VP0550

P-Channel Enhancement-Mode Vertical DMOS FET

Features

- Free from Secondary Breakdown
- Low Power Drive Requirement
- Ease of Paralleling
- Low C_{ISS} and Fast Switching Speeds
- Excellent Thermal Stability
- Integral Source-to-Drain Diode
- High Input Impedance and High Gain

Applications

- Motor Controls
- Converters, Amplifiers and Switches
- Power Supply Circuits
- Drivers (Relays, Hammers, Solenoids, Lamps, Memories, Displays, Bipolar Transistors, etc.)

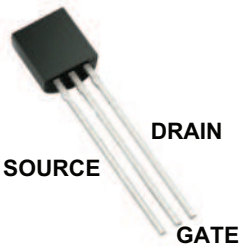
General Description

The VP0550 low-threshold, Enhancement-mode (normally-off) transistor uses a vertical DMOS structure and a well-proven silicon-gate manufacturing process. This combination produces a device with the power handling capabilities of bipolar transistors and the high input impedance and positive temperature coefficient inherent in MOS devices. Characteristic of all MOS structures, this device is free from thermal runaway and thermally induced secondary breakdown.

Microchip's vertical DMOS FETs are ideally suited to a wide range of switching and amplifying applications where very low threshold voltage, high breakdown voltage, high input impedance, low input capacitance, and fast switching speeds are desired.

Package Type

3-lead TO-92
(Top view)



See Table 3-1 for pin information.

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1.0 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Absolute Maximum Ratings†

Drain-to-Source Voltage ..... BV_{DSS}
Drain-to-Gate Voltage ..... BV_{DGS}
Gate-to-Source Voltage ..... ±20V
Operating Ambient Temperature, T_A ..... –55°C to +150°C
Storage Temperature, T_S ..... –55°C to +150°C

† Notice: Stresses above those listed under “Absolute Maximum Ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only, and functional operation of the device at those or any other conditions above those indicated in the operational sections of this specification is not intended. Exposure to maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

DC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Electrical Specifications: T_A = 25°C unless otherwise specified. All DC parameters are 100% tested at 25°C unless otherwise stated. Pulse test: 300 µs pulse, 2% duty cycle

Parameter	Sym.	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	Conditions
Drain-to-Source Breakdown Voltage	BV_{DSS}	–500	—	—	V	V_{GS} = 0V, I_D = –1 mA
Gate Threshold Voltage	$V_{GS(th)}$	–2	—	–4.5	V	V_{GS} = V_{DS}, I_D = –1 mA
Change in $V_{GS(th)}$ with Temperature	$\Delta V_{GS(th)}$	—	3.5	6	mV/°C	V_{GS} = V_{DS}, I_D = –1 mA (**Note 1**)
Gate Body Leakage Current	I_{GSS}	—	—	–100	nA	V_{GS} = ±20V, V_{DS} = 0V
Zero-Gate Voltage Drain Current	I_{DSS}	—	—	–10	µA	V_{GS} = 0V, V_{DS} = Maximum rating
		—	—	–1000	µA	V_{DS} = 0.8 Maximum rating, V_{GS} = 0V, T_A= 125°C (**Note 1**)
On-State Drain Current	$I_{D(ON)}$	—	–90	—	mA	V_{GS} = –5V, V_{DS} = –25V
		–100	–240	—	mA	V_{GS} = –10V, V_{DS} = –25V
Static Drain-to-Source On-State Resistance	$R_{DS(ON)}$	—	85	—	Ω	V_{GS} = –5V, I_D = –5 mA
		—	80	125	Ω	V_{GS} = –10V, I_D= –10 mA
Change in $R_{DS(ON)}$ with Temperature	$\Delta R_{DS(ON)}$	—	0.85	—	%/°C	V_{GS} = –10V, I_D= –10 mA (**Note 1**)

Note 1: Specification is obtained by characterization and is not 100% tested.

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AC ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Electrical Specifications: T_A = 25°C unless otherwise specified. All AC parameters are not 100% sample tested.						
Parameter	**Sym.**	**Min.**	**Typ.**	**Max.**	**Unit**	**Conditions**
Forward Transconductance	G_{FS}	25	40	—	mmho	V_{DS} = –25V, I_D = –10 mA
Input Capacitance	C_{ISS}	—	40	70	pF	V_{GS} = 0V, V_{DS} = –25V, f = 1 MHz
Common-Source Output Capacitance	C_{OSS}	—	10	20	pF	
Reverse Transfer Capacitance	C_{RSS}	—	3	10	pF	
Turn-On Delay Time	$t_{d(ON)}$	—	5	10	ns	V_{DD} = –25V, I_D = –100 mA, R_{GEN} = 25Ω
Rise Time	t_r	—	8	10	ns	
Turn-Off Delay Time	$t_{d(OFF)}$	—	8	15	ns	
Fall Time	t_f	—	5	16	ns	
DIODE PARAMETER						
Diode Forward Voltage Drop	V_{SD}	—	–0.8	–1.5	V	V_{GS} = 0V, I_{SD} = –0.1A (**Note 1**)
Reverse Recovery Time	t_{rr}	—	200	—	ns	V_{GS} = 0V, I_{SD} = –0.1A

Note 1: Unless otherwise stated, all DC parameters are 100% tested at 25°C. Pulse test: 300 µs pulse, 2% duty cycle

TEMPERATURE SPECIFICATIONS

Parameter	**Sym.**	**Min.**	**Typ.**	**Max.**	**Unit**	**Conditions**
TEMPERATURE RANGE						
Operating Ambient Temperature	T_A	–55	—	+150	°C	
Storage Temperature	T_S	–55	—	+150	°C	
PACKAGE THERMAL RESISTANCE						
3-lead TO-92	θ_{JA}	—	132	—	°C/W	

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Package	**I_D (Note 1) (Continuous) (mA)**	**I_D (Pulsed) (mA)**	**Power Dissipation at T_A = 25°C (W)**	**I_{DR} (Note 1) (mA)**	**I_{DRM} (mA)**
3-lead TO-92	–54	–250	1	–54	–250

Note 1: I_D (continuous) is limited by maximum rated T_J.

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2.0 TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES

Note: The graphs and tables provided following this note are a statistical summary based on a limited number of samples and are provided for informational purposes only. The performance characteristics listed herein are not tested or guaranteed. In some graphs or tables, the data presented may be outside the specified operating range (e.g. outside specified power supply range) and therefore outside the warranted range.

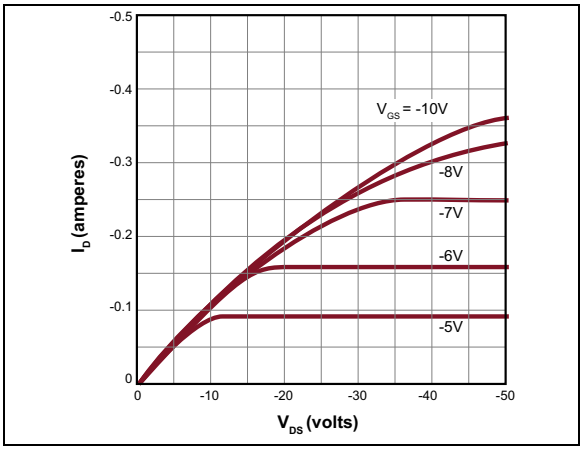


FIGURE 2-1: *Output Characteristics.*

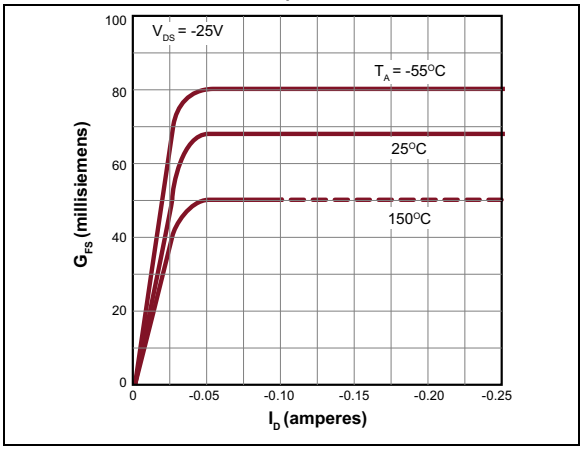


FIGURE 2-2: *Transconductance vs. Drain Current.*

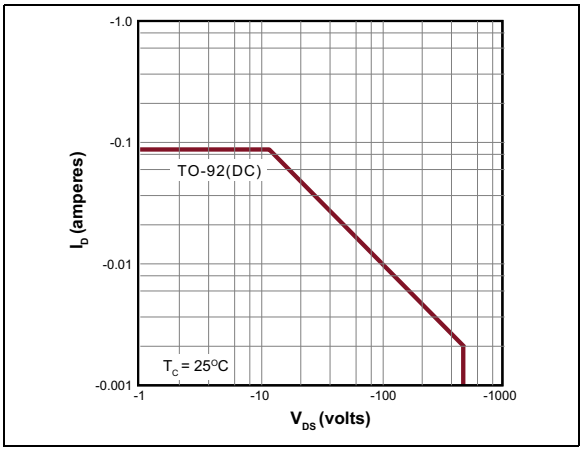


FIGURE 2-3: *Maximum Rated Safe Operating Area.*

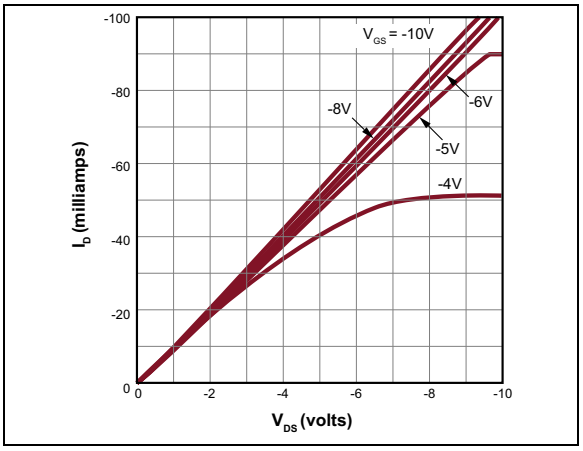


FIGURE 2-4: *Saturation Characteristics.*

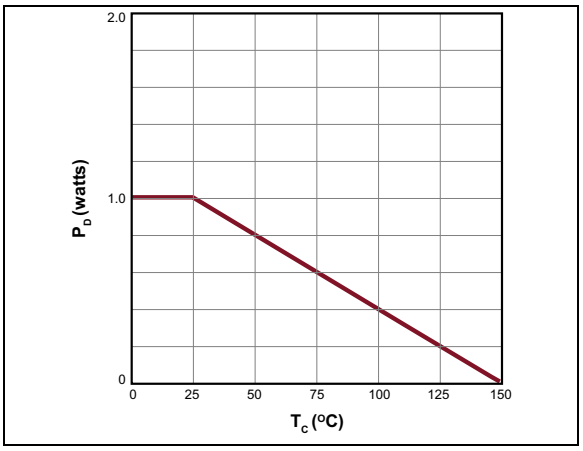


FIGURE 2-5: *Power Dissipation vs. Case Temperature.*

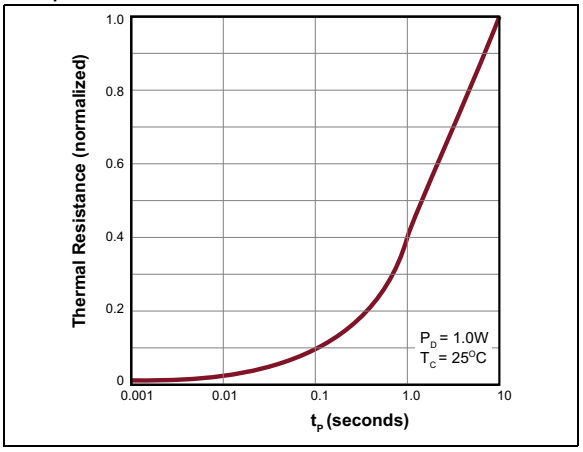


FIGURE 2-6: *Thermal Response Characteristics.*

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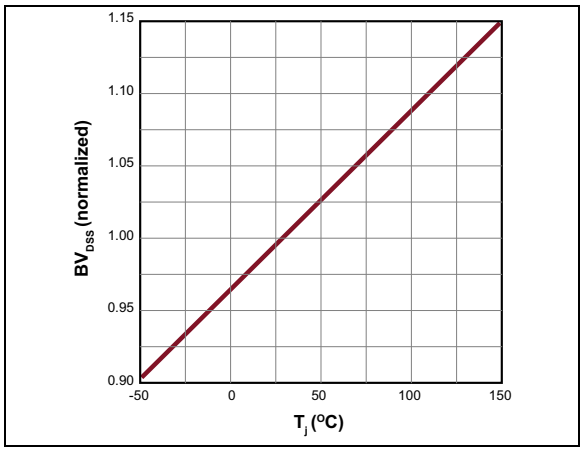


FIGURE 2-7: *BV_{DSS} Variation with Temperature.*

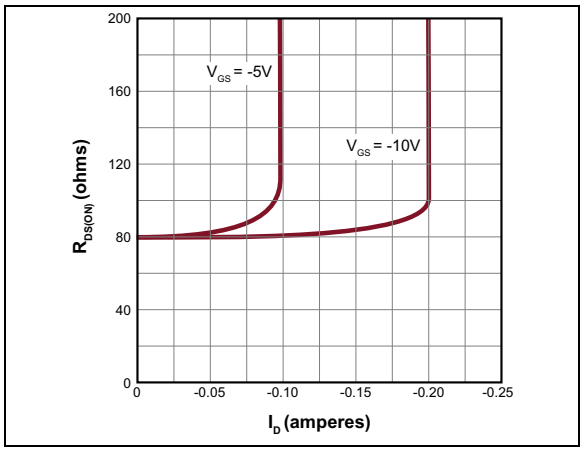


FIGURE 2-10: *On-Resistance vs. Drain Current.*

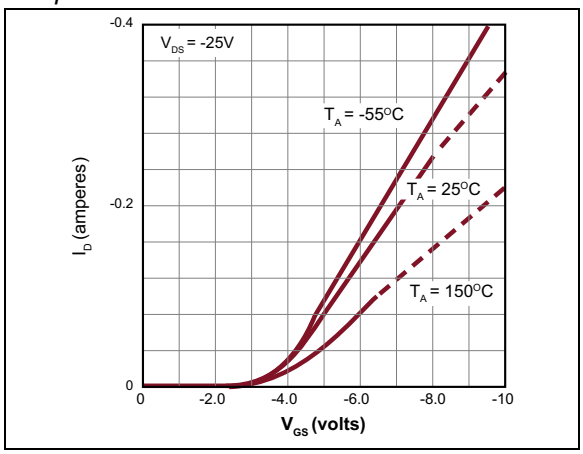


FIGURE 2-8: *Transfer Characteristics.*

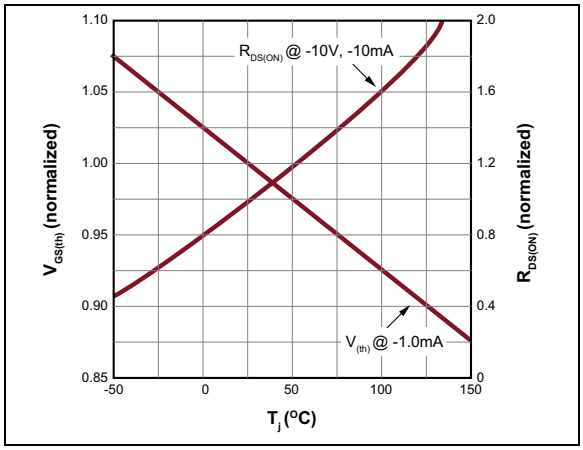


FIGURE 2-11: *$V_{(th)}$ and R_{DS} Variation with Temperature.*

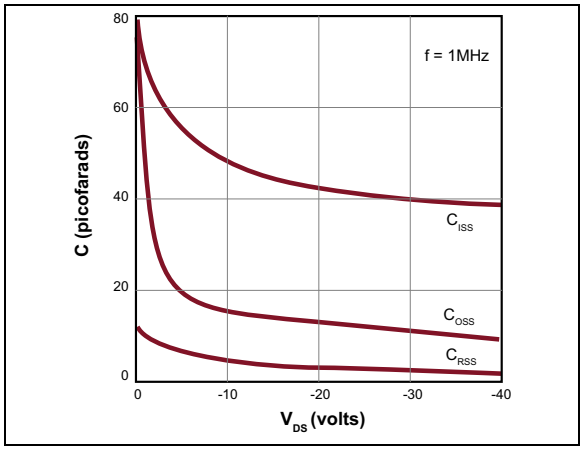


FIGURE 2-9: *Capacitance vs. Drain-to-Source Voltage.*

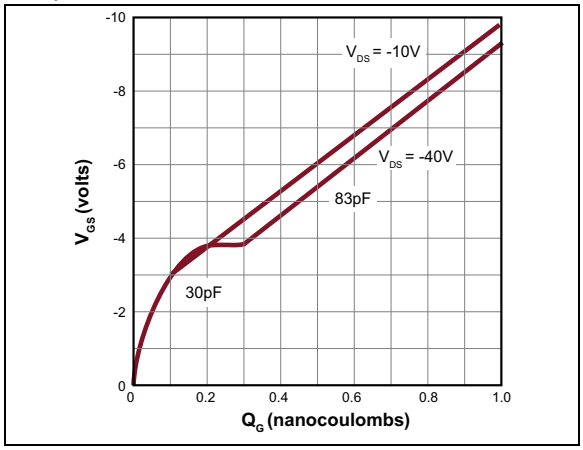


FIGURE 2-12: *Gate Drive Dynamic Characteristics.*

3.0 PIN DESCRIPTION

The details on the pins of VP0550 are listed in Table 3-1. Refer to **Package Type** for the location of pins.

TABLE 3-1: PIN FUNCTION TABLE

Pin Number	Pin Name	Description
1	Source	Source
2	Gate	Gate
3	Drain	Drain

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4.0 FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

Figure 4-1 illustrates the switching waveforms and test circuit for VP0550.

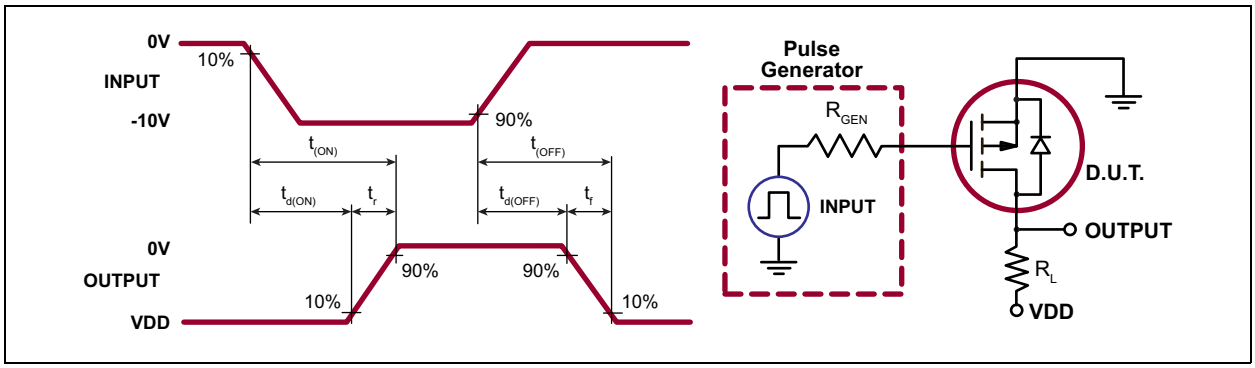


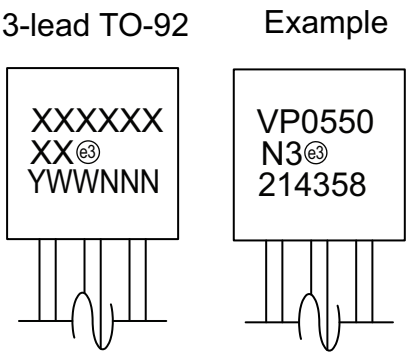
FIGURE 4-1: *Switching Waveforms and Test Circuit.*

TABLE 4-1: PRODUCT SUMMARY

BV_{DSS}/BV_{DGS} (V)	$R_{DS(ON)}$ (Maximum) (Ω)	$I_{D(ON)}$ (Minimum) (mA)
–500	125	–100

5.0 PACKAGING INFORMATION

5.1 Package Marking Information

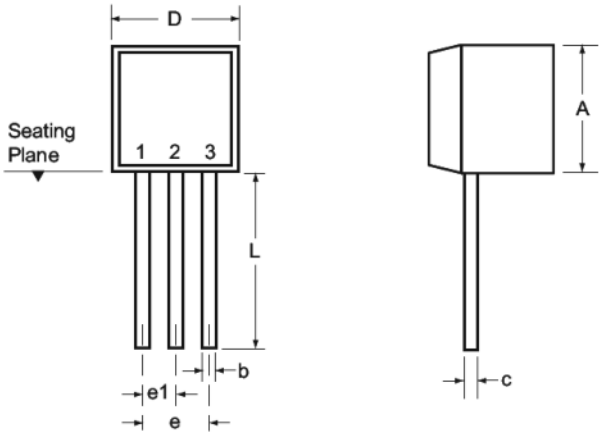


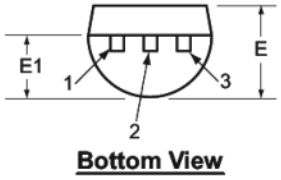
Legend:	XX...X	Product Code or Customer-specific information
	Y	Year code (last digit of calendar year)
	YY	Year code (last 2 digits of calendar year)
	WW	Week code (week of January 1 is week ‘01’)
	NNN	Alphanumeric traceability code
	(e3)	Pb-free JEDEC® designator for Matte Tin (Sn)
	*	This package is Pb-free. The Pb-free JEDEC designator ((e3)) can be found on the outer packaging for this package.

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3-Lead TO-92 Package Outline (L/LL/N3)





Note: For the most current package drawings, see the Microchip Packaging Specification at www.microchip.com/packaging.

Symbol		A	b	c	D	E	E1	e	e1	L
Dimensions (inches)	MIN	.170	.014†	.014†	.175	.125	.080	.095	.045	.500
	NOM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	MAX	.210	.022†	.022†	.205	.165	.105	.105	.055	.610*

JEDEC Registration TO-92.
** This dimension is not specified in the JEDEC drawing.*
† This dimension differs from the JEDEC drawing.
Drawings not to scale.

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APPENDIX A: REVISION HISTORY

Revision A (April 2022)

- Converted Supertex Doc# DSFP-VP0550 to Microchip DS20006003A
- Changed the package marking format
- Removed the 3-lead TO-92 N3 P002, P003, P005, and P014 media types to align packaging specifi-cations with the actual BQM
- Added some sections to comply with the standard Microchip format
- Made minor text changes throughout the document

PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM

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PART NO.	XX	-	X	-	X
Device	Package Options		Environmental		Media Type

Device:	VP0550	=	P-Channel Enhancement-Mode Vertical DMOS FET
Package:	N3	=	3-lead TO-92
Environmental:	G	=	Lead (Pb)-free/RoHS-compliant Package
Media Types:	(blank)	=	1000/Bag for an N3 Package
	P013	=	2000/AMMO Pack for an N3 Package

Examples:

a) VP0550N3-G: P-Channel Enhancement-Mode, Vertical DMOS FET, 3-lead TO-92, 1000/Bag

b) VP0550N3-G-P013: P-Channel Enhancement-Mode, Vertical DMOS FET, 3-lead TO-92, 2000/AMMO Pack

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