

BQ7961x-Q1 Family of 12S, 14S, 16S Precision Automotive Battery Monitor, Balancer and Integrated Hardware Protector with up to SafeTI™-26262 ASIL-D Compliance

1 Features

- Qualified for automotive applications
- AEC-Q100 Qualified with the following results:
 - Device temperature grade 1: –40°C to +125°C ambient operating temperature range
 - Device HBM ESD classification level 2
 - Device CDM ESD classification level C4B
- SafeTI™-26262 ASIL-D compliance
 - Cell voltage measurements
 - Temperature measurements
 - Communication
- SafeTI™-26262 ASIL-B compliant
 - OV, UV Protector (hardware comparators)
 - OT, UT Protector (hardware comparators)
- Pin-package and software compatible device family:
 - Stackable monitor 16S (BQ79616), 14S (BQ79614), and 12S (BQ79612)
 - Standalone monitor 48 V system (BQ75614)
- Built-in redundancy path for voltage and temperature diagnostics
- Highly accurate cell voltage measurements within 128 μs for all cell channels
- Integrated post-ADC configurable digital low-pass filters
- Supports bus bar connection and measurement
- Built-in host-controlled hardware reset to emulate POR-like device reset
- Supports internal cell balancing
 - Balancing current at 240 mA
 - Built-in balancing thermal management with automatic pause and resume control
- Isolated differential daisy chain communication with optional ring architecture
- Embedded fault signal and heartbeat through communication line
- UART Host interface or connect to communication bridge BQ79600
- Built-in SPI master

2 Applications

- Full electric, plug-in hybrid, and hybrid vehicles
- Automotive 48 V Li-Ion battery systems
- Grid or energy storage battery systems (ESS)

3 Description

The BQ7961x-Q1 family of devices provides high-accuracy cell voltage measurements for a minimum of 6S to a maximum of 12S (BQ79612-Q1), 14S (BQ79614-Q1), or 16S (BQ79616-Q1) battery modules in less than 200 μs. The integrated front-end filters enable the system to implement with simple, low voltage rating, differential RC filters on the cell input channels. The integrated, post-ADC, low-pass filters enable filtered, DC-like, voltage measurements for better state of charge (SOC) calculation. This device supports autonomous internal cell balancing with temperature monitoring to auto-pause and resume balancing to avoid an overtemperature condition.

The inclusion of the isolated, bidirectional, daisy chain ports supports both capacitor- and transformer-based isolation, allowing the use of the most effective components for centralized or distribution architectures commonly found in the xEV powertrain system. This device also includes eight GPIOs or auxiliary inputs that can be used for external thermistor measurements.

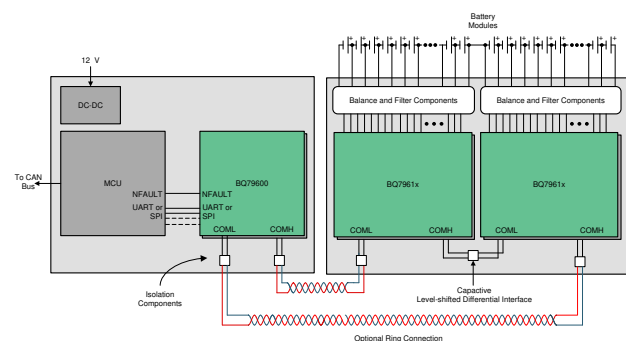
Device Information⁽¹⁾

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
BQ79612-Q1 ⁽²⁾	HTQFP (64-pin)	10.00 mm × 10.00 mm
BQ79614-Q1 ⁽²⁾		
BQ79616-Q1		

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

(2) Product Preview

Simplified System Diagram



4 Description (continued)

Host communication to the BQ7961x-Q1 family of devices can be connected via the device's dedicated UART interface or through a communication bridge device, BQ79600. Additionally, an isolated, differential daisy-chain communication interface allows the host to communicate with the entire battery stack over a single interface. In the event of a communication line break, the daisy-chain communication interface is configurable to a ring architecture that allows the host to talk to devices at either end of the stack.

5 Device and Documentation Support

5.1 Related Links

The table below lists quick access links. Categories include technical documents, support and community resources, tools and software, and quick access to order now.

Table 1. Related Links

PARTS	PRODUCT FOLDER	ORDER NOW	TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS	TOOLS & SOFTWARE	SUPPORT & COMMUNITY
BQ79612-Q1	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here
BQ79614-Q1	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here
BQ79616-Q1	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here	Click here

5.2 Receiving Notification of Documentation Updates

To receive notification of documentation updates, navigate to the device product folder on ti.com. In the upper right corner, click on *Alert me* to register and receive a weekly digest of any product information that has changed. For change details, review the revision history included in any revised document.

5.3 Support Resources

[TI E2E™ support forums](#) are an engineer's go-to source for fast, verified answers and design help — straight from the experts. Search existing answers or ask your own question to get the quick design help you need.

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5.4 Trademarks

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5.5 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.

5.6 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

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

6 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 devices. This data is subject to change without notice and revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, refer to the left-hand navigation.

PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable Device	Status (1)	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan (2)	Lead finish/ Ball material (6)	MSL Peak Temp (3)	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
BQ79616PAPRQ1	ACTIVE	HTQFP	PAP	64	1000	RoHS & Green	NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 125	BQ79616	Samples

(1) The marketing status values are defined as follows:

ACTIVE: Product device recommended for new designs.

LIFEBUY: TI has announced that the device will be discontinued, and a lifetime-buy period is in effect.

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(4) There may be additional marking, which relates to the logo, the lot trace code information, or the environmental category on the device.

(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.

(6) Lead finish/Ball material - Orderable Devices may have multiple material finish options. Finish options are separated by a vertical ruled line. Lead finish/Ball material values may wrap to two lines if the finish value exceeds the maximum column width.

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TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION

QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE


*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
BQ79616PAPRQ1	HTQFP	PAP	64	1000	330.0	24.4	13.0	13.0	1.5	16.0	24.0	Q2

TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS


*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
BQ79616PAPRQ1	HTQFP	PAP	64	1000	367.0	367.0	55.0

GENERIC PACKAGE VIEW

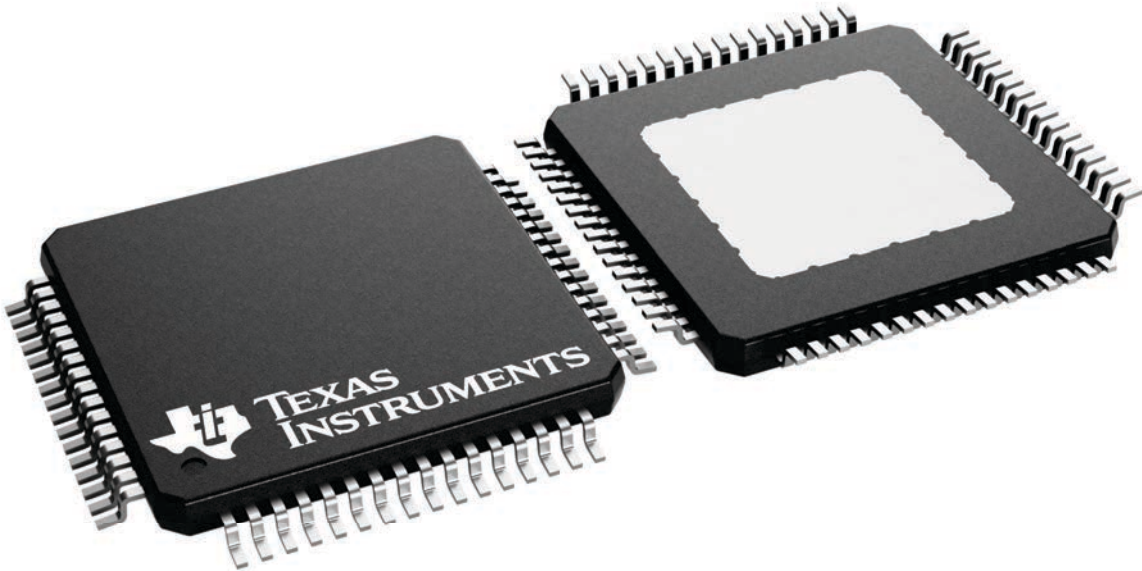
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HTQFP - 1.2 mm max height

10 x 10, 0.5 mm pitch

QUAD FLATPACK

This image is a representation of the package family, actual package may vary.
Refer to the product data sheet for package details.



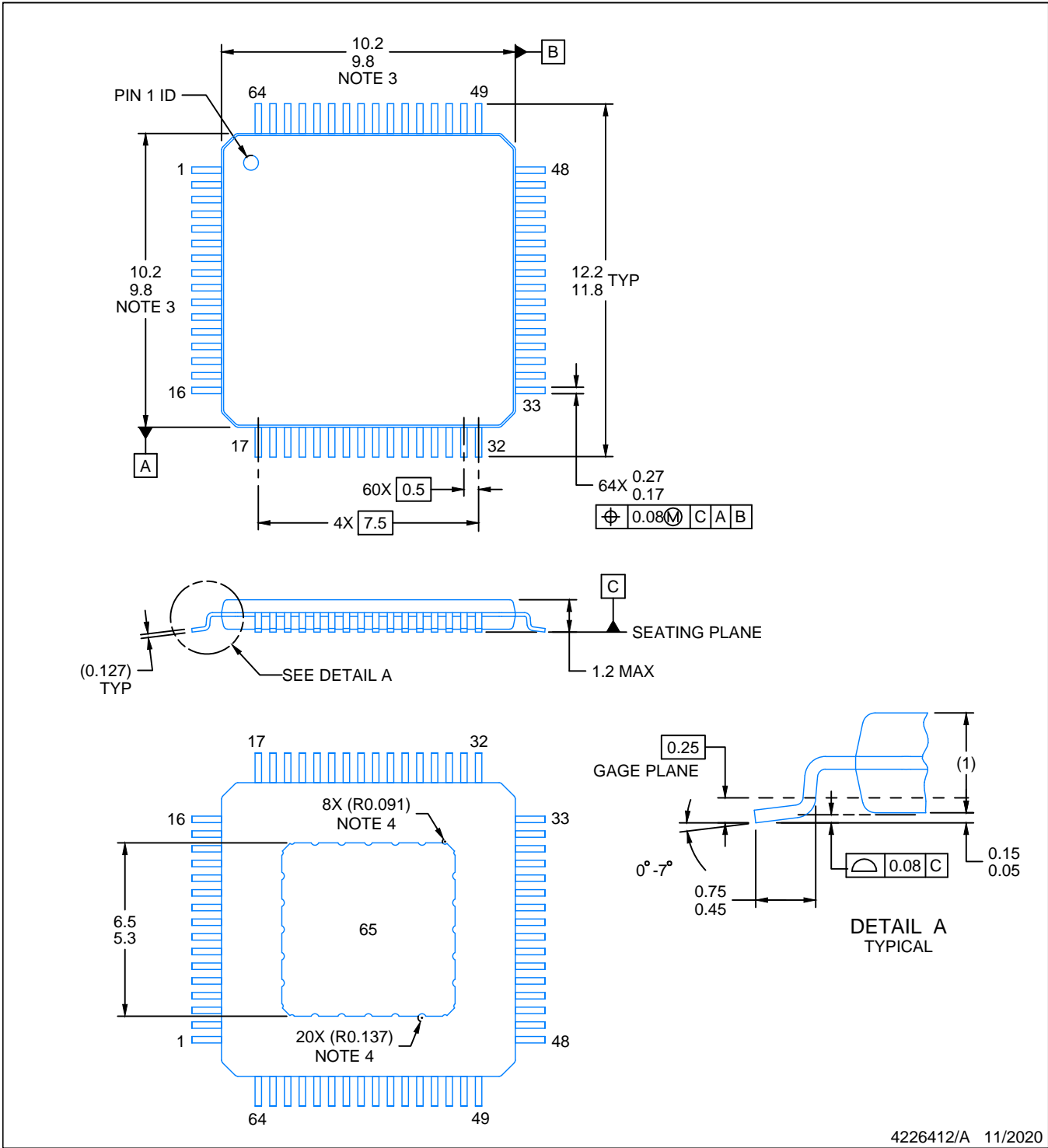
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PACKAGE OUTLINE

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PowerPAD™ TQFP - 1.2 mm max height

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK



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NOTES:

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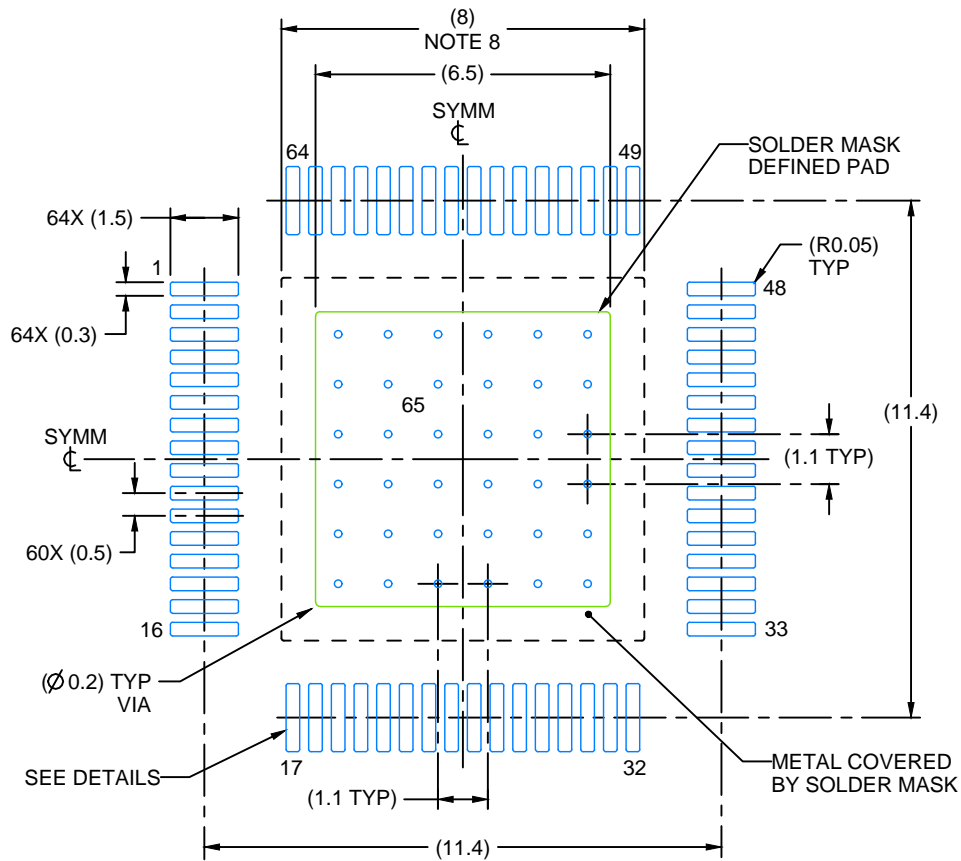
1. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Any dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. This dimension does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs.
4. Strap features may not be present.
5. Reference JEDEC registration MS-026.

EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

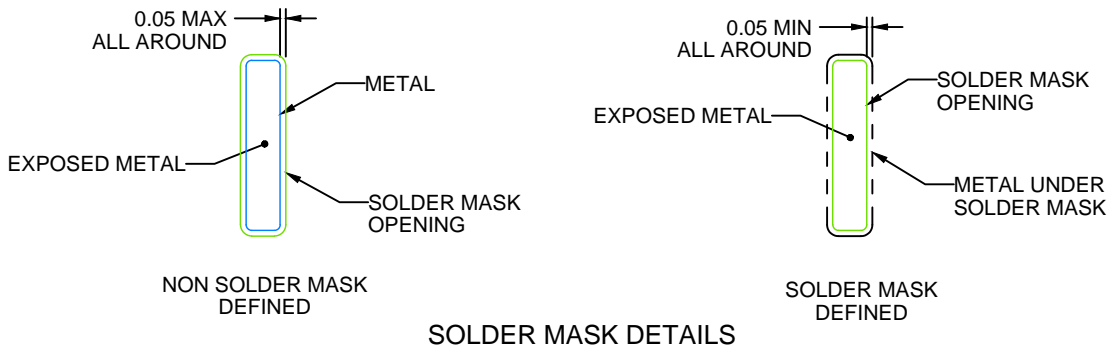
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PowerPAD™ TQFP - 1.2 mm max height

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LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN
SCALE:6X



SOLDER MASK DETAILS

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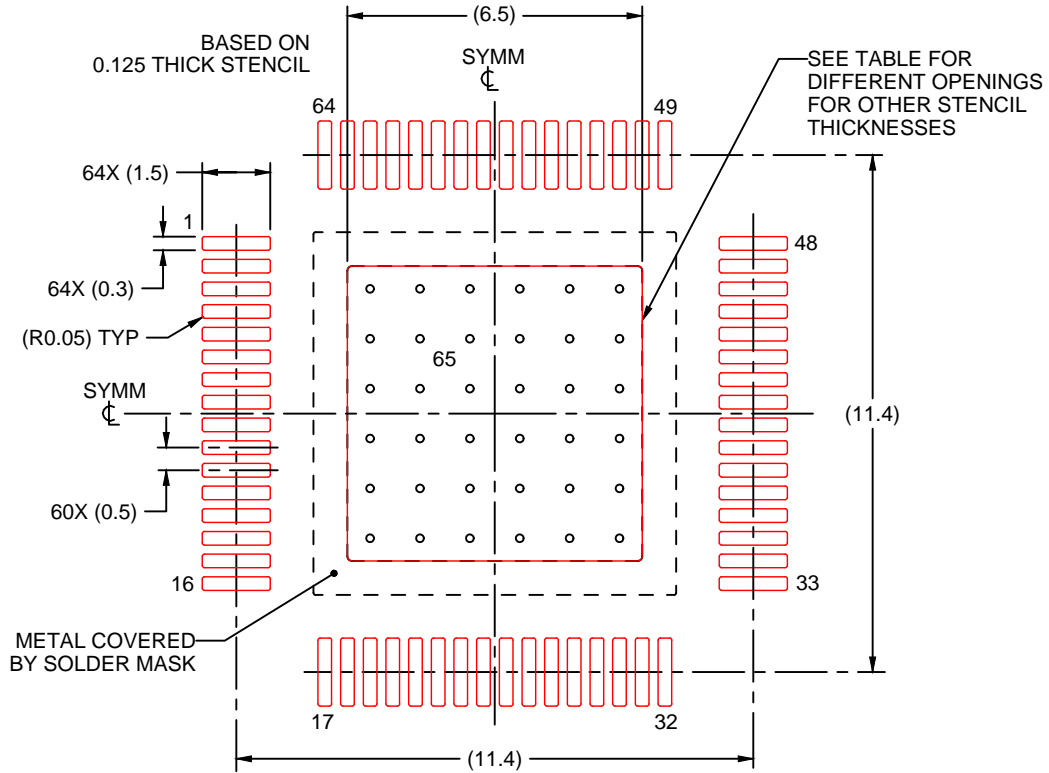
6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.
7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.
8. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. See technical brief, Powerpad thermally enhanced package, Texas Instruments Literature No. SLMA002 (www.ti.com/lit/slma002) and SLMA004 (www.ti.com/lit/slma004).
9. Vias are optional depending on application, refer to device data sheet. It is recommended that vias under paste be filled, plugged or tented.
10. Size of metal pad may vary due to creepage requirement.

EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

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PowerPAD™ TQFP - 1.2 mm max height

PLASTIC QUAD FLATPACK



SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE
EXPOSED PAD
100% PRINTED SOLDER COVERAGE BY AREA
SCALE:6X

STENCIL THICKNESS	SOLDER STENCIL OPENING
0.1	7.27 X 7.27
0.125	6.5 X 6.5 (SHOWN)
0.15	5.93 X 5.93
0.175	5.49 X 5.49

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- Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
- Board assembly site may have different recommendations for stencil design.

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