Synchronous Buck Regulator with 1.0 Amp Switch

The NCV8800 is an automotive synchronous step-down buck regulator. This part provides an efficient step-down voltage compared to linear regulators. The NCV8800 uses very few external components allowing for maximum use of printed circuit board space.

Features

- Output Voltage Options: 2.6 V, 3.3 V, 5.0 V, 7.5 V
- ±3.0% Output
- 3.5 V Operation
- AUXILIARY Hold Up Pin (for Cranking Conditions)
- On–Chip Switching Power Devices (0.4 Ω R_{DS(ON)})
- Constant Frequency
- Synchronous Operation
- On-Chip Charge Pump Control Circuitry
- Nonoverlap Logic
- Power Up Sequencing Control Option (2.6 V and 3.3 V Only)
- ENABLE Battery Voltage Capable Option
- Selectable Reset Delay
- Dual Pin Feedback Connection
- V^{2™} Control Topology
- Internally Fused Leads in SO-16L Package
- NCV Prefix for Automotive and Other Applications Requiring Site and Change Control

Typical Applications

- Telecommunications
- Mobile Multimedia
- Instrumentation
- Automotive Entertainment Systems

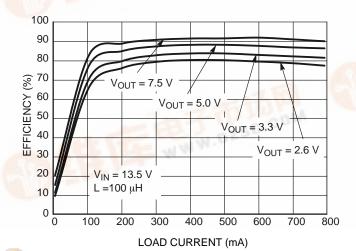


Figure 1. Efficiency vs. Load Current



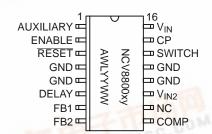
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PIN CONNECTIONS AND MARKING DIAGRAM



= Voltage Ratings as Indicated Below:

2 = 2.6 V

3 = 3.3 V

5 = 5.0 V

7 = 7.5 V

= ENABLE Option as Indicated Below:

S = Sequenced

H = High Voltage

A = Assembly Location

WL, L = Wafer Lot

YY, Y = Year

WW, W = Work Week

ORDERING INFORMATION

See detailed ordering and shipping information in the package dimensions section on page 11 of this data sheet.

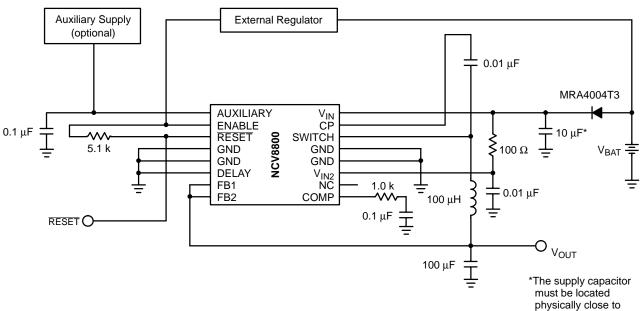


Figure 2. Application Diagram

the IC pins.

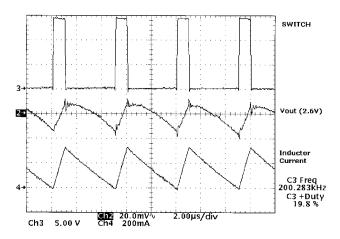


Figure 3. Typical Operation With An 8.0 Ω Load

MAXIMUM RATINGS*

Rating	Value	Unit
Supply Voltages, V _{IN} , V _{IN2}	-0.3 to 45	V
AUXILIARY	-0.3 to 8.0	V
ENABLE (Sequenced Option)	-0.3 to 7.0	V
ENABLE (High Voltage Option)	-0.3 to 8.0	V
RESET	-0.3 to 30	V
DELAY	-0.3 to 7.0	V
SWITCH (V _{5VSENSE} = 0 V)	-1.0 to 45	V
Operating Junction Temperature	-40 to 150	°C
Storage Temperature Range	-55 to 150	°C
ESD – Human Body Model (AUXILIARY, ENABLE, RESET, DELAY, FB1, FB2, CP, SWITCH, COMP) Human Body Model (VIN, VIN2) Machine Model (All Pins)	2.0 1.3 200	kV kV V
Package Thermal Resistance, SO–16L Junction–to–Case, $R_{\theta JC}$ Junction–to–Ambient, $R_{\theta JA}$	18 80	°C/W
Lead Temperature Soldering: Reflow (SMD Style Only) (Note 1)	240 Peak (Note 2)	°C

 ⁶⁰ second maximum above 183°C.
 -5°C/+0°C allowable condition.

^{*}The maximum package power dissipation must be observed.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($-40^{\circ}\text{C} \le T_J \le 125^{\circ}\text{C}$; Sequenced ENABLE Option: $3.5 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}} \le 16 \text{ V}$, $3.5 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}} \le 16 \text{ V}$, AUXILIARY = 6.0 V, ENABLE = 5.0 V; High Voltage ENABLE Option: $6.0 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}} \le 16 \text{ V}$, $6.0 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}} \le 16 \text{ V}$; unless otherwise stated.)

Characteristic	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
General					
Quiescent Current (V _{IN2}) Sleep Mode Operating	ENABLE = 0 V, V_{IN} = 12.6 V, T_J = -40°C ENABLE = 0 V, V_{IN} = 12.6 V, T_J = 25°C, 125°C ENABLE = 5.0 V, V_{IN} = 13.5 V, I_{OUT} = 0		- - -	40 30 15	μA μA mA
Switching Frequency	-	180	200	230	kHz
Switching Duty Cycle	-	85	90	95	%
Thermal Shutdown	Note 3	150	165	200	°C
Feedback			L		-
Feedback Voltage Threshold, 2.6 V Option (V _{FB})	-	2.522	2.6	2.678	V
Feedback Voltage Threshold, 3.3 V Option (V _{FB})	-	3.201	3.3	3.399	V
Feedback Voltage Threshold, 5.0 V Option (V _{FB})	-	4.850	5.0	5.150	V
Feedback Voltage Threshold, 7.5 V Option (V _{FB})	-	7.275	7.5	7.725	V
RESET					
Undervoltage RESET Threshold, 2.6 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	2.44 2.40		V _{FB} V _{FB} – 0.04	V V
Undervoltage RESET Hysteresis, 2.6 V Option	-	40	-	-	mV
Overvoltage RESET Threshold, 2.6 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	V _{FB} + 0.04 V _{FB}	- -	2.80 2.76	V V
Overvoltage RESET Hysteresis, 2.6 V Option	-	40	-	-	mV
Undervoltage RESET Threshold, 3.3 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	3.10 3.04	- -	V _{FB} V _{FB} – 0.05	V V
Undervoltage RESET Hysteresis, 3.3 V Option	-	50	-	-	mV
Overvoltage RESET Threshold, 3.3 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	V _{FB} + 0.05 V _{FB}		3.56 3.51	V V
Overvoltage RESET Hysteresis, 3.3 V Option	-	50	-	-	mV
Undervoltage RESET Threshold, 5.0 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	4.70 4.61	- -	V _{FB} V _{FB} – 0.075	V V
Undervoltage RESET Hysteresis, 5.0 V Option	-	75	-	-	mV
Overvoltage RESET Threshold, 5.0 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	V _{FB} + 0.075 V _{FB}	- -	5.39 5.31	V V
Overvoltage RESET Hysteresis, 5.0 V Option	-	75	-	-	mV
Undervoltage RESET Threshold, 7.5 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	7.05 6.92		V _{FB} V _{FB} – 0.115	V V
Undervoltage RESET Hysteresis, 7.5 V Option	-	115	-	-	mV
Overvoltage RESET Threshold, 7.5 V Option	V _{OUT} Increasing V _{OUT} Decreasing	V _{FB} + 0.115 V _{FB}	- -	8.08 7.96	V V
Overvoltage RESET Hysteresis, 7.5 V Option	-	115	-	-	mV

^{3.} Guaranteed By Design.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued) ($-40^{\circ}\text{C} \le T_{J} \le 125^{\circ}\text{C}$; Sequenced ENABLE Option: $3.5 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}} \le 16 \text{ V}$, $3.5 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}2} \le 16 \text{ V}$, AUXILIARY = 6.0 V, ENABLE = 5.0 V; High Voltage ENABLE Option: $6.0 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}} \le 16 \text{ V}$, $6.0 \text{ V} \le V_{\text{IN}2} \le 16 \text{ V}$; unless otherwise stated.)

Characteristic		Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
RESET						
RESET Leakage Current		RESET = 5.25 V	_	-	25	μΑ
RESET Output Low Voltage		I _{OUT} = 1.6 mA	-	-	0.4	V
RESET Delay		DELAY Connected to FB1, FB2 DELAY = 0 V	28.70 14.35	32.60 16.30	36.66 18.33	ms ms
ENABLE						
ENABLE Threshold		Increasing Decreasing	1.1 1.0	1.9 1.6	2.3 2.2	V
ENABLE Hysteresis		-	100	250	550	mV
ENABLE Input Resistance		ENABLE = 5.25 V, V _{IN2} = 13.5 V	50	100	200	kΩ
DELAY						
DELAY Input Current		DELAY = 5.15 V	4.0	10	16	μΑ
SWITCH						
SWITCH ON Resistance		I_{SWITCH} = 0.5 A, T_J = -40°C, 25°C I_{SWITCH} = 0.5 A, T_J = 125°C	-	0.40 0.55	0.60 0.75	Ω
Current Limit		-	1.0	1.6	2.5	Α
Error Amplifier			_			
Error Amplifier Transconductance	2.6 V Option	2.58 V ≤ FB1 ≤ 2.62 V 2.58 V ≤ FB2 ≤ 2.62 V	0.55	-	2.10	1/m Ω
	3.3 V Option 5.0 V Option	3.275 V ≤ FB1 ≤ 3.325 V 3.275 V ≤ FB2 ≤ 3.325 V 4.962 V ≤ FB1 ≤ 5.038 V	0.43 0.28	-	1.65 1.09	
	7.5 V Option	4.962 V ≤ FB2 ≤ 5.038 V 7.442 V ≤ FB1 ≤ 7.558 V 7.442 V ≤ FB2 ≤ 7.558 V	0.19	-	0.73	
Error Amplifier Bandwidth		Note 4	1.0	-	-	MHz
Output Tracking (Sequencing)						
Feedback to ENABLE Tracking Volt	age, 2.6 V Option	-	60	67	75	%
Feedback to ENABLE Tracking Voltage, 3.3 V Option		-	80	85	90	%

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PACKAGE PIN DESCRIPTION

PACKAGE LEAD #	LEAD SYMBOL	FUNCTION
1	AUXILIARY	Alternate path for voltage input to the IC.
2	ENABLE	Sense for powerup. This pin must be high before SWITCH turns on.
3	RESET	CMOS compatible open drain output lead. RESET goes low whenever FB1 or FB2 is below the RESET low threshold, or above the RESET high threshold.
4, 5, 12, 13	GND	Ground.
6	DELAY	RESET delay control. Time is doubled when pin moved to FB1 or FB2 from 0 V.
7	FB1	Voltage feedback to error amplifier. Shorted with FB2.
8	FB2	Voltage feedback to error amplifier. Shorted with FB1.
9	COMP	Loop compensation node for error amplifier. (1.0 k Ω and 0.1 μF to ground).
10	NC	No connection.
11	V _{IN2}	Supply input voltage for internal bias circuitry.
14	SWITCH	Drive for external inductor.
15	СР	Node for charge pump bootstrap capacitor.
16	V_{IN}	Supply input voltage for output drivers.

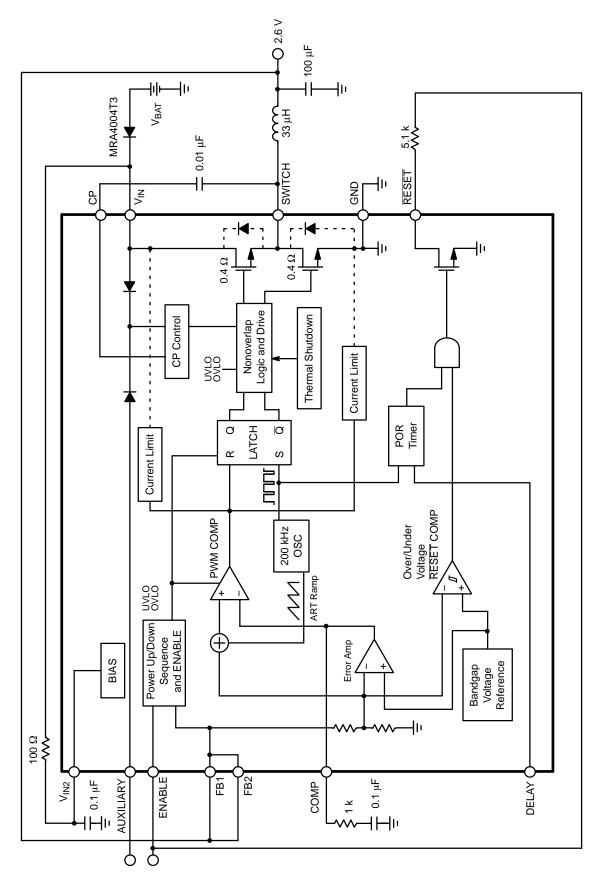


Figure 4. Block Diagram

CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

ENABLE

The NCV8800 remains in sleep mode drawing less than $25\,\mu\text{A}$ of quiescent current until the ENABLE pin is brought high powering up the device. There are two options available for the ENABLE feature.

- Option 1 (Sequenced). The output voltage tracks the ENABLE pin with a maximum delta voltage between them (reference the Output Tracking specs in the Electrical Characteristics). This allows the device to be used with microprocessors requiring dual supply voltages. One voltage is typically needed to power the core of the microprocessor, and another high voltage is needed to power the microprocessor I/O.
- Option 2 (High Voltage). This option removes the sequencing feature above, and allows the device to be controlled up to the battery voltage on the ENABLE pin with an external resistor (10 k). See Figure 5.

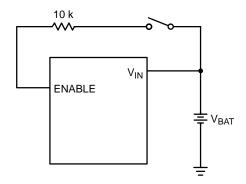


Figure 5. Switched Battery Application

AUXILIARY

The AUXILIARY pin provides an alternate path for the IC to maintain operation. The AUXILIARY pin is diode OR'd with the $V_{\rm IN}$ pin to the control circuitry (the DMOS output drivers are not included). If the voltage ($V_{\rm IN}$) from the battery dips as low as 3.5 V during a crank condition, the NCV8800 will maintain operation through a 6.0 V(min) connection on the AUXILIARY pin. Using this feature is optional. This pin should be grounded when not in use.

V_{IN}

Normal supply voltage input. An external diode must be provided to afford reverse battery protection.

SWITCH

DMOS output drivers with 0.75 Ω max push/pull capability. Non-overlap logic is provided to guarantee shoot through current is minimized.

RESET

The RESET is an open drain output which goes low when the feedback voltage on FB1 and FB2 goes below the undervoltage RESET threshold. The output also goes low when the voltage on FB1 and FB2 exceeds the overvoltage RESET threshold. The RESET output is an open drain output capable of sinking 1.6 mA.

FB1 and FB2

FB1 and FB2 are the feedback pins to the error amplifier, which control the output SWITCH as needed to the regulated output. They are internally wire bonded to the same electrical connection providing double protection for an open circuit which would cause the buck regulator to rise above its desired output reaching the voltage on $V_{\rm IN}$. These pins also provide the feedback path for the $\overline{\rm RESET}$ function.

DELAY

There are two options for the delay time for the RESET to go low. Connecting the pin to GND will provide a minimum of 14 ms. Connecting the pin to FB1 and FB2 will provide a minimum of 28 ms. Absolute max voltage on the DELAY pin is 7.0 V. Use a resistor divider to run off higher voltages. The 7.5 V option will require this divider (see Figure 6).

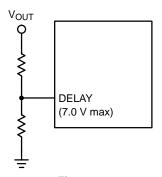


Figure 6.

COMP

The COMP pin provides access to the error amplifiers output. Switching power supplies work as feedback control systems, and require compensation for stability. A 1.0 k resistor and 0.1 μF capacitor work well in the application in Figure 2.

CP

The on-chip DMOS drivers require the gates of the devices to be pulled above their drain voltage. An external capacitor located between the SWITCH output, and the CP pin provides the charge pump action to drive the gate of the high-side driver high enough to turn the device on.

APPLICATIONS INFORMATION

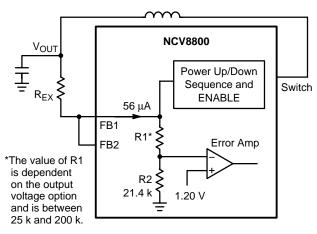


Figure 7.

Increasing the Output Voltage

Adjustments to the output voltage can be made with an external resistor (R_{EX}). The increase in output voltage will typically be 56 $\mu A \times R_{EX}$. Caution and consideration must be given to the tracking feature and temperature coefficient and matching of internal and external resistors. Output tracking always follows the Feedback pins (FB1 and FB2). The typical temperature coefficient for R1 and R2 is +4600 ppm/°C.

THEORY OF OPERATION

V² Control Method

The V^2 method of control uses a ramp signal that is generated by the ESR of the output capacitors. This ramp is proportional to the AC current through the main inductor and is offset by the value of the DC output voltage. This control scheme inherently compensates for variations in either line or load conditions, since the ramp signal is generated from the output voltage itself. This control scheme differs from traditional techniques such as voltage mode, which generates an artificial ramp, and current mode, which generates a ramp from inductor current.

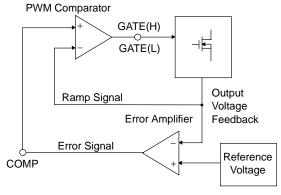


Figure 8. V² Control Block Diagram

The V^2 control method is illustrated in Figure 8. The output voltage is used to generate both the error signal and the ramp signal. Since the ramp signal is simply the output voltage, it is affected by any change in the output regardless of the origin of the change. The ramp signal also contains the DC portion of the output voltage, which allows the control circuit to drive the main switch to 0% or 100% duty cycle as required.

A change in line voltage changes the current ramp in the inductor, affecting the ramp signal, which causes the V^2 control scheme to compensate the duty cycle. Since the change in the inductor current modifies the ramp signal, as in current mode control, the V^2 control scheme has the same advantages in line transient response.

A change in load current will have an effect on the output voltage, altering the ramp signal. A load step immediately changes the state of the comparator output, which controls the main switch. Load transient response is determined only by the comparator response time and the transition speed of the main switch. The reaction time to an output load step has no relation to the crossover frequency of the error signal loop, as in traditional control methods.

The error signal loop can have a low crossover frequency, since transient response is handled by the ramp signal loop. The main purpose of this "slow" feedback loop is to provide DC accuracy. Noise immunity is significantly improved, since the error amplifier bandwidth can be rolled off at a low frequency. Enhanced noise immunity improves remote sensing of the output voltage, since the noise associated with long feedback traces can be effectively filtered.

Line and load regulations are drastically improved because there are two independent voltage loops. A voltage mode controller relies on a change in the error signal to compensate for a derivation in either line or load voltage. This change in the error signal causes the output voltage to change corresponding to the gain of the error amplifier, which is normally specified as line and load regulation. A current mode controller maintains fixed error signal under deviation in the line voltage, since the slope of the ramp signal changes, but still relies on a change in the error signal for a deviation in load. The V² method of control maintains a fixed error signal for both line and load variations, since both line and load affect the ramp signal.

Constant Frequency Operation

During normal operation, the oscillator generates a 200 kHz, 90% duty cycle waveform. The rising edge of this waveform determines the beginning of each switching cycle, at which point the high—side switch will be turned on. The high—side switch will be turned off when the ramp signal intersects the output of the error amplifier (COMP pin voltage). Therefore, the switch duty cycle can be modified to regulate the output voltage to the desired value as line and load conditions change.

The major advantage of constant frequency operation is that the component selections, especially the magnetic component design, become very easy. Oscillator frequency is fixed at 200 kHz.

Start-Up

After the NCV8800 is powered up, the error amplifier will begin linearly charging the COMP pin capacitor. The COMP capacitance and the source current of the error amplifier determine the slew rate of COMP voltage. The output of the error amplifier is connected internally to the inverting input of the PWM comparator and it is compared with the divided down output voltage FB1/FB2 at the non–inverting input of the PWM comparator. At the beginning of each switching cycle, the oscillator output will set the PWM latch. This causes the high–side switch to turn on and the regulator output voltage to ramp up.

When the divided down output voltage achieves a level set by the COMP voltage, the high-side switch will be turned off. The V^2 control loop will adjust the high-side switch duty cycle as required to ensure the regulator output voltage tracks the COMP voltage. Since the COMP voltage increases gradually, Soft Start can be achieved.

Overcurrent Protection

The output switch is protected on both the high side and low side. Current limit is set at 1.0 A (min).

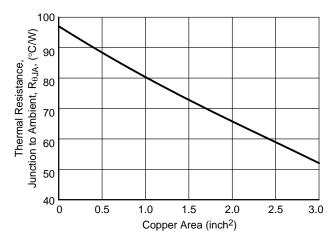


Figure 9. 16 Lead SOW (4 Leads Fused), θ JA as a Function of the Pad Copper Area (2 oz. Cu. Thickness), Board Material = 0.0625" G-10/R-4

Heat Sinks

A heat sink effectively increases the surface area of the package to improve the flow of heat away from the IC and into the surrounding air.

Each material in the heat flow path between the IC and the outside environment will have a thermal resistance. Like series electrical resistances, these resistances are summed to determine the value of $R_{\rm BIA}$:

$$R_{\theta}JA = R_{\theta}JC + R_{\theta}CS + R_{\theta}SA \tag{3}$$

where:

 $R_{\theta IC}$ = the junction-to-case thermal resistance,

 $R_{\theta CS}$ = the case–to–heatsink thermal resistance, and

 $R_{\theta SA}$ = the heatsink-to-ambient thermal resistance.

 $R_{\theta JC}$ appears in the package section of the data sheet. Like $R_{\theta JA}$, it too is a function of package type. $R_{\theta CS}$ and $R_{\theta SA}$ are functions of the package type, heatsink and the interface between them. These values appear in heat sink data sheets of heat sink manufacturers.

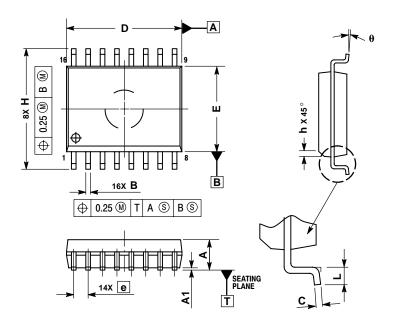
ORDERING INFORMATION

Device	Output Voltage	ENABLE Option	Package	Shipping†
NCV8800SDW26		2		46 Units/Rail
NCV8800SDW26R2	0.01/	Sequenced		1000 Tape & Reel
NCV8800HDW26	2.6 V	LP als Malta as	7	46 Units/Rail
NCV8800HDW26R2		High Voltage		1000 Tape & Reel
NCV8800SDW33			7	46 Units/Rail
NCV8800SDW33R2	227	Sequenced	60.40	1000 Tape & Reel
NCV8800HDW33	3.3 V	Link Voltono	SO-16L	46 Units/Rail
NCV8800HDW33R2		High Voltage		1000 Tape & Reel
NCV8800HDW50	507			46 Units/Rail
NCV8800HDW50R2	5.0 V	I Pale Malta as		1000 Tape & Reel
NCV8800HDW75	7.5.1/	High Voltage		46 Units/Rail
NCV8800HDW75R2	7.5 V			1000 Tape & Reel

[†]For information on tape and reel specifications, including part orientation and tape sizes, please refer to our Tape and Reel Packaging Specifications Brochure, BRD8011/D.

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

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NOTES:

- DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS.
- INTERPRET DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES PER ASME Y14.5M, 1994.
- DIMENSIONS D AND E DO NOT INLCUDE MOLD PROTRUSION
- MAXIMUM MOLD PROTRUSION 0.15 PER SIDE.
- DIMENSION B DOES NOT INCLUDE DAMBAR PROTRUSION. ALLOWABLE DAMBAR PROTRUSION SHALL BE 0.13 TOTAL IN EXCESS OF THE B DIMENSION AT MAXIMUM MATERIAL CONDITION.

	MILLIMETERS		
DIM	MIN	MAX	
Α	2.35	2.65	
A1	0.10	0.25	
В	0.35	0.49	
С	0.23	0.32	
D	10.15	10.45	
E	7.40	7.60	
е	1.27 BSC		
Н	10.05	10.55	
h	0.25	0.75	
L	0.50	0.90	
A	0 0	7 0	

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