



### 18V, Low Power, High Accuracy, High PSRR LDO Regulators

#### Description

The ME6231 series are high accuracy, CMOS LDO Voltage Regulators, offering low power, high ripple rejection ratio and low dropout. the ME6231 series is ideal for today's cutting edge mobile phone. Internally the ME6231 includes a reference voltage source, error amplifiers, driver transistors, current limiters and phase compensators. The ME6231's current limiters' foldback circuit also operates as a short protect for the output current limiter and the output pin. The ME6231 series is also fully compatible with low ESR ceramic capacitors, reducing cost and improving output stability. This high level of output stability is maintained even during frequent load fluctuations, due to the excellent transient response performance and high PSRR achieved across a broad range of frequencies. The CE function allows the output of regulator to be turned off, resulting in greatly reduced power consumption.

#### Feature

- Maximum Output Current: 500mA  
( $V_{IN}=4.3V, V_{OUT}=3.3V$ )
- Dropout Voltage: 125mV@ $I_{OUT}=100mA$  ( $V_{OUT}=3.3V$ )
- Operating Voltage Range: 3V~18V
- Output Voltage Range: 1.6V~5.0V
- Highly Accuracy:  $\pm 1\%$
- Low Power Consumption: 1.8uA (TYP.)
- Standby Current: 0 uA (TYP.)
- High Ripple Rejection: 65dB@1KHz (ME6231C33)
- Line Regulation: 0.035%/V (TYP.)
- Built-in temperature protection and current limiting protection

#### Applications

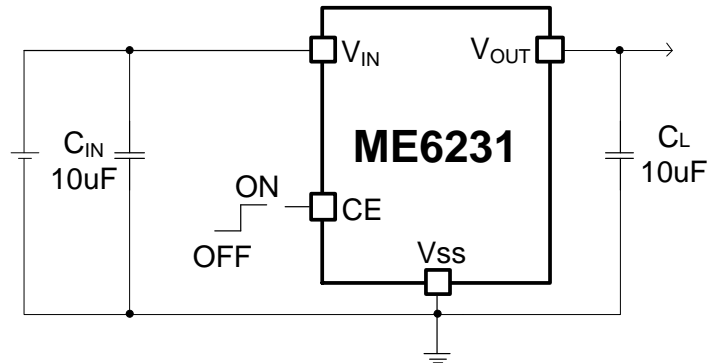
- Mobile phones
- Cordless phones, radio communication equipment
- Portable games
- Cameras, Video cameras
- Reference voltage sources
- Battery powered equipment

#### Package

- 3-pin SOT23-3、SOT89-3
- 5-pin SOT23-5

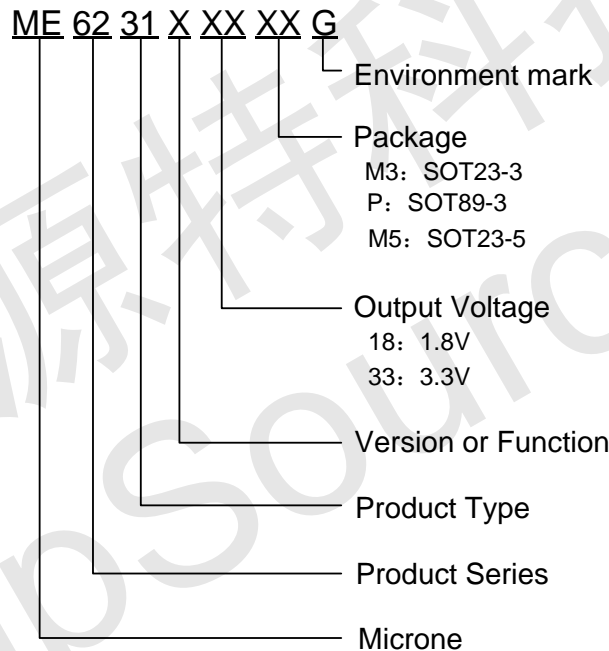


## Typical Application Circuit



**Note:** Ceramic capacitor with X7R and X5R offer improved voltage and temperature coefficients. 10uF Ceramic capacitor is recommended for excellent load transient response and line transient response.

## Selection Guide

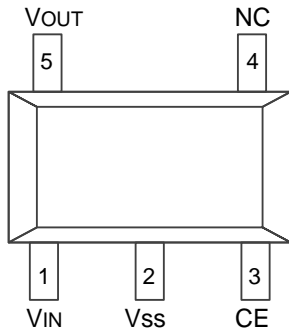


product serie	Product Function
ME6231A33M3G	$V_{OUT}=3.3V$ ; Package: SOT23-3
ME6231A33PG	$V_{OUT}=3.3V$ ; Package: SOT89-3
ME6231C18M5G	Enable can be set; $V_{OUT}=1.8V$ ; Package: SOT23-5
ME6231C33M5G	Enable can be set; $V_{OUT}=3.3V$ ; Package: SOT23-5

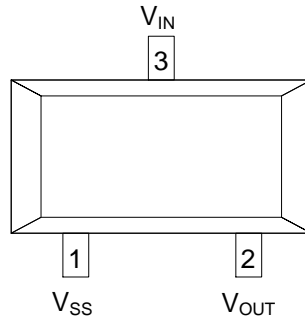
**NOTE:** At present, there are two kinds of voltage value: 1.8V, 3.3V.  
If you need other voltage and package, please contact our sales staff.



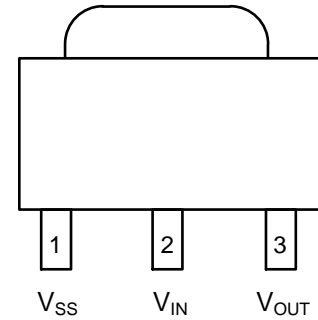
## Pin Configuration (Top View)



SOT23-5



SOT23-3



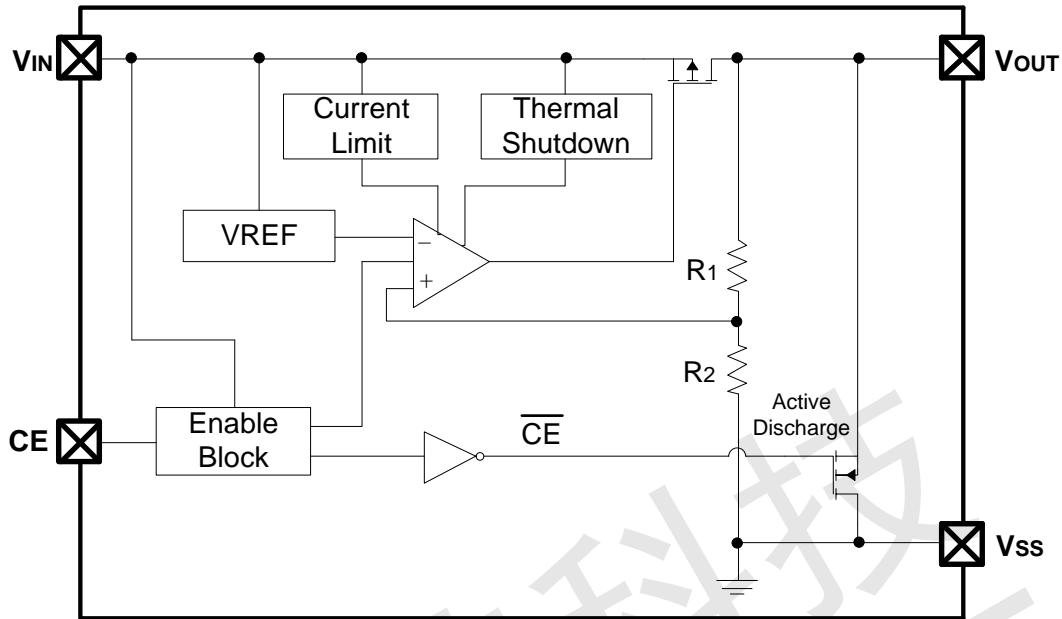
SOT89-3

## Pin Assignment

PIN Number (SOT23-5)	PIN Number (SOT23-3)	PIN Number (SOT89-3)	symbol	Function
1	3	2	$V_{IN}$	Power Input
2	1	1	$V_{SS}$	Ground
3	-	-	CE	ON/OFF Control
4	-	-	NC	No Connect
5	2	3	$V_{OUT}$	Output



## Block Diagram



## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Input Voltage	$V_{IN}$	-0.3 ~ 20	V
CE Pin Voltage	$V_{CE}$	$V_{IN} - 0.3 \sim V_{IN} + 0.3$	V
$V_{OUT}$ Voltage	$V_{OUT}$	$V_{IN} - 0.3 \sim V_{IN} + 0.3$	V
$V_{OUT}$ Current	$I_{OUT}$	600	mA
Internal Power Dissipation ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ )	SOT23-5	0.6	W
	SOT23-3	0.54	
	SOT89-3	0.7	
Thermal resistance (Junction to air)	SOT23-5	210	$^\circ\text{C/W}$
	SOT23-3	230	
	SOT89-3	180	
Operating Ambient Temperature Range	$T_{Opr}$	-40 ~ +85	$^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	$T_{stg}$	-55 ~ +150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Maximum junction temperature	$T_J$	-40 ~ +150	$^\circ\text{C}$



## Electrical Characteristic

( $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1V$ ,  $V_{CE} = V_{IN}$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_L = 1\mu F$ ,  $T_a = 25^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Operating Input Voltage	$V_{IN}$		3	-	18	V
Output Voltage	$V_{OUT}(E)$ (Note 2)	$I_{OUT} = 10mA, V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1V$	X 0.99	$V_{OUT}(T)$ (Note 1)	X 1.01	V
Maximum Output Current	$I_{OUTMAX}$	$V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1V$	-	500	-	mA
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_{OUT}$	$V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1V, 1mA \leq I_{OUT} \leq 100mA$	-	7	20	mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3) $I_{OUT} = 100mA$	VDIF	$1.8V \leq V_{OUT} < 2.5V$	-	220	-	mV
		$2.5V \leq V_{OUT} < 3.0V$	-	160	-	
		$3.0V \leq V_{OUT}$	-	125	-	
Supply Current	$I_{SS}$	$V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1V$	-	1.8	3.6	$\mu A$
Stand-by Current	$I_{CEL}$	$V_{CE} = 0V$	-	0	0.2	$\mu A$
Line Regulation	$\frac{\Delta V_{OUT}}{\Delta V_{IN} \cdot V_{OUT}}$	$I_{OUT} = 30mA,$ $V_{OUT} + 1V \leq V_{IN} \leq 18V$	-	0.05	-	%/V
Output Current Limit	$I_{LIM}$	Peak Output Current	-	780	-	mA
CE "High" Voltage	$V_{CEH}$	Start up	1.5	-	-	V
CE "Low" Voltage	$V_{CEL}$	Shut down	-	-	0.5	V
Active Output Discharge Resistance	$R_{DIS}$	$V_{CE} < 0.5V$	-	500	-	$\Omega$
Ripple Rejection Rate (Note 4)	PSRR	$V_{IN} = 5V + 1V_{rmsAC},$ $I_{OUT} = 10mA$	f=100Hz	76	-	dB
			f=1kHz	65	-	
			f=10kHz	-	45	
Thermal Shutdown Temperature (Note 4)	$T_{SD}$	Temperature increasing, $I_{OUT} = 20mA$	-	165	-	$^\circ C$
Thermal Shutdown Hysteresis (Note 4)	$\Delta T_{SD}$	Temperature falling	-	20	-	$^\circ C$

### NOTES:

- $V_{OUT}(T)$  : Specified Output Voltage
- $V_{OUT}(E)$  : Effective Output Voltage ( i.e. The output voltage when " $V_{OUT}(T) + 1.0V$ " is provided at the Vin pin while maintaining a certain Iout value.)
- $V_{DIF} = V_{IN1} - V_{OUT}(E)$   
 $V_{IN1}$  : The input voltage when  $V_{OUT}(E)$  appears as input voltage is gradually decreased.  
 $V_{OUT}(E)$  = A voltage equal to 98% of the output voltage whenever an amply stabilized Iout { $V_{OUT}(T) + 1.0V$ } is input.
- guaranteed by design.



## Typical Performance Characteristics

ME6231C33M5G ( $V_{CE} = V_{IN}=4.3V, T_a=25^{\circ}C, C_{IN}=C_L=1\mu F$ , unless otherwise noted.)

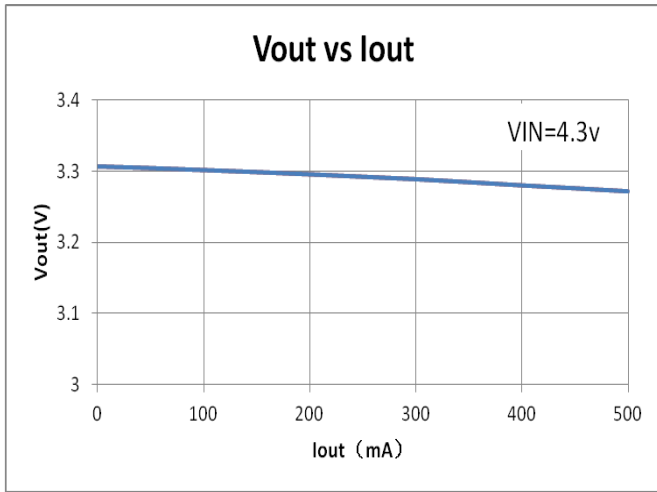


Figure 1. Output Voltage vs. Output Current

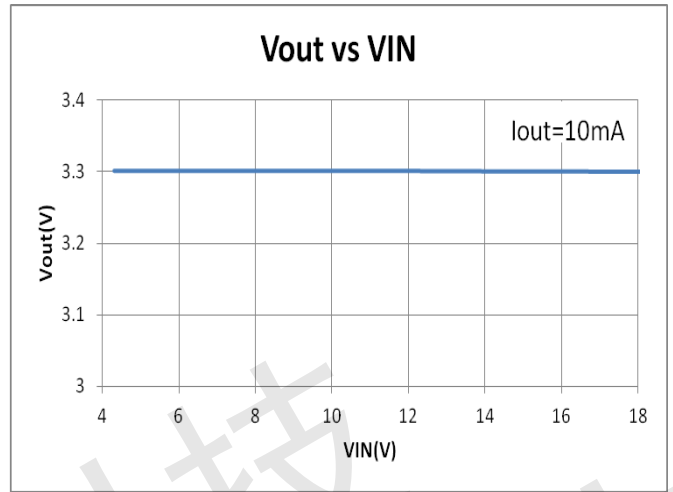


Figure 2. Output Voltage vs. Input Voltage

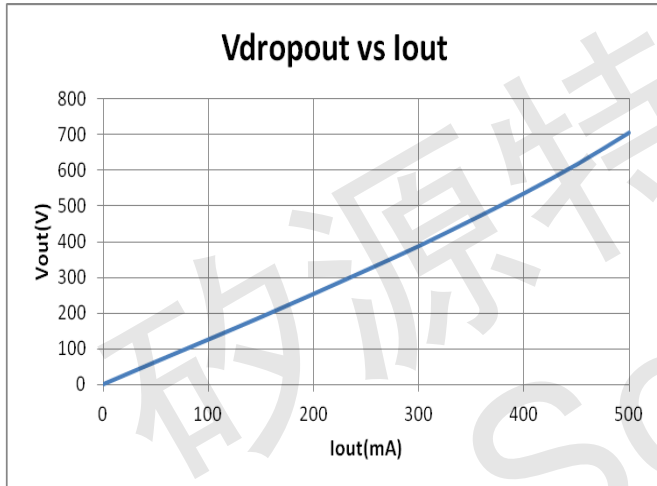


Figure 3. Dropout Voltage vs. Output Current

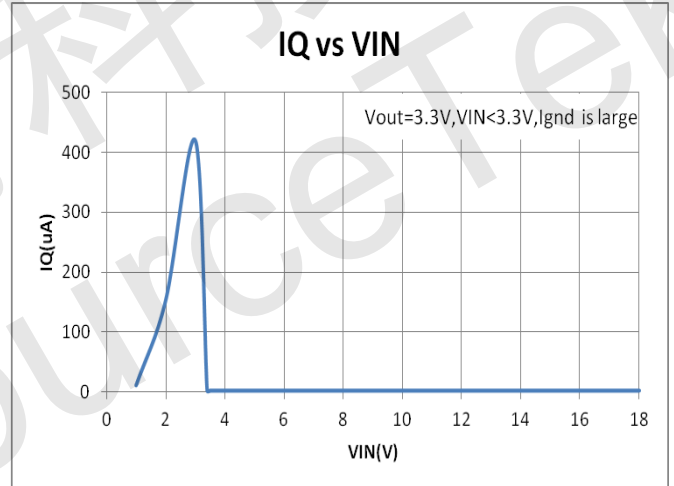


Figure 4. Quiescent Current vs. Input Voltage

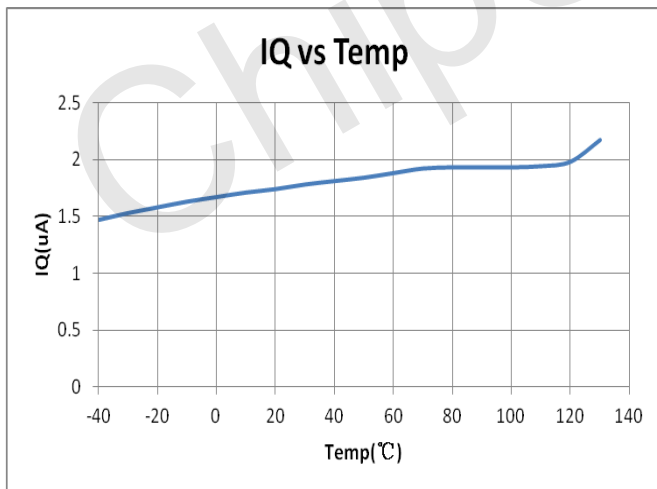


Figure 5. Quiescent Current vs. Temperature

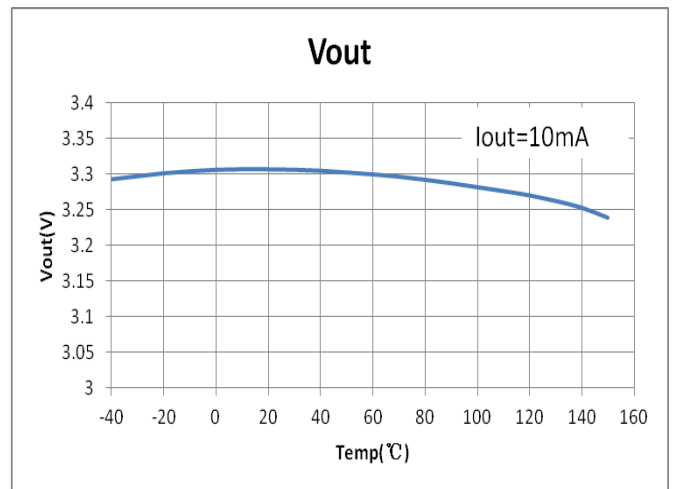


Figure 6. Output Voltage vs. Temperature



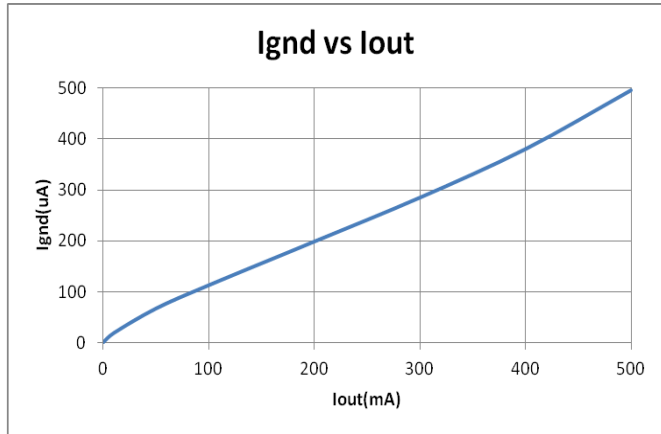


图7. GND Current vs. Output Current

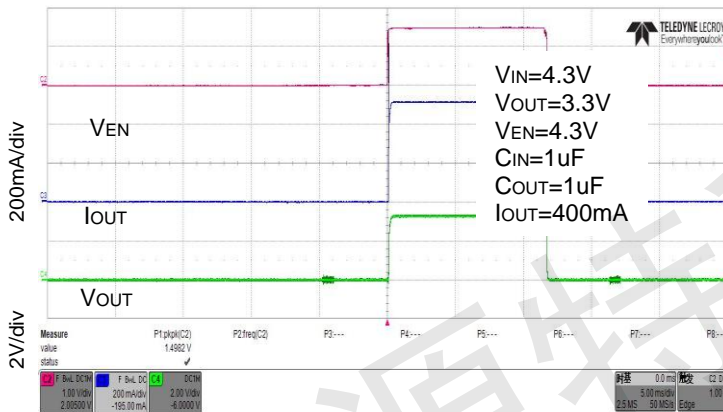


Figure 8. Enable Turn-on Response

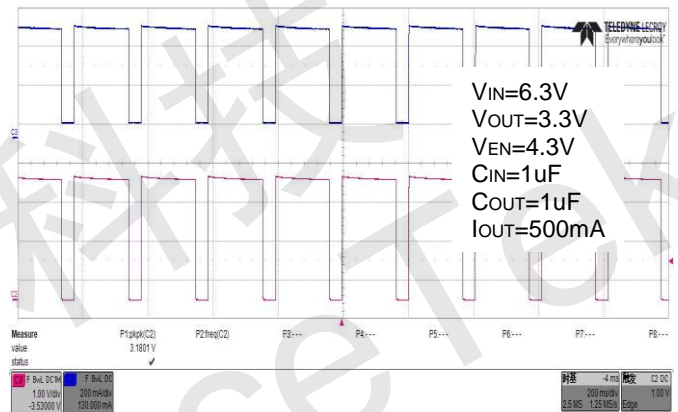


Figure9. Thermal Shutdown

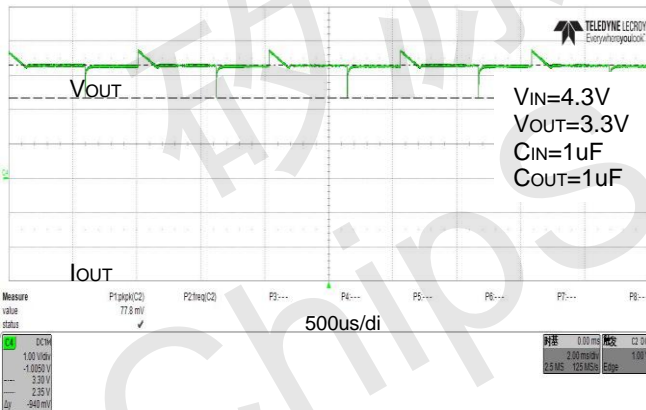


Figure 10. Load Transient Response  
Iout=1mA to 400mA

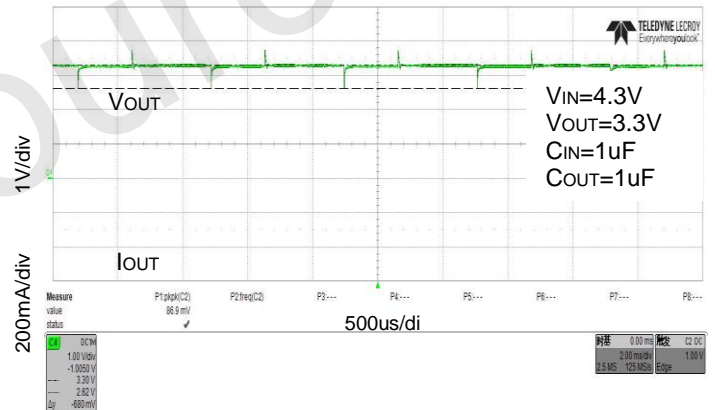


Figure 11. Load Transient Response  
Iout=10mA to 400mA

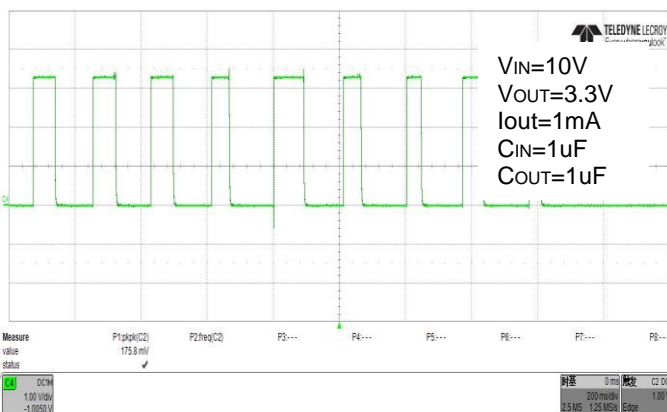


Figure 12. Single Hot plug and hot Un-plug

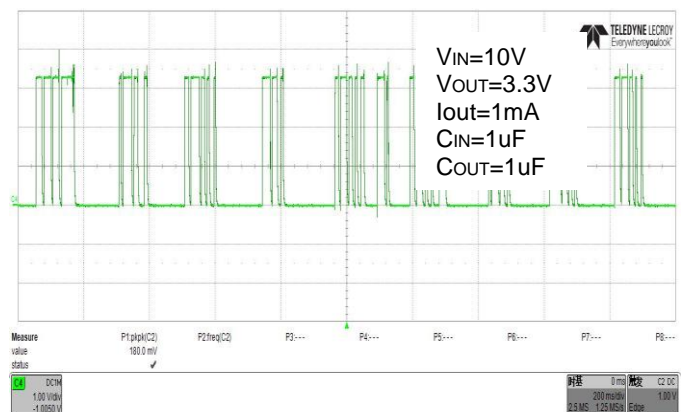
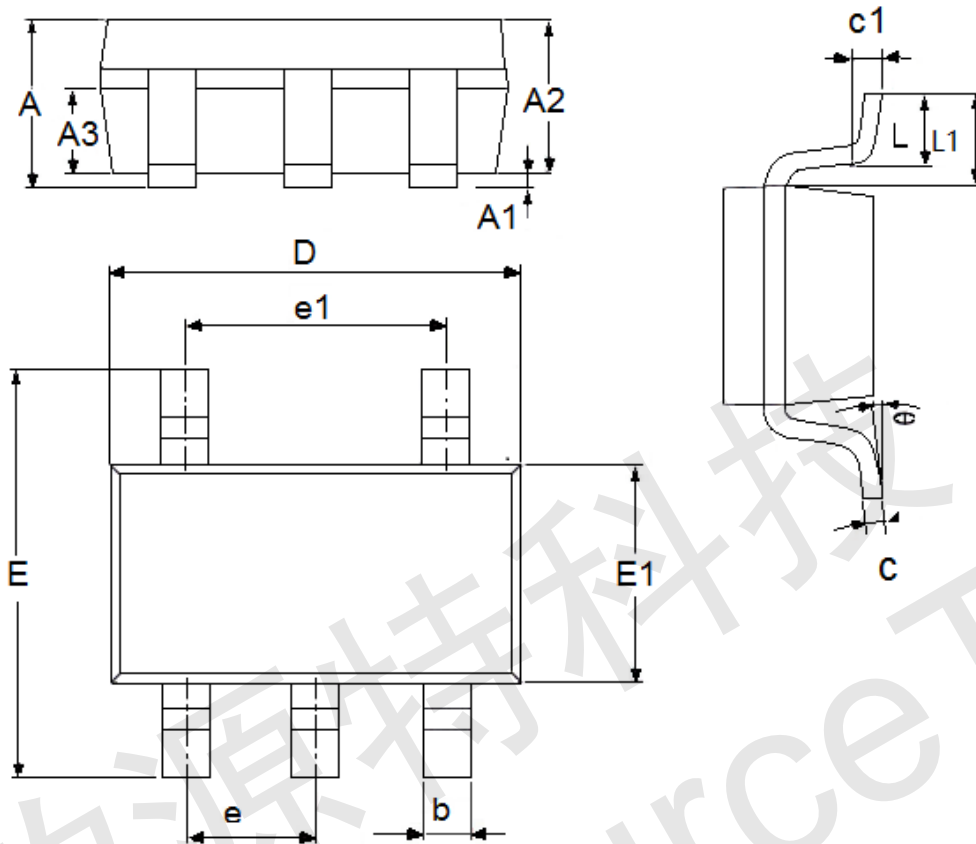


Figure 13. Continuous Hot plug and hot Un-plug



## Packaging Information

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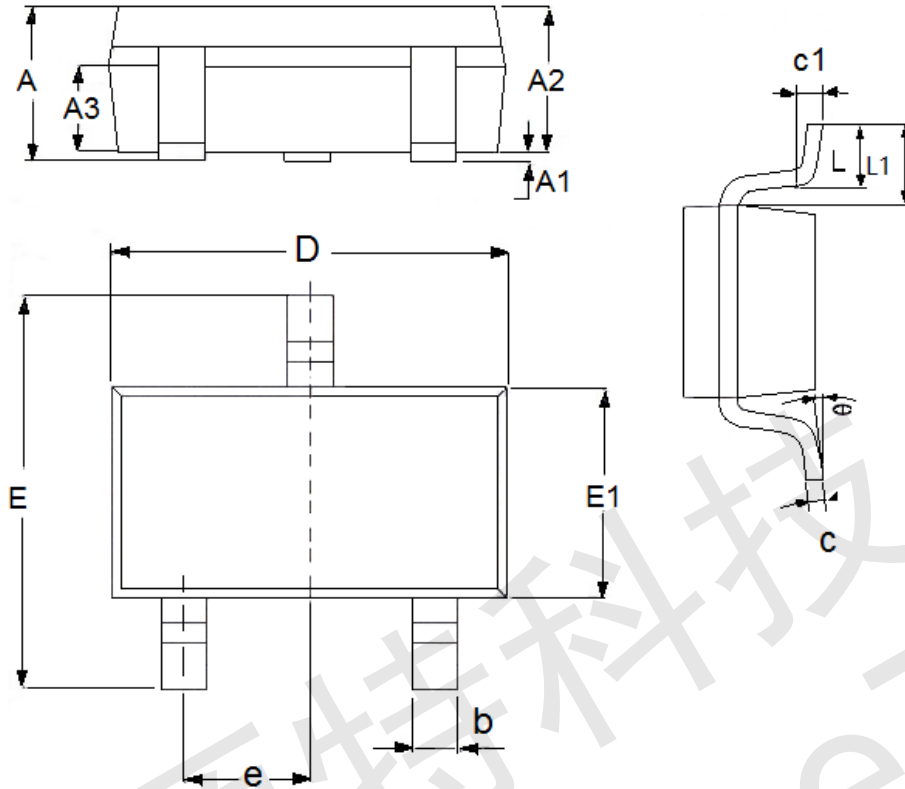


DIM	Millimeters		Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	1.05	1.45	0.0413	0.0571
A1	0	0.15	0.0000	0.0059
A2	0.9	1.3	0.0354	0.0512
A3	0.6	0.7	0.0236	0.0276
b	0.25	0.5	0.0098	0.0197
c	0.1	0.23	0.0039	0.0091
D	2.82	3.05	0.1110	0.1201
e1	1.9(TYP)		0.0748(TYP)	
E	2.6	3.05	0.1024	0.1201
E1	1.5	1.75	0.0512	0.0689
e	0.95(TYP)		0.0374(TYP)	
L	0.3	0.6	0.0118	0.0236
L1	0.59(TYP)		0.0232(TYP)	
theta	0	8°	0.0000	8°
c1	0.2(TYP)		0.0079(TYP)	





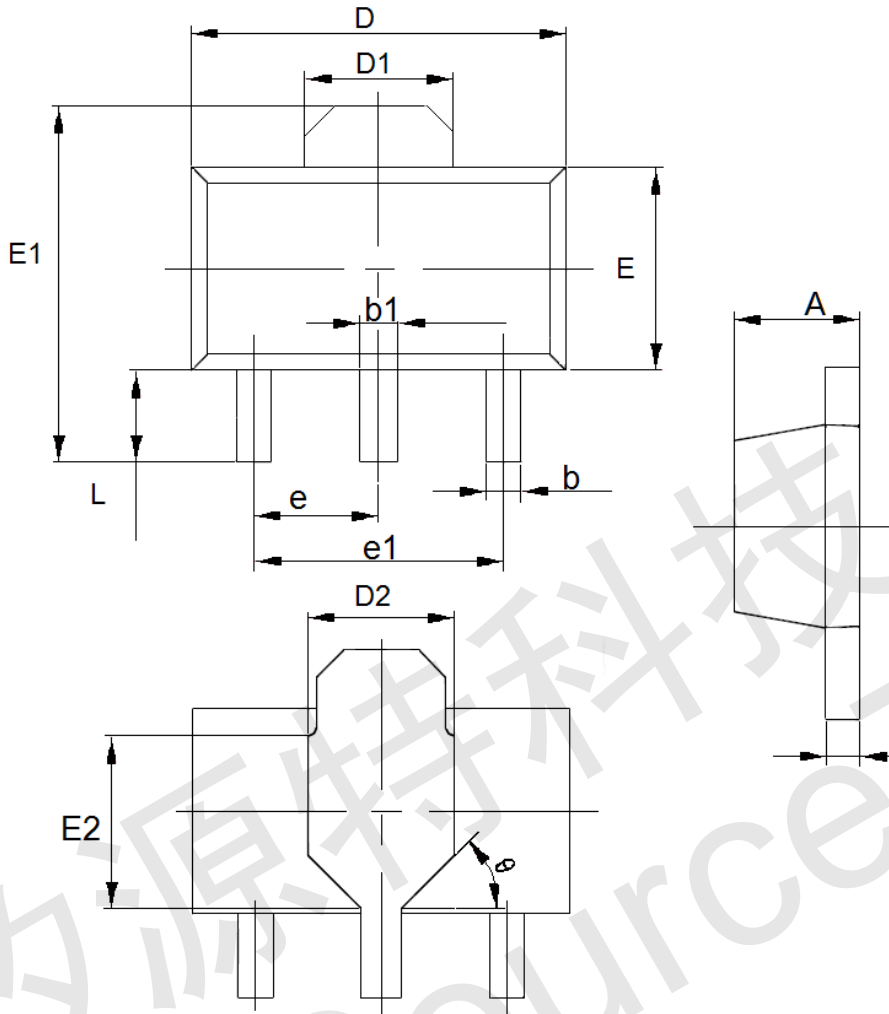
● Package Type:SOT23-3



DIM	Millimeters		Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	1.05	1.45	0.0413	0.0571
A1	0	0.15	0.0000	0.0059
A2	0.9	1.3	0.0354	0.0512
A3	0.6	0.7	0.0236	0.0276
b	0.25	0.5	0.0098	0.0197
c	0.1	0.25	0.0039	0.0098
D	2.8	3.1	0.1102	0.1220
E	2.6	3.1	0.1023	0.1220
E1	1.5	1.8	0.0591	0.0709
e	0.95(TYP)		0.0374(TYP)	
L	0.25	0.6	0.0098	0.0236
L1	0.59(TYP)		0.0232(TYP)	
θ	0	8°	0.0000	8°
c1	0.2(TYP)		0.0079(TYP)	



● Package Type:SOT89-3



DIM	Millimeters		Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	1.4	1.6	0.0551	0.0630
b	0.32	0.52	0.0126	0.0205
b1	0.4	0.58	0.0157	0.0228
c	0.35	0.45	0.0138	0.0177
D	4.4	4.6	0.1732	0.1811
D1	1.55(TYP)		0.061(TYP)	
D2	1.75(TYP)		0.0689(TYP)	
e1	3.0(TYP)		0.1181(TYP)	
E	2.3	2.6	0.0906	0.1023
E1	3.94	4.4	0.1551	0.1732
E2	1.9(TYP)		0.0748(TYP)	
e	1.5(TYP)		0.0591(TYP)	
L	0.8	1.2	0.0315	0.0472
θ	45°		45°	



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