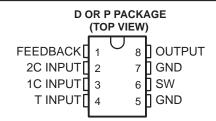
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- Internal Step-Up Switching Regulator
- Fixed 9-V Output
- Charges Battery Source During Transformer-Coupled-Input Operation
- Minimum External Components Required (1 Inductor, 1 Capacitor, 1 Diode)
- 1- or 2-Cell-Input Operation



Terminals 5 and 7 are connected together internally.

description

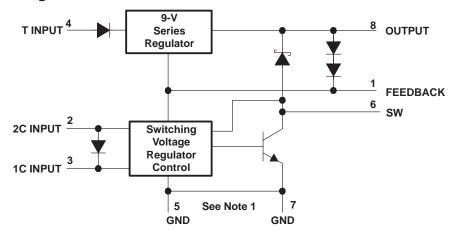
The TL496C power-supply control circuit is designed to provide a 9-V regulated supply from a variety of input sources. Operable from a 1- or 2-cell battery input, the TL496C performs as a switching regulator with the addition of a single inductor and filter capacitor. When ac coupled with a step-down transformer, the TL496C operates as a series regulator to maintain the regulated output voltage and, with the addition of a single catch diode, time shares to recharge the input batteries.

The design of the TL496C allows minimal supply current drain during standby operation (125 μ A typical). With most battery sources, this allows a constant bias to be maintained on the power supply. This makes power instantly available to the system, thus eliminating power-up sequencing problems.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

| | PACKAGED DEVICES | | | | | |
|-------------|------------------|---------|--------|--|--|--|
| TA | SURFACE MOUNT | FORM | | | | |
| | (D) (P) | | (Y) | | | |
| 0°C to 70°C | TL496CD | TL496CP | TL496Y | | | |

functional block diagram

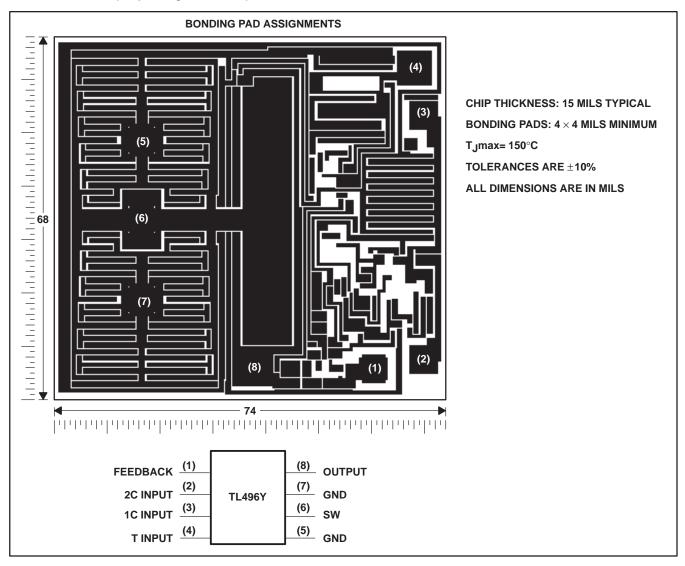


NOTE 1: Terminals 5 and 7, though connected together internally, must both be terminated to ground to ensure proper circuit operation.

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TL496Y chip information

This chip, when properly assembled, displays characteristics similar to the TL496C. Thermal compression or ultrasonic bonding may be used on the doped aluminum bonding pads. The chips may be mounted with conductive epoxy or a gold-silicon preform.



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

| Input voltage, V _I : 2C INPUT | 3.5 V |
|--|-------|
| 1C INPUT | 2.5 V |
| T INPUT | 20 V |
| Output voltage, V _O (SW) | 12 V |
| Diode reverse voltage (OUTPUT) | 12 V |
| Switch current (SW) | 1.2 A |
| Diode current (OUTPUT) | 1.2 A |
| Continuous total power dissipation | Table |
| Operating free-air temperature range, T _A 0°C to | 70°C |
| Storage temperature range, T _{stq} 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 | PACKAGE T _A ≤ 25°C POWER RATING | | T _A = 70°C POWER RATING |
|---------|--|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| D | 725 mW | 5.8 mW/°C | 464 mW |
| Р | 1000 mW | 8.0 mW/°C | 640 mW |

recommended operating conditions

| | MIN | MAX | UNIT |
|---|-------------------|-----|------|
| Input voltage, one-cell operation (2C and 1C INPUTS to ground) | 1.1 | 1.5 | V |
| Input voltage, two-cell operation (2C INPUT to ground) | 2.3 | 3 | V |
| Input voltage, one-cell or two-cell operation (T INPUT to ground) | V _O +2 | 20 | V |

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electrical characteristics over recommended operating conditions, T_A = 25°C (unless otherwise noted)

series regulator section (T INPUT)

| PARAMETER | TEST CONDITIONS | | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------|-----|------|------|------|
| Dropout voltage | $V_{I} = 5 \text{ V}, \qquad I_{O} = -50 \text{ mA}$ | | | 1.5 | 2 | V |
| | V _I = 20 V, | $I_{O} = -50 \mu\text{A}$ | 9.5 | 10.1 | 11.2 | |
| Dogulated cutput valtage | V = 20 V, | | 9 | 10 | 11 |] , |
| Regulated output voltage | V _I = 20 V, | $I_{O} = -50 \mu\text{A}$ | 8.5 | 9 | 9.7 | V |
| | FEEDBACK shorted to OUTPUT | $I_{O} = -80 \text{ mA}$ | 6.7 | 8.6 | 9.5 | |
| Standby current, T INPUT | $V_I = 20 \text{ V}, \qquad OUTPUT = 12$ | V | | | 400 | μΑ |
| Reverse current through T INPUT | $V_I = -1.5 \text{ V},$ 1 mA into OU | ΓPUT | | | -25 | μΑ |

output switch

| PARAMETER | | TEST CONDITIONS | | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----|------|-----|------|
| VCE(sat) | Collector-emitter saturation voltage | 800 mA into SW, | 2C INPUT = 2.25 V | | 0.35 | 0.6 | V |

diode (SW to OUTPUT)

| PARAMETER | | TEST CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|-----------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| ٧F | Forward voltage | I _F = 1.5 A | | 1.6 | 2.5 | V |
| I_R | Reverse current through SW | SW at 0 V, 1 mA into OUTPUT | | | -20 | μΑ |

control section

| PARAMETER | TEST CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|--|--|-----|-----|-----|------|
| On-state current (2C INPUT) | FEEDBACK and OUTPUT = 0 V, 2C INPUT = 3 V | | 60 | 100 | mA |
| Standby current (FEEDBACK) | FEEDBACK = 8.65 V, 2C INPUT and SW = 3 V | | | 40 | μΑ |
| Standby current (2C INPUT and SW) | FEEDBACK = 8.65 V, 2C INPUT and SW = 3 V | | | 400 | μΑ |
| Start-up current (current into SW to initiate cycle) | FEEDBACK, 2C INPUT, SW, and OUTPUT = 2.25 V | 16 | | | mA |

APPLICATION INFORMATION

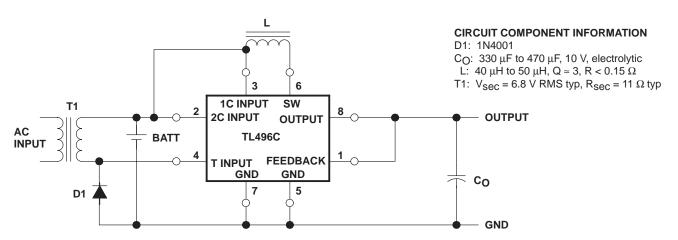


Figure 1. One-Cell Operation

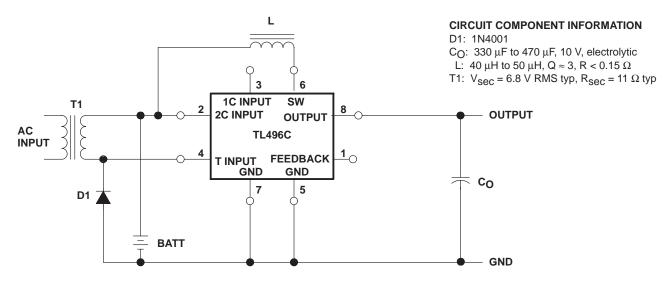


Figure 2. Two-Cell Operation

electrical characteristics for one- and two-cell input operations

| PARAMETER | | ONE-CELL OPERATION (see Figure 1) | TWO-CELL OPERATION (see Figure 2) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| No load | | 125 μΑ | 125 μΑ |
| Input current | $R_L = 120 \Omega$ | 525 mA | 405 mA |
| Output voltage | No ac input | 7.2 V | 8.6 V |
| | With ac input | 8.6 V | 10 V |
| Output current capability | | 40 mA | 80 mA |
| Efficiency | | 66% | 66% |
| Battery life (AA NiCad) no load | | 60 days | 166 days |

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functional description

The TL496C is designed to operate from either a single-cell or two-cell battery source. To operate the device from a single cell (1.1 V to 1.5 V), the source must be connected to both inputs 1C INPUT and 2C INPUT as shown in Figure 1. For a two-cell operation (2.3 V to 3 V), the input is applied to 2C INPUT only and 1C INPUT is left open (see Figure 2).

battery operation

The TL496C operates as a switching regulator from a battery input. The cycle is initiated when a low-voltage condition is sensed by the internal feedback (the thresholds at terminals 1 and 8 are approximately 7.2 and 8.6 V respectively). An internal latch is set and the output transistor is turned on. This causes the current in the external inductor (L) to increase linearly until it reaches a peak value of approximately 1 A. When the peak current is sensed, the internal latch is reset and the output transistor is turned off. The energy developed in the inductor is then delivered to the output storage capacitor through the blocking diode. The latch remains in the off state until the feedback signal indicates the output voltage is again deficient.

transformer-coupled operation

The TL496C operates on alternate half cycles of the ac input during transformer-coupled operation to first sustain the output voltage and second to recharge the batteries. The TL496C performs like a series regulator to supply charge to the output filter/storage capacitor during the first half cycle. The output voltage of the series regulator is slightly higher than that created by the switching circuit. This maintains the feedback voltage above the switching regulator control circuit threshold, effectively inhibiting the switching control circuitry. During the second half cycle, an external diode (1N4001) is used to clamp the negative-going end of the transformer secondary to ground, thus allowing the positive-going end (end connected to V+ side of battery) to pump a charge into the standby batteries.



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