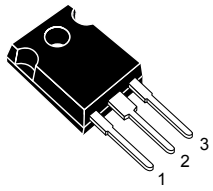
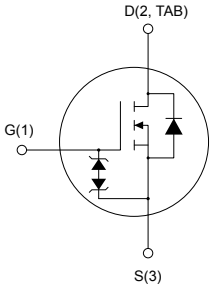
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Datasheet

N-channel 900 V, 600 mΩ typ., 8 A MDmesh K5 Power MOSFET in a TO-247 package



TO-247



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Features

Order code	V_{DS}	$R_{DS(on)}$ max.	I_D
STW8N90K5	900 V	680 mΩ	8 A

- Ultra-low gate charge
- Very low FoM (figure of merit)
- Zener-protected
- 100% avalanche tested

Applications

- Switching applications

Description

This very high voltage N-channel Power MOSFET is designed using MDmesh K5 technology based on an innovative proprietary vertical structure. The result is a dramatic reduction in on-resistance and ultra-low gate charge for applications requiring superior power density and high efficiency.

Product status link
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Product summary	
Order code	STW8N90K5
Marking	8N90K5
Package	TO-247
Packing	Tube

1 Electrical ratings

Table 1. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V_{GS}	Gate-source voltage	±30	V
I_D	Drain current (continuous) at T_C = 25 °C	8	A
	Drain current (continuous) at T_C = 100 °C	5	
I_{DM}(1)	Drain current (pulsed)	32	A
P_{TOT}	Total power dissipation at T_C = 25 °C	130	W
dv/dt(2)	Peak diode recovery voltage slope	4.5	V/ns
dv/dt(3)	MOSFET dv/dt ruggedness	50	V/ns
T_{stg}	Storage temperature range	-55 to 150	°C
T_J	Operating junction temperature range		°C

1. *Pulse width is limited by safe operating area.*
2. *I_{SD} ≤ 8 A, di/dt = 100 A/µs, V_{DS} (peak) < $V_{(BR)DSS}$.*
3. *V_{DD} ≤ 720 V.*

Table 2. Thermal data

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
R_{thJC}	Thermal resistance, junction-to-case	0.96	°C/W
R_{thJA}	Thermal resistance, junction-to-ambient	50	°C/W

Table 3. Avalanche characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
I_{AR}	Avalanche current, repetitive or non-repetitive (pulse width limited by T_J max.)	2.7	A
E_{AS}	Single pulse avalanche energy (starting T_J = 25 °C, I_D = I_{AR}, V_{DD} = 50 V)	250	mJ

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T_C = 25 °C unless otherwise specified.

Table 4. Static

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$V_{(BR)DSS}$	Drain-source breakdown voltage	V_{GS} = 0 V, I_D = 1 mA	900	-	-	V
I_{DSS}	Zero gate voltage drain current	V_{GS} = 0 V, V_{DS} = 900 V	-	-	1	µA
		V_{GS} = 0 V, V_{DS} = 900 V, T_C = 125 °C(1)	-	-	50	
I_{GSS}	Gate-body leakage current	V_{DS} = 0 V, V_{GS} = ±20 V	-	-	±10	µA
$V_{GS(th)}$	Gate threshold voltage	V_{DS} = V_{GS}, I_D = 100 µA	3	4	5	V
$R_{DS(on)}$	Static drain-source on-resistance	V_{GS} = 10 V, I_D = 4 A	-	600	680	mΩ

1. *Specified by design, not tested in production.*

Table 5. Dynamic

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
C_{iss}	Input capacitance	V_{DS} = 100 V, f = 1 MHz, V_{GS} = 0 V	-	426	-	pF
C_{oss}	Output capacitance		-	41	-	pF
C_{rss}	Reverse transfer capacitance		-	1.2	-	pF
$C_{o(tr)}$(1)	Equivalent output capacitance time related	V_{DS} = 0 to 720 V, V_{GS} = 0 V	-	75	-	pF
$C_{o(er)}$(2)	Equivalent output capacitance energy related		-	28	-	pF
R_g	Intrinsic gate resistance	f = 1 MHz, I_D = 0 A	-	7	-	Ω
Q_g	Total gate charge	V_{DD} = 720 V, I_D = 8 A, V_{GS} = 0 to 10 V (see the Figure 14. Test circuit for gate charge behavior)	-	11	-	nC
Q_{gs}	Gate-source charge		-	3.5	-	nC
Q_{gd}	Gate-drain charge		-	4.8	-	nC

1. *$C_{o(tr)}$ is a constant capacitance value that gives the same charging time as C_{oss} while V_{DS} is rising from 0 to 80% V_{DSS}.*
2. *$C_{o(er)}$ is a constant capacitance value that gives the same stored energy as C_{oss} while V_{DS} is rising from 0 to 80% V_{DSS}.*

Table 6. Switching times

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$t_{d(on)}$	Turn-on delay time	V_{DD} = 450 V, I_D = 4 A, R_G = 4.7 Ω, V_{GS} = 10 V (see the Figure 13. Test circuit for resistive load switching times and Figure 18. Switching time waveform)	-	14.7	-	ns
t_r	Rise time		-	13.2	-	ns
$t_{d(off)}$	Turn-off delay time		-	36.4	-	ns
t_f	Fall time		-	13.5	-	ns

Table 7. Source-drain diode

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
I_{SD}	Source-drain current		-	-	8	A
I_{SDM}(1)	Source-drain current (pulsed)		-	-	32	A
V_{SD}(2)	Forward on voltage	V_{GS} = 0 V, I_{SD} = 8 A	-	-	1.5	V
t_{rr}	Reverse recovery time	I_{SD} = 8 A, di/dt = 100 A/µs,	-	371	-	ns
Q_{rr}	Reverse recovery charge	V_{DD} = 60 V	-	4.27	-	µC
I_{RRM}	Reverse recovery current	(see the Figure 15. Test circuit for inductive load switching and diode recovery times)	-	23	-	A
t_{rr}	Reverse recovery time	I_{SD} = 8 A, di/dt = 100 A/µs,	-	582	-	ns
Q_{rr}	Reverse recovery charge	V_{DD} = 60 V, T_J = 150 °C	-	5.73	-	µC
I_{RRM}	Reverse recovery current	(see the Figure 15. Test circuit for inductive load switching and diode recovery times)	-	19.7	-	A

1. *Pulse width is limited by safe operating area.*
2. *Pulse test: pulse duration = 300 µs, duty cycle 1.5%.*

2.1 Electrical characteristics (curves)

Figure 1. Safe operating area

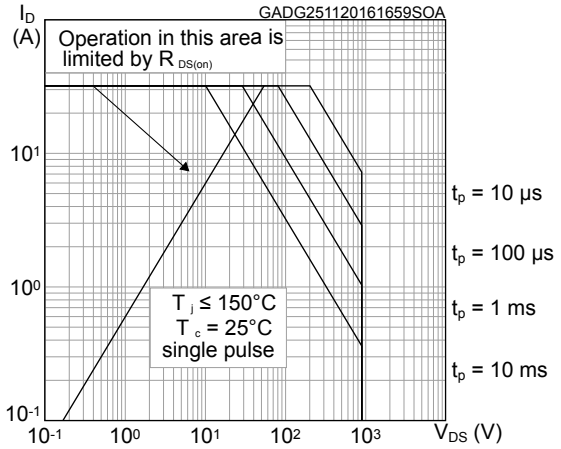


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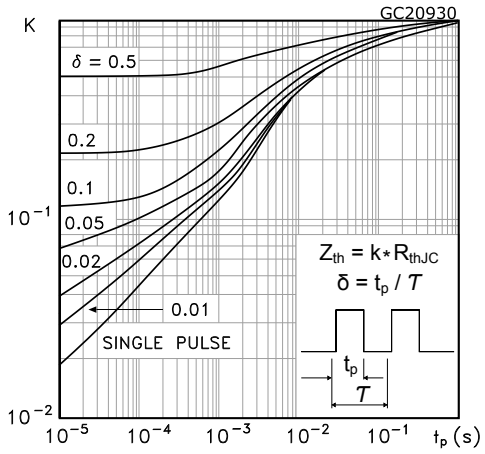


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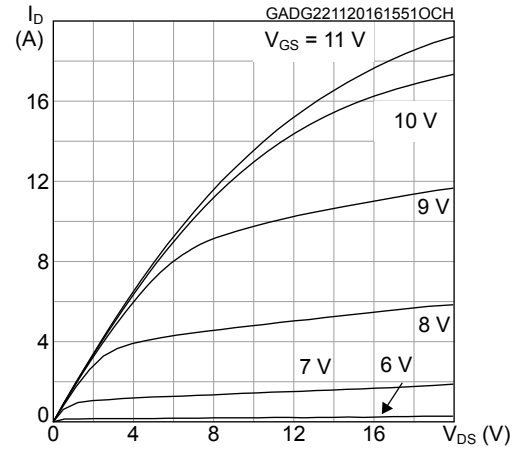


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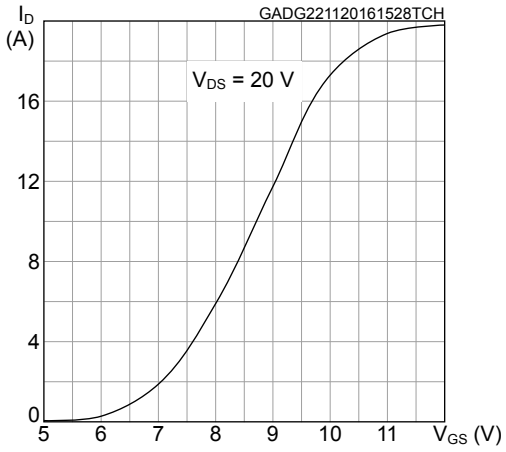


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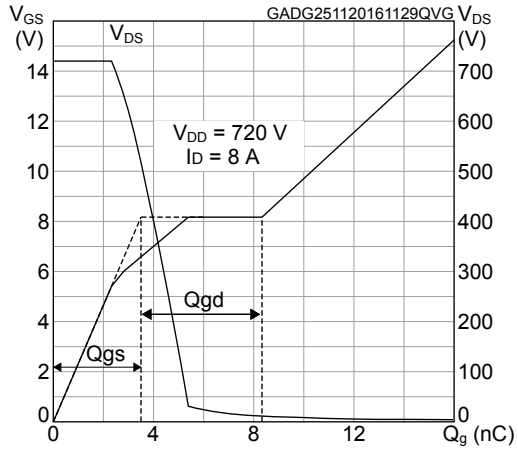


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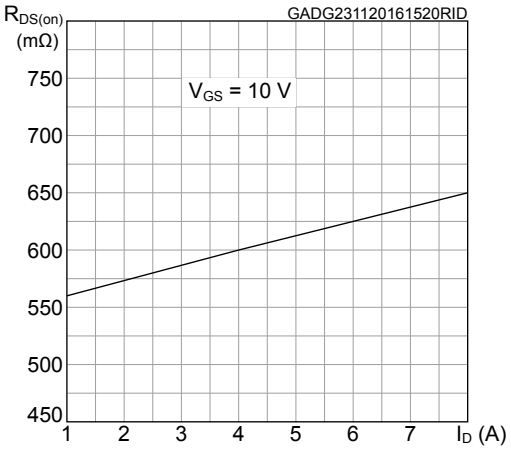


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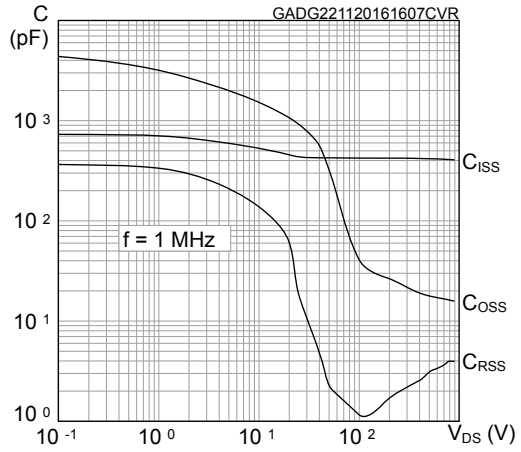


Figure 8. Normalized gate threshold vs temperature

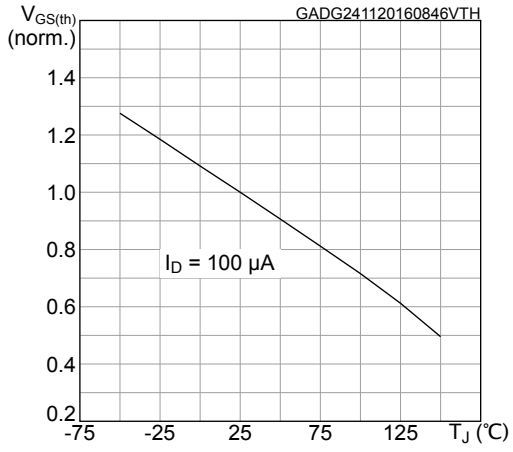


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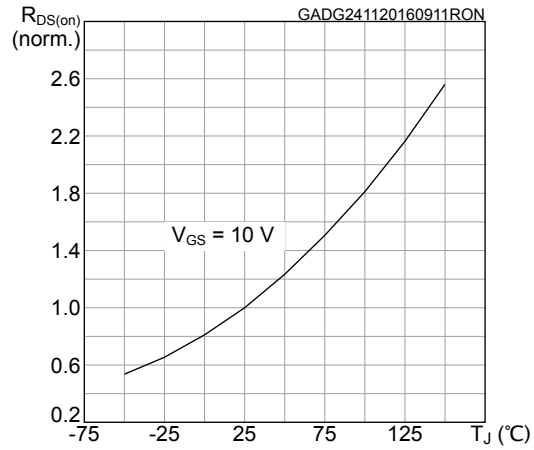


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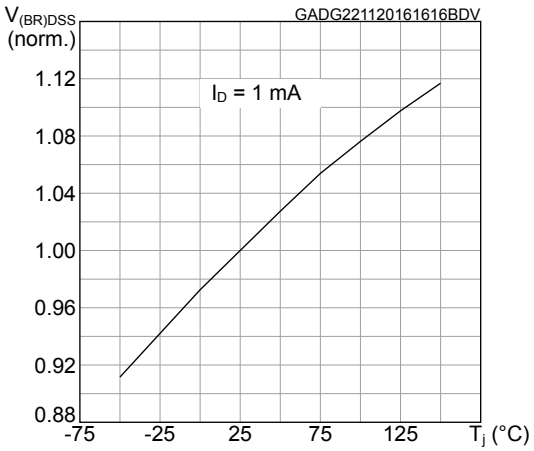


Figure 11. Maximum avalanche energy vs temperature

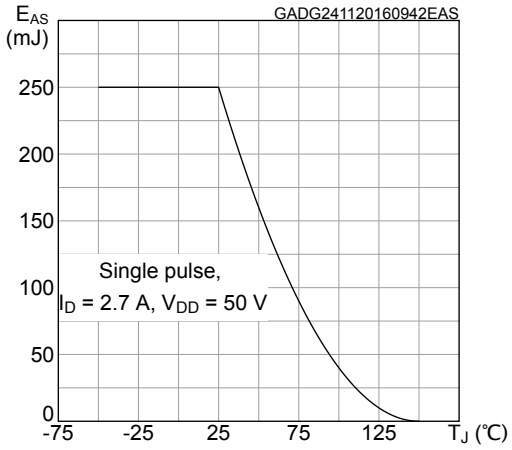
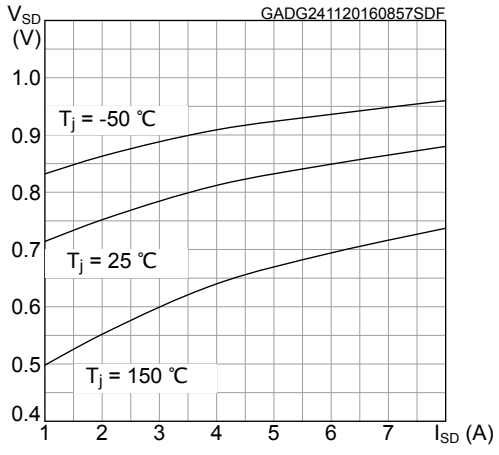
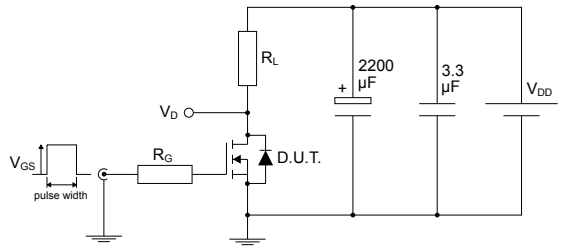


Figure 12. Typical reverse diode forward characteristics



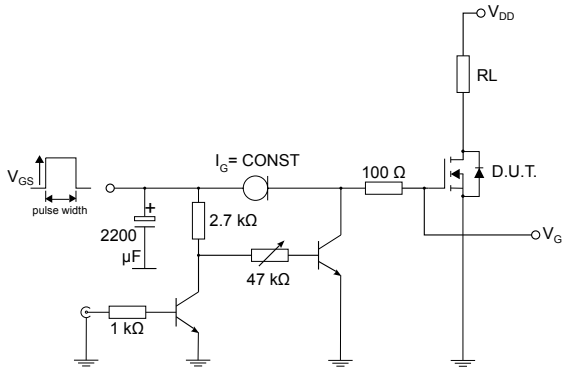
3 Test circuits

Figure 13. Test circuit for resistive load switching times



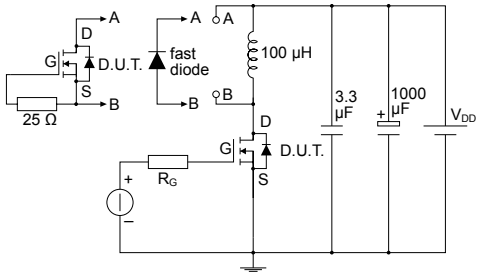
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Figure 14. Test circuit for gate charge behavior



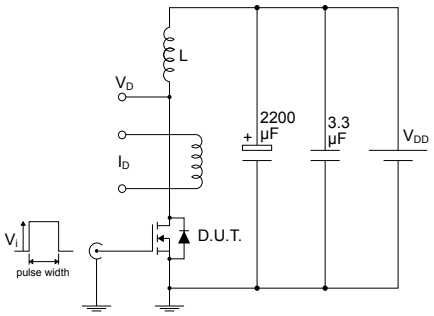
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Figure 15. Test circuit for inductive load switching and diode recovery times



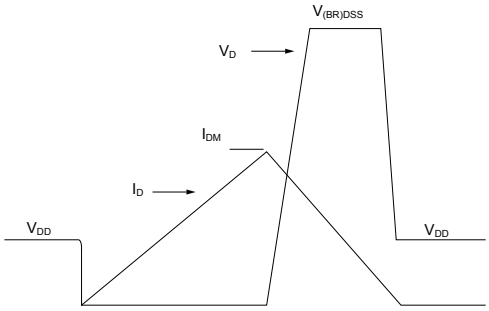
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Figure 16. Unclamped inductive load test circuit



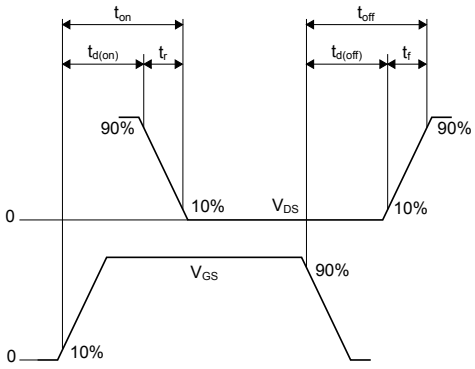
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Figure 17. Unclamped inductive waveform



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Figure 18. Switching time waveform



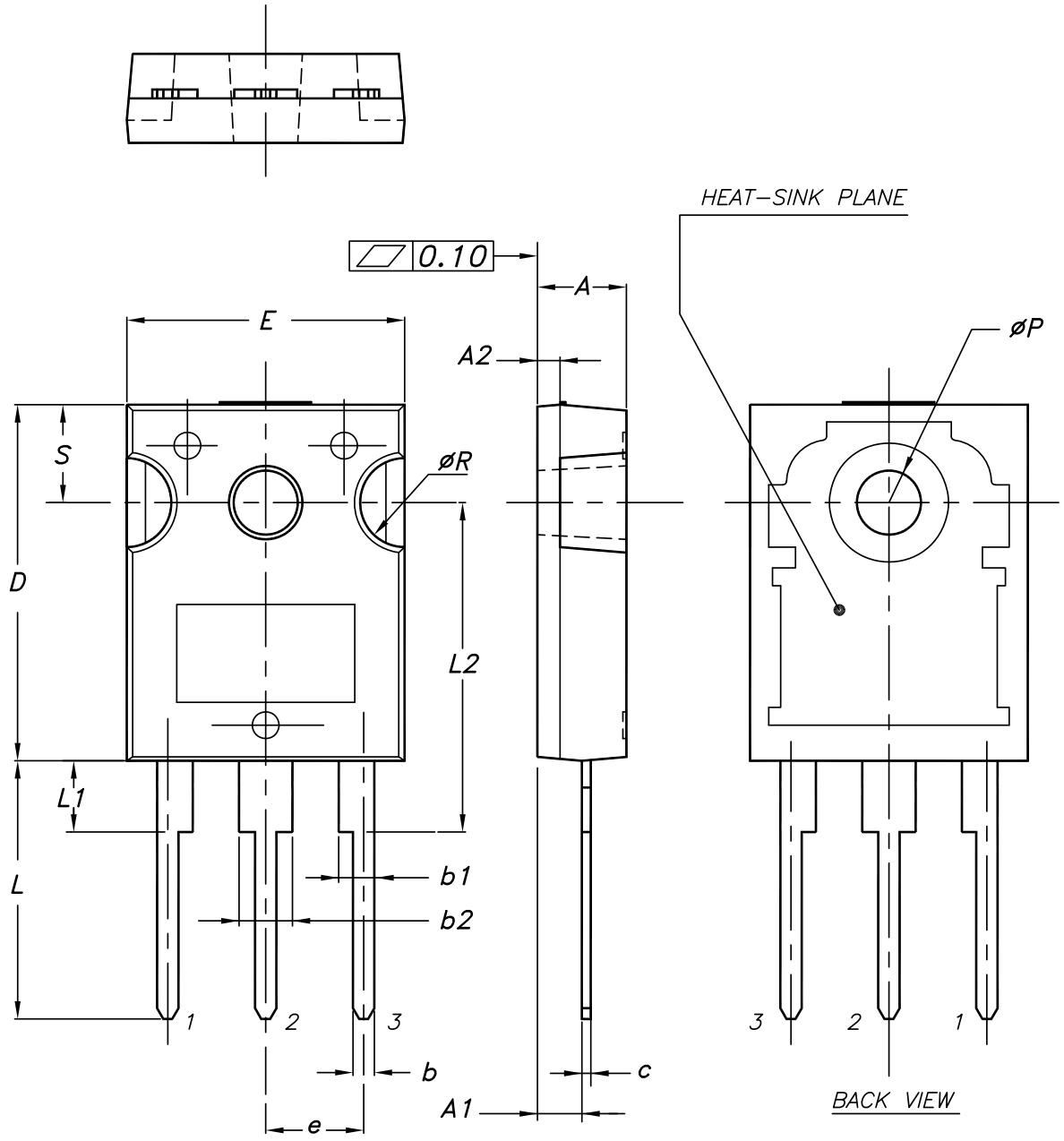
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4 Package information

To meet environmental requirements, ST offers these devices in different grades of ECOPACK packages, depending on their level of environmental compliance. ECOPACK specifications, grade definitions, and product status are available at: www.st.com. ECOPACK is an ST trademark.

4.1 TO-247 package information

Figure 19. TO-247 package outline



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Table 8. **TO-247 package mechanical data**

Dim.	mm		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	4.85		5.15
A1	2.20		2.60
A2		1.27	
b	1.0		1.40
b1	2.0		2.40
b2	3.0		3.40
c	0.40		0.80
D	19.85		20.15
E	15.45		15.75
e	5.30	5.45	5.60
L	14.20		14.80
L1	3.70		4.30
L2		18.50	
ØP	3.55		3.65
ØR	4.50		5.50
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Revision history

Table 9. **Document revision history**

Date	Version	Changes
28-Nov-2016	1	First release.
17-Dec-2025	2	Updated Section 4.1. Minor text changes.

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