

TPD2S300YFF Evaluation Module

This user guide describes the characteristics, operation, and use of the TPD2S300YFF USB Type C Short-to-VBUS and IEC ESD Protector Evaluation Module (EVM) for use with CC pins. This EVM is a TPD2S300YFF integrated chip set into a USB Type-C passthrough board to allow the user to test the operation of the TPD2S300YFF overvoltage protection and ESD protection in their own system. This user's guide includes setup instructions, schematic diagrams, a bill of materials, and printed-circuit board layout drawings for the EVM.

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1 Introduction

Texas Instrument's TPD2S300YFF evaluation module helps designers evaluate the operation and performance of the TPD2S300YFF device. The TPD2S300YFF is a single-chip solution for protection of the USB Type-C configuration channel (CC). The device provides Short-to-VBUS overvoltage protection up to 24 V for the CC1, CC2 pins to prevent damage caused by a faulty connector or mechanical twist shorting pins. The TPD2S300YFF also provides 2-channels of IEC 61000-4-2 ESD protection for CC1, CC2 of the USB Type-C connector.

1.1 Board Setup

Figure 1 shows the TPD2S300YFF-EVM Board. The pass-through EVM allows the user to ensure that the TPD2S300YFF does not impede typical operation of their USB port while also allowing the user to test the TPD2S300YFF protection during an overvoltage or ESD event. To test the TPD2S300YFF EVM, plug the male ("system side", J1) connector on the EVM into a USB Type-C female port and plug a typical USB Type-C cable or peripheral into the EVM's female connector ("connector side", J2).

The TPD2S300YFF is intended to be placed very close to the port in a typical system, so this setup closely simulates a designed in the TPD2S300YFF. When plugged in, the user can ensure that the TPD2S300YFF does not impede standard USB operation. By default, the C_CC1 and C_CC2 pins are used to self-bias the internal dead battery resistors of the TPD2S300YFF. This allows the TPD2S300YFF to serve as either a UFP or a DFP port.

The TPD2S300YFF has an integrated voltage mode pin, giving the user the ability to operate the EVM for CC and PD, or with VCONN capabilities as well. In the case that only CC/PD operation is desired, pins 2 and 3 on J3 can be shorted with a jumper, allowing the VM pin to use the VPWR voltage as input. If VCONN functionality is desired, pins 1 and 2 can be shorted on J3. The VM pin of the TPD2S300YFF can then be controlled by placing an external voltage source on TP4 (VM). In order for the device to function properly in this mode, the voltage level needs to be 8-V minimum, but must not exceed 22 V to keep in the boundaries of the recommended operating conditions.

With respect to powering the device, the EVM requires 3.3 V between the VPWR (TP1) and Ground (TP3) pins to power up the TPD2S300YFF. If the system supports USB charging from a dead battery condition, it is recommended that the EVM be powered from the protected USB Controller to show that the dead battery functionality works properly. The EVM includes a 0.1-uF (C2) capacitor to ground on the Vbias pin of the TPD2S300YFF, a 100-kΩ (R1) resistor to VPWR on the FLT pin, and a 1-uF (C1) capacitor to ground on the VPWR pin. These are recommended for proper operation of the TPD2S300YFF in all applications.

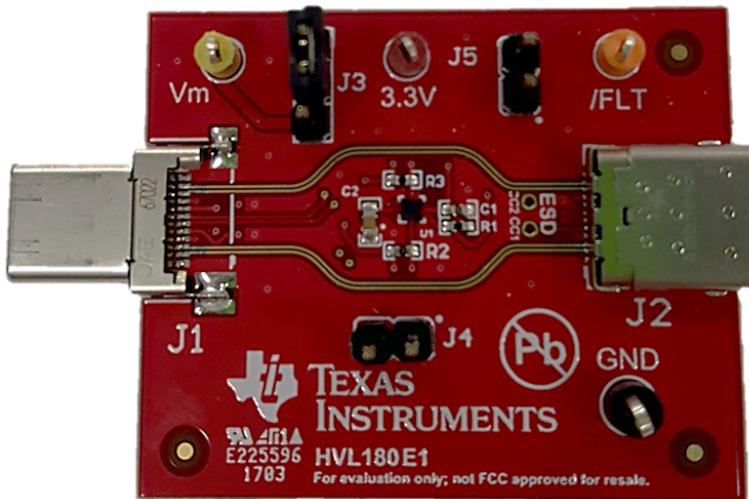


Figure 1. TPD2S300YFF-EVM Board

2 Test Setup and Results

Section 2.1 and Section 2.2 outline the testing procedures for the TPS2S300YFF EVM along with their respective results. Care must be exercised when testing to avoid potential damage to the device and any connected peripherals.

2.1 Overvoltage Protection Testing

The EVM is designed to allow the user to ensure that the TPD2S300YFF can protect their system from overvoltage events. By shorting either CC line to a high voltage on the connector side of the EVM, the user can confirm that the TPD2S300YFF protects their system. The short can be created by applying 20 V to one of the protected lines on a USB Type-C breakout board plugged into J2 or by using a custom board that discharges 20 V over a capacitor when plugged in. When the TPD2S300YFF sees a voltage over the overvoltage threshold on a CC line it isolates both CC lines within 100 ns to protect the system. Use an oscilloscope to measure the voltage on both the system side and the connector side of the EVM to view the clamped voltage that the protected system is seeing.

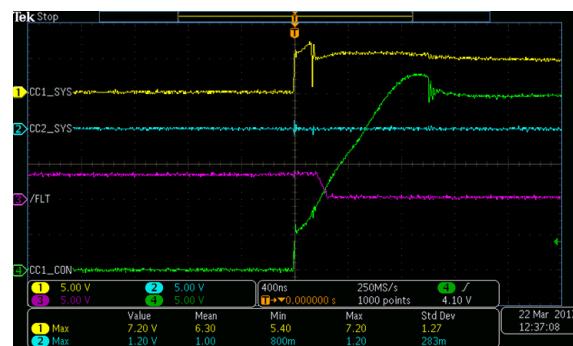


Figure 2. TPD2S300YFF-EVM Short-to-V_{BUS} Test

The waveform in Figure 2, where channels 1 and 2 are the system side of the TPD2S300YFF-EVM, and channel 4 is the connector side, was taken when CC1 from a TPD2S300YFF-EVM in DFP mode in series with a TPD8S300YFF-EVM was shorted to a 24-V V_{BUS} line. The event was created by a plugging in a one foot cable to a custom USB Type-C board that simulates a faulty peripheral, pulling V_{BUS} to 24 V and discharging the voltage to the CC line over a capacitor. Measuring the voltage over the TPD2S300YFF-EVM shows the device clamping the overvoltage event to a maximum voltage of 7.2 V.

2.2 ESD Testing

Figure 3 shows the TPD2S300YFF-EVM. The EVM has two ESD test points, one on each CC line which allows the user to use a ESD simulator in either contact or air-gap test mode to measure the ESD protection provided by the TPD2S300YFF-EVM. Probe points CC1 and CC2 correspond to the CC1 and CC2 lines respectively. See the [IEC 61000-4-x Tests for TI's Protection Devices](#) application report for specifics on proper ESD testing methods.

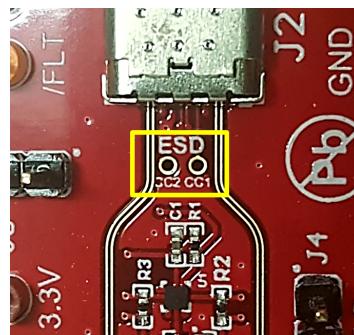


Figure 3. TPD2S300YFF-EVM

3 Board Layout

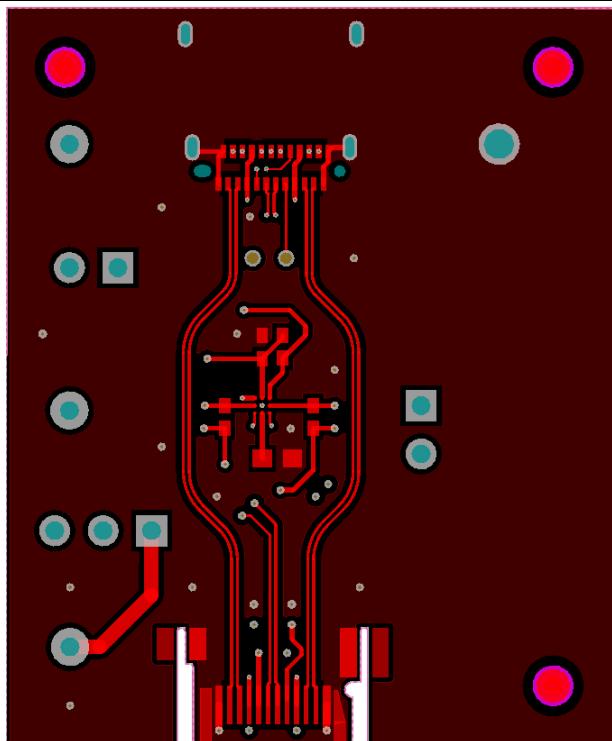


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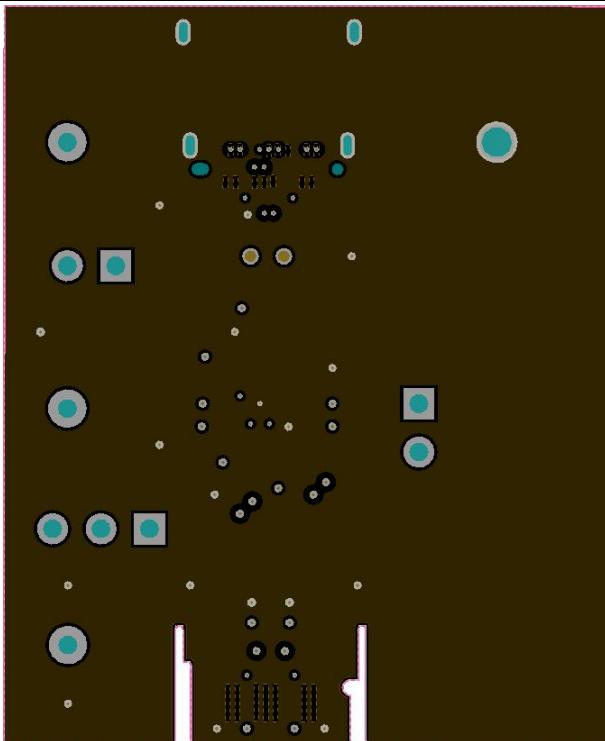


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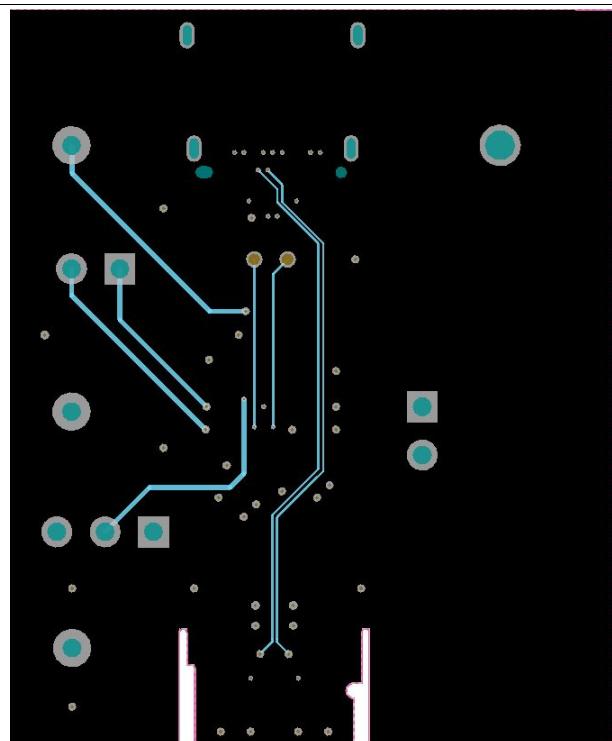


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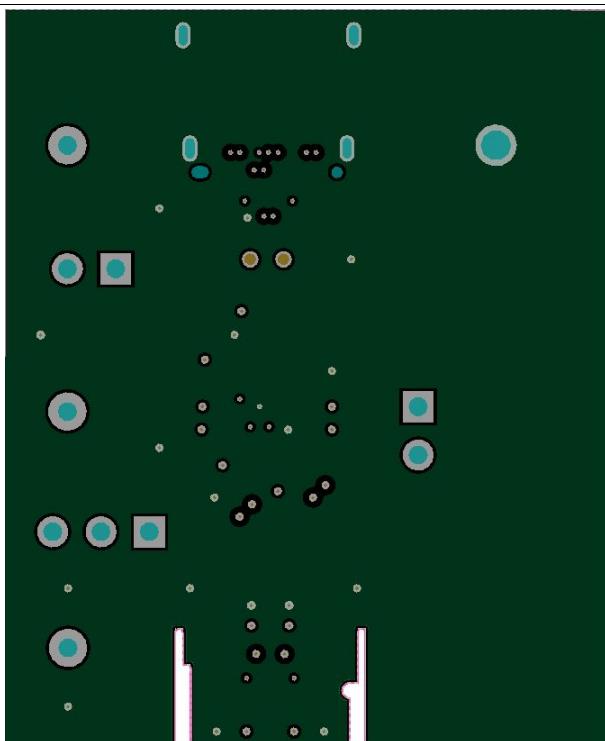


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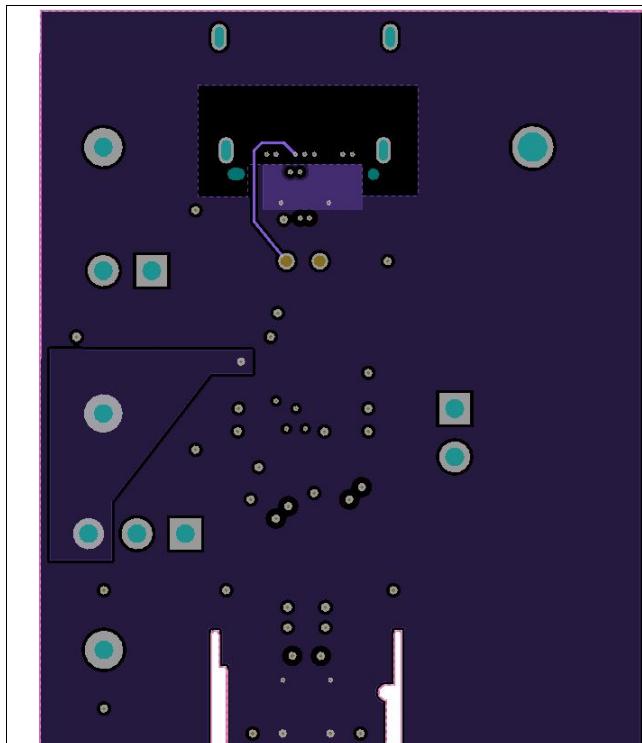


Figure 8. Power Plane

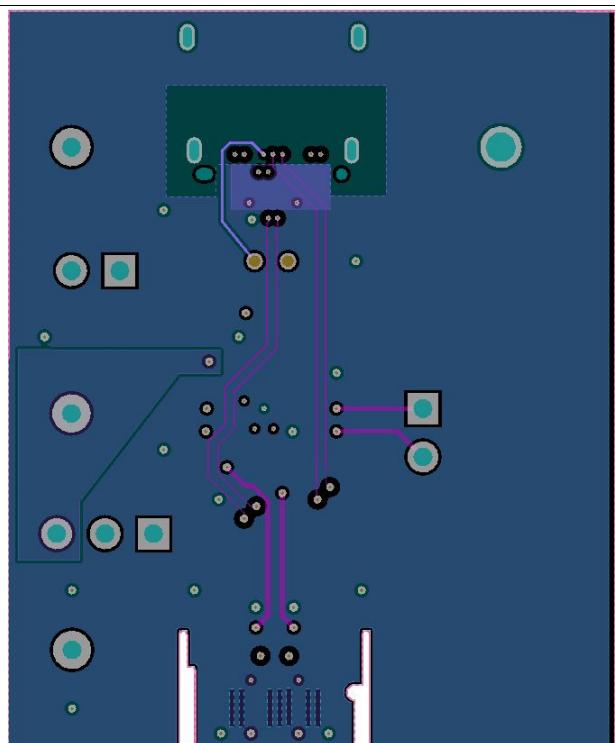


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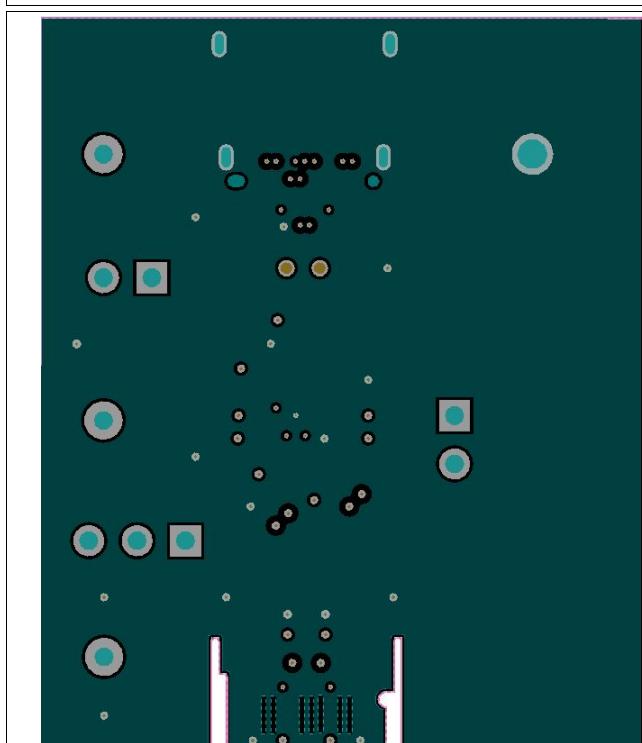


Figure 10. GND Plane 3

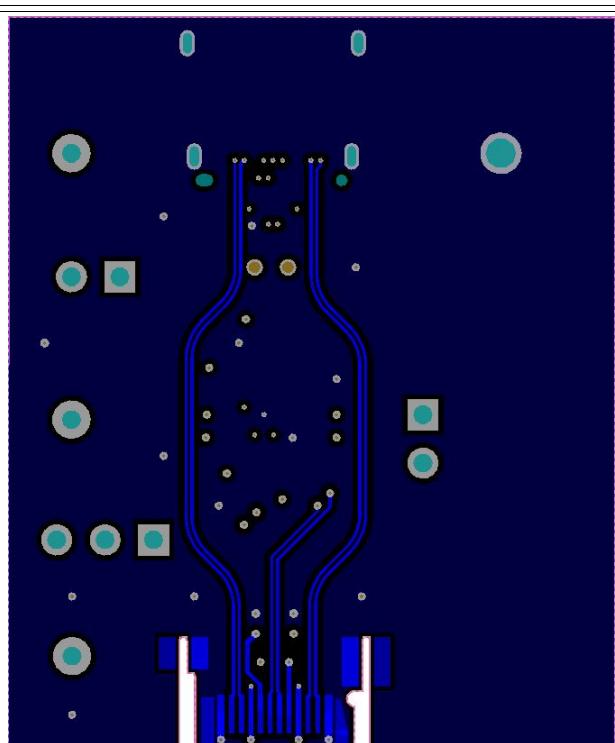


Figure 11. Bottom Plane

4 Schematic

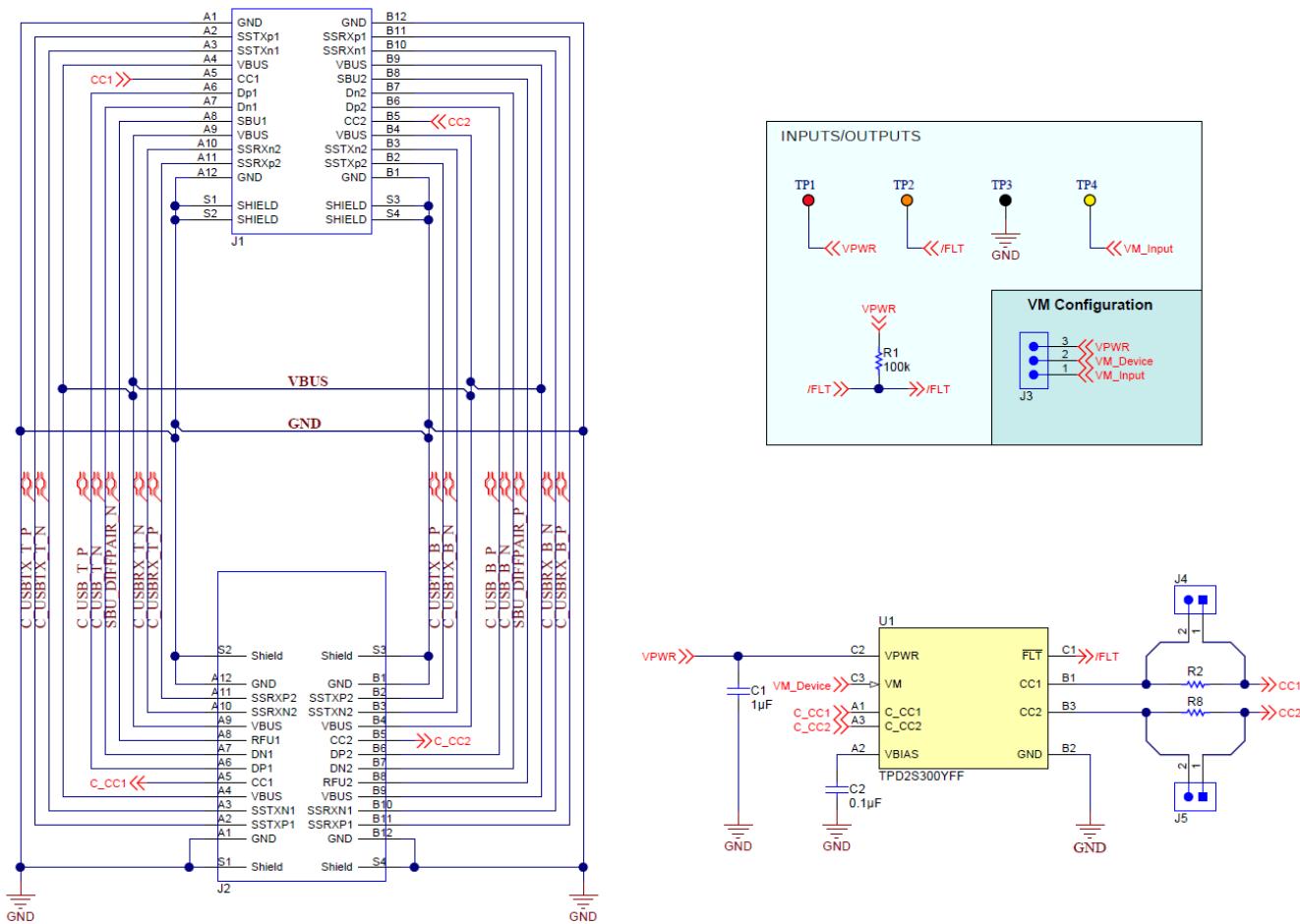


Figure 12. TPD2S300YFF-EVM Board Schematic

5 Bill of Materials

The following is an itemized list of the components used in the TPD2S300YFF-EVM board.

Table 1. Bill of Materials

Designator	Qty	Value	Description	Package Reference	Part Number	Manufacturer
!PCB1	1		Printed Circuit Board		HVL180	Any
C1	1	1 uF	CAP, CERM, 1 μ F, 35 V, \pm 10%, JB, 0402	0402	C1005JB1V105K050B C	TDK
C2	1	0.1 uF	CAP, CERM, 0.1 μ F, 50 V, \pm 10%, X7R, 0603	0603	GRM188R71H104KA9 3D	MuRata
J1	1		Plug, USB3.1, TYPE-C, R/A, SMT	Plug, USB3.1, TYPE-C, R/A, SMT	DX07P024MJ1R1500	JAE Electronics
J2	1		Receptacle, 0.5 mm, USB TYPE C, R/A, SMT	Receptacle, 0.5 mm, USB TYPE C, R/A, SMT	12401610E4#2A	Amphenol Canada
J3	1		Header, 100 mil, 3x1, Gold, TH	PBC03SAAN	PBC03SAAN	Sullins Connector Solutions
J4, J5	2		Header, 100 mil, 2x1, Gold, TH	Sullins 100 mil, 1x2, 230 mil above insulator	PBC02SAAN	Sullins Connector Solutions
R1	1	100 k	RES, 100 k, 5%, 0.1 W, AEC-Q200 Grade 0, 0402	0402	ERJ-2GEJ104X	Panasonic
R2, R3	2	0.1	RES, 0.1, 1%, 0.125 W, 0402	0402	ERJ-2LWJR010X	Panasonic
TP1	1		Test Point, Miniature, Red, TH	Red Miniature Testpoint	5000	Keystone
TP2	1		Test Point, Miniature, Orange, TH	Orange Miniature Testpoint	5003	Keystone
TP3	1		Test Point, Compact, Black, TH	Black Compact Testpoint	5006	Keystone
TP4	1		Test Point, Miniature, Yellow, TH	Yellow Miniature Testpoint	5004	Keystone
U1	1		USB Type C Short-to-VBUS and IEC ESD Protector for the CC Pins, YFF0009ALAL (DSBGA-9)	YFF0009ALAL	TPD2S300YFF	Texas Instruments
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