

**MAXIM****Advanced Lithium-Ion  
Battery-Pack Protector****General Description**

The MAX1666 provides complete protection against overvoltage, undervoltage, overcharge current, overdischarge current, and cell mismatch for 2-cell to 4-cell Lithium-Ion battery packs. The voltage of each cell in the battery pack is checked and compared to the programmable threshold and to the other cells in the pack.

The MAX1666 protects the battery pack in an overcurrent condition by disconnecting the pack from the load at a programmable limit. On-chip power MOSFET drivers control external P-channel MOSFETs to disconnect the cells from external terminals when faults occur.

The MAX1666 employs a unique timing scheme that allows three modes of operation, for optimal performance and battery power conservation. The MAX1666 can operate in a stand-alone configuration or in conjunction with a microcontroller. It is available in three versions: the "S" version monitors two Li-Ion cells, the "V" version monitors three cells, and the "X" version monitors four cells.

**Applications**

2/3/4-Cell Lithium-Ion Battery Pack

**Selector Guide**

PART	NUMBER OF LI-ION CELLS
MAX1666S	2
MAX1666V	3
MAX1666X	4

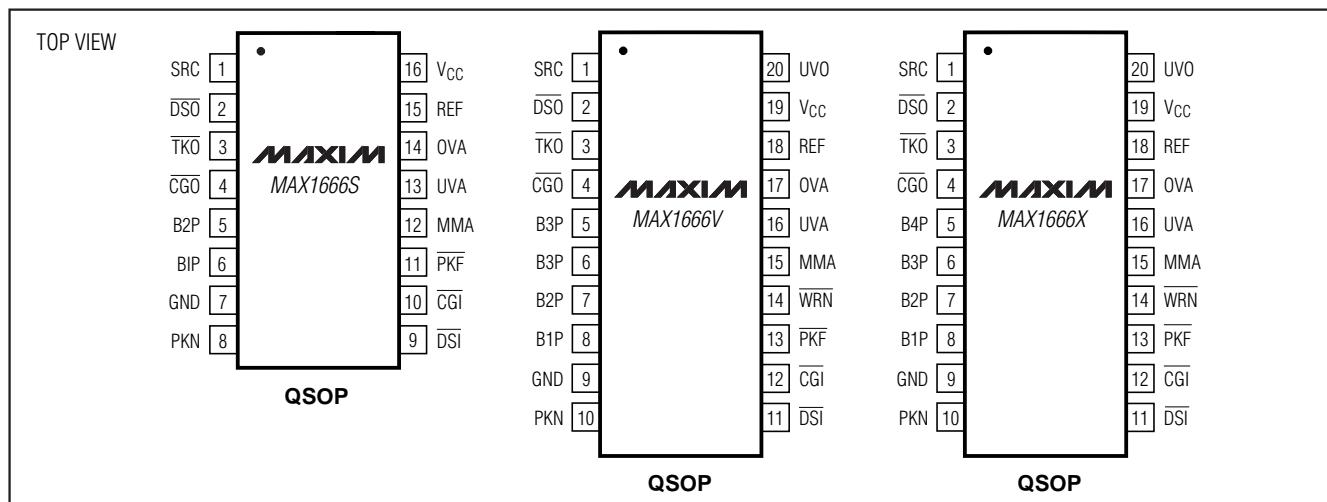
*Typical Operating Circuits appear at end of data sheet.*

**Features**

- ♦ Overvoltage Protection  
Programmable Limits from +4.0V to +4.4V  
Accurate to  $\pm 0.5\%$
- ♦ Undervoltage Protection  
Programmable Limits from +2.0V to +3.0V  
Accurate to  $\pm 2.5\%$
- ♦ Cell Mismatch Protection  
Programmable Limits from 0 to 500mV  
Accurate to  $\pm 10\%$
- ♦ Overcharge Current Protection
- ♦ Overdischarge Current Protection
- ♦ Low Operating Supply Current: 30 $\mu$ A typ
- ♦ Low Standby Current: 1 $\mu$ A max
- ♦ +28V max Input Voltage
- ♦ Available in Small 16-Pin QSOP (MAX1666S) and 20-Pin QSOP (MAX1666V/X) Packages

**Ordering Information**

PART	TEMP. RANGE	PIN-PACKAGE
MAX1666SEEE	-40°C to +85°C	16 QSOP
MAX1666VEEP	-40°C to +85°C	20 QSOP
MAX1666XEEP	-40°C to +85°C	20 QSOP

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## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

SRC, DSO, TKO, CGO, UVO, PKF, WRN to GND	-0.3V to +28V
VCC, REF, OVA, UVA, MMA to GND	-0.3V to +6V
B4P to B3P	-0.3V to +6V
B3P to B2P	-0.3V to +6V
B2P to B1P	-0.3V to +6V
B1P to GND	-0.3V to +6V
PKN to GND	±2V

VCC, CGI, DSI to PKN	-0.3V to +6V
Continuous Power Dissipation ( $T_A = +70^\circ\text{C}$ )	
16-Pin QSOP (derate 8.3mW/°C above $+70^\circ\text{C}$ )	667mW
20-Pin QSOP (derate 9.1mW/°C above $+70^\circ\text{C}$ )	727mW
Operating Temperature Range	-40°C to +85°C
Storage Temperature Range	-65°C to +150°C
Lead Temperature (soldering, 10sec)	+300°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 in the operational sections of the specifications is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

( $V_{SRC} = 16\text{V}$ , each cell voltage  $V_{CELL} = 3.6\text{V}$ ,  $330\text{k}\Omega$  load at REF,  $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$  to  $+85^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise noted. Typical values are at  $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ .)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Charge Mode Detection Threshold		$V_{SRC} - V_{B\_P}$		1			V
SRC Input Current Range		$V_{SRC} - V_{B\_P} = 1\text{V}$		2	10		µA
Supply Current	I <sub>SUP</sub>	No faults, long time average current from the top battery terminal B_P		30	45		µA
Shutdown Supply Current	I <sub>SHDN</sub>				1		µA
VCC Output Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	$R_{LOAD} \geq 665\Omega$ , $2\text{V} < V_{CELL} < 4.4\text{V}$		3.09	3.25	3.41	V
VCC Undervoltage Lockout Threshold				2.7	2.85	3	V
Reference Output Voltage	V <sub>REF</sub>	Pulse on			1.221		V
Overvoltage Threshold		Cell voltage rising	OVA = GND	3.980	4.000	4.020	V
			V <sub>OVA</sub> = $V_{REF} / 2$		4.2		
			OVA = REF	4.378	4.400	4.422	
Overvoltage Threshold Hysteresis					200		mV
Undervoltage Threshold		Cell voltage falling	UVA = GND	1.950	2.000	2.050	V
			V <sub>UVA</sub> = $V_{REF} / 2$		2.500		
			UVA = REF	2.925	3.000	3.075	
Undervoltage Threshold Hysteresis					100		mV
WRN Early Warning Threshold		Above undervoltage threshold, cell voltage falling			100		mV
WRN Early Warning Threshold Hysteresis					200		mV
OVA, UVA, MMA Input Current		OVA, UVA, MMA = REF		0.1	20		nA
Cell Mismatch Threshold		All cells > 2V	MMA = GND		±0		mV
			V <sub>MMA</sub> = $V_{REF} / 2$		±250		
			MMA = REF	±450	±500	±550	
PKN to GND Overdischarge Current Threshold				270	300	330	mV
PKN to GND Overcharge Current Threshold				-220	-200	-180	mV

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## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)**

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PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Overcurrent Fault Timer Delay	$t_P\text{-DELAY}$		330	550	770	ms
Overdischarge/Overcharge Current Fault Blanking Time	$t_I\text{-DELAY}$		1.6	2.4	3.2	ms
DSO, CGO, UV0 Output Sink Current		No faults, $V_{DSO} = V_{CGO} = V_{UV0} = 1V$ to $27V$	20	30	40	$\mu A$
DSO, CGO Output Source Current		$V_{DSO} = V_{SRC} - 4V$ and $V_{CGO} = V_{SRC} - 4V$ , fault condition	2	10		mA
DSO, CGO, UV0 Leakage Current		$V_{DSO} = V_{CGO} = V_{UV0} = 27V$ , fault condition			0.2	$\mu A$
TKO Pull-Down Resistance			100	200		$k\Omega$
TKO Source Current		$\overline{TKO} = GND$	1	8		mA
DSI, CGI Input High Voltage		Referenced to PKN	2			V
DSI, CGI Input Low Voltage		Referenced to PKN			0.45	V
DSI, CGI Input Current		$V_{DSI}, V_{CGI} = 5V$			1	$\mu A$
WRN Sink Current		Fault condition, $V_{WRN} = 0.4V$	2	4		mA
PKF Sink Current		Fault condition, $V_{PKF} = 0.4V$	4	8		mA
PKF, WRN Leakage Current		$V_{PKF} = V_{WRN} = 27V$			0.2	$\mu A$
Undervoltage, Overvoltage, or Mismatch Fault, to DSO, CGO, TKO Transition Delay	$t_F\text{-DELAY}$	Fault persistent for 4 consecutive sample periods	180	320	460	ms

## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

( $V_{SRC} = 16V$ , each cell voltage  $V_{CELL} = 3.6V$ ,  $330k\Omega$  load at REF,  $T_A = -40^\circ C$  to  $+85^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted.) (Note 1)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Charge Mode Detection Threshold		$V_{SRC} - V_{B\_P}$	1			V
SRC Input Current Range		$V_{SRC} - V_{B\_P} = 1V$ to $4V$			10	$\mu A$
Supply Current	$I_{SUP}$	No faults, long time average current from the top battery terminal B_P			45	$\mu A$
Shutdown Supply Current	$I_{SHDN}$				1	$\mu A$
Vcc Output Voltage	$V_{CC}$	$R_{LOAD} \geq 665\Omega$ , $2V < V_{CELL} < 4.4V$	3.09	3.41		V
Vcc Undervoltage Lockout Threshold			2.7	3		V
Overvoltage Threshold		OVA = GND	3.975	4.025		V
		OVA = REF	4.373	4.427		
Undervoltage Threshold		UVA = GND	1.950	2.050		V
		UVA = REF	2.925	3.075		
OVA, UVA, MMA Leakage		OVA, UVA, MMA = REF			20	nA

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## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

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PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Cell Mismatch Threshold		All cells > 2V, MMA = REF	$\pm 450$	$\pm 550$		mV
PKN to GND Overdischarge Current Threshold			270	330		mV
PKN to GND Overcharge Current Threshold			-220	-180		mV
Overcurrent Fault Timer Delay	$t_{P-DELAY}$		330	770		ms
Overdischarge/Overcharge Current Fault Blanking Time	$t_{I-DELAY}$		1.6	3.2		ms
$\overline{DSO}$ , $\overline{CGO}$ UV/O Output Sink Current		No faults; $V_{\overline{DSO}} = V_{\overline{CGO}} = V_{UVO} = 1V$ to $27V$	20	40		$\mu A$
$\overline{DSO}$ , $\overline{CGO}$ Output Source Current		$V_{\overline{DSO}} = V_{SRC} - 4V$ and $V_{\overline{CGO}} = V_{SRC} - 4V$ , fault condition	2			mA
$\overline{DSO}$ , $\overline{CGO}$ , UV/O Leakage Current		$V_{\overline{DSO}} = V_{\overline{CGO}} = V_{UVO} = 27V$ , fault condition		0.2		$\mu A$
$\overline{TKO}$ Pull-Down Resistance			100			$k\Omega$
$\overline{TKO}$ Source Current		$\overline{TKO} = \text{GND}$	1			mA
$\overline{DSI}$ , $\overline{CGI}$ Input High Voltage		Referenced to PKN	2			V
$\overline{DSI}$ , $\overline{CGI}$ Input Low Voltage		Referenced to PKN		0.45		V
$\overline{DSI}$ , $\overline{CGI}$ Input Current		$V_{\overline{DSI}} = V_{\overline{CGI}} = 5V$		1		$\mu A$
$\overline{WRN}$ Sink Current		Fault condition, $V_{\overline{WRN}} = 0.4V$	2			mA
$\overline{PKF}$ Sink Current		Fault condition, $V_{\overline{PKF}} = 0.4V$	4			mA
$\overline{PKF}$ , $\overline{WRN}$ Leakage Current		$V_{\overline{PKF}} = V_{\overline{WRN}} = 27V$		0.2		$\mu A$
Undervoltage, Overvoltage, or Mismatch Fault, to $\overline{DSO}$ , $\overline{CGO}$ , $\overline{TKO}$ Transition Delay	$t_{F-DELAY}$	Fault persistent for 4 consecutive sample periods	180	460		ms

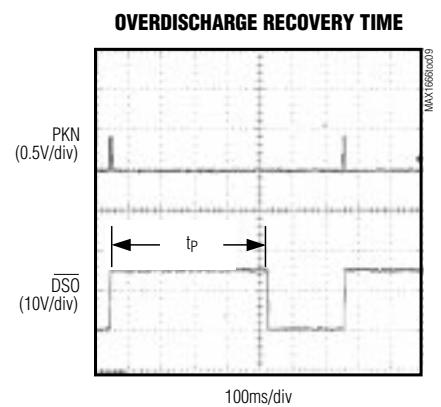
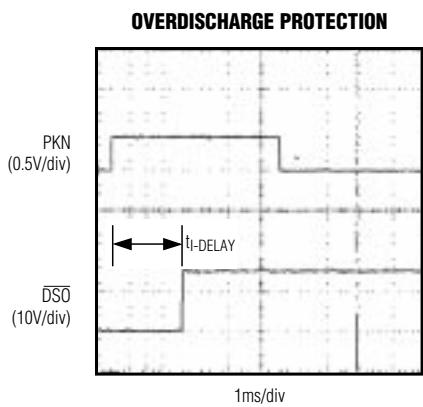
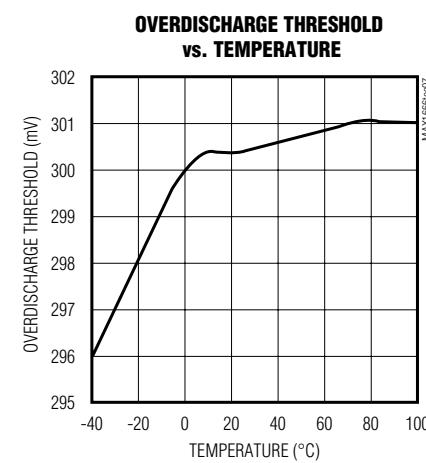
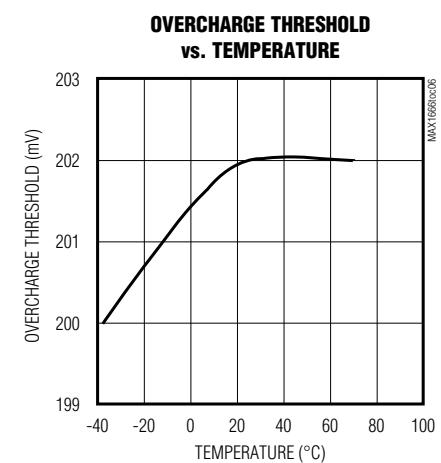
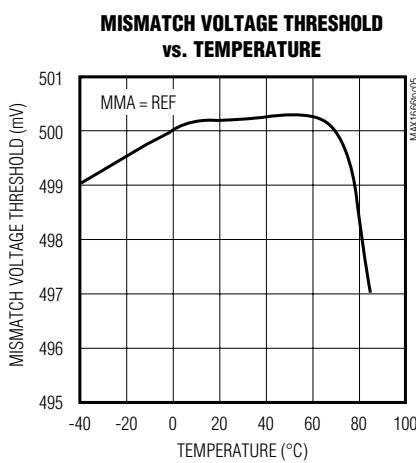
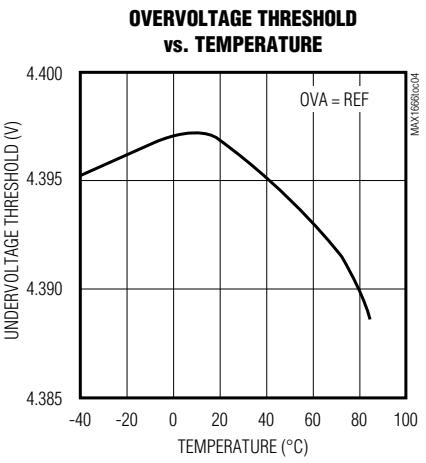
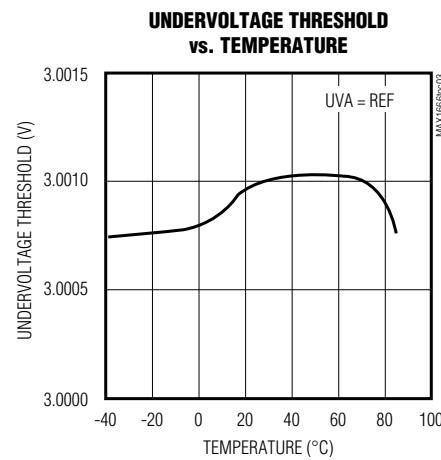
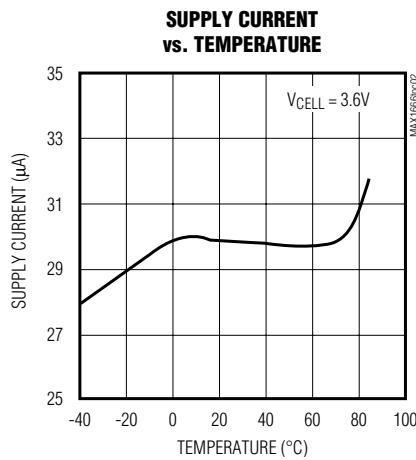
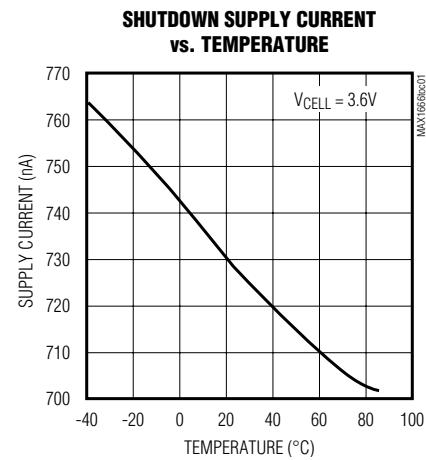
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## Typical Operating Characteristics

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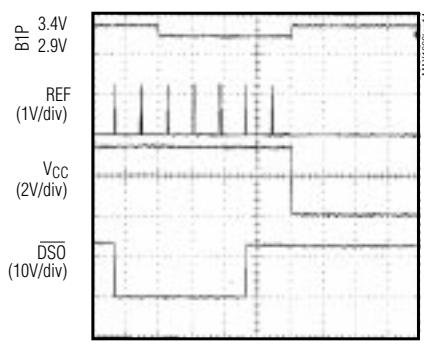
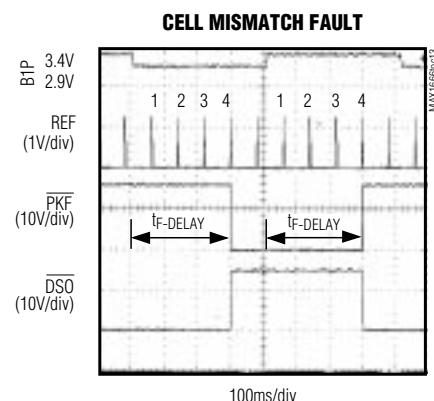
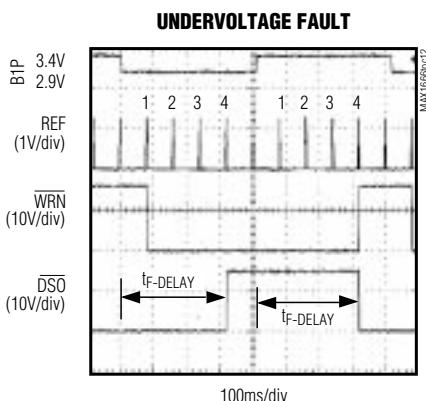
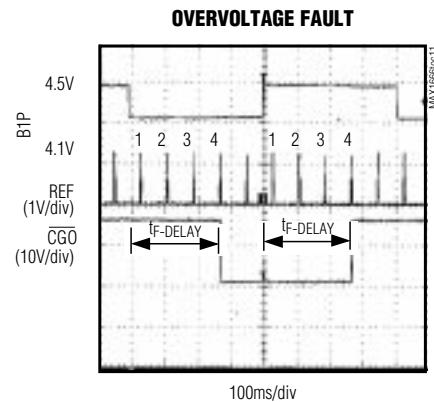
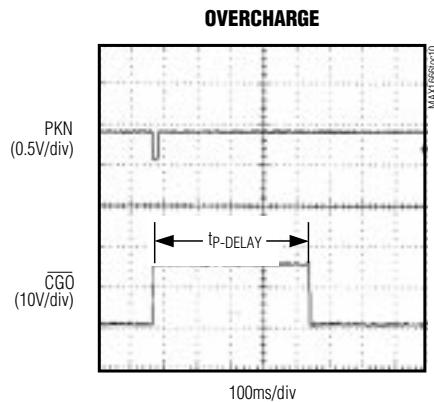
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## Typical Operating Characteristics (continued)

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$V_{\text{CELL}2} = V_{\text{CELL}3} = V_{\text{CELL}4} = 3.35\text{V}$ ,  
UNDERVOLTAGE THRESHOLD = 3.0V,  
UVA = REF

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## **Pin Description**

<b>PIN</b>			<b>NAME</b>	<b>FUNCTION</b>
<b>MAX1666X</b>	<b>MAX1666V</b>	<b>MAX1666S</b>		
1	1	1	SRC	Charge Source Input. Provides current for gate drivers $\overline{DSO}$ , $\overline{TKO}$ , $\overline{CGO}$ , and UV0.
2	2	2	$\overline{DSO}$	Discharge Driver Output. Drives external P-channel MOSFET to control discharge.
3	3	3	$\overline{TKO}$	Trickle-Charge Driver Output. Drives external P-channel MOSFET to control trickle-charge current. Internally grounded when inactive.
4	4	4	$\overline{CGO}$	Fast-Charge Driver Output. Drives external P-channel MOSFET to control fast charge.
5	—	—	B4P	Cell 4 Positive Input. Power supply input for MAX1666X.
6	5, 6	—	B3P	Cell 3 Positive Input. Power supply input for MAX1666V.
7	7	5	B2P	Cell 2 Positive Input. Power supply input for MAX1666S.
8	8	6	B1P	Cell 1 Positive Input
9	9	7	GND	Ground
10	10	8	PKN	Battery Pack Negative Terminal. Connect to bottom of current sense resistor. Ground reference for logic inputs $\overline{DSI}$ and $\overline{CGI}$ .
11	11	9	$\overline{DSI}$	Discharge Control Input
12	12	10	$\overline{CGI}$	Charge Control Input
13	13	11	$\overline{PKF}$	Pack Fail Output. $\overline{PKF}$ goes low when any cell voltage exceeds the mismatch threshold or when a shorted cell is detected.
14	14	—	$\overline{WRN}$	Undervoltage/Ovvoltage Warning Output
15	15	12	MMA	Mismatch Adjust Input. Set the mismatch threshold by a resistor-divider from REF to GND.
16	16	13	UVA	Undervoltage Adjust Input. Set the undervoltage threshold with a resistor-divider from REF to GND.
17	17	14	OVA	Ovvoltage Adjust Input. Set the ovvvoltage threshold with a resistor-divider from REF to GND.
18	18	15	REF	Reference Voltage Output. Minimize PCB stray capacitance on this node.
19	19	16	VCC	3.3V Linear Regulator Output. Bypass with a 0.47 $\mu$ F min capacitor to GND.
20	20	—	UV0	Undervoltage Fault Output

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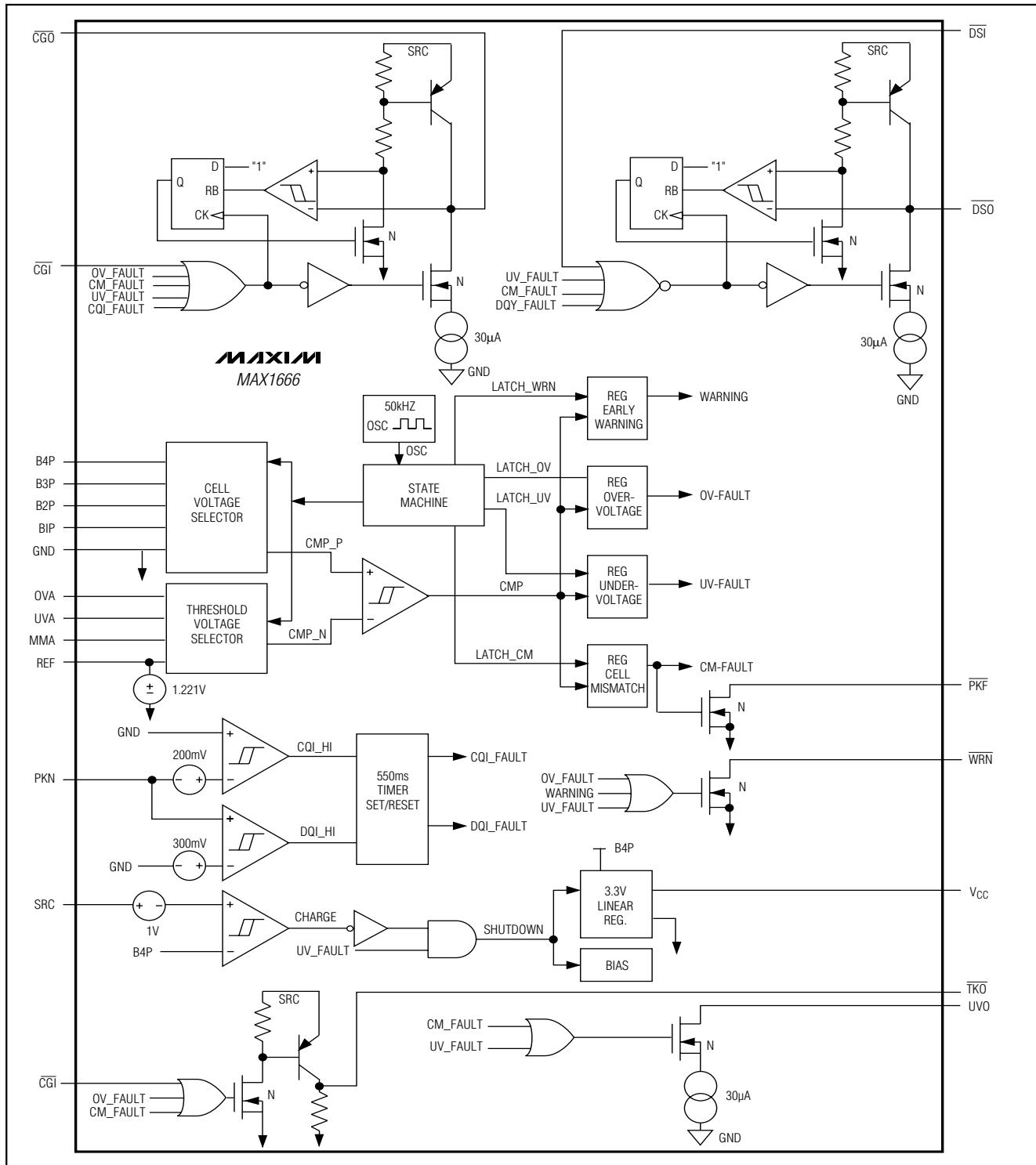


Figure 1. Functional Diagram

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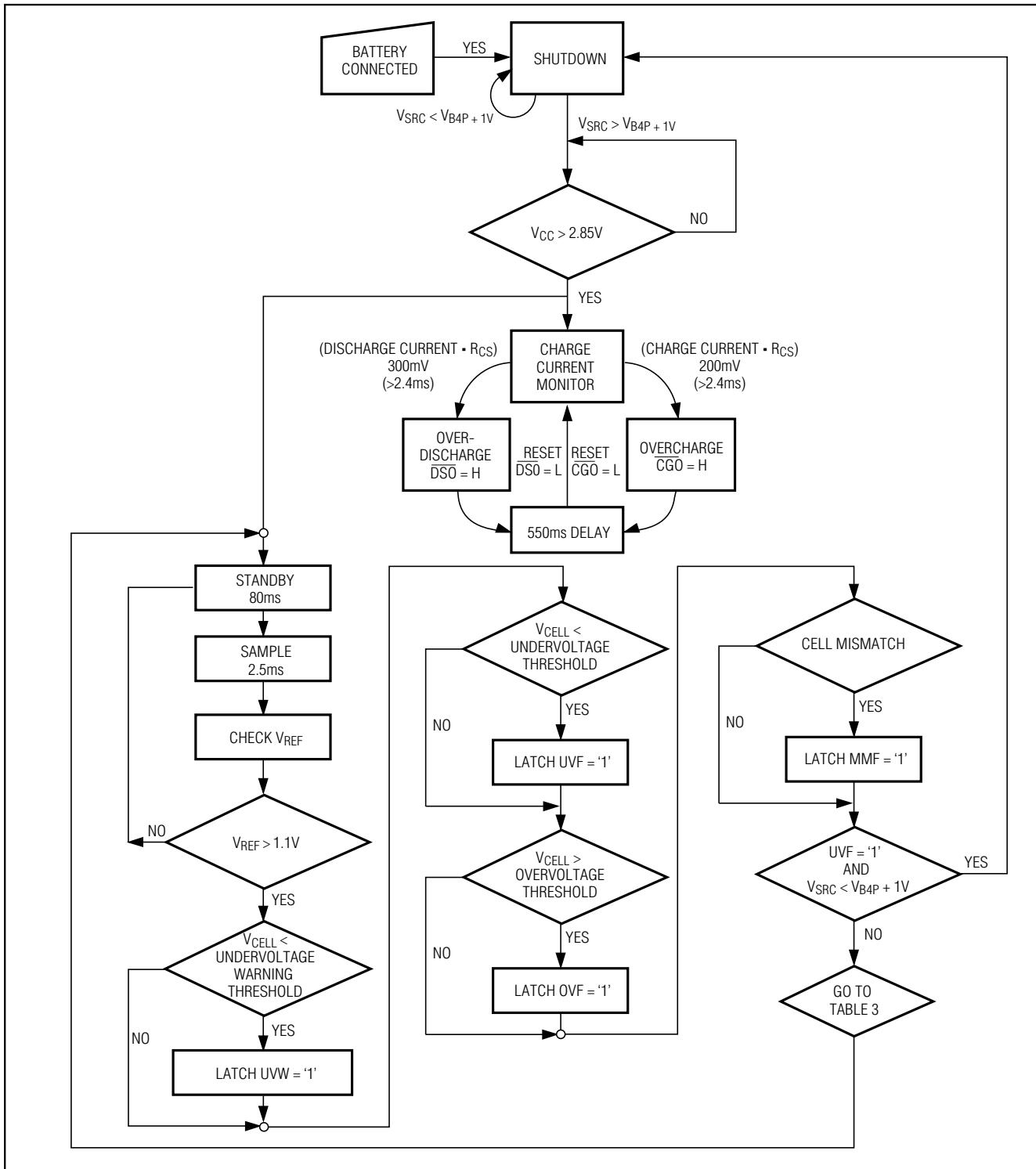


Figure 2. Cell Fault Monitor

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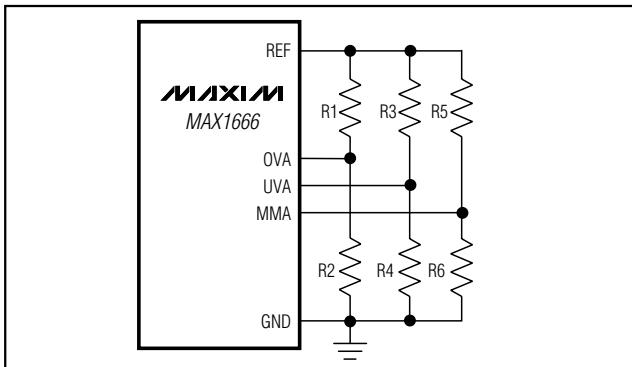


Figure 3. Using an External Resistor-Divider to Adjust Overvoltage Threshold

## Detailed Description

The MAX1666 battery-pack protectors supervise the charging and discharging processes of Lithium-Ion battery cells. Designed for 2, 3, and 4-cell applications, these devices monitor the voltage across each cell to provide protection against undervoltage, overvoltage, and overcurrent damage.

Control pins CGO, TKO, and DSO allow control of external MOSFET gates. This allows fast charging, trickle charging, and discharging processes (see *Typical Operating Circuit*). The voltage of each cell is measured individually. Also, each cell is measured differentially between every other cell of the pack.

The MAX1666 contains a state machine, a voltage regulator, an oscillator, and other logic functions to selectively drive CGO, UVO, TKO, DSO, WRN, and PKF (Figure 1).

## Modes of Operation

### Shutdown Mode

The MAX1666 goes into shutdown mode when a battery pack is first connected. The quiescent current is less than 1 $\mu$ A. All circuitry is inactive except the com-

parator monitoring V<sub>SRC</sub> and the top-cell voltage. The MAX1666 remains in shutdown mode as long as V<sub>SRC</sub> is less than the top-cell voltage. When SRC is connected to an external charger and V<sub>SRC</sub> is 1V above the top-cell voltage, the device goes into standby mode.

The MAX1666 returns to shutdown mode under two conditions: the battery is disconnected and then re-connected, or the device detects an undervoltage fault and no charge source.

### Normal Mode

The standby state activates the bias circuitry, overcurrent comparator, and timer. The standby state lasts 80ms, then the MAX1666 goes into the sample state for 2.5ms.

Within the 2.5ms, the MAX1666 checks for overvoltage, undervoltage, and mismatch between cells sequentially, and it stores the results in internal latches. The MAX1666 drives the outputs according to the faults (if any) detected by reading the latches (Figure 2) at the end of the sample state. Then the MAX1666 returns to the standby state.

### Overvoltage Protection

The MAX1666 provides overvoltage protection to avoid overcharging of any cell. When any cell is at overvoltage, CGO and TKO go high, turning off the external MOSFETs and stopping the charging process (*Typical Operating Circuits*). WRN goes low. Overvoltage is set when any cell voltage exceeds the overvoltage threshold.

Overvoltage threshold is linearly adjustable through an external 1% resistor-divider (Figure 3) from REF. Determine the overvoltage threshold (V<sub>OVT</sub>) required. V<sub>OVT</sub> must be between 4V and 4.4V. Set R<sub>TOTAL</sub> = R<sub>1</sub> + R<sub>2</sub> = 1M $\Omega$ . Calculate R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> as follows:

$$R_2 = [(V_{OVT} - 4V) / (4.4V - 4V)] \cdot R_{TOTAL}$$

$$R_1 = R_{TOTAL} - R_2$$

**Table 1. Operating Modes**

MODE	STATE	TIME	TYPICAL QUIESCENT CURRENT ( $\mu$ A)	CONDITION
Normal	Standby	80ms	24	Only bias circuitry, overcurrent comparator, and timer are active.
	Sample	2.5ms	250	All circuitry active.
Shutdown	—	—	0.7	All circuitry inactive. Device enters shutdown when it detects an undervoltage fault and <u>V<sub>SRC</sub></u> < <u>V<sub>TOP-CELL</sub></u> + 1V (no charge source).

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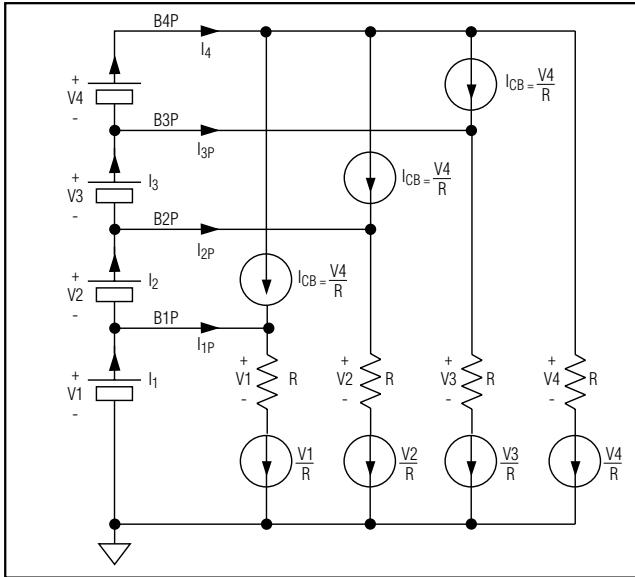


Figure 4. Cell Voltage Sampling

Maximum mismatch of 1% external resistor-dividers is  $\pm 2\%$ . The external adjusted overvoltage threshold accuracy includes the internal overvoltage threshold accuracy ( $\pm 0.5\%$ ) and the error due to the external resistor-divider multiplied by maximum adjustment.

$$\pm 2\% \frac{4.4V - 4.0V}{4.4V} = \pm 0.2\%$$

The total external adjusted overvoltage threshold ( $V_{OVT}$ ) accuracy is  $\pm 0.7\%$ .

### Undervoltage Protection

The MAX1666 provides undervoltage protection to avoid overdischarging the cells. When any cell is under voltage, UVO, DSO, and CGO go high, turning off the external charging and discharging MOSFETs. TKO remains low to keep the trickle charge current on. Undervoltage threshold is linearly adjustable through an external resistor-divider (Figure 3) from REF. Determine the undervoltage threshold ( $V_{UVT}$ ) required.  $V_{UVT}$  must be between 2V and 3V. Set  $R_{TOTAL} = R_3 + R_4 = 1M\Omega$ . Calculate  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  as follows:

$$R_4 = [(V_{UVT} - 2V) / (3V - 2V)] R_{TOTAL}$$

$$R_3 = R_{TOTAL} - R_4$$

Maximum mismatch of 1% external resistor-dividers is  $\pm 2.0\%$ , and the error due to the external resistor-divider multiplied by maximum adjustment is  $\pm 2\% (3V - 2V) / 3V = \pm 0.7\%$ . The total external adjusted undervoltage

threshold ( $V_{UVT}$ ) accuracy including the internal undervoltage threshold accuracy ( $\pm 2.5\%$ ) is  $\pm 3.2\%$ .

### Undervoltage Warning

When any cell drops to 100mV above the undervoltage threshold, WRN goes low. WRN returns high when all cells are 300mV above the undervoltage threshold.

### Cell-Mismatch Protection

The MAX1666 disables charging or discharging when mismatch occurs. When any two cells are mismatched, TKO, CGO, UVO, and DSO go high, turning off the external MOSFETs. PKF goes low. PKF has a strong pull-down current ( $>4mA$ ), and can be used to control an external thermal fuse. The cell-mismatch threshold is linearly adjustable through an external resistor-divider (Figure 3) from REF. Determine the cell-mismatch threshold ( $V_{CMT}$ ) required.  $V_{CMT}$  has to be between 0 and 500mV. Set  $R_{TOTAL} = R_5 + R_6 = 1M\Omega$ . Calculate  $R_5$  and  $R_6$ :

$$R_6 = (V_{CMT} / 500mV) R_{TOTAL}$$

$$R_5 = R_{TOTAL} - R_6$$

Maximum mismatch of 1% external resistor-divider is  $\pm 2\%$ . The total external adjusted cell-mismatch threshold accuracy, including the internal cell-mismatch threshold accuracy ( $\pm 10\%$ ), is  $\pm 12\%$ .

### Cell Voltage Sampling

The MAX1666 does not introduce cell mismatch. When the battery cells are matched, the MAX1666 draws close to zero current from the intermediate cells. Figure 4 shows a simplified diagram of the voltage sampling scheme.

$$B4P: I_4 = 3ICB + V_4 / R = 4V_4 / R = BAT4 Current$$

$$B3P: I_3 = I_{3P} + I_4 = BAT3 Current$$

$$I_{3P} + ICB = V_3 / R \Rightarrow I_{3P} = V_3 / R - V_4 / R$$

$$I_3 = I_4 + (V_3 - V_4) / R = (3V_4 + V_3) / R$$

$$B2P: I_2 = I_{2P} + I_3 = BAT2 Current$$

$$I_{2P} + ICB = V_2 / R \Rightarrow I_{2P} = V_2 / R - V_4 / R$$

$$I_2 = I_3 + V_2 / R - V_4 / R = I_4 + (V_3 - V_4) / R + (V_2 - V_4) / R = (2V_4 + V_3 + V_2) / R$$

$$B1P: I_1 = I_{1P} + I_2 = BAT1 Current$$

$$I_{1P} + ICB = V_1 / R \Rightarrow I_{1P} = V_1 / R - V_4 / R$$

$$I_1 = I_2 + V_1 / R - V_4 / R = I_4 + (V_3 - V_4) / R + (V_2 - V_4) / R + (V_1 - V_4) / R = (V_4 + V_3 + V_2 + V_1) / R$$

When  $V_1 = V_2 = V_3 = V_4$ ,  $I_{1P} = I_{2P} = I_{3P} = 0$ , and

$$I_1 = I_2 = I_3 = I_4 = 4V_4 / R$$

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## **Overcharge/Overdischarge Current Protection**

The MAX1666 checks for overcharge or overdischarge current in standby and sample states. The thresholds are factory preset to 200mV and 300mV, respectively. A charge current makes PKN go below GND. A discharge current makes PKN go above GND. When PKN exceeds the threshold, a fault is acknowledged.  $\overline{CGO}$  goes high when the overcharge threshold is exceeded.  $\overline{DSO}$  goes high when the overdischarge threshold is exceeded. An internal 550ms timer starts. At the end of 550ms,  $\overline{DSO}$  or  $\overline{CGO}$  goes low, while the MAX1666 rechecks for an overcharge/overdischarge fault. A persistent fault causes  $\overline{DSO}$  and  $\overline{CGO}$  to return high and restarts the 550ms timer again.

## **Truth Table**

The MAX1666 has a total of eight signal inputs and six outputs. Table 2 lists all the possible states.

## **Applications Information**

### **Choosing an External MOSFET**

The external P-channel MOSFETs act as a gated switch to enable or disable the charging/discharging process.  $\overline{CGO}$  controls the MOSFET for normal charging of the battery.  $\overline{TKO}$  controls the MOSFET for trickle charge of the cells.  $\overline{DSO}$  controls the discharging MOSFET. Use different MOSFETs to optimize each function depending on the maximum charge and discharge rates. Table 3 lists some suitable MOSFETs in a small SO-8 package.

### **Layout Considerations and Bypassing**

As with all printed circuit board designs, a careful layout is suggested. Minimize lead lengths to reduce losses in the traces.

**Table 3. MOSFET Selection**

P-CHANNEL MOSFETs	MAXIMUM DRAIN CURRENT (A)
IRF7404	5.3
IRF7406	4.7
Si4431	4.5
Si4947 (dual)	2.5 EA

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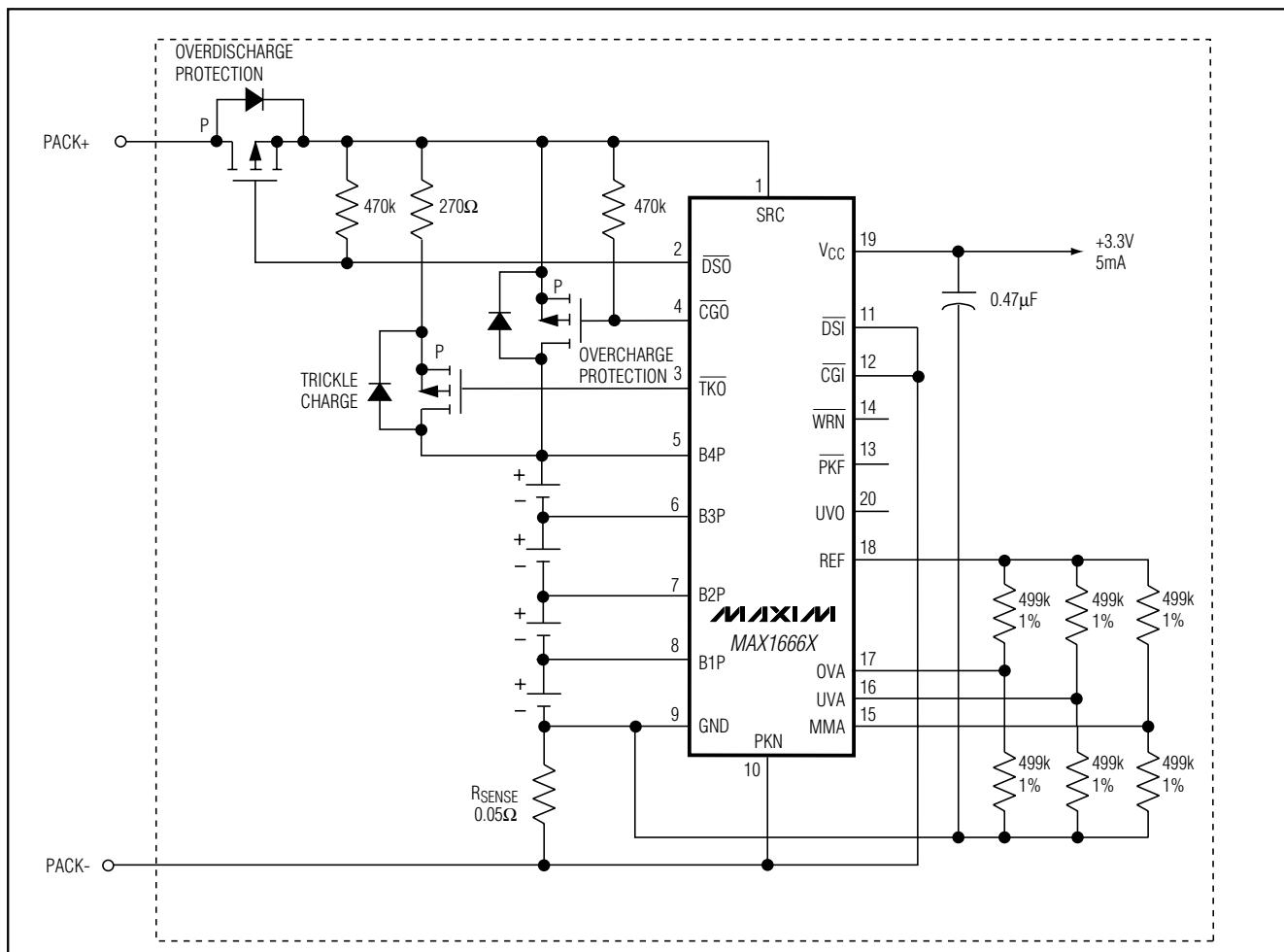
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**Table 2.** Truth Table

PS: Overcurrent fault pulse sampling. (Output goes high for 500ms then resets low to monitor charge/discharge current. Output goes high again if fault persists.)  
 UW: Undervoltage fault  
 OCC: Overvoltage fault early warning  
 OUC: Undervoltage fault early warning  
 ODC: Overdischarge current fault  
 OFV: Overvoltage fault  
 CGI: Charge control input  
 DSI: Discharge control input  
 MDF: Mismatch fault

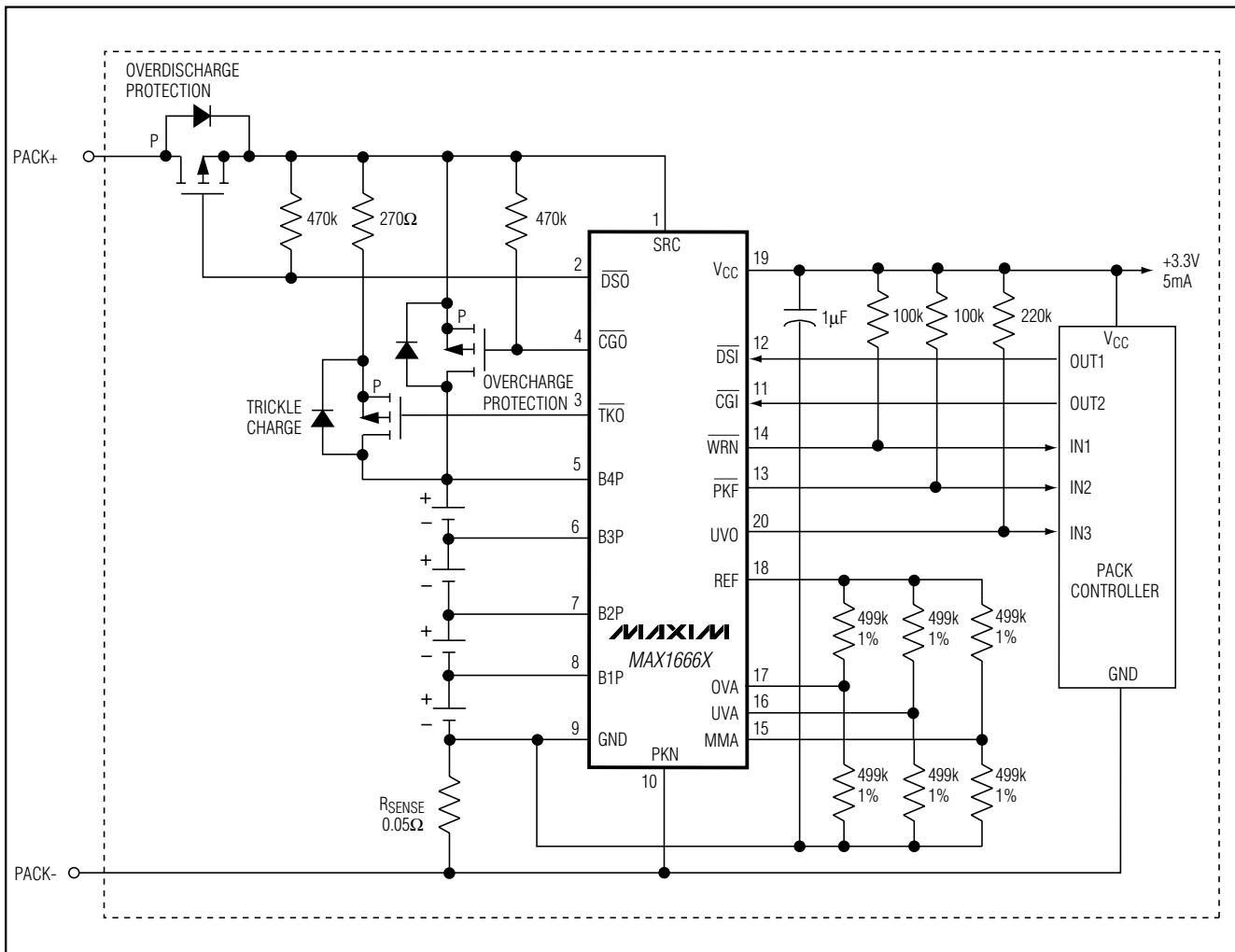
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## Typical Operating Circuits



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## Typical Operating Circuits (continued)



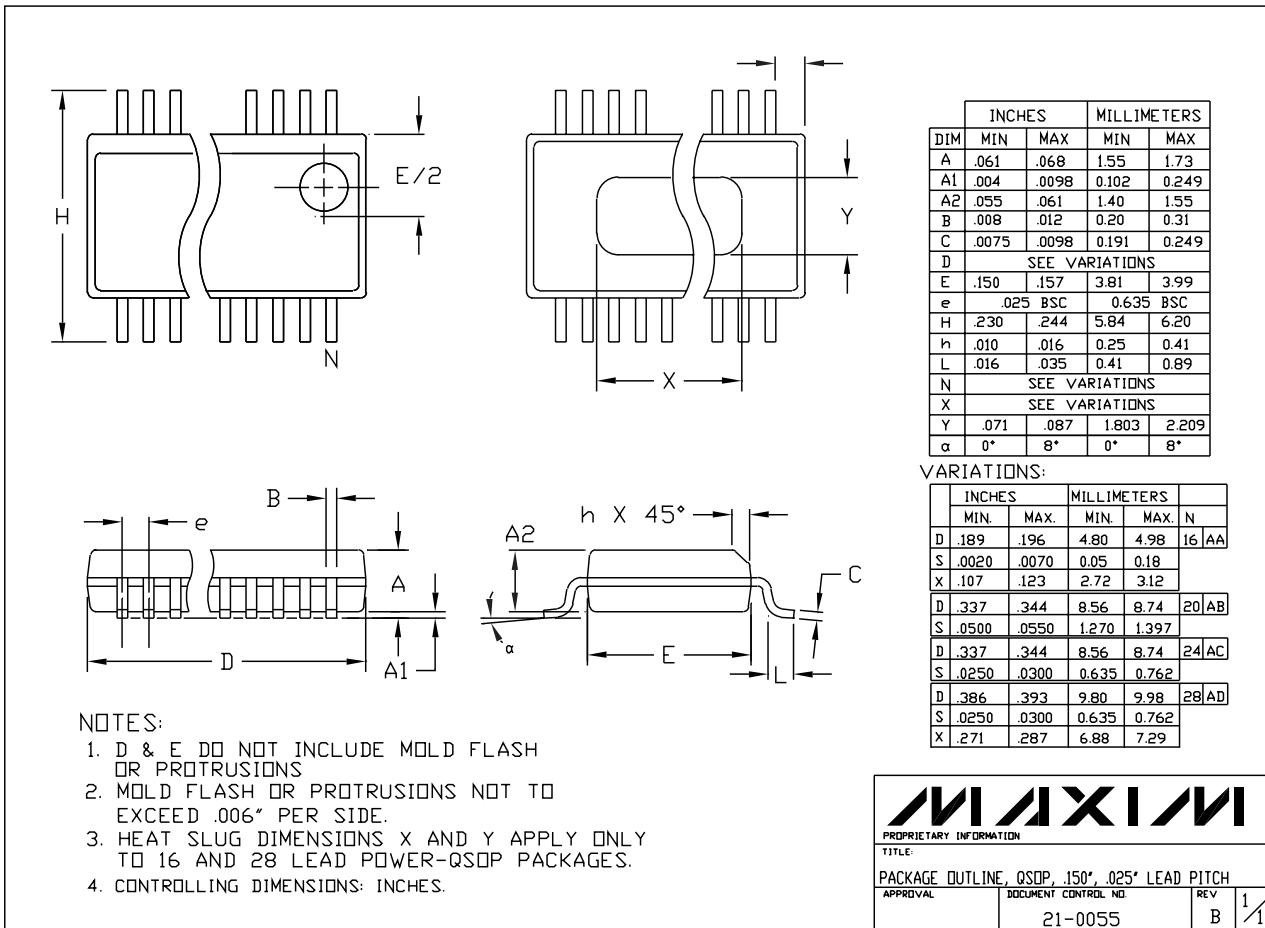
## Chip Information

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## Package Information

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