



## TLC6C5912 12-Channel Shift-Register LED Driver

### 1 Features

- Wide  $V_{CC}$  Range From 3 V to 5.5 V
- Output Maximum Rating of 40 V
- Twelve Power DMOS Transistor Outputs of 50-mA Continuous Current With  $V_{CC} = 5$  V or 200-mA PWM Current With Single-Pulse Duration Less Than 1 ms and Average Current Less Than 50 mA<sub>r</sub>
- Thermal Shutdown Protection
- Enhanced Cascading for Multiple Stages
- All Registers Cleared With Single Input
- Low Power Consumption
- Slow Switching Time ( $t_r$  and  $t_f$ ), Which Helps Significantly With Reducing EMI
- 20-Pin TSSOP-PW Package

### 2 Applications

- Appliance Display Panel
- Elevator Display Panel
- PLC Function Indicator
- Seven-Segment Display

### 3 Description

The TLC6C5912 is a monolithic, medium-voltage, low-current power 12-bit shift register designed for use in systems that require relatively moderate load power, such as LEDs.

This device contains a 12-bit serial-in, parallel-out shift register that feeds a 12-bit D-type storage register. Data transfers through both the shift and storage registers on the rising edge of the shift-register clock (SRCK) and the register clock (RCK), respectively. The storage register transfers data to the output buffer when shift register clear ( $\overline{CLR}$ ) is high. A low on  $\overline{CLR}$  clears all registers in the device. Holding the output enable ( $\overline{G}$ ) high holds all data in the output buffers low, and all drain outputs are off. Holding  $\overline{G}$  low makes data from the storage register transparent to the output buffers.

This device contains a 12-bit serial-in, parallel-out shift register that feeds a 12-bit D-type storage register. Separate clocks are provided for both the shift and storage registers.

Outputs are low-side, open-drain DMOS transistors with output ratings of 40 V and 50-mA continuous sink-current OR 200-mA PWM current with single-pulse duration less than 1 ms and average current less than 50 mA capabilities when  $V_{CC} = 5$  V. The device contains built-in thermal shutdown protection and provides up to 2000 V of ESD protection when tested using the human-body model and the 200-V machine model.

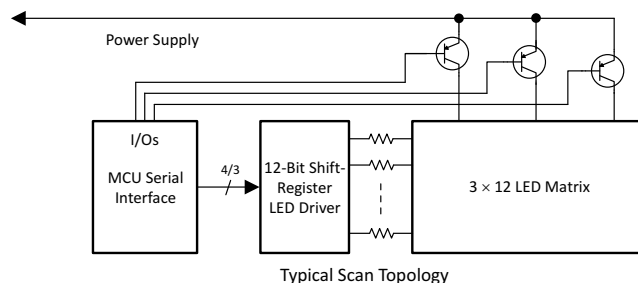
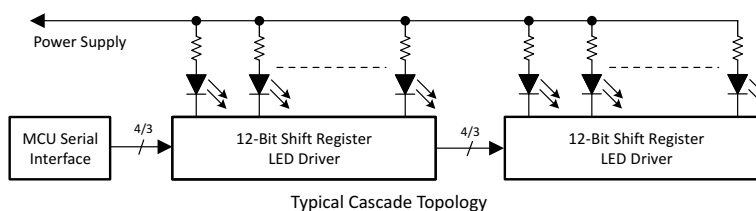
The TLC6C5912 characterization is for operation over the ambient temperature range of  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $105^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

#### Device Information<sup>(1)</sup>

| PART NUMBER | PACKAGE    | BODY SIZE (NOM)   |
|-------------|------------|-------------------|
| TLC6C5912   | TSSOP (20) | 6.50 mm × 4.40 mm |

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the data sheet.

#### Typical Application Schematic



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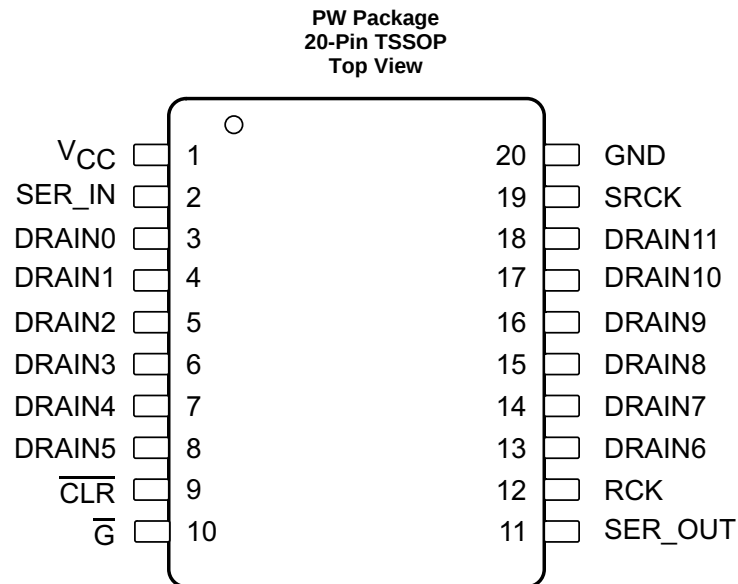
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| DATE     | REVISION | NOTE            |
|----------|----------|-----------------|
| May 2016 | *        | Initial release |

## 5 Pin Configuration and Functions



### Pin Functions

| PIN     |     | I/O | DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|---------|-----|-----|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| NAME    | NO. |     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| CLR     | 9   | I   | <b>Shift register clear, active-low:</b> CLR is the signal used to clear all the registers. The storage register transfers data to the output buffer when shift register clear CLR is high. Driving CLR is low clears all the registers in the device.<br><br><b>Open-drain output:</b> DRAIN0 to DRAIN11 are the LED current-sink channels. These pins connect to the LED cathodes, and they can survive up to 40-V LED supply voltage. |
| DRAIN0  | 3   | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN1  | 4   | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN2  | 5   | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN3  | 6   | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN4  | 7   | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN5  | 8   | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN6  | 13  | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN7  | 14  | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN8  | 15  | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN9  | 16  | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN10 | 17  | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| DRAIN11 | 18  | O   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| G       | 10  | I   | <b>Output enable, active-low:</b> G is the LED channel enable and disable input pin. Having G low enables all drain channels according to the output-latch register content. When high, all channels are off.                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| GND     | 20  | —   | <b>Power ground:</b> GND is the ground reference pin for the device. This pin must connect to the ground plane on the PCB.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| RCK     | 12  | I   | <b>Register clock:</b> RCK is the storage register clock. The data in each shift register stage transfers to the storage register at the rising edge of RCK. Data in the storage register appears at the output whenever the output enable G input signal is high.                                                                                                                                                                       |
| SER IN  | 2   | I   | <b>Serial-data input:</b> SER IN is the serial data input. Data on SER IN loads into the internal register on each rising edge of SRCK.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

## Pin Functions (continued)

| PIN             |     | I/O | DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| NAME            | NO. |     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| SER OUT         | 11  | O   | <b>Serial-data output:</b> SER OUT is the serial data output of the 12-bit serial shift register. The purpose of this pin is to cascade several devices on the serial bus. By connecting the SER OUT pin to the SER IN input of the next device on the serial bus to cascade, the data transfers to the next device on the falling edge of SRCK. This can improve the cascade application reliability, as it can avoid the issue that the second device receives SRCK and data input at the same rising edge of SRCK. |
| SRCK            | 19  | I   | <b>Shift-register clock:</b> SRCK is the serial clock input. On each rising SRCK edge, data transfers from SER IN to the internal serial shift registers.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| V <sub>CC</sub> | 1   | I   | <b>Power supply:</b> V <sub>CC</sub> is the power supply pin voltage for the device. TI recommends adding a 0.1 µF ceramic capacitor close to the pin.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

## 6 Specifications

### 6.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)<sup>(1)</sup>

|                                                    | MIN                                     | MAX | UNIT |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----|------|
| V <sub>CC</sub> Logic supply voltage               |                                         | 8   | V    |
| V <sub>I</sub> Logic input-voltage                 | −0.3                                    | 8   | V    |
| V <sub>DS</sub> Power DMOS drain-to-source voltage |                                         | 42  | V    |
| Continuous total dissipation                       | See <a href="#">Thermal Information</a> |     |      |
| Operating ambient temperature (Top)                |                                         | 105 | °C   |
| T <sub>J</sub> Operating junction temperature      | −40                                     | 125 | °C   |
| T <sub>stg</sub> Storage temperature               | −55                                     | 165 | °C   |

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under *Absolute Maximum Ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, which do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under *Recommended Operating Conditions*. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

### 6.2 ESD Ratings

|                                            | VALUE                                                                          | UNIT  |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| V <sub>(ESD)</sub> Electrostatic discharge | Human-body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 <sup>(1)</sup>              | ±2000 |
|                                            | Charged-device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 <sup>(2)</sup> | ±750  |

- (1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

- (2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

### 6.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

|                                                      | MIN | MAX | UNIT |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|------|
| V <sub>CC</sub> Supply voltage                       | 3   | 5.5 | V    |
| V <sub>IH</sub> High-level input voltage             | 2.4 |     | V    |
| V <sub>IL</sub> Low-level input voltage              |     | 0.7 | V    |
| t <sub>SU</sub> Setup time, SER IN high before SRCK↑ | 15  |     | ns   |
| t <sub>H</sub> Hold time, SER IN high after SRCK↑    | 15  |     | ns   |
| t <sub>W</sub> Pulse duration                        | 40  |     | ns   |
| T <sub>A</sub> Operating ambient temperature         | −40 | 105 | °C   |

## 6.4 Thermal Information

| THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup> |                                              | TLC6C5912  | UNIT |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------|------|
|                               |                                              | PW (TSSOP) |      |
|                               |                                              | 20 PINS    |      |
| R <sub>θJA</sub>              | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance       | 114.8      | °C/W |
| R <sub>θJC(top)</sub>         | Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance    | 44.1       | °C/W |
| R <sub>θJB</sub>              | Junction-to-board thermal resistance         | 61.3       | °C/W |
| ψ <sub>JT</sub>               | Junction-to-top characterization parameter   | 4.7        | °C/W |
| ψ <sub>JB</sub>               | Junction-to-board characterization parameter | 60.8       | °C/W |

(1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the *Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics* application report, [SPRA953](#).

## 6.5 Electrical Characteristics

V<sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                     |                                            | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                            |                       | MIN   | TYP  | MAX  | UNIT |     |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|------|------|------|-----|
| DRAIN0 to DRAIN11,<br>drain-to-source voltage |                                            |                                                                                            |                       | 40    |      |      | V    |     |
| V <sub>OH</sub>                               | High-level output voltage,<br>SER OUT      | I <sub>OH</sub> = −20 μA                                                                   | V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V | 4.9   | 4.99 |      | V    |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>OH</sub> = −4 mA                                                                    |                       | 4.5   | 4.69 |      |      |     |
| V <sub>OL</sub>                               | Low-level output voltage,<br>SER OUT       | I <sub>OH</sub> = 20 μA                                                                    | V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V | 0.001 |      | 0.01 | V    |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>OH</sub> = 4 mA                                                                     |                       | 0.25  |      | 0.4  |      |     |
| I <sub>IH</sub>                               | High-level input current                   | V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, V <sub>I</sub> = V <sub>CC</sub>                                    |                       |       | 0.2  |      | μA   |     |
| I <sub>IL</sub>                               | Low-level input current                    | V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, V <sub>I</sub> = 0                                                  |                       |       | −0.2 |      | μA   |     |
| I <sub>CC</sub>                               | Logic supply current                       | V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V,<br>No clock signal                                                  | All outputs off       | 0.1   |      | 1    | μA   |     |
|                                               |                                            |                                                                                            | All outputs on        | 130   |      | 170  |      |     |
| I <sub>CC(FRQ)</sub>                          | Logic supply current at<br>frequency       | f <sub>SRCK</sub> = 5 MHz, C <sub>L</sub> = 30 pF, all outputs on                          |                       |       | 300  |      | μA   |     |
| I <sub>DSX</sub>                              | Off-state drain current                    | V <sub>DS</sub> = 30 V, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V                                              |                       |       | 0.1  |      | μA   |     |
|                                               |                                            | V <sub>DS</sub> = 30 V, T <sub>C</sub> = 125°C, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V                      |                       |       | 0.15 |      |      | 0.3 |
| r <sub>DS(on)</sub>                           | Static drain-source on-state<br>resistance | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C, single channel ON    |                       |       | 6    | 7.4  | 8.6  | Ω   |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C, all channels ON      |                       |       | 6.7  | 8.9  | 9.6  |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.3 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C, single channel ON  |                       |       | 7.9  | 9.3  | 11.2 |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.3 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C, all channels ON    |                       |       | 8.7  | 10.6 | 12.3 |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 105°C, single channel ON   |                       |       | 9.1  | 11.2 | 12.9 |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 105°C, all channels ON     |                       |       | 10.3 | 13   | 14.5 |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.3 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 105°C, single channel ON |                       |       | 11.6 | 13.7 | 16.4 |     |
|                                               |                                            | I <sub>D</sub> = 20 mA, V <sub>CC</sub> = 3.3 V, T <sub>A</sub> = 105°C, all channels ON   |                       |       | 12.8 | 15.6 | 18.2 |     |
| T <sub>SHUTDOWN</sub>                         | Thermal shutdown trip point                |                                                                                            |                       |       | 150  | 175  | 200  | °C  |
| t <sub>HYS</sub>                              | Hysteresis                                 |                                                                                            |                       |       | 15   |      | °C   |     |

## 6.6 Switching Characteristics

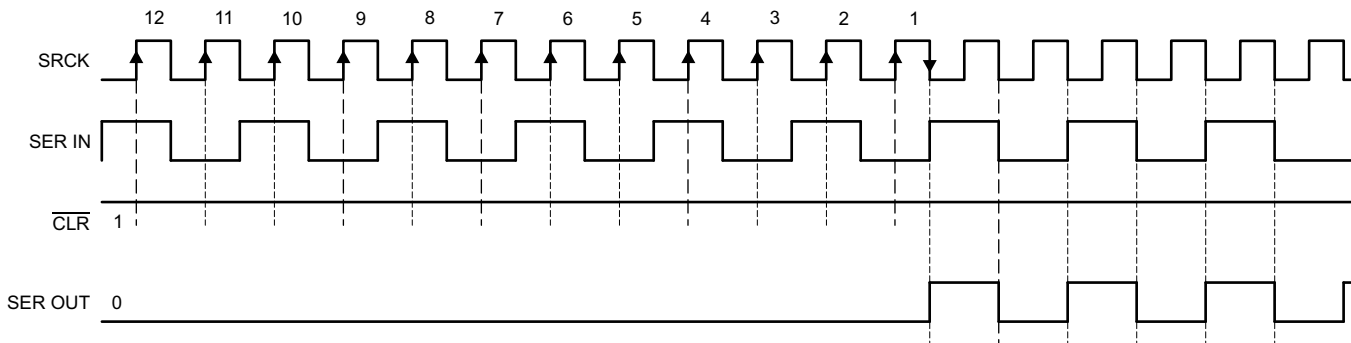
V<sub>CC</sub> = 5 V, T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C

| PARAMETER        |                                                                      | TEST CONDITIONS                                | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| t <sub>PLH</sub> | Propagation delay time, low-to-high-level output from $\overline{G}$ | C <sub>L</sub> = 30 pF, I <sub>D</sub> = 48 mA | 210 |     |     | ns   |
| t <sub>PHL</sub> | Propagation delay time, high-to-low-level output from $\overline{G}$ |                                                | 75  |     |     | ns   |
| t <sub>r</sub>   | Rise time, drain output                                              |                                                | 250 |     |     | ns   |
| t <sub>f</sub>   | Fall time, drain output                                              |                                                | 200 |     |     | ns   |
| t <sub>pd</sub>  | Propagation delay time, SRCK↓ to SEROUT                              | C <sub>L</sub> = 30 pF, I <sub>D</sub> = 48 mA | 35  |     |     | ns   |
| t <sub>or</sub>  | SEROUT rise time (10% to 90%)                                        | C <sub>L</sub> = 30 pF                         | 20  |     |     | ns   |
| t <sub>of</sub>  | SEROUT fall time (90% to 10%)                                        | C <sub>L</sub> = 30 pF                         | 20  |     |     | ns   |

## Switching Characteristics (continued)

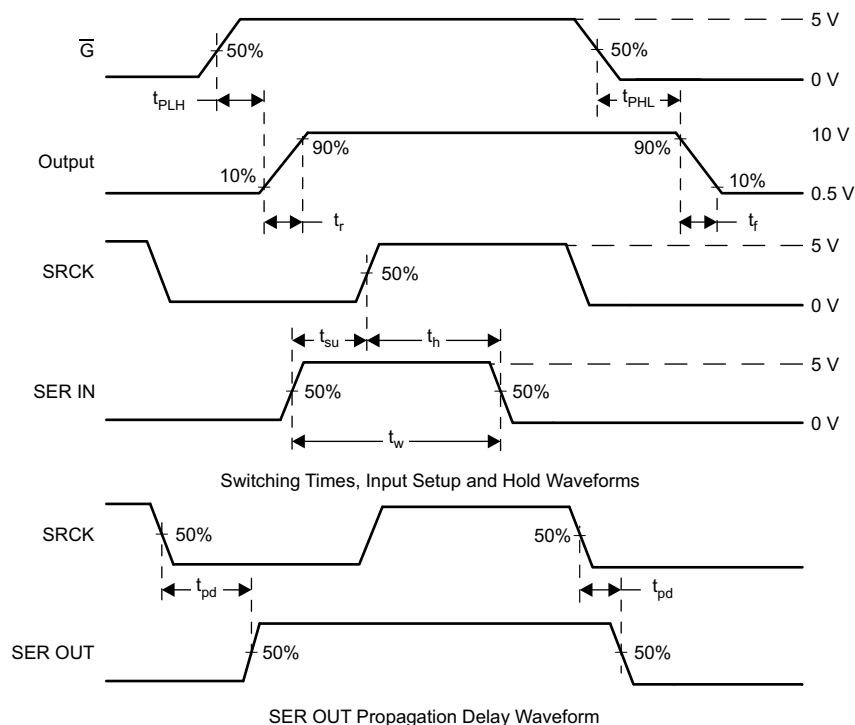
 $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ 

| PARAMETER      |                           | TEST CONDITIONS                             | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNIT |
|----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| $f_{(SRCK)}$   | Serial clock frequency    | $C_L = 30\text{ pF}$ , $I_D = 20\text{ mA}$ |     |     | 10  | MHz  |
| $t_{SRCK\_WH}$ | SRCK pulse duration, high |                                             | 30  |     |     | ns   |
| $t_{SRCK\_WL}$ | SRCK pulse duration, low  |                                             | 30  |     |     | ns   |



**Figure 1. SER IN to SER OUT Waveform**

Figure 1 shows the SER IN to SER OUT waveform. The output signal appears on the falling edge of the shift register clock (SRCK) because there is a phase inverter at SER OUT (see Figure 2). As a result, it takes seven and a half periods of SRCK for data to transfer from SER IN to SER OUT.

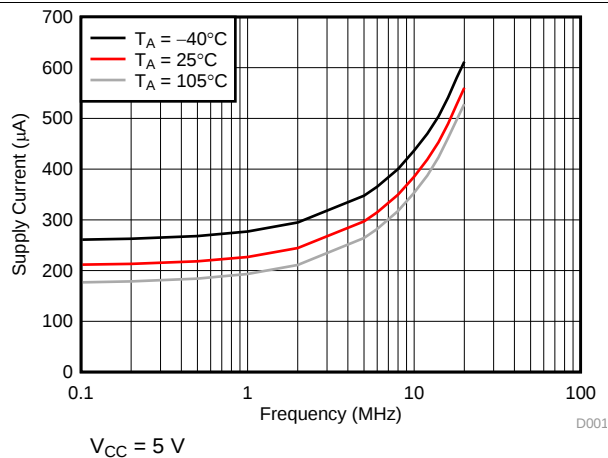


**Figure 2. Switching Times and Voltage Waveforms**

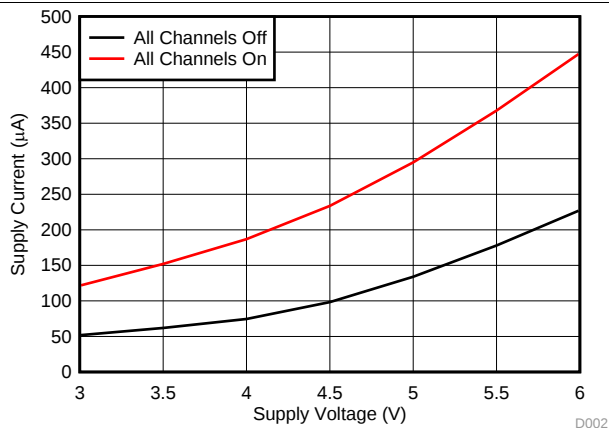
Figure 2 shows the switching times and voltage waveforms. Tests for all these parameters took place using the test circuit shown in Figure 12.

## 6.7 Typical Characteristics

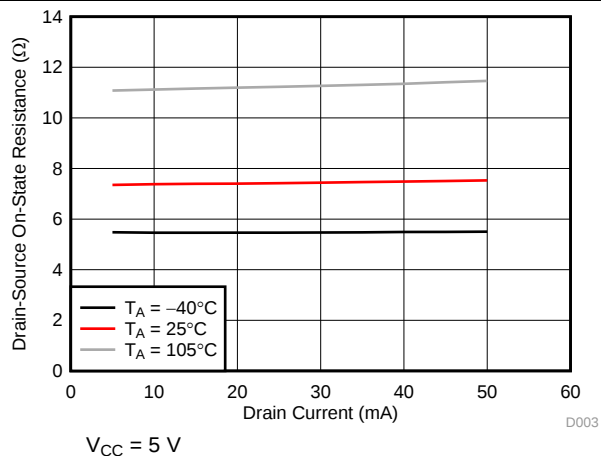
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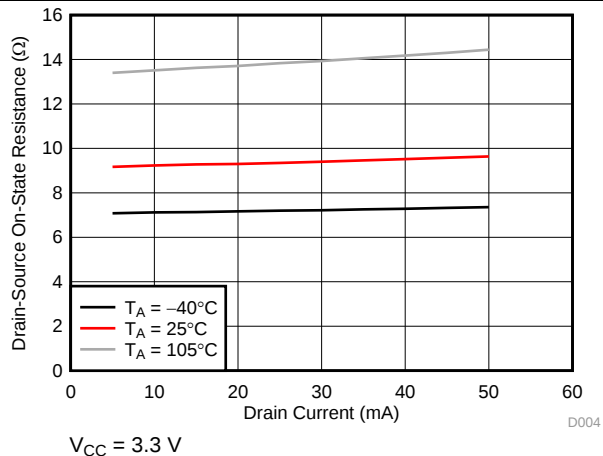
**Figure 3. Supply Current vs Frequency**



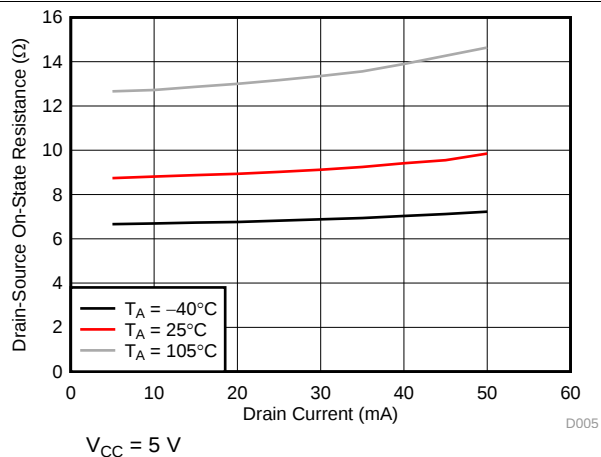
**Figure 4. Supply Current vs Supply Voltage**



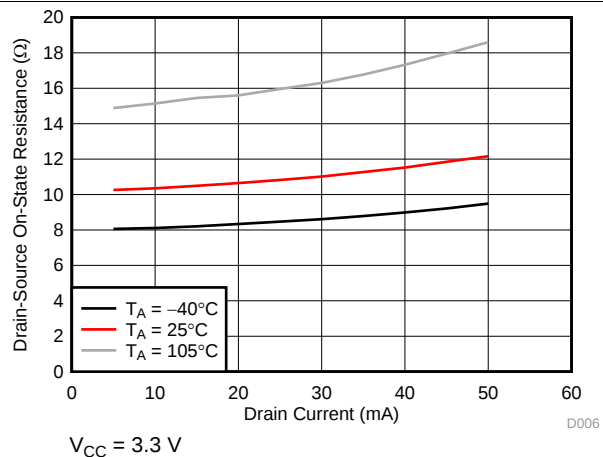
**Figure 5. Drain-to-Source On-State Resistance vs Drain Current (Single Channel On)**



**Figure 6. Drain-to-Source On-State Resistance vs Drain Current (Single Channel On)**



**Figure 7. Drain-to-Source On-State Resistance vs Drain Current (All Channels On)**



**Figure 8. Drain-to-Source On-State Resistance vs Drain Current (All Channels On)**

## Typical Characteristics (continued)

Conditions for Figure 5 and Figure 6: Single channel on; conditions for Figure 7, Figure 8, and Figure 9: All channels on.

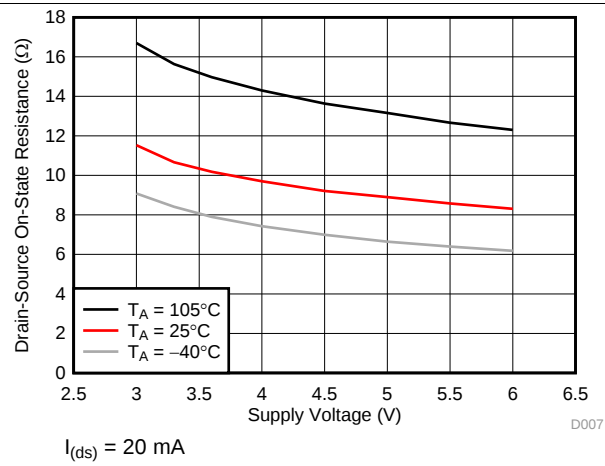


Figure 9. Drain-to-Source On-State Resistance vs Supply Voltage

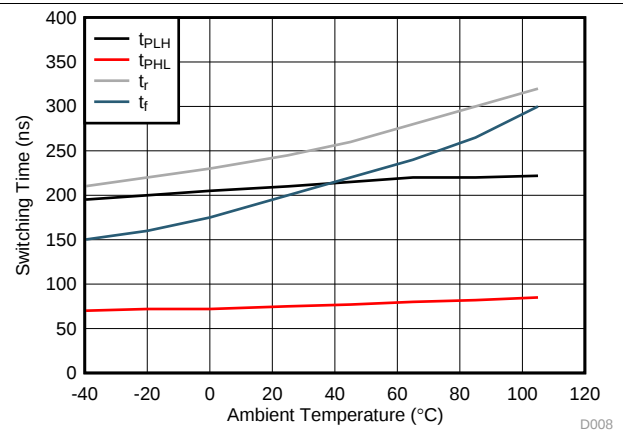
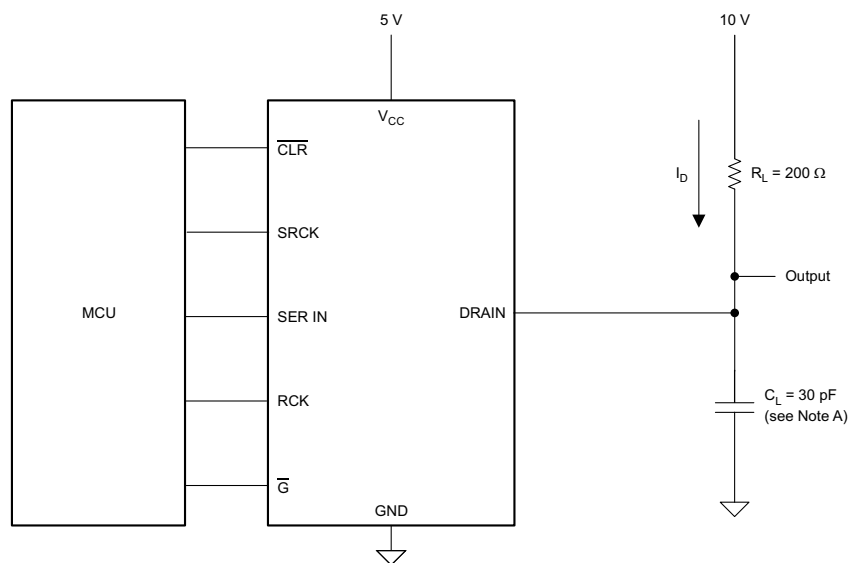


Figure 10. Switching Time vs Ambient Temperature

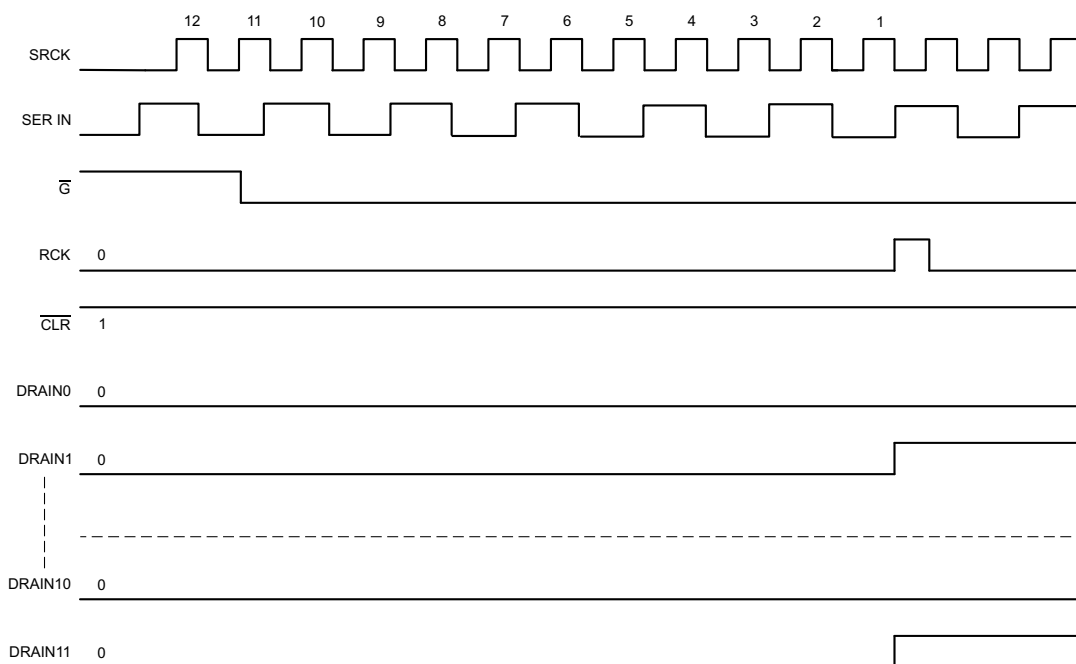
## 7 Parameter Measurement Information



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A.  $C_L$  includes probe and jig capacitance.

**Figure 11. Resistive-Load Test Circuit**



**Figure 12. Voltage Waveforms**

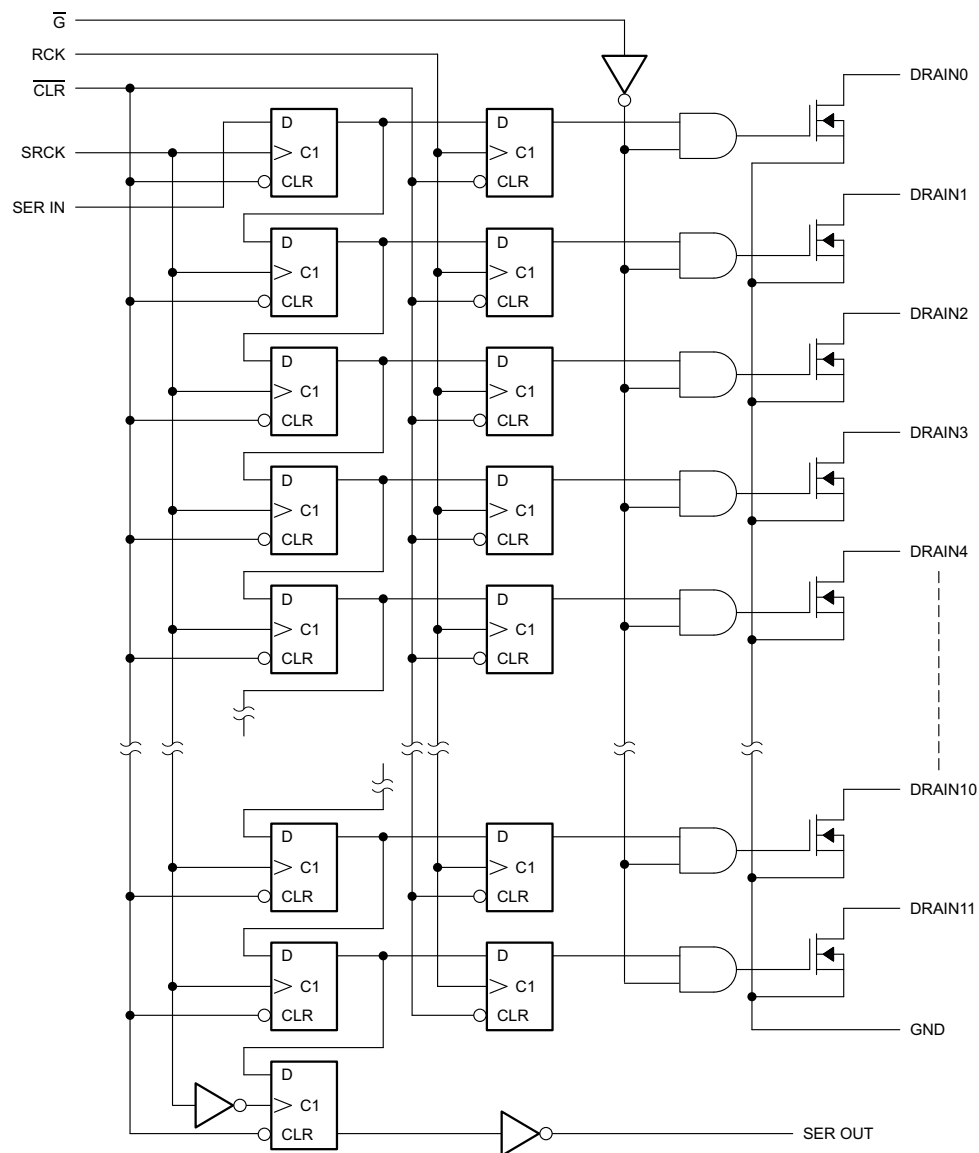
Figure 11 and Figure 12 show the resistive-load test circuit and voltage waveforms. One can see from Figure 12 that with  $\overline{G}$  held low and  $\overline{CLR}$  held high, the status of each drain changes on the rising edge of the register clock, indicating the transfer of data to the output buffers at that time.

## 8 Detailed Description

### 8.1 Overview

The TLC6C5912 device is a monolithic, medium-voltage, low current 12-bit shift register designed to drive relatively moderate load power such LEDs. The device contains a 12-bit serial-in, parallel-out shift register that feeds a 12-bit D-type storage register. Thermal shutdown protection is also built-into the device.

### 8.2 Functional Block Diagram



### 8.3 Feature Description

#### 8.3.1 Thermal Shutdown

The device implements an internal thermal shutdown to protect itself if the junction temperature exceeds 175°C (typical). The thermal shutdown forces the device to have an open state when the junction temperature exceeds the thermal trip threshold. Once the junction temperature decreases to less than 160°C (typical), the device begins to operate again.

## Feature Description (continued)

### 8.3.2 Serial-In Interface

The TLC6C598 device contains an 8-bit serial-in, parallel out shift register that feeds an 8-bit D-type storage register. Data transfer through both the shift and storage registers on the rising edge of the shift register clock (SRCK) and the register clock (RCK), respectively. The storage transfers data to the output buffer when shift register clear (CLR) is high.

### 8.3.3 Clear Register

A logic low on  $\overline{\text{CLR}}$  clears all registers in the device. TI suggests clearing the device during power up or initialization.

### 8.3.4 Cascade Through SER OUT

By connecting the SER OUT pin to the SER IN input of the next device on the serial bus to cascade, the data transfers to the next device on the falling edge of SRCK. This can improve the cascade application reliability, as it can avoid that the second device receives SRCK and data input at the same rising edge of SRCK.

### 8.3.5 Output Control

Holding the output enable (G) high holds all data in the output buffers low, and all drain outputs are off. Holding G low makes data from the storage register transparent to the output buffers. When data in the output buffers is low, the DMOS transistor outputs are off. When data is high, the DMOS transistor outputs are capable of sink-current. This pin also be used for global PWM dimming.

## 8.4 Device Functional Modes

### 8.4.1 Operation With $V_{CC} < 3\text{ V}$

This device works normally during  $3\text{ V} \leq V_{CC} \leq 5.5\text{ V}$ , when operation voltage is lower than 3 V. The behavior of device cannot be ensured, including communication interface and current capability.

### 8.4.2 Operation With $5.5\text{ V} \leq V_{CC} \leq 8\text{ V}$

The device works normally during this voltage range, but reliability issues may occurs while the device works for a long time in this voltage range.

## 9 Application and Implementation

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### NOTE

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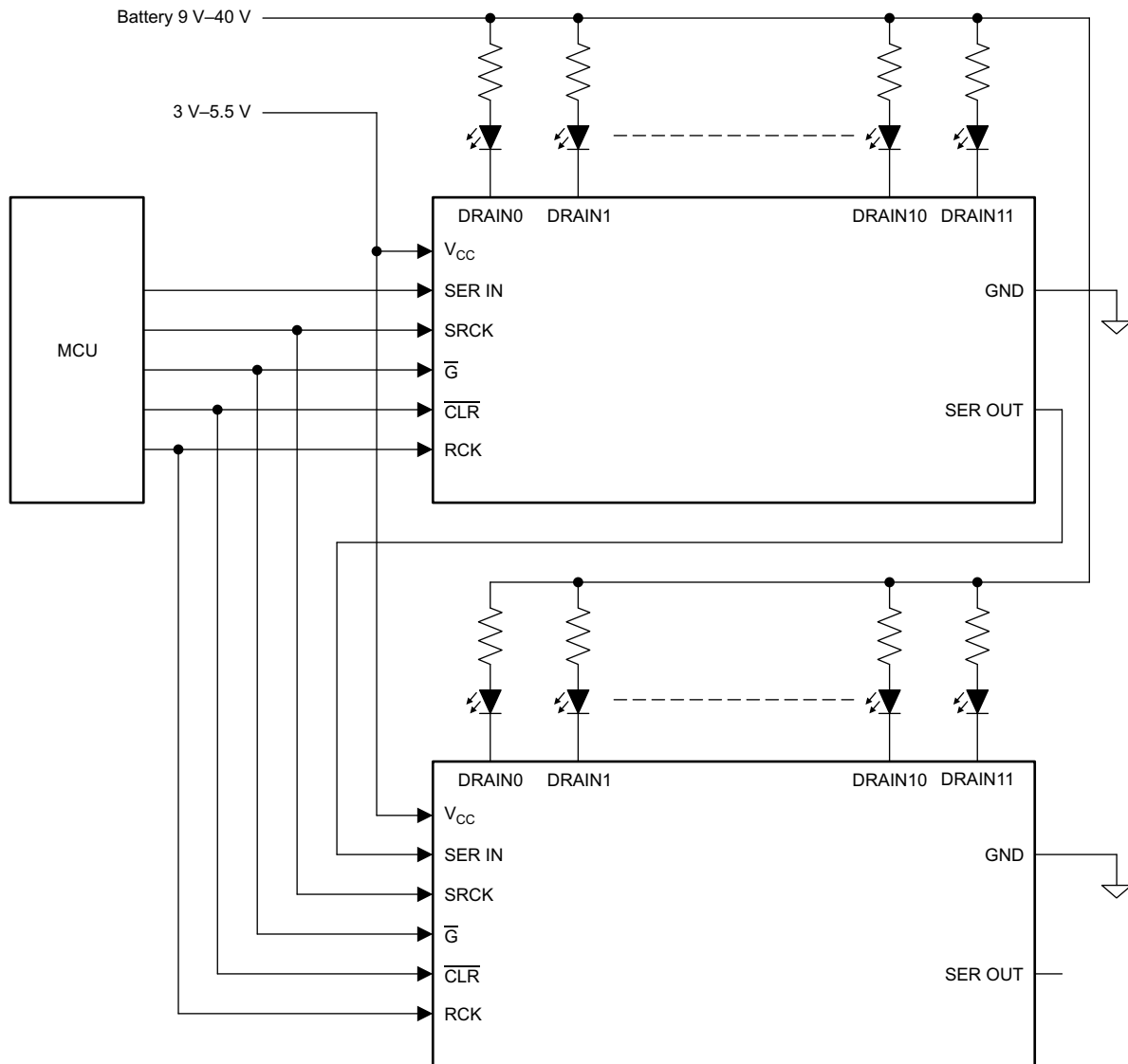
### 9.1 Application Information

The TLC6C5912 device is a serial-in, parallel-out, power logic 8-bit shift register with low-side open-drain DMOS output rating of 40 V and 50-mA continuous sink-current capabilities when  $V_{CC} = 5$  V. The device is designed to drive resistive loads and is particularly well-suited as an interface between a microcontroller and LEDs or lamps. The device also provides up to 2000 V of ESD protection when tested using the human body model and 200 V when using the machine model.

### 9.2 Typical Application

[Figure 13](#) shows a typical cascade application circuit with two TLC6C5912 chips configured to cascade topology. The MCU generates all the input signals.

## Typical Application (continued)



**Figure 13. Typical Application Circuit**

### 9.2.1 Design Requirements

Table 1 lists the parameters for this design example.

**Table 1. Design Parameters**

| DESIGN PARAMETER                                                                                | EXAMPLE VALUE |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Vbattery                                                                                        | 9 V to 40 V   |
| V <sub>CC_1</sub>                                                                               | 3.3 V         |
| I(D0), I(D1), I(D2), I(D3), I(D4), I(D5), I(D6), I(D7), I(D8), I(D9), I(D10), I(D11)            | 30 mA         |
| V <sub>CC_2</sub>                                                                               | 5 V           |
| I(D12), I(D13), I(D14), I(D15), I(D16), I(D17), I(D18), I(D19), I(D20), I(D21), I(D122), I(D23) | 50 mA         |

## 9.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

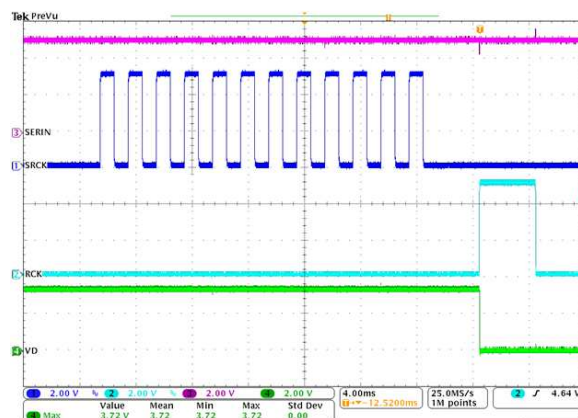
To begin the design process, the designer must decide on a few parameters:

- V<sub>supply</sub>: LED supply voltage
- V<sub>Dx</sub>: LED forward voltage
- I: LED current

After determining the parameters, calculate the resistor in series with LED using [Equation 1](#).

$$R_x = (V_{\text{supply}} - V_{Dx}) / I \quad (1)$$

## 9.2.3 Application Curve



**Figure 14. TLC6C5912 Application Waveform**

## 10 Power Supply Recommendations

The TLC6C5912 device is designed to operate from an input voltage supply range from 3 V to 5.5 V. This input supply should be well regulated. TI recommends placing the ceramic bypass capacitors near the  $V_{CC}$  pin.

## 11 Layout

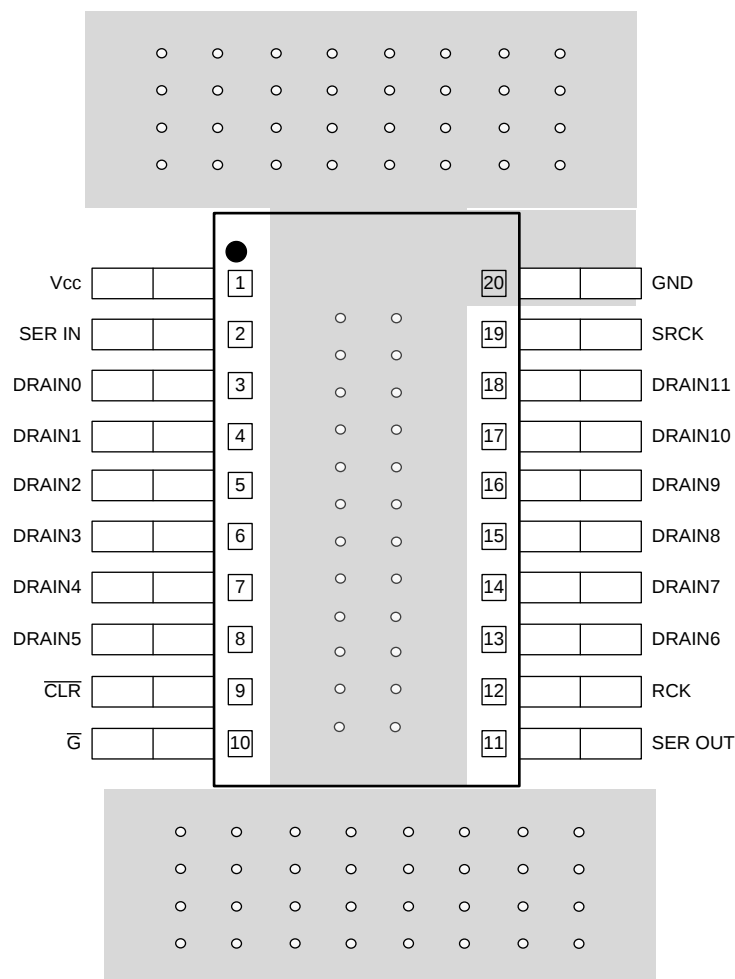
### 11.1 Layout Guidelines

There are no special layout requirement for the digital signal pins. The only requirement is placing the ceramic bypass capacitors near the corresponding pin.

Maximize the copper coverage on the PCB to increase the thermal conductivity of the board. The major heat-flow path from the package to the ambient is through the cooper on the PCB. Maximizing the copper coverage is extremely important when the design does not include heat sinks attached to the PCB on the other side of the package.

- Add as many thermal vias as possible directly under the package ground pad to optimize the thermal conductivity of the board.
- All thermal vias should be either plated shut or plugged and capped on both sides of the board to prevent solder voids. To ensure reliability and performance, the solder coverage should be at least 85%.

### 11.2 Layout Example



**Figure 15. Layout Recommendation**

## 12 Device and Documentation Support

### 12.1 Community Resources

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### 12.3 Electrostatic Discharge Caution



These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.

### 12.4 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

## 13 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

The following pages include mechanical, packaging, and orderable information. This information is the most-current data available for the designated device. This data is subject to change without notice and without revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, see the left-hand navigation pane.

## PACKAGING INFORMATION

| Orderable Device | Status<br>(1) | Package Type | Package<br>Drawing | Pins | Package<br>Qty | Eco Plan<br>(2)            | Lead/Ball Finish<br>(6) | MSL Peak Temp<br>(3) | Op Temp (°C) | Device Marking<br>(4/5) | Samples                 |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|------|----------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| TLC6C5912PWR     | ACTIVE        | TSSOP        | PW                 | 20   | 2000           | Green (RoHS<br>& no Sb/Br) | NIPDAU                  | Level-3-260C-168 HR  | -40 to 105   | 6C5912I                 | <a href="#">Samples</a> |

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(5) Multiple Device Markings will be inside parentheses. Only one Device Marking contained in parentheses and separated by a "-" will appear on a device. If a line is indented then it is a continuation of the previous line and the two combined represent the entire Device Marking for that device.

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- Automotive: [TLC6C5912-Q1](#)

NOTE: Qualified Version Definitions:

- Automotive - Q100 devices qualified for high-reliability automotive applications targeting zero defects

**TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION**


\*All dimensions are nominal

| Device       | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ  | Reel Diameter (mm) | Reel Width W1 (mm) | A0 (mm) | B0 (mm) | K0 (mm) | P1 (mm) | W (mm) | Pin1 Quadrant |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|--------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------------|
| TLC6C5912PWR | TSSOP        | PW              | 20   | 2000 | 330.0              | 16.4               | 6.95    | 7.1     | 1.6     | 8.0     | 16.0   | Q1            |

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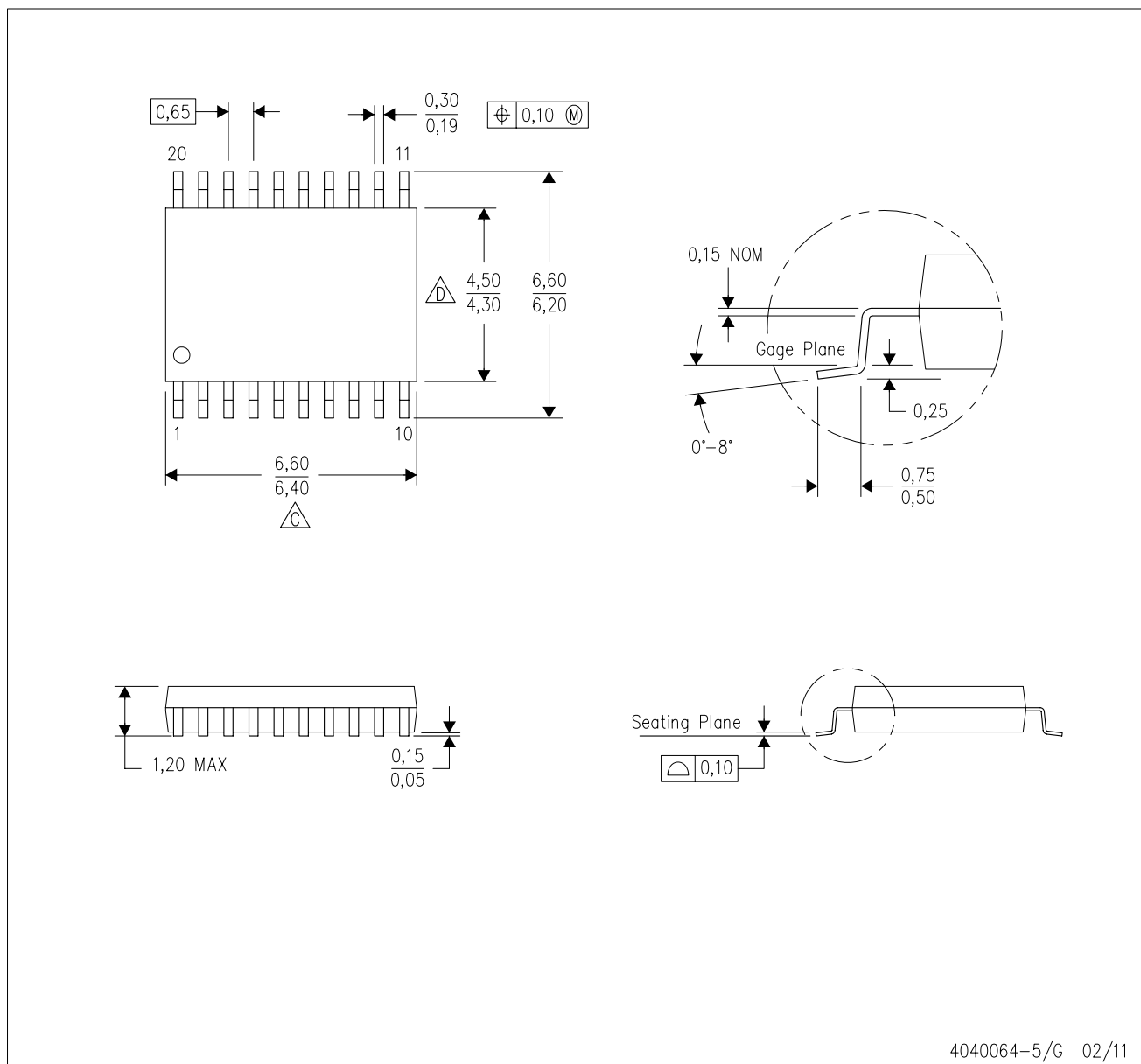


\*All dimensions are nominal

| Device       | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ  | Length (mm) | Width (mm) | Height (mm) |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| TLC6C5912PWR | TSSOP        | PW              | 20   | 2000 | 350.0       | 350.0      | 43.0        |

PW (R-PDSO-G20)

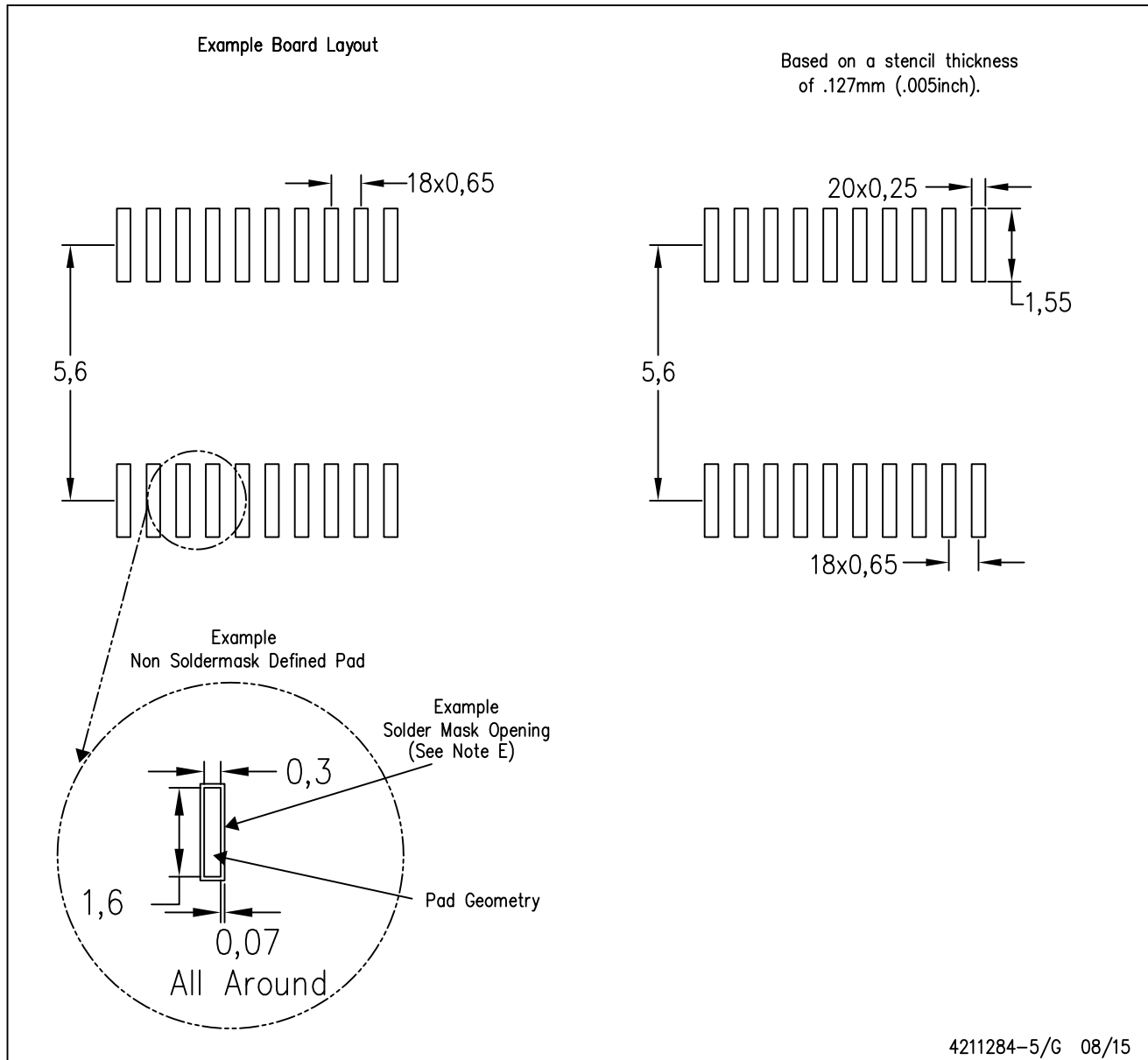
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  - E. Falls within JEDEC MO-153

PW (R-PDSO-G20)

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