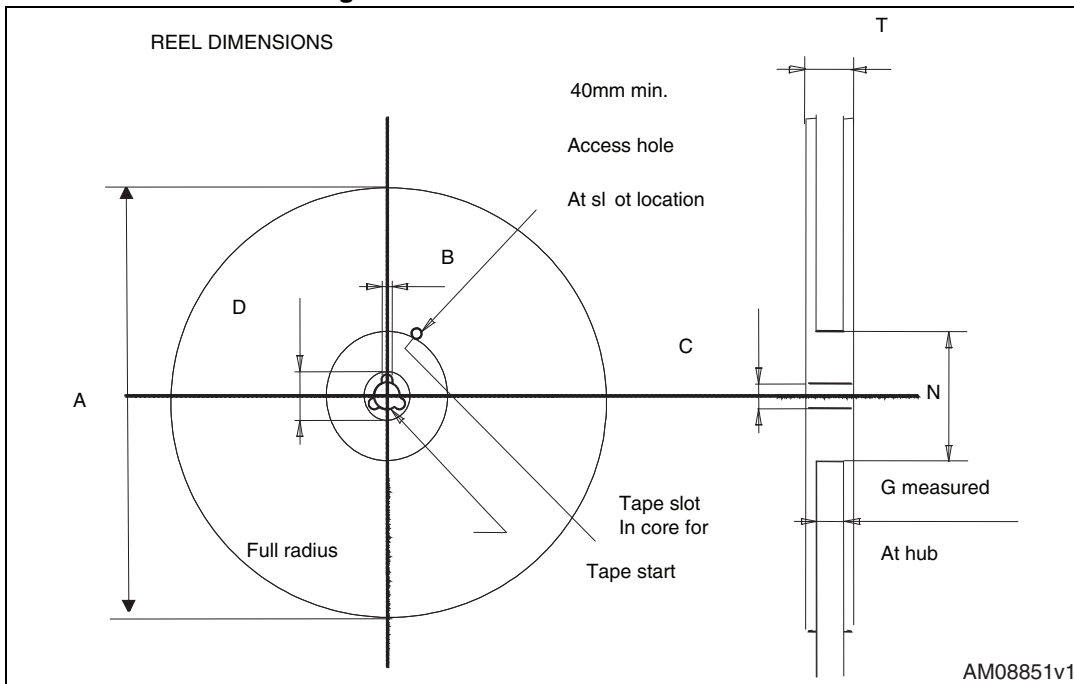


Figure 32. Reel for D<sup>2</sup>PAK and DPAK



## 6 Revision history

**Table 14. Document revision history**

Date	Revision	Changes
09-Feb-2010	1	First release.
04-Mar-2011	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Document status promoted from preliminary data to datasheet;</li> <li>– Added new package, mechanical data: D<sup>2</sup>PAK.</li> </ul>
22-Nov-2013	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Updated: title on the cover page and <math>R_{DS(on)}</math> values.</li> <li>– Modified: <math>E_{AS}</math> value and <a href="#">note 3</a> in <a href="#">Table 2</a></li> <li>– Modified: <math>R_{DS(on)}</math> value in <a href="#">Table 4</a>, typical values in <a href="#">Table 5</a> and <a href="#">7</a></li> <li>– Updated: the entire <a href="#">Table 5</a></li> <li>– Added: <a href="#">Section 2.1: Electrical characteristics (curves)</a></li> <li>– Updated: <a href="#">Section 4: Package mechanical data</a> and <a href="#">Section 5: Packaging mechanical data</a></li> <li>– Updated: <a href="#">Figure 11</a> and <a href="#">18</a></li> <li>– Minor text changes.</li> </ul>

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