

# TPA6100A2

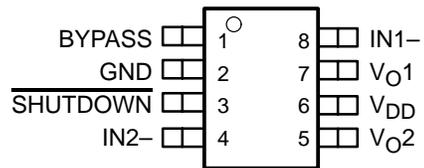
## 50-mW ULTRALOW VOLTAGE STEREO HEADPHONE AUDIO POWER AMPLIFIER

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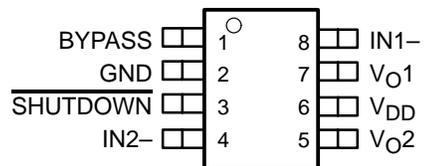
- 50-mW Stereo Output
- Low Supply Current . . . 0.75 mA
- Low Shutdown Current . . . 50 nA
- Pin Compatible With LM4881 and TPA102†
- Pop Reduction Circuitry
- Internal Mid-Rail Generation
- Thermal and Short-Circuit Protection
- Surface-Mount Packaging
  - MSOP
  - SOIC
- 1.6-V to 3.6-V Supply Voltage Range

† The polarity of the SHUTDOWN pin is reversed.

**D PACKAGE  
(TOP VIEW)**



**DGK PACKAGE  
(TOP VIEW)**



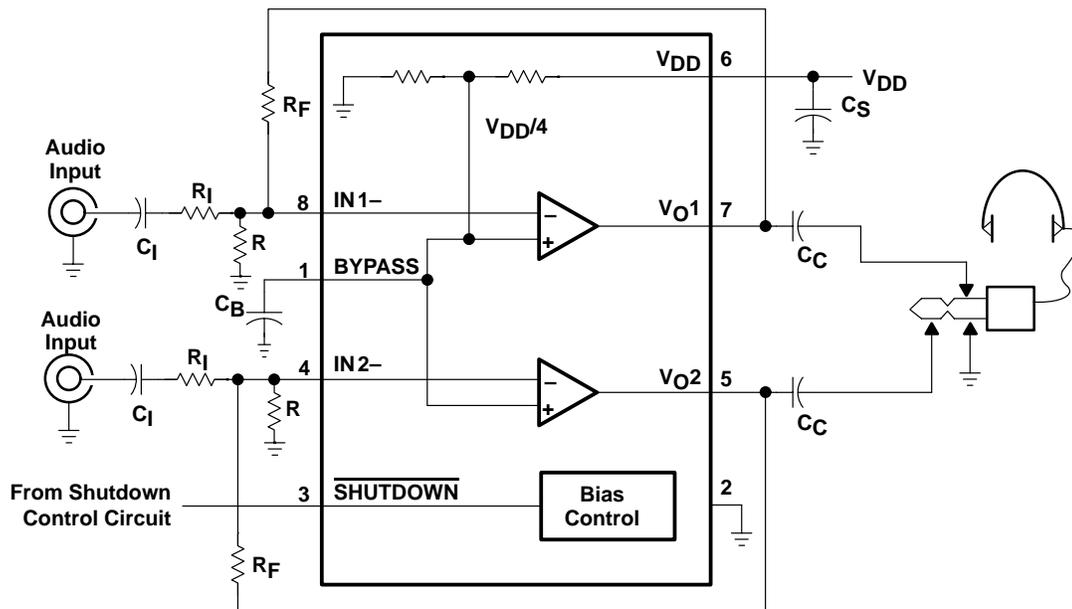
### description

The TPA6100A2 is a stereo audio power amplifier packaged in either an 8-pin SOIC package or an 8-pin MSOP package capable of delivering 50 mW of continuous RMS power per channel into 16-Ω loads. Amplifier gain is externally configured by a means of three resistors per input channel and does not require external compensation for settings of 1 to 10.

The TPA6100A2 is optimized for battery applications because of its low supply current, shutdown current, and THD+N. To obtain the low-supply voltage range, the TPA6100A2 biases BYPASS to  $V_{DD}/4$ . A resistor with a resistance equal to  $R_F$  must be added from the inputs to ground to allow the output to be biased at  $V_{DD}/2$ .

When driving a 16-Ω load with 45-mW output power from 3.3 V, THD+N is 0.04% at 1 kHz, and less than 0.2% across the audio band of 20 Hz to 20 kHz. For 28 mW into 32-Ω loads, the THD+N is reduced to less than 0.03% at 1 kHz, and is less than 0.2% across the audio band of 20 Hz to 20 kHz.

### typical application circuit



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**AVAILABLE OPTIONS**

T <sub>A</sub>	PACKAGED DEVICE		MSOP SYMBOLIZATION
	SMALL OUTLINE (D)	MSOP (DGK)	
-40°C to 85°C	TPA6100A2D	TPA6100A2DGK	AJL

**Terminal Functions**

TERMINAL NAME	NO.	I/O	DESCRIPTION
BYPASS	1	I	Tap to voltage divider for internal mid-supply bias supply. BYPASS is set at V <sub>DD</sub> /4. Connect to a 0.1-μF to 1-μF low-ESR capacitor for best performance.
GND	2	I	GND is the ground connection.
IN1-	8	I	IN1- is the inverting input for channel 1.
IN2-	4	I	IN2- is the inverting input for channel 2.
SHUTDOWN	3	I	Active-low input. When held low, the device is placed in a low supply current mode.
V <sub>DD</sub>	6	I	V <sub>DD</sub> is the supply voltage terminal.
V <sub>O1</sub>	7	O	V <sub>O1</sub> is the audio output for channel 1.
V <sub>O2</sub>	5	O	V <sub>O2</sub> is the audio output for channel 2.

**absolute maximum ratings over operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)†**

Supply voltage, V <sub>DD</sub>	4 V
Input voltage, V <sub>I</sub>	-0.3 V to V <sub>DD</sub> + 0.3 V
Continuous total power dissipation	Internally Limited
Operating junction temperature range, T <sub>J</sub>	-40°C to 150°C
Storage temperature range, T <sub>stg</sub>	-65°C to 150°C
Lead temperature 1,6 mm (1/16 inch) from case for 10 seconds	260°C

† Stresses beyond those listed under “absolute maximum ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under “recommended operating conditions” is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

**DISSIPATION RATING TABLE**

PACKAGE	T <sub>A</sub> ≤ 25°C POWER RATING	DERATING FACTOR ABOVE T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C	T <sub>A</sub> = 70°C POWER RATING	T <sub>A</sub> = 85°C POWER RATING
D	710 mW	5.68 mW/°C	454 mW	369 mW
DGK	469 mW	3.75 mW/°C	300 mW	244 mW

**recommended operating conditions**

	MIN	MAX	UNIT
Supply voltage, V <sub>DD</sub>	1.6	3.6	V
Operating free-air temperature, T <sub>A</sub>	-40	85	°C



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**dc electrical characteristics at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{DD} = 3.3\text{ V}$**

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
PSRR	Power supply rejection ratio	$V_{DD} = 3.0\text{ V to } 3.6\text{ V}$		72		dB
$I_{DD}$	Supply current			0.75	1.2	mA
$I_{DD(SD)}$	Supply current in SHUTDOWN mode			50	250	nA
$ I_{IH} $	High-level input current (SHUTDOWN)	$V_{DD} = 3.3\text{ V}, V_I = V_{DD}$			1	$\mu\text{A}$
$ I_{IL} $	Low-level input current (SHUTDOWN)	$V_{DD} = 3.3\text{ V}, V_I = 0\text{ V}$			1	$\mu\text{A}$
$Z_I$	Input impedance (IN1–, IN2–)			>1		M $\Omega$

**ac operating characteristics,  $V_{DD} = 3.3\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $R_L = 16\ \Omega$**

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$P_O$	Output power (each channel)	THD $\leq 0.1\%$ , $f = 1\text{ kHz}$		50		mW
THD+N	Total harmonic distortion + noise	$P_O = 45\text{ mW}$ , 20–20 kHz		0.2%		
BOM	Maximum output power BW	$G = 1$ , THD $< 0.5\%$		> 20		kHz
$k_{SVR}$	Supply ripple rejection	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		52		dB
SNR	Signal-to-noise ratio	$P_O = 50\text{ mW}$		90		dB
$V_n$	Noise output voltage (no noise weighting filter)			28		$\mu\text{V(rms)}$

**ac operating characteristics,  $V_{DD} = 3.3\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $R_L = 32\ \Omega$**

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$P_O$	Output power (each channel)	THD $\leq 0.1\%$ , $f = 1\text{ kHz}$		35		mW
THD+N	Total harmonic distortion + noise	$P_O = 30\text{ mW}$ , 20–20 kHz		0.2%		
BOM	Maximum output power BW	$G = 1$ , THD $< 0.2\%$		>20		kHz
$k_{SVR}$	Supply ripple rejection	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		52		dB
SNR	Signal-to-noise ratio	$P_O = 35\text{ mW}$		91		dB
$V_n$	Noise output voltage (no noise weighting filter)			28		$\mu\text{V(rms)}$

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**dc electrical characteristics at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{DD} = 1.6\text{ V}$**

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
PSRR	Power supply rejection ratio	$V_{DD} = 1.5\text{ V to }1.7\text{ V}$		80		dB
$I_{DD}$	Supply current			1.2		mA
$I_{DD(SD)}$	Supply current in <u>SHUTDOWN</u> mode			50	250	nA
$ I_{IH} $	High-level input current ( <u>SHUTDOWN</u> )	$V_{DD} = 1.6\text{ V}$ , $V_I = V_{DD}$			1	$\mu\text{A}$
$ I_{IL} $	Low-level input current ( <u>SHUTDOWN</u> )	$V_{DD} = 1.6\text{ V}$ , $V_I = 0\text{ V}$			1	$\mu\text{A}$
$Z_I$	Input impedance (IN1–, IN2–)			>1		M $\Omega$

**ac operating characteristics,  $V_{DD} = 1.6\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $R_L = 16\ \Omega$**

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$P_O$	Output power (each channel)	THD $\leq 0.1\%$ , $f = 1\text{ kHz}$		9.5		mW
THD+N	Total harmonic distortion + noise	$P_O = 9.5\text{ mW}$ , 20–20 kHz		0.4%		
BOM	Maximum output power BW	$G = 0\text{ dB}$ , THD $< 0.4\%$		> 20		kHz
kSVR	Supply ripple rejection	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		53		dB
SNR	Signal-to-noise ratio	$P_O = 9.5\text{ mW}$		86		dB
$V_n$	Noise output voltage (no noise weighting filter)			18		$\mu\text{V(rms)}$

**ac operating characteristics,  $V_{DD} = 1.6\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $R_L = 32\ \Omega$**

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
$P_O$	Output power (each channel)	THD $\leq 0.1\%$ , $f = 1\text{ kHz}$		7.1		mW
THD+N	Total harmonic distortion + noise	$P_O = 6.5\text{ mW}$ , 20–20 kHz		0.3%		
BOM	Maximum output power BW	$G = 0\text{ dB}$ , THD $< 0.3\%$		>20		kHz
kSVR	Supply ripple rejection	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		53		dB
SNR	Signal-to-noise ratio	$P_O = 7.1\text{ mW}$		88		dB
$V_n$	Noise output voltage (no noise weighting filter)			18		$\mu\text{V(rms)}$



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### gain setting resistors, $R_F$ , $R_I$ , and $R$

The voltage gain for the TPA6100A2 is set by resistors  $R_F$  and  $R_I$  according to equation 1.

$$\text{Gain} = - \left( \frac{R_F}{R_I} \right) \text{ or Gain (dB)} = 20 \log \left( \frac{R_F}{R_I} \right) \quad (1)$$

Given that the TPA6100A2 is a MOS amplifier, the input impedance is very high. Consequently input leakage currents are not generally a concern, although noise in the circuit increases as the value of  $R_F$  increases. In addition, a certain range of  $R_F$  values is required for proper start-up operation of the amplifier. Taken together it is recommended that the effective impedance seen by the inverting node of the amplifier be set between 5 k $\Omega$  and 20 k $\Omega$ . The effective impedance is calculated in equation 2.

$$\text{Effective Impedance} = \frac{R_F R_I}{R_F + R_I} \quad (2)$$

As an example, consider an input resistance of 20 k $\Omega$  and a feedback resistor of 20 k $\Omega$ . The gain of the amplifier would be  $-1$  and the effective impedance at the inverting terminal would be 10 k $\Omega$ , which is within the recommended range.

For high performance applications, metal film resistors are recommended because they tend to have lower noise levels than carbon resistors. For values of  $R_F$  above 50 k $\Omega$ , the amplifier tends to become unstable due to a pole formed from  $R_F$  and the inherent input capacitance of the MOS input structure. For this reason, a small compensation capacitor of approximately 5 pF should be placed in parallel with  $R_F$ . This, in effect, creates a low-pass filter network with the cutoff frequency defined in equation 3.

$$f_c = \frac{1}{2\pi R_F C_F} \quad (3)$$

For example, if  $R_F$  is 100 k $\Omega$  and  $C_F$  is 5 pF then  $f_c$  is 318 kHz, which is well outside the audio range.

For maximum signal swing and output power at low supply voltages like 1.6 V to 3.3 V, BYPASS is biased to  $V_{DD}/4$ . However, to allow the output to be biased at  $V_{DD}/2$ , a resistor,  $R$ , equal to  $R_F$  must be placed from the negative input to ground.

### input capacitor, $C_I$

In the typical application, an input capacitor,  $C_I$ , is required to allow the amplifier to bias the input signal to the proper dc level for optimum operation. In this case,  $C_I$  and  $R_I$  form a high-pass filter with the corner frequency determined in equation 4.

$$f_c = \frac{1}{2\pi R_I C_I} \quad (4)$$

The value of  $C_I$  is important to consider, as it directly affects the bass (low frequency) performance of the circuit. Consider the example where  $R_I$  is 20 k $\Omega$  and the specification calls for a flat bass response down to 20 Hz. Equation 4 is reconfigured as equation 5.

$$C_I = \frac{1}{2\pi R_I f_c} \quad (5)$$

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##### input capacitor, $C_I$ (continued)

In this example,  $C_I$  is 0.40  $\mu\text{F}$ , so one would likely choose a value in the range of 0.47  $\mu\text{F}$  to 1  $\mu\text{F}$ . A further consideration for this capacitor is the leakage path from the input source through the input network ( $R_I$ ,  $C_I$ ) and the feedback resistor ( $R_F$ ) to the load. This leakage current creates a dc offset voltage at the input to the amplifier that reduces useful headroom, especially in high-gain applications ( $>10$ ). For this reason a low-leakage tantalum or ceramic capacitor is the best choice. When polarized capacitors are used, the positive side of the capacitor should face the amplifier input in most applications, as the dc level there is held at  $V_{DD}/4$ , which is likely higher than the source dc level. It is important to confirm the capacitor polarity in the application.

##### power supply decoupling, $C_S$

The TPA6100A2 is a high-performance CMOS audio amplifier that requires adequate power supply decoupling to ensure that the output total harmonic distortion (THD) is as low as possible. Power supply decoupling also prevents oscillations for long lead lengths between the amplifier and the speaker. The optimum decoupling is achieved by using two capacitors of different types that target different types of noise on the power supply leads. For higher frequency transients, spikes, or digital hash on the line, a good low equivalent-series-resistance (ESR) ceramic capacitor, typically 0.1  $\mu\text{F}$ , placed as close as possible to the device  $V_{DD}$  lead, works best. For filtering lower-frequency noise signals, a larger aluminum electrolytic capacitor of 10  $\mu\text{F}$  or greater placed near the power amplifier is recommended.

##### midrail bypass capacitor, $C_B$

The midrail bypass capacitor ( $C_B$ ) serves several important functions. During startup,  $C_B$  determines the rate at which the amplifier starts up. This helps to push the start-up pop noise into the subaudible range (so low it can not be heard). The second function is to reduce noise produced by the power supply caused by coupling into the output drive signal. This noise is from the midrail generation circuit internal to the amplifier. The capacitor is fed from a 55-k $\Omega$  source inside the amplifier. To keep the start-up pop as low as possible, the relationship shown in equation 6 should be maintained.

$$\frac{1}{(C_B \times 55 \text{ k}\Omega)} \leq \frac{1}{(C_I R_I)} \quad (6)$$

As an example, consider a circuit where  $C_B$  is 1  $\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_I$  is 1  $\mu\text{F}$ , and  $R_I$  is 20 k $\Omega$ . Inserting these values into the equation 6 results in:  $18.18 \leq 50$  which satisfies the rule. Bypass capacitor ( $C_B$ ) values of 0.47- $\mu\text{F}$  to 1- $\mu\text{F}$  ceramic or tantalum low-ESR capacitors are recommended for the best THD and noise performance.

##### output coupling capacitor, $C_C$

In the typical single-supply single-ended (SE) configuration, an output coupling capacitor ( $C_C$ ) is required to block the dc bias at the output of the amplifier, thus preventing dc currents in the load. As with the input coupling capacitor, the output coupling capacitor and impedance of the load form a high-pass filter governed by equation 7.

$$f_c = \frac{1}{2\pi R_L C_C} \quad (7)$$

The main disadvantage, from a performance standpoint, is that the typically small load impedances drive the low-frequency corner higher. Large values of  $C_C$  are required to pass low frequencies into the load. Consider the example where a  $C_C$  of 68  $\mu\text{F}$  is chosen and loads vary from 32  $\Omega$  to 47 k $\Omega$ . Table 1 summarizes the frequency response characteristics of each configuration.

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**Table 1. Common Load Impedances vs Low Frequency Output Characteristics in SE Mode**

$R_L$	$C_C$	Lowest Frequency
$32\ \Omega$	$68\ \mu\text{F}$	73 Hz
$10,000\ \Omega$	$68\ \mu\text{F}$	0.23 Hz
$47,000\ \Omega$	$68\ \mu\text{F}$	0.05 Hz

As Table 1 indicates, headphone response is adequate and drive into line level inputs (a home stereo for example) is very good.

The output coupling capacitor required in single-supply SE mode also places additional constraints on the selection of other components in the amplifier circuit. With the rules described earlier still valid, add the following relationship:

$$\frac{1}{(C_B \times 55\ \text{k}\Omega)} \leq \frac{1}{(C_C R_L)} \ll \frac{1}{R_L C_C} \quad (8)$$

### using low-ESR capacitors

Low-ESR capacitors are recommended throughout this application. A real capacitor can be modeled simply as a resistor in series with an ideal capacitor. The voltage drop across this resistor minimizes the beneficial effects of the capacitor in the circuit. The lower the equivalent value of this resistance, the more the real capacitor behaves like an ideal capacitor.

### 3.3-V versus 1.6-V operation

The TPA6100A2 was designed for operation over a supply range of 1.6 V to 3.6 V. There are no special considerations for 1.6-V versus 3.3-V operation as far as supply bypassing, gain setting, or stability. Supply current is slightly reduced from 0.75 mA (typical) to 0.65 mA (typical). The most important consideration is that of output power. Each amplifier can produce a maximum output voltage swing within a few hundred millivolts of the rails with a 10-k $\Omega$  load. However, this voltage swing decreases as the load resistance decreases and the  $r_{DS(on)}$  as the output stage transistors becomes more significant. For example, for a 32- $\Omega$  load, the maximum peak output voltage with  $V_{DD} = 1.6\ \text{V}$  is approximately 0.7 V with no clipping distortion. This reduced voltage swing effectively reduces the maximum undistorted output power.

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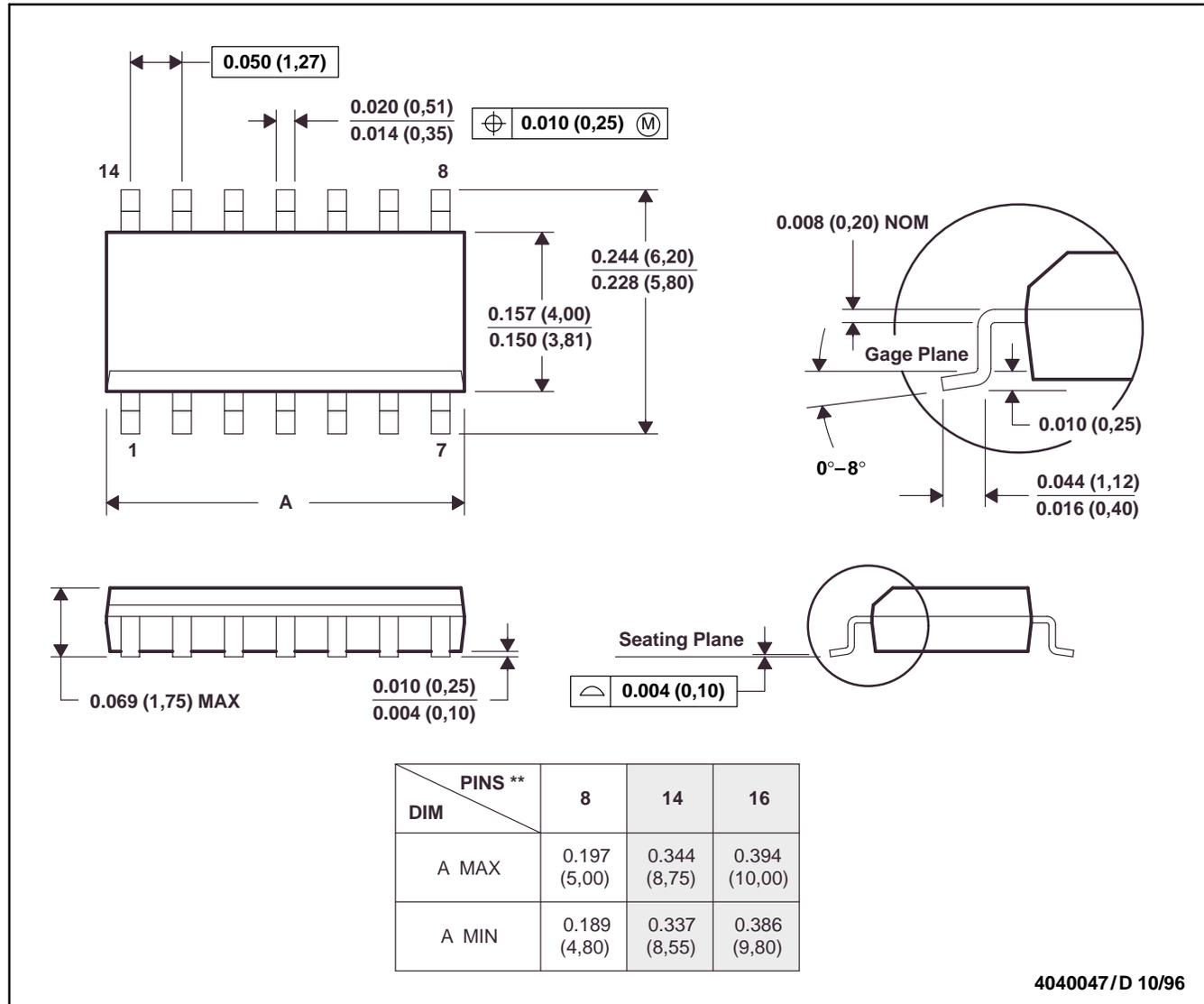
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**MECHANICAL DATA**

**D (R-PDSO-G\*\*)**

**PLASTIC SMALL-OUTLINE PACKAGE**

14 PIN SHOWN



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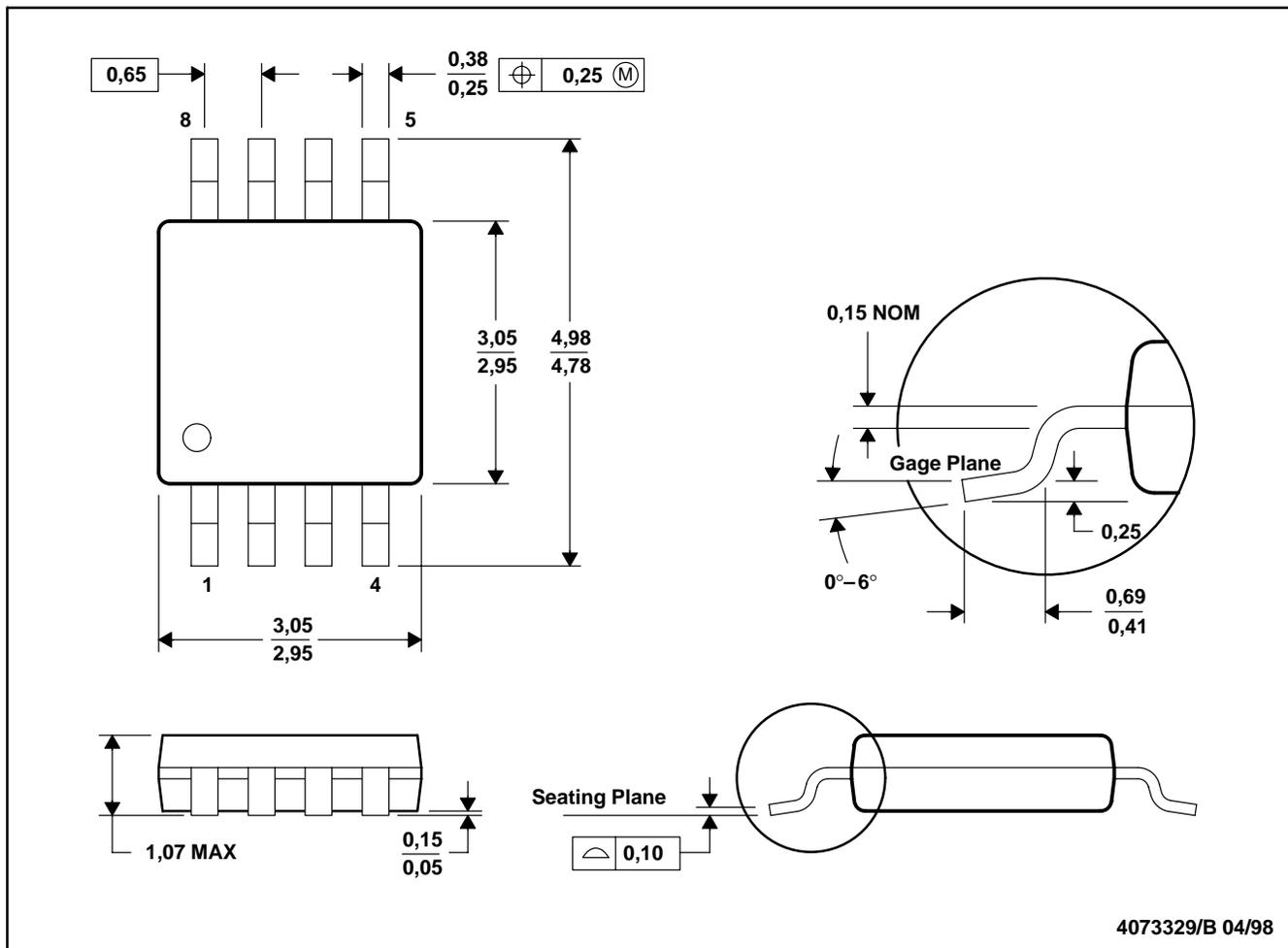
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**DGK (R-PDSO-G8)**

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